

**Quarterly Issues and Programs List for Station WTAW-AM/College Station TX  
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**(1) Events at Texas A&M University and the A&M System**

| <b>Date:</b> | <b>Program Name:</b> | <b>Time:</b>           | <b>Duration:</b> | <b>Summary:</b>   |
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| 10/1/2014    | WTAW News            | 6:06 a.m.              | :37              | Texas A&M Associate Athletics Director tells B/CS Chamber of Commerce audience about the growth in the local economy due to A&M athletics and increase in student enrollment. |
| 10/6/2014    | WTAW News            | 5:06 p.m.              | :67              | Members of Governor's new task force on infectious diseases includes administrators from Texas A&M's Health Science Center and vet school.                                    |
| 10/6/2014    | WTAW News            | 5:06 p.m.              | :30              | 16 international students at Texas A and M were scammed for \$17,000 of bogus online airline tickets.   |
| 10/8/2014    | WTAW News            | 5:06 p.m.              | 1:05             | Texas A&M Transportation Services tweaking bus schedules to accommodate more fans attending home football games.  |
| 10/8/2014    | 5 p.m. News Hour     | 5:10 p.m.<br>5:40 p.m. | 6:00<br>6:48     | Interview with the director of Texas A&M Transportation Services about accommodating more fans attending home football games.   |
| 10/10/2014   | WTAW News            | 5:06 p.m.              | :50              | Texas A&M System soliciting proposals to turn Cain Park property into a hotel, conference center, and parking garage.   |
| 10/14/2014   | WTAW News            | 5:06 p.m.              | :44              | Texas A&M Faculty Senate learns there are no new developments in the search of the university's next president.   |
| 10/21/2014   | WTAW News            | 5:06 p.m.              | 1:16             | FCC commissioner leads panel discussion at Texas A&M Bush Library on proposed Internet regulations.   |
| 10/22/2014   | WTAW News            | 5:06 p.m.              | :32              | Governor Perry visits Texas A&M campus and announces the federal government has asked A&M to submit a proposal to develop and produce the anti-Ebola drug Z-Mapp.             |
| 10/28/2014   | WTAW News            | 6:30 a.m.              | :59              | Texas A&M Foundation capital campaign update presented to A&M Faculty Senate.   |
| 10/28/2014   | WTAW News            | 6:30 a.m.              | :53              | Texas A&M proposed tuition and fee increases for next year's new students.  |
| 10/30/2014   | WTAW News            | 5:06 p.m.              | :45              | Former Texas A&M President Elsa Murano is named director of the A&M Borlaug Institute on a permanent basis.   |
| 10/30/2014   | WTAW News            | 6:06 a.m.              | :40              | The president of the International Atomic Energy Agency comments at the end of a two day visit to Texas A&M.  |

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| 11/4/2014  | WTAW News | 5:06 p.m. | :42  | Invitation to watch "Texas Aggies Go To War" video, part of an exhibit opening in December in Bastogne, Belgium.  |
| 11/5/2014  | WTAW News | 5:06 p.m. | :46  | Preview of next Texas A&M System Board of Regents meeting include more than \$75 million in new construction.   |
| 11/5/2014  | WTAW News | 5:06 p.m. | 24   | Austin American-Statesman reports Texas A&M and the University of Texas will again ask state legislators during next year's session to approve more tuition revenue bonds.        |
| 11/6/2014  | WTAW News | 5:06 p.m. | 1:23 | Texas A&M System Board of Regents vote 5-3 approving next year's tuition and fee schedule at the flagship campus.   |
| 11/11/2014 | WTAW News | 5:06 p.m. | :51  | President George W. Bush speaks at the Texas A&M Bush Library to unveil his new book about his father, President George H.W. Bush.  |
| 11/11/2014 | WTAW News | 5:06 p.m. | :45  | Texas A&M's National Center for Biotherapeutics Manufacturing receives state grant to train veterans as technicians in the biotech industry.                                      |
| 11/13/2014 | WTAW News | 5:06 p.m. | :46  | Preview of groundbreaking for Texas A&M's largest academic building, the new Zachry Engineering Education complex.  |
| 11/24/2014 | WTAW News | 5:06 p.m. | :28  | Texas A&M System announces implosion of the west side of Kyle Field is the early morning of December 21.  |
| 11/26/2014 | WTAW News | 5:06 p.m. | :32  | Brazos County Judge Duane Peters wants Governor-Elect Abbott to reappoint Texas A&M System board of regents member Phil Adams of Bryan when his current term expires in February. |
| 12/3/2014  | WTAW News | 6:06 a.m. | :57  | Three semis deliver first ever replacement seats at Texas A&M's Rudder Auditorium.  |
| 12/3/2014  | WTAW News | 5:06 p.m. | 1:06 | Texas A&M vet school introduces Army veteran and his service dog who was treated at the vet hospital after being hit by a car.  |
| 12/10/2014 | WTAW News | 6:30 a.m. | 1:03 | Texas A&M Interim President Dr. Mark Hussey recaps 11 months in that position, four months longer than he expected, to the A&M Faculty Senate.                                    |
| 12/16/2014 | WTAW News | 6:30 a.m. | :59  | Texas A&M System announces date and time of implosion of west side of Kyle Field and athletics department officials talks about the event.  |
| 12/17/2014 | WTAW News | 6:06 a.m. | :44  | Texas A&M System board of regents announce a special meeting to consider renaming the A&M Academic Building for Governor Perry.   |
| 12/17/2014 | WTAW News | 6:06 a.m. | :44  | Deadline passes for nominees for the next Texas A&M University mascot, Reveille IX.   |

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| 12/18/2014 | WTAW News                            | 6:30 a.m.              | :43          | Texas A&M System sells an interest in a pharmaceutical company to Japanese investors.  |
| 12/19/2014 | WTAW News                            | 6:30 a.m.              | :18          | Governor Perry declines offer to have Texas A&M Academic Building renamed in his honor.  |
| 12/19/2014 | 5 p.m. News Hour<br>5 p.m. News Hour | 5:15 p.m.<br>5:45 p.m. | 3:30<br>5:00 | Comments from representatives of the Texas A&M System and the Kyle Field renovation general contractor, demolition company, and the company in charge of imploding the west side of the stadium. |
| 12/22/2014 | WTAW News                            | 6:30 a.m.              | 1:04         | Phase two of the Kyle Field redevelopment starts with the implosion of the west side of the football stadium.  |

## **(2) Blinn College Brazos County campuses addressing space needs**

| <b>Date:</b> | <b>Program Name:</b> | <b>Time:</b> | <b>Duration:</b> | <b>Summary:</b>  |
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| 11/24/2014   | WTAW News            | 5:06 p.m.    | :42              | Blinn College trustees award a \$1.4 million dollar construction contract converting the Tejas Center for offices being moved off the Villa Maria campus in Bryan. |
| 12/18/2014   | WTAW News            | 6:30 a.m.    | :47              | Blinn College trustees authorize seeking proposals to renovate space at Bryan campus buildings created after offices are moved off campus.                         |

## **(3) Search for new Blinn College District President**

| <b>Date:</b> | <b>Program Name:</b> | <b>Time:</b> | <b>Duration:</b> | <b>Summary:</b>  |
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| 10/22/2014   | WTAW News            | 5:06 p.m.    | :23              | Blinn board of trustees vote to solicit proposals from firms to recruit candidates for the college's next district president.  |
| 11/4/2014    | WTAW News            | 5:06 p.m.    | :29              | As search process begins for new Blinn district president, a vice-president retires and a chief of staff is hired to assist the president of the Brazos County campuses. |
| 12/4/2014    | WTAW News            | 6:30 a.m.    | :45              | Blinn College Trustees hire a consultant to assist in the search of a new district president and the selection of an interim district president.                         |
| 12/23/2014   | WTAW News            | 6:30 a.m.    | 1:03             | Blinn College Trustees hire an interim district president.   |

## **(4) Business and Economic Development news in Bryan and College Station**

| <b>Date:</b> | <b>Program Name:</b> | <b>Time:</b> | <b>Duration:</b> | <b>Summary:</b>  |
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| 10/7/2014    | WTAW News            | 5:06 p.m.    | :53              | The New York Times reports biocorridor-based Caliber Biotherapeutics has been in advanced discussions to produce a drug to treat those with the Ebola virus. |
| 10/8/2014    | WTAW News            | 6:06 a.m.    | :14              | New CEO named at College Station Medical Center.   |

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| 10/8/2014  | WTAW News | 6:30 a.m. | :48 | Bryan mayor announces potential buyer of former Gunler Foods plant following Gunler bankruptcy.  |
| 10/15/2014 | WTAW News | 5:06 p.m. | :58 | Otis Instruments is relocating from its Villa Maria location to downtown Bryan in the former police department headquarters.   |
| 10/24/2014 | WTAW News | 6:06 a.m. | :34 | KBTX-TV evening news anchor Meredith Stancik is retiring and morning anchor Michael Oder has moved to Birmingham AL.   |
| 11/3/2014  | WTAW News | 6:06 a.m. | :30 | Hope Pregnancy Center announces purchase of former Planned Parenthood building and will offer additional services.   |
| 11/4/2014  | WTAW News | 5:06 p.m. | :48 | B/CS Chamber of Commerce holds annual banquet and awards program.  |
| 11/5/2014  | WTAW News | 5:06 p.m. | :14 | Announcement that sale of St. Joseph Health System to Catholic Health Initiatives has been finalized.  |
| 11/12/2014 | WTAW News | 5:06 p.m. | :27 | College Station mayor announces groundbreaking on Century Square development of housing, hotel, conference center, and entertainment that will be built on Texas A&M property.   |
| 11/18/2014 | WTAW News | 5:06 p.m. | :37 | College Station city council approves rezoning for a 20 building apartment complex at Holleman and FM 2818.  |
| 11/19/2014 | WTAW News | 5:06 p.m. | :57 | Former Gunler Foods buildings purchased by Kristen Distributing, to make room at its present Bryan location to expand its line of soft drinks.   |
| 11/20/2014 | WTAW News | 6:06 a.m. | :36 | Bryan city council approves waiving fees to developers of a \$35 million senior community in The Traditions.   |
| 11/24/2014 | WTAW News | 5:06 p.m. | :55 | The city of College Station reestablishes the position of Economic Development Director and hires a former city department head.   |
| 11/25/2014 | WTAW News | 5:06 p.m. | :26 | Second Stripes convenience store will be built at Fitch & Wellborn in College Station, and company official says there will be six to ten locations in B/CS.   |
| 11/25/2014 | WTAW News | 5:06 p.m. | :45 | Not known if layoff of 175 at a Bryan call center will impact economic incentives given to Penncro Associates.   |
| 11/26/2014 | WTAW News | 6:06 a.m. | :53 | Bryan city council learns same person who purchased city property will sell it for the Atlas Town Center hotel and conference center, and if the selling price is less than the appraised value the city can make an appeal. |

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| 12/3/2014  | WTAW News | 6:30 a.m. | 1:27 | The Bryan city council votes 3-2 to rezone land near Traditions golf course for a multiple use development.                                   |
| 12/4/2014  | WTAW News | 6:30 a.m. | 1:03 | Representatives of all four hospitals in Bryan/College Station participated in a community health update hosted by the Chamber of Commerce.   |
| 12/29/2014 | WTAW News | 6:06 a.m. | :31  | Convention and Visitors Bureau reports an additional 1,000 hotel rooms will open over the next 12 months, bringing the local number to 4,200. |

#### **(5) Union Pacific Railroad announces construction of siderail near Wellborn**

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| 10/23/2014 | WTAW News | 5:06 p.m. | 1:13 | Union Pacific railroad asks Brazos County Commission for road closures associated with building a second parallel rail line south of Wellborn.                             |
| 12/9/2014  | WTAW News | 6:30 a.m. | 1:17 | First of two public hearings is held to consider an alternative option for closing railroad crossings for a Union Pacific siderail near Wellborn.                          |
| 12/12/2014 | WTAW News | 6:30 a.m. | 1:12 | Second of two public hearings is held to consider an alternative option for closing railroad crossings for a Union Pacific siderail near Wellborn.                         |
| 12/24/2014 | WTAW News | 6:06 a.m. | 1:02 | Brazos County commission accepts invitation to participate in Citizens for Wellborn meeting about transportation issues that includes proposed railroad crossing closings. |

#### **(6) Capital Improvement Projects in the Bryan School District**

| <b>Date:</b> | <b>Program Name:</b> | <b>Time:</b> | <b>Duration:</b> | <b>Summary:</b>  |
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| 10/6/2014    | WTAW News            | 5:06 p.m.    | :44              | Bryan school board approves \$3.4 million dollars of improvements to athletic facilities at Rudder High School.  |
| 11/18/2014   | WTAW News            | 6:06 a.m.    | :58              | Bryan school board approves entering negotiations with a construction management company to oversee the \$132 million dollar bond issue and an architect for the \$47 million portion covering the new SFA middle school, converting the present SFA into administrative offices, and repairs to the civic auditorium. |

#### **(7) College Station school board considering next bond issue**

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| 10/22/2014 | WTAW News | 5:06 p.m. | :48 | College Station school board holds first discussion of its next bond issue, for a third intermediate school, a third middle school, and a 10 <sup>th</sup> elementary school. |
| 11/19/2014 | WTAW News | 5:06 p.m. | :33 | College Station school board asked to consider moving up the next bond issue from 2016 to 2015.   |

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| 12/17/2014 | WTAW News | 6:30 a.m. | :53 | College Station school board decides to pursue bond issue in 2015 for a tenth elementary school, a third intermediate school, and a third middle school. |
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**(8) United Way of the Brazos Valley (UWBV)**

| Date:   | Program Name:    | Time:     | Duration: | Summary:  |
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| 10/6, 10/13, 10/20, 10/27, 11/3, 11/10, 11/17, 11/24, 12/1, 12/8, 12/15, and 12/22/2014 | 5 p.m. News Hour | 5:40 p.m. | ~5:00     | Interviews with United Way of the Brazos Valley staff and representatives of partner agencies during the community campaign and state employee charitable campaign. |
| 11/4/2014   | WTAW News        | 5:06 p.m. | :27       | New United Way volunteer website unveiled for organizations and those wanting to volunteer.   |
| 11/28/2014  | WTAW News        | 6:06 a.m. | :26       | United Way sends more than 4,000 letters to retired employees who previously contributed through workplace deductions asking to consider making donations.          |

**(9) 2015 City of College Station bond issue**

| Date:      | Program Name: | Time:     | Duration: | Summary:  |
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| 10/8/2014  | WTAW News     | 5:06 p.m. | :44       | College Station City Secretary announces recruitment voters to form committee to recommend what should be included in 2015 city bond issue. |
| 10/27/2014 | WTAW News     | 6:06 p.m. | :46       | College Station mayor calls for voters to apply for bond study committee.   |

**(10) College Station's first update on oil and gas drilling regulations in 20 years**

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| 10/10/2014 | WTAW News | 6:30 a.m. | :59 | College Station city council hears opponents to approving new oil and gas drilling as city staff works on changing regulations for the first time in 20 years. |
| 11/26/2014 | WTAW News | 5:06 p.m. | :50 | College Station city council announces a public hearing on December 18 on the first proposed changes to oil and gas drilling regulations in 20 years.          |
| 12/17/2014 | WTAW News | 6:30 a.m. | :16 | College Station city council delays public hearing until January on the first proposed changes to oil and gas drilling regulations in 20 years.                |
| 12/22/2014 | WTAW News | 6:06 a.m. | :41 | College Station city council hears from public speakers calling for tighter regulations on oil and gas drilling.   |

## (11) Local politics

| <b>Date:</b> | <b>Program Name:</b>  | <b>Time:</b> | <b>Duration:</b> | <b>Summary:</b>   |
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| 10/1/2014    | WTAW News   | 6:06 a.m.    | :40              | Texas Agriculture Commissioner tells local Chamber of Commerce audience to support Proposition 1, which increases funding for state highways.   |
| 10/20/2014   | WTAW News   | 6:06 a.m.    | :32              | Early voting for the November 2 <sup>nd</sup> election begins with a reminder to look at the bottom of the ballot to vote on city and school issues.  |
| 10/22/2014   | WTAW News   | 5:06 p.m.    | :23              | Invitation from B/CS Chamber of Commerce to attend a local candidates forum.  |
| 10/22/2014   | WTAW live broadcast from 6-9 p.m. of the B/CS Chamber of Commerce local candidates forum, produced by WTAW and moderated by WTAW's Scott DeLucia. Participants included those running for Bryan school board and city council, College Station school board and city council, Texas Senate district 5 and Texas House District 12. A podcast of the forum was posted on the station's website, wtaw.com; and candidate comments were aired on WTAW newscasts on 10/23, 10/24, 10/27, 10/28, 10/29, 10/30, 10/31, and 11/1/2014. |              |                  |   |
| 10/28/2014   | WTAW News   | 5:06 p.m.    | :26              | Reminder that early voting continues.   |
| 11/4/2014    | WTAW live broadcast from 7-10 p.m. of election returns and interviews from two remote sites and the WTAW studio. Podcasts of the interviews and returns were posted on the station's website, wtaw.com.   |              |                  |   |
| 11/5/2014    | WTAW News   | 5:06 p.m.    | :53              | Recap of election day results.  |
| 11/6/2014    | WTAW News   | 6:06 a.m.    | :23              | Bryan mayor says it's not known how long it will take for three city charter amendments approved by voters to be enacted.   |
| 11/14/2014   | WTAW News   | 5:06 p.m.    | :22              | Governor announces special election date to fill the unexpired term in Senate district 18, which includes Washington and Waller counties.   |
| 11/19/2014   | WTAW News   | 5:06 p.m.    | :30              | Brazos County state senator Charles Schwertner pre-files legislation to stop diverting \$620 million a year in fuel tax revenue away from highway funding.  |
| 12/5/2014    | WTAW News   | 6:30 a.m.    | :52              | The Texas Senate's Health and Human Services committee, chaired by Brazos County state senator Charles Schwertner, announced seven recommendations to be considered by the legislature next year. |
| 12/5/2014    | WTAW News   | 6:30 a.m.    | :20              | Brazos County Democratic Party chairwoman retires and an interim is chosen.   |
| 12/11/2014   | WTAW News   | 6:30 a.m.    | 1:08             | Brazos County state senator Charles Schwertner pre-files legislation regulating tuition and fees at state universities.   |
| 12/17/2014   | Infomaniacs   | 8:20 a.m.    | 13:20            | Interview with Brazos County state senator Charles Schwertner covering legislative activities.  |

## (12) Public Safety

| <b>Date:</b>  | <b>Program Name:</b> | <b>Time:</b> | <b>Duration:</b> | <b>Summary:</b>   |
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| 10/7, 10/14,<br>10/21, 10/28,<br>11/4, 11/11, 11/18, 11/25,<br>12/2, 12/9, 12/16, 12/23, and 12/30/2014 | 5 p.m. News Hour     | 5:40 p.m.    | ~5:00            | Interviews with Bryan Police Officer Kelley McKethan covering department events and public safety topics.   |
| 10/3, 11/7,<br>12/12, and<br>12/26/2014   | 5 p.m. News Hour     | 5:40 p.m.    | ~5:00            | Interviews with College Station Police officers covering department events and public safety topics.  |
| 10/9, 10/30,<br>11/13, and<br>12/11/2014  | 5 p.m. News Hour     | 5:40 p.m.    | ~5:00            | Interviews with Bryan deputy fire marshal William Bouse updating cases and sharing fire safety information.   |
| 10/17/2014  | 5 p.m. News Hour     | 5:40 p.m.    | 6:03             | Interview with new College Station Police Chief Scott McCollum.   |
| 10/7/2014   | WTAW News            | 6:06 a.m.    | :26              | Local law enforcement issues public safety advisory following an overdose of the drug fentanyl.   |
| 10/17/2014  | WTAW News            | 5:06 p.m.    | :32              | City of College Station names Scott McCollum police chief.  |
| 11/7/2014   | WTAW News            | 5:06 p.m.    | :42              | Local law enforcement issues public safety advisory following more than two dozen drug overdose cases, including one possible death, due to use of synthetic marijuana. |

## (13) National political updates from Congressman Bill Flores (R-Bryan)

| <b>Date:</b>   | <b>Program Name:</b> | <b>Time:</b> | <b>Duration:</b> | <b>Summary:</b>  |
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| 10/2, 10/9,<br>10/15, 10/23,<br>10/29, 11/5, 11/12, 11/19, 11/26,<br>12/3, 12/10, and 12/17/2014 | Infomaniacs          | 7:40 a.m.    | ~7:00            | Live interviews with the latest information of issues on Capitol Hill. |

## (14) College Station city updates from elected officials

| <b>Date:</b>                    | <b>Program Name:</b> | <b>Time:</b> | <b>Duration:</b> | <b>Summary:</b>                          |
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| 10/15, 11/12,<br>and 11/26/2014 | Infomaniacs          | 8:20 a.m.    | ~5:00            | Interviews with Mayor Nancy Berry.       |
| 10/17/2014                      | Infomaniacs          | 8:20 a.m.    | 11:44            | Interview with Councilman John Nichols.  |
| 11/21/2014                      | Infomaniacs          | 8:20 a.m.    | 16:32            | Interview with Councilman Karl Mooney.   |
| 12/19/2014                      | Infomaniacs          | 8:20 a.m.    | 18:30            | Interview with Councilman Steve Aldrich. |

## (15) Bryan city updates from elected officials

| <b>Date:</b>                                  | <b>Program Name:</b> | <b>Time:</b> | <b>Duration:</b> | <b>Summary:</b>                      |
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| 10/8, 10/22,<br>11/5, 11/19,<br>and 12/3/2014 | Infomaniacs          | 8:20 a.m.    | ~5:00            | Interviews with Mayor Jason Bienski. |



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| 11/13/2014 | Infomaniacs | 8:20 a.m. | 7:18  | Interview with Councilwoman Ann Horton.     |
| 11/20/2014 | Infomaniacs | 8:20 a.m. | 18:37 | Interview with Councilman Mike Southerland. |
| 12/4/2014  | Infomaniacs | 8:20 a.m. | 17:30 | Interview with Councilman Al Saenz.         |
| 12/17/2014 | Infomaniacs | 8:20 a.m. | 5:00  | Interview with Councilman Art Hughes.       |