

**Quarterly Issues and Programs List for Station WTAW-AM/College Station TX  
July 1-September 30, 2022**

**(1) Impact of weather conditions that includes drought and triple digit temperatures**

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Program Name:</b>	<b>Time:</b>	<b>Duration:</b>	<b>Summary (news story unless otherwise stated):</b>
7/8/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:28	Aggieland Humane Society is looking for more “foster parents” of dogs and cats due to triple digit temperatures.
7/11/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:50	The city of College Station has declared a drought emergency, which activates a ban on outdoor watering between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.
7/13/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:42	Bryan Texas Utilities power generating plants continue to generate electricity without interruption during triple digit temperatures.
7/14/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:23	Water customers in the suburban Bryan/College Station Wellborn and Wickson Creek utility districts are restricted when outdoor irrigation can take place.
7/26/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:52	City of Bryan issues voluntary water conservation measures.
7/29/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:47	College Station’s city manager says residents are not complying with restrictions on outdoor watering.
8/23/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:39	Rainfall results in a 25 percent reduction in water usage in College Station.
8/31/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:36	Brazos County commissioners lift a burn ban for unincorporated areas.
9/13/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:08	The city of College Station’s drought emergency declaration will not be renewed.
9/13/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:40	The College Station city council approves transferring \$9 million dollars from two sources to pay for additional electricity due to the summertime heat.
9/23/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:50	The city of Bryan reports water consumption has returned to levels seen before rainfall before Labor Day and reminds residents that voluntary conservation requests continues.

## (2) Coronavirus pandemic

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Program Name:</b>	<b>Time:</b>	<b>Duration:</b>	<b>Summary (news story unless otherwise stated):</b>
7/1/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:55	Blinn College administrators expect fewer online students due to fewer pandemic cases, while more recruiting is being done to increase the number of on-campus students.
7/12/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:54	The first meeting is held since the start of the pandemic of a Brazos County committee discussing infectious diseases.
8/1/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:38	Brazos County's health authority says the average number of pandemic cases has risen from 12 per day in April to 80 per day in July.
9/22/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:48	Brazos County health district officials present a pandemic update to county commissioners that among other things, states more COVID cases so far in 2022 than in all of 2021, along with fewer hospitalizations and fewer deaths.

## (3) Non-pandemic issues involving Texas A&M University and the A&M System

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Program Name:</b>	<b>Time:</b>	<b>Duration:</b>	<b>Summary (news story unless otherwise stated):</b>
7/12/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:53	Texas A&M's faculty senate is the first group to hear an update of the university's reorganization plans by A&M's senior leadership team.
7/20/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:44	Texas A&M introduces the university's new corps of cadets commandant.
8/1/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	1:27	The Brazos County County Attorney declines to prosecute a starter on the Texas A&M football team following his arrest for DWI and illegal possession of a firearm.
8/10/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	1:04	Texas A&M system board of regents are scheduled to take action to expand the A&M Mays business school and replace the HVAC system at Walton residence hall.
8/11/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	1:18	Texas A&M system board of regents are asked to consider Texas A&M university's participation in Brazos County's proposed medical examiner's office.
8/11/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:41	Texas A&M system board of regents creates a subcommittee to oversee Texas A&M's corps of cadets.
8/12/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:52	Texas A&M's faculty senate passes a resolution calling on the president to practice "shared governance" with educators.
8/17/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:17	Texas A&M's president names a new interim provost and chief academic officer.

9/13/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	1:09	Texas A&M announces the death of Lowry Mays, the namesake of the university's business school and a former member and chairman of the A&M system board of regents.
9/23/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:24	Texas A&M announces fall semester enrollment numbers.

#### **(4) Non-pandemic issues involving Blinn College Brazos County campuses**

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Program Name:</b>	<b>Time:</b>	<b>Duration:</b>	<b>Summary (news story unless otherwise stated):</b>
8/22/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:39	Blinn College trustees receive an update on the construction of the new administration building on the RELLIS campus and the progress of designing a new administration and student services building on the Bryan campus.
9/21/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	1:06	Blinn College administrators tell trustees fall enrollment numbers are higher compared to a year ago.

#### **(5) Non-pandemic 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 (news story unless otherwise stated):</b>
7/15/2022	WTAW News	7:30 a.m.	:42	College Station city council approves rezoning to allow Amazon to establish a drone delivery facility.
7/21/2022	WTAW News	7:30 a.m.	1:07	Brazos County commissioners receive an annual compliance report of economic development agreements that are administered by the Brazos Valley Economic Development Corporation.
8/25/2022	WTAW News	7:30 a.m.	:57	Bryan/College Station chamber of commerce holds their annual economic outlook briefing.
8/26/2022	WTAW News	7:30 a.m.	:52	College Station city council approves the purchase of the former Macy's store and surrounding parking for future private development.
9/1/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:42	For the third straight year, the College Station city council will spend hotel occupancy tax money to promote the city during the holiday season at Santa's Wonderland.
9/7/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:45	Groundbreaking of the \$33 million dollar, 210,000 square foot C.C. Creations manufacturing facility to expand production of t-shirt custom screen printing, signs, and embroidery products.
9/8/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	1:10	Bryan city council approves incentives to the new owner of a downtown hotel to turn the property into a four star Marriott property.

9/20/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:45	Groundbreaking of a College Station retailer's new store takes place after winning two lawsuits and two years after receiving approval for rezoning the property.
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**(6) Development of the city of Bryan's new Midtown Park**

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Program Name:</b>	<b>Time:</b>	<b>Duration:</b>	<b>Summary (news story unless otherwise stated):</b>
8/22/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:32	The project director for Midtown Park says the recruitment of private businesses for partnerships with the city of Bryan is going slower than expected.
9/18/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:59	Bryan city council approves the rate schedule for the new events center at Midtown Park, and the Bryan Business Council makes the first reservation at the center to recognize Bryan ISD school district employees.

**(7) College Station city council bond issue and possible College Station school district bond issue in November 2022**

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Program Name:</b>	<b>Time:</b>	<b>Duration:</b>	<b>Summary (news story unless otherwise stated):</b>
8/13/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:58	College Station ISD school board members decide not ask voters in the November 2022 election to consider a bond proposition that failed in November 2021.
8/18/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:49	College Station city council approves five bond issues for voters to consider in the November 2022 election.

**(8) Capital Improvement Projects in the College Station and Bryan school districts**

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Program Name:</b>	<b>Time:</b>	<b>Duration:</b>	<b>Summary (news story unless otherwise stated):</b>
7/21/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:41	The College Station ISD school board is given an update on construction projects funded by a November 2021 bond issue.
9/18/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	1:10	For the second time, the Bryan planning and zoning commission denies Bryan ISD's rezoning request where the school district wants to build a transportation and maintenance center.

### **(9) Non-pandemic public safety activity**

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Program Name:</b>	<b>Time:</b>	<b>Duration:</b>	<b>Summary (news story unless otherwise stated):</b>
7/1/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:43	The Brazos County County Attorney is among local officials promoting driving sober during the July 4 <sup>th</sup> weekend.
7/5/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:28	The College Station fire department asks residents to complete an online survey.
7/20/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:35	College Station school district's superintendent says new state campus safety protocols that were ordered following a mass shooting in Uvalde TX have been implemented.
9/21/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:35	College Station ISD school board approves adding school resource deputies for the school district's elementary and intermediate campuses.

### **(10) Non-pandemic local political activity**

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Program Name:</b>	<b>Time:</b>	<b>Duration:</b>	<b>Summary (news story unless otherwise stated):</b>
7/6/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:39	Brazos County commissioners vote 4-1 to set early voting locations for the November election.
7/26/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:29	Summary of the first day of filing for local city council and school board races in the November election.
8/2/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	1:02	Brazos County commissioners scheduled to add to the November election ballot, a \$100 million dollar bond issue for roads and a proposal to add \$10 to vehicle registration fees as another funding source for transportation projects.
8/17/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:46	College Station ISD school board members approve asking voters to approve a "tax ratification election" question in the November election.
9/21/2022	WTAW News	6:30 a.m.	:35	Brazos County commissioners tell those wanting early voting for the November election at Texas A&M's memorial student center that it is too late to make that addition.

### **(11) National political updates with elected officials representing the WTAW listening area**

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Program Name:</b>	<b>Time:</b>	<b>Duration:</b>	<b>Summary (news story unless otherwise stated):</b>
7/6, 7/13, 7/20, 7/27, 8/3, 8/10, 8/24, 8/31, 9/7, 9/14, and 9/21/2022	Infomaniacs	7:40 a.m.	~7:00	Interviews with Congressman Pete Sessions of Waco, who represents Brazos County.

### **(12) College Station city updates from elected officials**

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Program Name:</b>	<b>Time:</b>	<b>Duration:</b>	<b>Summary (news story unless otherwise stated):</b>
7/13, 8/10, 8/24, 9/7, and 9/21/2022	Infomaniacs	8:40 a.m.	~10:00	Interviews with College Station mayor Karl Mooney.
7/15/2022	Infomaniacs	8:40 a.m.	12:50	Interview with College Station city councilman Dennis Maloney.

### **(13) Bryan city updates from elected officials**

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Program Name:</b>	<b>Time:</b>	<b>Duration:</b>	<b>Summary (news story unless otherwise stated):</b>
8/3, 8/17, 8/24, 8/31, and 9/14/2022	Infomaniacs	8:40 a.m.	~10:00	Interviews with Bryan mayor Andrew Nelson.
7/6/2022	Infomaniacs	8:40 a.m.	10:43	Interview with Bryan city councilman Bobby Gutierrez.
7/20/2022	Infomaniacs	8:40 a.m.	7:24	Interview with Bryan city councilman Buppy Simank.

### **(14) Non-pandemic activities of United Way of the Brazos Valley**

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Program Name:</b>	<b>Time:</b>	<b>Duration:</b>	<b>Summary (news story unless otherwise stated):</b>
9/5, 9/12, and 9/22/2022	5 p.m. News Hour	5:40 p.m.	~7:00	Interviews with staff and agency representatives for United Way of the Brazos Valley, which includes Brazos County. Topics are related to the 2022-23 community campaign and state employees charitable campaign.