# **KNXV-TV Community Problems and Needs List**

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Scripps Howard Broadcasting Company, licensee of Station KNXV-TV, Phoenix, Arizona has found the following problems and needs to be of particular concern to the Phoenix Community. The list was determined after evaluation of information attained through the station's ascertainment process including KNXV's, the website, letters, emails, phone calls and community contacts.

- 1. Economy
- 2. Employment/Jobs
- 3. Family Issues
- 4. Crime/Violence
- 5. Transportation
- 6. Education
- 7. Housing
- 8. Immigration
- Health Care

Economy: The U.S. economy remains on course for steady growth, something that should help Arizona in the year ahead, The slowing Chinese economy has shaken financial markets here but should not significantly affect what is a relatively healthy labor market, At the same time, Arizona's slower-than-usual recovery from the Great Recovery figures to get incrementally better in 2016. While conditions are significantly better, they remain well behind Arizona's recent past. Spurred by slow but steady employment and housing growth, local and national economists remain cautiously positive about the economic forecast for Arizona.

Phoenix bus drivers reject deal, vote to strike; bus routes affected. A Phoenix bus drivers union went on strike, idling buses on well over half of the city's routes as the area gears up for the college football championship. The strike began on affected routes when buses normally begin providing service for the morning commute, Public Transit Department spokesman Lars Jacoby said. Transdev -- a city-contracted transit company -- said the drivers rejected the company's "last and best offer," Jacoby said. An additional 20 routes operated by another company are not affected. Jacoby said his department will work with Transdev to provide contingency service on the 34 affected bus routes. He said that Transdev's contract requires them to run a reduced level of service, although doing so requires time for the company to get personnel trained and in place. (10pm newscast on 1/7, 1:45 in length)

Where \$176 million in Arizona lottery earnings has gone. Lottery officials say that no matter what happens with the record drawing, Arizona is already a winner "We are excited when we see these kinds of sales because it means we are going to give more money back to worthy programs," said Tony Boule with the Arizona Lottery. Boule says Arizona has already made more than \$8 million off the current jackpot; money that will then be funneled into four main sources. According to last year's figures, roughly 49 percent of the money will go into the Education General Fund, 37 percent will go to Health and Human Services, 8 percent will go towards economic development, and 6 percent will go to Game and Fish. "It's a considerable amount and we do a great deal with it," said Lynda Lambert with Arizona Game and Fish Lambert says lottery money makes up roughly 10 percent of their budget. In the past Game and Fish has used that money to maintain parks and fund conversation and endangered animal programs. In fiscal year 2015, the lottery doled out \$176 million in contributions to state projects and initiatives. (5pm newscast on 1/13, 2:33 in length)

<u>Arizona Public safety pension reforms could save taxpayers billions</u>. Retired police officers and firefighters would see smaller annual increases in their benefit checks and new hires would see a major overhaul to their state pension system reform under a bill introduced in the state Senate. In the past, there were limits on what police officers and firefighters had to pay into the state's

Public Safety Personnel Retirement System. City government officials say there were no limits on them, and they say their costs ballooned as they kept the system afloat. "This system is not sustainable," Mesa Mayor John Giles said. He says the city's public safety pension liability increased from \$31 million last year to \$36 million this year. State Sen. Debbie Lesko, R-Peoria, introduced a compromise bill Monday to reform the pension system, which has 33,000 enrolled members. It proposes a small increase to retirement age, and it reduces annual pension raises for current employees to match actual cost of living increases. For new hires, the proposal makes the pension contribution 50/50 between employees and employers. "The good thing about this legislation is it's going to free up money so the employers can hire more firefighters and police," Lesko said. "So for every new person they hire, they are going to save between 3 and 5.7 percent of that person's salary on the pension each and every year. Giles says the reforms would save municipalities and counties \$3.6 billion statewide over the next 30 years. The Public Safety Personnel Retirement System's board has voted unanimously to support the reform proposal (5pm newscast on 2/1, 2:23 in length)

<u>Valley Gas Prices Hitting Rock Bottom</u>. Gas prices keep dropping throughout the Valley, with the cheapest spot in Phoenix at just \$1.35 per gallon! (6am newscast on 2/11:45 in length)

<u>Drought assistance loans available in 3 Arizona counties</u>. Farmers and ranchers in three western Arizona counties may apply for emergency loans to cope with drought conditions. The Arizona Department of Agriculture says the federal government on Wednesday added more California counties to those previously declared natural disaster areas. That means La Paz, Mohave and Yuma counties now qualify because they share borders with the primary declaration areas. Arizona Agriculture Director Mark Killian says the federal low-interest loans can help ranchers and farmers keep their businesses afloat during tough economic times resulting from crops ruined due to lack of rain. The state agency says details on the available loan types and information on how to apply are on the Farm Service. (11am newscast on 3/04, 1:30 in length)

Presidential candidates focused on Arizona ahead of primary. Presidential candidates are focused on Arizona as the state's primary looms, with four of the five remaining Democratic and Republican hopefuls planning visits to the state in advance of Tuesday's election. Former Secretary of State Hillary Clinton and Sen. Bernie Sanders plan campaign stops as they try to win the Democratic nomination. Sanders appeared near Flagstaff and plans Tucson and metro Phoenix events. He held a campaign rally in Phoenix without mentioning a string of losses that night in primaries that saw Clinton's delegate lead grown. Clinton plans a visit, Republican Sen. Ted Cruz is holding a rally at a Phoenix Christian college and GOP businessman Donald Trump plans a rally in the upscale Phoenix suburb of Fountain Hills. Republican Gov. John Kasich of Ohio hasn't announced Arizona visits. (6pm newscast on 3/17, 1:30 in length)

Employment/Jobs: In metro Phoenix, unemployment stands at 5.7 percent. By contrast, after the two recessions that preceded the Great Recession, unemployment was less than 4 percent. During this recovery, metro Phoenix has gained more than 200,000 jobs. But that's 100,000 fewer than the previous recoveries had at the same point. This is partly due to tepid population growth compared with years past. The Arizona economy is forecasted to grow in the coming year. The state continues to improve by attracting technology and finance jobs, offering a measure of higher incomes and greater diversity to the state's economy.

Two Valley cities rank among best nationwide to get a gig. Got the skills to pay the bills? Arizona may just have the job. Two Valley cities rank in the top 20 places nationwide to find work in 2016, according to a recent study by WalletHub. Scottsdale ranked No. 16 and Chandler took the No. 20 spot. Gilbert, Phoenix and Mesa made the top 50 at No. 28, No. 47 and No. 50 respectively. To come up with those numbers, WalletHub compared the 150 most populated cities across two key dimensions: job market and socio-economic environment. Analysts then compiled 17 factors including income, job opportunity and employment growth and gave them a value between 0 and 100, 100 being the best value and 0 the worst. (11am newscast on 1/20, 1:20 in length)

Home Depot to hire more than 80,000 workers for busy spring. The nation's largest home improvement chain, based in Atlanta is hiring more than 80,000 workers nationwide for its busy spring season, the same level as in recent years. The retailer estimates that more than half of the temporary workers stay on for permanent employment. The part-time and full-time jobs

include sales, operations and cashier positions across all departments in stores as well as jobs at its distribution centers. The hiring comes as Home Depot has been benefiting from shoppers' increasing shift to renovate their homes in a housing market that has been solid, it expects its annual revenue to surpass \$100 billion in 2018 and backed its earnings and revenue outlook for the latest fiscal year that ended last month. It also said that sales at stores opened at least a year, a key measure of a retailer's financial health, would rise 4.9 percent for the fiscal year that just ended. Home Depot Inc. is expected to report its fiscal fourth-quarter and annual results. Shares have risen nearly 17 percent over the past 12 months, and are trading around \$126 per share. (6am newscast on 2/3, 1:00 in length)

<u>Bashas' looking to fill 300 positions at Food City, Bashas' AJ's Fine Foods</u>. Need a job? Bashas' is hiring. The Arizona-based, family-owned grocer has more than 300 open positions it's looking to fill at many of its stores, including Food City, AJ's Fine Foods, Eddie's Country Store, and both Bashas' and Bashas' Diné supermarkets. (11am newscast on 2/3, :30 in length)

## Family Issues:

Arizona promotes healthy parenting among individuals and in communities raising children. Two reports set the stage for the daunting work facing the state task force charged with reinventing the state's child-welfare agency. They confirm in numbers and trend lines the continued issues confronting child safety in Arizona: an increasing number of reports of child abuse and neglect, a growing number of kids in foster care and a revolving door for a quarter of the children caught.

Two people under arrest for child abuse. The mother of a 3-year-old girl and a friend entrusted with her care are behind bars, accused of committing egregious acts of child abuse so bad that Mesa's police chief called it one of the worst cases the department has had to investigate. Police said the child was found in a Mesa home concealed in a trash bag with her hands and feet bound with duct tape and her mouth covered. The girl was covered in feces, bruised, blistered, suffering from a rash, and only wearing a diaper and shirt. The girl...is unable to stand and is currently not talking to investigators. Mayra Solis, the child's mother, and Francisco Javier Rios-Covarrubias were booked into jail on several charges. Police said the child was at Rios-Covarrubias' home, where she would often stay for days at a time, while Solis worked. The mother told police that sometimes she would only see her daughter one day out of the week. When the girl was at the friend's house, she often would be home alone for hours while Rios-Covarrubias was at work, according to police.

Dad drives rental vehicle into Phoenix fence; parents reportedly left kids home to go drinking. A man is in custody after crashing into an apartment complex in Phoenix. Phoenix police said the incident happened at an apartment complex. According to police, the driver of a rental car lost control and drove through a fence. The suspect tried to back the vehicle up, but when his vehicle was stuck, he drove through the fence and almost into some apartment units. The driver ran from the scene and acted like he was in his apartment the whole time. A woman in the passenger seat was transported to the hospital for minor injuries. According to police, the man and woman left their two kids home alone while they went out drinking. The driver was taken into custody for DUI, child endangerment and hit and run. There is no word at this time if the mother will be charged with any crimes. She is still in the hospital. (6am newscast on 2/11, 1:38 in length)

Stephanie Jake, Eric Glass accused of leaving kids alone for 3 days; jailed on child abuse charges. Two Mesa parents are charged with child abuse after the mother's 11- and 7-year-old children were left abandoned and homeless when she was tossed in jail, and the father was evicted. Mesa police arrested Stephanie Jake, 29, on an outstanding warrant. Her kids were currently at school when the arrest was made. That same day Jake and her boyfriend were evicted from their apartment. So when the kids returned from school there was no mom, no dad, and no one else home. Fortunately, they were able to spend the night at a friend's home. The next day, the kids went to school, but when classes were over they again returned to find everyone and everything they had gone. That night, another tenant took the kids in, still with no word from mom or her boyfriend. Three days since last seeing their mom--the children spent the day playing with other kids at the apartment complex. Another tenant felt something was up and contacted police. Police contacted the Department of Public Safety who took custody of the kids. (11am newscast on 2/10, 1:30 in length)

Six kids found living among feces, food in roach-infested home; mother Alejandra Flores arrested. "A strong odor of decomposing trash and food hit me. That's what a Phoenix police officer said after entering a roach-infested apartment in central Phoenix. Police say the conditions the six children were living in were horrid. The children -- ages 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, and one just a few months old -- were sharing the two-bedroom apartment with roaches in every room. Police say each child was covered in dirt and wore dirty clothes. Other than the roaches, there were feces and food everywhere. The officer said in his report that his shoes "stuck to the floor" because it hadn't been cleaned, and he "had difficulty breathing and had to exit to catch [his] breath due to the odor." Department of Child Services workers came and took custody of the children, while the mother was taken to jail. She's being charged with six counts of child abuse. (11am newscast on 3/07, 1:30 in length)

YCSO: Parents Crystal Parker, Tyler Vargas jailed after 10-month-old child tests positive for meth. The Yavapai County Sheriff's Office says a woman wanted after her 10-month-old child tested positive for meth exposure has been found and arrested. Deputies found 24-year-old Crystal Parker in a condemned home after she failed to pay a taxi driver, who contacted authorities. (5pm newscast on 3/09, 1:00 in length)

After newborn found in Mesa yard, officials push new program to keep babies safe. It's been a week since a newborn baby girl, just hours old, was left in a Mesa front yard and now Arizona Safe Baby Haven is rolling out a new campaign they're calling "Mobile Safe Baby Havens." The organization has partnered with the Mesa Fire Department to put yellow stickers on fire trucks and ambulances to remind soon-to-be parents that there are safe options when giving up a newborn child. The Arizona Safe Haven Law allows parents to hand over their babies under certain circumstances, and authorities say the most recent "Baby Jane" case underscores the need for education and awareness. (6pm newscast on 3/16, 1;30 in length)

<u>Crime/Violence</u>: Phoenix police are dealing with a dramatic increase in violent crimes. And, with the department short staffed, the crime outlook does not look good. The caseload is demanding on an already strapped department. Phoenix police have started recruiting and are expected to hire 50 to 60 officers this year, even more officers are expected to retire. The department knows of at least 55 officers scheduled to leave the force by the end of the year. While violent crime numbers are up, property crime numbers are down 3 percent since January. Three hundred officers are expected to be hired within the next three years.

Body Found In Tempe Lake. Officials are investigating after they found a body in Tempe Town Lake. Tempe police said they responded to the call and found an unknown subject in the lake. The body was found in the lake near Scottsdale Road and Rio Salado Parkway. No other information is known. (4pm newscast on 1/14, 1:30 in length)

PD: Two stabbed by woman in Glendale. Officials are investigating after two people were stabbed by a woman in Glendale. Glendale police said the stabbing happened near 59th Avenue and Northern Avenue. When officers arrived on the scene they found a man and a woman with stab wounds. Officials are on the scene providing care. The injuries are not considered to be life-threatening. The victims may know the suspect. (11am newscast on 1/14, 1:30 in length)

Mesa man facing murder charge in girlfriend's stabbing death; did it 'to shut her up' A Mesa man facing a murder charge in the death of his girlfriend told police he stabbed her "to shut her up," according to court documents. Reyes Colvin, Sr., 55, told police that he and his girlfriend met online and been dating for a few months. He said the two argued a lot, but it never got physical. In the days before the stabbing, according to Colvin's statements in police records, his girlfriend, identified as Elva Maddock, had "viewed [Colvin's] Facebook photos and started asking questions about all the women on his page." Colvin said he told Maddock he wasn't interested in any other women and that he loved her. They both continued to argue about the Facebook page up until the stabbing, records show. Colvin was taken to the hospital where he underwent surgery. He has since been arrested and booked into jail on one count of second-degree murder with intent. He's being held on \$750,000 bond. He told police that he did not intend to kill her, just "to shut her up." (11am newscast on 2/03:45 in length)

<u>Police arrest suspects shooting cars in Tempe</u>. Police have arrested two suspects responsible for shooting at two vehicles in Tempe. Authorities say tips led authorities to 18-year-old Ivan

Dominguez and a juvenile who were taken into custody for the shootings. The drivers called police after leaving the area but called within minutes of each other. Three young children were in one of the vehicles that was shot, and the bullet hit just inches away from an 8-year-old's arm. "My son he said he's scared. He's scared," said the driver of the car who did not want to be identified. Officers found bullet fragmentation and evidence of a shooting on both cars but did not locate any suspects in the area. More than a dozen Tempe police officers went door-to-door in the surrounding neighborhood. Residents say the shootings have kept them from feeling safe. (5pm newscast on 2/04, 2:10 in length)

Glendale school shooting: 2 teens shot, killed at Independence High School in 'isolated incident' Two teenagers at a Glendale high school were killed in a shooting that police are calling a "tragic" situation. Glendale police spokesperson Tracey Breeden said officers responded to calls of a shooting at Independence High School. Police found two 15-year-old female sophomores lying next to each other on campus each dead of a single gunshot wound, said Breeden. A weapon was found next to them. Detectives are still processing the scene but are not looking for any other suspects or persons of interest. Police referred to the situation as an "isolated incident," and were quick to reassure parents that their children "are safe" and that this was not an active shooter-type situation. The circumstances of what led to the shooting are still under investigation and the relationship between the two girls was not immediately clear. (8:30a-12N on 12/12, 3½ hours breaking news)

Community devastated after police say man murdered parents, sisters in Phoenix. A family of five is dead after a shooting and fire at a home in Phoenix, according to officials. Phoenix police said 26-year-old Alex Buckner shot four of his family members inside the home. Alex Buckner's parent's, Vic and Kim Buckner, and his two sisters, 6-year-old Emma and 18-year-old Kaitlin Buckner, were identified by police as the victims. Relatives told ABC15 that Alex Buckner did not have a history of violence, but that he did have mental health problems, and they believe he had been diagnosed with Schizophrenia. "How does a family talk about a grandson who had mental problems, yet not be angry for the grief that he caused?" said Diana Buckner, Alex's grandmother. (6am newscast on 2/23, 4;40 in length).

CHARTS: Arizona ranks 2nd in the nation for drug overdose deaths. Arizona wants to get serious about fixing its drug problem. So it's tackling the issue head on, with new state Substance Abuse Task Force. Governor Doug Ducey appointed 30-people to the coalition; a mixture of politicians, healthcare workers, abuse experts and members of the community. The goal is to come up with ways to reverse Arizona's growing drug abuse problem. A recent report from HealthGrove found Arizona has the second highest death rate caused by drug overdose in the nation. With only 15 counties statewide, nearly 85-percent of people in Arizona live in counties with high overdose death rates. (11am newscast on 2/24, 1:30 in length)

<u>Transportation</u>: The number of people killed in vehicle-related crashes on Arizona roads has risen significantly in the last year. The Arizona Department of Transportation reported that preliminary information indicates that roughly 890 died in car crashes in 2015. ADOT officials say the figure far surpasses the 773 deaths recorded in 2014. The agency says factors that contributed to the road-related deaths include speeding, impaired driving and a failure to wear a seat belt. State agencies are urging motorists to consider how they behave when behind the wheel. ADOT officials expect to have a final tally on the number of fatalities in its annual report, which will be released later this year.

Phoenix Sky Harbor proposes new airport pickup fees. Phoenix officials unveiled their final proposal on what to charge ground transportation companies that drop off and pick up passengers at Sky Harbor Airport, and those cost increases could be passed along to riders. The fees would apply to services like Super Shuttle, Uber and Lyft, as well as taxis and limousines. Some of these companies are being asked to pay for the first time for each airport trip they make. "There has been an imbalance for a number of years," Assistant Aviation Director Chad Makovsky said. "Some of our providers are subsidizing the operations of other commercial ground transportation, and in fact, the airport is subsidizing significantly this operation." Airport officials also want to increase total ground transportation revenues from \$6 million to \$10 million annually, which would be mostly paid for with the per-trip fees, which range from \$4 to \$11 depending on each vehicle's seating capacity. If approved by the Phoenix City Council, the proposal could take effect in January of 2017. (6pm newscast on 2/10, 1:42 in length)

The Arizona Department of Transportation says it is on track to issue federally-compliant driver's licenses beginning in April. ADOT spokesman Ryan Harding says the more-secure form of identification will roll out on time to meet federal deadlines. Once the state begins issuing the documents, current non-compliant licenses will continue to be accepted until 2020. The Legislature passed a law this spring allowing the state to provide optional REAL-ID licenses to residents. The worry was that no Arizona documents would be accepted if it didn't comply with the federal ID law. (6pm newscast on 3/01:45 in length)

Bright green bikes spreading through the Valley. Big news for those who like to bike, but don't own two wheels. The GRID bike sharing program just expanded into Mesa, after it rolled out in Phoenix. The City of Phoenix says they've seen the program make huge strides since then. Compared to this time last year, the city has seen a 30 percent increase in ridership. They've also added a few new stations to keep up with that growth. Cities across the Valley are trying to make biking safer and more accessible, and with the passing of Prop 104 last year, Phoenix now has the funds to do just that. The bright green bikes are expected to hit Tempe later this year. (6pm newscast on 3/18, 1:10 in length)

Education: Teachers have been fleeing Arizona in droves, resulting in such a serious shortage of experienced teachers that state officials are warning of serious consequences if the exodus continues. Over the last five years, thousands of teachers have left the state, according to a 2015 report by the Arizona Department of Education, with this past school year being possibly the worst. Why are so many teachers leaving? Educators say reasons include low pay, insufficient classroom resources, and so many testing requirements and teaching guidelines that they feel they have no flexibility and too little authentic instructional time.

<u>Superintendent Diane Douglas set to address Legislature.</u> Arizona schools chief Diane Douglas is set to present her take on the state of education to an Arizona House committee. The planned speech comes a year after the Republican Superintendent of Public Instruction called on the Legislature to ditch a new statewide assessment. The test went ahead as planned. Douglas last year called the state of education in Arizona poor and cited the state's 47th overall ranking in national rankings. A lawsuit settlement is now set to pump \$3.5 billion over 10 years into schools if voters approve. Douglas also sparred with the board of Education, a fight that is ongoing. But she's likely to tout the board's October decision to cut ties with the Common Core standards as a win. The standards remain in place during a review (5pm newscast on 1/20, 1:23 in length)

A House committee is set to debate a measure that would allow grocery stores to sell liquor within 300 feet of a school, church or park. Rep. T.J. Shope of Coolidge sponsored the bill that would permit grocery stores to get a liquor license within 300 feet of a school, church or fenced-in park. The store must be at least 4,500 square feet, sell fresh produce and prove that it makes less than 50 percent of its revenue from hard liquor. A similar bill died in the House last session. The House Committee on Rural and Economic Development is set to debate House Bill 2372. (6am newscast on 2/2, 1:15 in length)

ASU confirms plans for satellite campus in Mesa. Arizona State University is planning to open a satellite campus in downtown Mesa, a suburb of Phoenix. Mesa Mayor John Giles formally announced the plans during his State of the City address. ASU already has a Polytechnic campus in east Mesa, but University President Michael Crow said in a prerecorded video that the school plans to grow its presence in the city. The Mesa City Council is expected to vote on a memorandum of understanding in late February, which would set a deadline for the next phase of talks about the expansions specific site, academic offerings and financing. (11am newscast on 2/5:30 in length)

Legislature could take \$200 million from school districts. Arizona school districts could lose more than \$200 million a year if the Legislature passes a measure to phase out funding used to provide an equal opportunity education to minority students. The proposal by Sen. Debbie Lesko of Peoria would dismantle desegregation funding for 18 school districts over five to ten years. Arizona school districts have budgeted about \$210 million in desegregation funding every year for the last three years. Decades ago the federal government ordered 19 school districts to end racial discrimination practices and allowed them to levy higher local property taxes to pay for the changes. Lesko says desegregation funding is outdated and unfair for neighboring school districts. Opponents say the measure will devastate districts that receive the funding. A similar proposal failed last yet. (6am newscast on 2/12, 1:40 in length).

Gilbert mulls closing schools to move Gilbert Classical Academy. Gilbert Public Schools will hold a public meeting to talk about potentially closing or re-purposing one of two schools in order to relocate its academy. According to the proposal, the district would close (or re-purpose) either Gilbert Junior High School or Mesquite Junior High School in order to relocate Gilbert Classical Academy, a school that's ranked #10 nationally by U.S. News & World Report. The idea was introduced a few years ago, but officials opted to leave everything in place. The idea has been brought up again and some parents are not happy about it. Gilbert Classic Academy opened in 2007 and had 200 students in grades 7-9, according to its website. In 2013, the school housed over 450 students in grades 7-12. (6am newscast on 2/24, 1:18 in length)

<u>Housing:</u> Housing will be back as force for growth in 2016, Arizona economists say Demographic factors that for years slowed down Arizona's housing industry finally seem to be turning in the state's favor, one of the reasons economic growth should keep chugging along in 2016. Millennials, the generation whose oldest members are in their mid-30s, are marrying, with many becoming first-time homebuyers. Younger members of the generation are leaving their parents' homes and creating strong demand for apartments. As they grow older and marry, life events will create even more demand for more single-family housing. The Phoenix area should have at least 15,000 building permits for single-family houses this year and at least 18,000 next year.

<u>Latest foreclosure data shows continued improvement for Arizona</u>. More people are holding on to their homes, both in Arizona and across the nation. The number of foreclosures in Arizona is down year to year, according to data released in RealtyTrac's Year-End 2015 U.S. Foreclosure Market Report. (11am newscast on 1/14, 1:13 in length)

Ahwatukee Lakes golf clubhouse fire flares spat between city, developer, neighbors. Residents told ABC15 that the Ahwatukee Lakes Golf Course used to be a green gem in the middle of their neighborhood, but it's now a brown wasteland. Pete Meier, an Ahwatukee real estate agent, said the condition of the golf course has depressed nearby home values "anywhere from \$10,000 to \$20,000." The golf course closed in 2013 and the current owner, The True Life Companies (TTLC), wants to redevelop it into more housing. Neighbors fought the idea, creating the Save the Lakes campaign. "They are all just trying to get us to knuckle under and agree to anything they want to do," neighbor Dave Rudnikoff said. (6am newscast on 2/29, 2:10 in length)

Arizona ranked 5th nationally for flipping homes in 2015. A recent study finds that Arizona's housing market ranks fifth nationally for homes flipped in 2015. Flipped homes in Arizona accounted for 7.1% of total home sales last year. That figure is just under two percent lower than Nevada, which tops out the list. RealtyTrac who provided the data, tracked flipped homes in 41 states and defines a flipped home as "a property that is sold in an arms-length sale for the second time within a 12-month period." (11am newscast on 3/04:45 in length)

New data shows foreclosures in Arizona down month to month. More than 1500 Arizona homes were foreclosed on in the month of February according to data just released by RealtyTrac, a real estate data supplier. It's down significantly from the beginning of the year. In February, 23% less properties received a foreclosure filing in Arizona than January and 4% less than the same time last year. Compared to foreclosures nationwide, Arizona is faring better month to month and is similar year to year. The number of properties that received a foreclosure filing in the U.S. in February was 3% higher than the previous month and 4% lower than the same time in 2015. (11am newscast on 3/17, 1:00 in length)

<u>Immigration:</u> High levels of illegal immigration and crimes committed by unauthorized immigrants are among the key rationales cited by some supporters of a tough new immigration law in Arizona. According to our Governor, Jan Brewer; border violence and crime due to illegal immigration are critically important issues to the people of our state. During the year controversial immigration measure SB 1070 passed, Arizona fell from eighth to 18th on the list of states most popular among people moving from other countries, Pollack said. He blames the stigma that came with the law.

<u>Arizona bill would require undocumented immigrants to serve full sentences</u>. A proposal barring judges from giving sentencing breaks to immigrants in the country illegally and making them ineligible for parole is set for a hearing in the Arizona Senate. Republican Sen. Steve Smith says

his proposal is designed to ensure that people who already broke immigration laws are penalized if they violate state laws. Senate Bill 1377 requires that judges sentence people to the presumptive term in jail or prison for new crimes when they've already violated immigration laws. Another bill by the Maricopa lawmaker would take state shared revenue from any municipality that enacts "sanctuary city" policies benefiting immigrants. That's already illegal in Arizona, but Smith wants penalties and put them in Senate Bill 1378. Both are set for hearings before a Senate committee Smith chairs. (6am newscast on 2/3, 1:15 in length)

FACT CHECK: Ted Cruz claims Arizona's immigration laws helped economy. Texas Sen. Ted Cruz talked tough on immigration - and referenced Arizona in doing so - during the February GOP debate in Houston. CNN's Wolf Blitzer asked Cruz what is wrong with letting the "good ones" come back to the United States? His answer: "But what the state of Arizona has seen is the dollars they're spending on welfare, on prisons, and education, all of those have dropped by hundreds of millions of dollars," Cruz said. "And, the Americans, and for that matter, the legal immigrants who are in Arizona, are seeing unemployment drop, are seeing wages rise. That's who we need to be fighting for." Cruz said, "spending on welfare, on prisons, and education, all of those have dropped by hundreds of millions of dollars" because of Arizona's immigration laws that drove out undocumented immigrants. That's far from clear. While it's technically possible to receive cash welfare through U.S.-born children, undocumented immigrants do not receive cash welfare directly. And, the state's prison and education budgets do not solely account for those without papers. (6pm newscast on 3/03, 1:28 in length)

Bernie Sanders visits US-Mexico border, talks immigration reform. Democratic presidential candidate Bernie Sanders says he will fight for immigration reform while standing yards from a border fence that divides Arizona and Mexico. The Vermont senator was accompanied by Santa Cruz County Sheriff Tony Estrada and U.S. Rep. Raul Grijalva during a press conference in Nogales, Arizona. Sanders also spoke with two young immigrants while walking alongside a port of entry on the international border. A small group of people who identified themselves as U.S. military veterans stood on the Mexican side of the fence cheering, while one man protested. Sanders has focused his campaign almost exclusively in Arizona in the past week as the looks to rebound from his defeat last week to Hillary Clinton. (6pm newscast on 3/19, 1:27 in length)

<u>Health Care</u>: Phoenix is the nation's fifth largest city and has a wide range of hospitals to serve the growing population. To keep up with the Valley's amazing growth, health care institutions continue to add services and facilities. We have excellent health care institutions in the Valley, a list that includes the world-renowned Mayo Clinic and Barrow Neurological Institute.

Type of mosquito that carries Zika virus already in Arizona. Arizona health officials are on high alert as threats of the Zika virus on U.S. soil become a reality. The Director for the Arizona Department of Health Services says they are asking local physicians to monitor patients for possible symptoms. "Right now we're working with healthcare providers to educate them on what the symptoms are, what the signs are, and when to contact public health to get testing arranged," said Dr. Cara Christ, Director of the Arizona Department of Health Services. Right now, there are no confirmed cases of the Zika virus in Arizona, but the type of mosquito that carries the disease is already present in our state, according to the CDC. "We have that type of mosquito in Arizona, and we've been watching it for several years because it carries other diseases of concern as well," said Dr. Christ. The big fear is if an infected person returns from travel and gets bit by another mosquito, that transfer can start a rapid spread of the illness. (6pm newscast on 1/27, 2:15 in length)

Flu now widespread in Arizona; over 3,700 cases reported. State health officials say the flu is now widespread in Arizona. The Department of Health Services says more than 3,700 flu cases have been reported, although the department says there likely have been even more cases. According to the department, there have been cases in all 15 counties but that Maricopa County accounts for just over half the statewide total. Health officials say it's not too late to get a flu shot because Arizona's flu season lasts as late as May. Flu symptoms are similar to the common cold. However, the flu comes on quickly and is more physically draining. (11am newscast on 2/11, 1:30 in length)

AZ, CO patients may be at risk for HIV, hepatitis B & C because of investigation of former employee. Nearly 3,000 surgical patients treated at a hospital in Colorado may have been

exposed to HIV, hepatitis B, or hepatitis C, according to Colorado hospital and health officials, and now officials in Arizona are offering free testing as well after discovering the same individual worked at two different Valley hospitals. Englewood police in Colorado and hospital administrators are investigating a possible drug diversion case, in which pain medication intended for patients was stolen. A former surgical technician, who police in Denver have identified as Rocky Allen, is the employee who put patients at risk. ABC15 learned two Valley hospitals are also offering free hepatitis and HIV testing to patients after discovering the same surgical technician was an employee at John C. Lincoln Medical Center for less than two months, as well as with Banner Thunderbird Medical Center for an unspecified time. (5pm newscast on 2/3 2:21 in length

Arizona House to consider restoring children's health insurance. An Arizona House committee is set to consider a proposal restoring health insurance coverage to low-income children who used to get it from the state. House Bill 2309 would unfreeze enrollment in what's known as KidsCare and is set for a Health Committee hearing. The program overseen by the state's Medicaid program was frozen to new enrollment because of budget shortfalls five years ago. The coverage known nationally as the Children's Health Insurance Program enrolled more than 63,000 children whose parents earned between 138 percent and 200 percent of the poverty line. There are fewer than 1,000 covered now. Arizona is the only state currently without an active program. The federal government will pick up the full cost of the insurance at least through 2017. (11am newscast on 2/9, 1:10 in length)

Bumble Bee recalls 31K cases of chunk light tuna. Bumble Bee Foods has voluntarily recalled some canned tuna over possible contamination. There are a total of 31,579 cases that are included in the recall, which were produced in February 2016 and distributed nationally. Consumers are advised to throw away the recalled product. The company said "process deviations" at a third-party facility could result in contamination that could lead to a life-threatening illness if the tuna is eaten. (11am newscast on 3/18, 1:00 in length)

Allergies driving you crazy? Your allergies probably have you reaching for the tissues, the eye drops, and anything else that can give you some relief--but did you know that some of our sneezing and hacking may actually be self-inflicted here in the Valley? The sneezing, the coughing, the stuff nose, and itchy eyes -- your allergies are probably driving you crazy right now! "It's a rough time of year," explains Kimberlie McCue, Ph.D, assistant director of research, conservation, and collections at the Desert Botanical Garden in Phoenix. If you've been sneezing or sniffling, seemingly 24/7, you're not alone! Pollen levels have been elevated lately, sending allergies into a tailspin. But we can't blame Mother Nature entirely; in fact, we humans are part of the problem. "A lot of people in Phoenix came from somewhere else. They came from the Midwest, the east coast, and they brought their plants with them." (5am newscast on 3/28, 1:47 in length)

## **KNXV-TV Investigative & Consumer Pieces**

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<u>Top 3 scams to be aware of this January</u>. Joe Ducey reports on 1/05 at 6pm, TRT: 1:13. It's January, and here's our monthly look at scams, concerns and websites you need to know about during the month of January.

1. GOVERNMENT LETTERS: Most are fake. The government doesn't blindly offer grants or threaten prison time. BUT, some letters from the feds ARE legit. Many of you got one from the

U.S. Office of Personnel Management. This one IS REAL.

2. HEALTH CLUBS: A new year. A new you. Hang on. Before you sign gym papers, remember some gyms close and money is lost. So, give little of it upfront and try to go month to month. If you have to auto pay, use a credit, not debit card. And get in writing all of the cancelation and termination policies. You don't want to be sweating for the wrong reasons.

3. HOSPITAL BILLS: You're physically healed. Then the emotional stress builds when you get a hospital bill you didn't expect. That's because you already paid your part, or the insurance was to pay fully. In all cases, the people who win, are the people who keep fighting. If you're right, appeal, appeal and then appeal again.

Grocery Deals, Smart Shopper Daphne Munro aired 1/05 at 6pm TRT 1:03

Dental Dangers in-depth look at a dental death case, David Biscobing on 1/7 at 6pm TRT: 2:45

Free Music, Smart Shopper Daphne Munro aired 1/7 at 6pm TRT 1:26

Freebie Friday, Smart Shopper Daphne Munro aired 1/8 at 6pm TRT :56

Are your tires too old for the road? Joe Ducey reports on 1/08 at 6pm, TRT: 2:04. So the temperatures are cool and your tires look great. Why not hit the road? Not so fast. Have you checked the age of your tires, the temperature rating or the proper air pressure needed? It's that first one, the age of the tire, that has Phoenix attorney Charles Williamson so concerned. Williamson and his law firm Stark Williamson & Clausen have handled cases of cars rolling over because of the tread separating from old tires. It happens quicker in hot climates like we have in the Valley. "After six years, that bond between the tread and body starts coming apart," Williamson said. So Williamson is pushing for a six-year mandatory replacement rule. Right now, there is no government rule.

Grocery Deals, Smart Shopper Daphne Munro aired 1/12 at 6pm TRT 1:01

Free things for MLK Day, Smart Shopper Daphne Munro aired 1/13 at 6pm TRT 1:08

Freebie Friday, Smart Shopper Daphne Munro aired 1/15 at 6pm TRT: 1:08

Grocery Deals, Smart Shopper Daphne Munro aired 1/19 at 6pm TRT 1:08

Book Sale Smart Shopper Daphne Munro aired 1/20 at 6pm TRT:43

Door and Window Liquidation Store, Smart Shopper Daphne Munro aired 1/21 at 6pm TRT 1:15

Renter's beware! Scammers are targeting you. Joe Ducey reports on 1/22 at 6pm, TRT: 1:49. Renter's beware: you are being targeted. Scammers are taking pictures from real home sale listings, posting them as rentals, using their email addresses and demanding a security deposit to be sent to them. Teri let me know she lost \$700 but the email she received from the scammer is full of red flags. He said "God" wanted him to choose her and that he was in West Africa on a "mission." These are giveaways that the person is trying too hard to seem trustworthy and are common in most of these type of scams.

Freebie Friday, Smart Shopper Daphne Munro aired 1/22 at 6pm TRT:58

<u>DeSisto School</u> Sheriff ran controversial boarding school, David Biscobing on 1/26 at 6pm TRT: 6:30

Taking advantage of 2015 tax credits, deductions. Joe Ducey reports on 1/26 at 6pm, TRT: 1:37. There are several tax deductions and credits extended through the 2015 tax year, and there's a good chance some of them affect you. If your kids are in college you can get up to \$2,500. That means up to \$10,000 over four years. It's the American Opportunity Tax Credit. If you file single there's an \$80,000 income limit. Double that number if you're filing jointly. But what if you're just over the limit? Certified Public Accountant Sandy Abalos says there's a way around that. "If you make contribution to your IRA you bring your income down and boom! You qualify for the credit," she says. You have until April 18 to make that contribution towards 2015. There's also good news for teachers who spend so much of their own money educating our children. "You can take a \$250 deduction per year for classroom supplies," Abalos says.

Grocery Deals, Smart Shopper Daphne Munro aired 1/26 at 6pm TRT 1:08

Resale Store, Smart Shopper Daphne Munro aired 1/27 at 6pm TRT:56

<u>DeSisto School</u> Local officials react to boarding school, David Biscobing on 1/27 at 6pm TRT: 1:30

<u>DeSisto School</u> Campaign officials respond to boarding school report, David Biscobing on 1/28 at 6pm TRT: 1:00

Freebie Friday, Smart Shopper Daphne Munro aired 1/29 at 6pm TRT:41

Grocery Deals, Smart Shopper Daphne Munro aired 2/02 at 6pm TRT 1:04

<u>DeSisto School</u> Former student speaks about boarding school, David Biscobing on 2/02 at 6pm TRT: 2:15

Resale Store Buys, Smart Shopper Daphne Munro aired 2/3 at 6pm TRT:52

<u>DeSisto School</u> Congresswoman reflects on boarding school investigation, David Biscobing on 2/04 at 6pm TRT: 3:30

Best Things to Do in February, Smart Shopper Daphne Munro aired 2/4 at 6pm TRT 1:16

<u>Dental Dangers</u> Lawmakers introduce bill to improve transparency, David Biscobing on 2/05 at 6pm TRT: 1;30

Paying property tax for space you don't have? Joe Ducey reports on 2/5 at 6pm, TRT: 1:56. As you work to file those income taxes, get ready. Property taxes value notices are coming. But are you paying too much? Are you paying for space you don't have? Karen let me know that on paper, her house keeps getting bigger. She says it went from 1,650 square feet when she bought it, to 1,890 square feet and in 2014 it was 2,157 square feet on her property taxes. AND SHE NEVER ADDED ONI Karen fought back and had her house re-assessed through the county, that measurement showed 1,643 square feet. Karen got back \$1,000 in overpaid property taxes. By law, she could only go back three years.

You can fight back too. This year in Maricopa County, you have until April 19 to file a complaint with your county's Assessor's office.

Freebie Friday, Smart Shopper Daphne Munro aired 2/5 at 6pm TRT :51

Grocery Deals, Smart Shopper Daphne Munro aired 2/09 at 6pm TRT 1:13

Arizona State Hospital Governor seeks to add staffing, funds to mental hospital, David Biscobing on 2/10 at 6pm TRT: 1:45

State Psychiatrist, State psychiatrist has controversial background, David Biscobing on 2/11 at 6pm TRT: 3:00

Valley based high schools called 'fake' and 'scam' by feds. Joe Ducey reports on 2/10 at 6pm, TRT: 1:31. The Feds say a high school diploma mill, selling fake degrees, has been operating out of Scottsdale and other Valley areas for years. Wednesday, they sued Stepping Stonez Development LLC, Capitol Network Distance Learning Programs and others for selling worthless degrees. The FTC says the businesses charged hundreds of dollars and claimed the online degrees were legitimate. But the government says they were not legit and that many graduates wasted their money. The suit claims the businesses used dozens of legitimate-sounding online school names like "Metro High School", "Liberty High School, "Crystal Canyon Academy" and "Alpha High School." The lawsuit lists numerous Scottsdale, Tempe and Phoenix addresses for the schools and their owners.

Hem Tape, try it, Smart Shopper Daphne Munro aired 2/11 at 6pm TRT 1:19

Consumers frustrated with surprise medical bills Joe Ducey reports on 2/11 at 6pm, TRT: 1:34. Most of us expect that if we choose a hospital or other facility in our insurance network, then we will be treated by in-network staff. You would be wrong. The problem is, you often won't know about, until you get the huge bill in the mail weeks later. And by that point it's too late. The industry calls it balance billing, meaning you are being billed for the balance that insurance did not cover. And in Arizona, it also means you are stuck appealing to your insurer to cover the bill, begging the provider to lower the price or going bankrupt trying to pay it. It is an incredibly unfair system. But there is something you can do about it.

Freebie Friday, Smart Shopper Daphne Munro aired 2/12 at 6pm TRT:49

<u>Is political mail using scare tactics to get your money?</u> Joe Ducey reports on 2/15 at 6pm, TRT: 2:05. "High Risk Warning" and "Senior Citizen Emergency Notice." That's what the letters say on the outside. And they have been flooding one Valley woman's mailbox. But her daughter's worried about what's on the inside. Jo Foust says, "the deeper I looked, the more curious and concerned and almost outraged I became." Jo's mom has gotten nearly a thousand of them in the last few months. All of them ask for money. She's concerned seniors are targets and that scare tactics are used to get money out of them. "So much of these are going to say "final notice" and "payment due." Older folks don't all know it isn't a bill that's due," Jo tells me. Many of the letters I saw concerned losing Social Security or Medicare.

Grocery Deals, Smart Shopper Daphne Munro aired 2/16 at 6pm TRT 1:02

Phoenix Police record keeping Phoenix police delay releasing public records, David Biscobing on 2/17 at 6pm TRT: 1:15

Goodwill Bridal Store, Smart Shopper Daphne Munro aired 2/17 at 6pm TRT 1:13

Freebie Friday, Smart Shopper Daphne Munro aired 2/19 at 6pm TRT:48

State Psychiatrist, Doctor attends killer husband's clemency hearing, David Biscobing on 2/19 at 6pm TRT: 2:30

Grocery Deals, Smart Shopper Daphne Munro aired 2/23 at 6pm TRT :58

Sheriff RICO Spending Watchdog group has questions about RICO funds, David Biscobing on 2/23 at 6pm TRT: 2;00

Why pay \$40 more for the same lab test? Comparing lab prices to save you money. Joe Ducey reports on 2/24 at 6pm, TRT: 2:11 We hear a lot of complaints about lab tests costs, with and without insurance. Well, finally, some labs are being more transparent with those costs. Now you can actually compare them, and we didArizonans can now order tests without having a doctor involved.

Chandler PD Body Cam Video Settlement reached in body cam incident, David Biscobing on 2/24 at 6pm TRT:30

Free City Compost Bins, Smart Shopper Daphne Munro aired 2/24 at 6pm TRT 1:14

State Psychiatrist Doctor also had contracts with County Court System, David Biscobing on 2/25 at 6pm TRT: 1:00

What's next for RoomStore customers? Some could see refunds by the end of 2016. Joe Ducey reports on 2/26 at 6pm, TRT: 1:19 Bankruptcy is never fun. Even less when its your money hanging the balance. The RoomStore, filed for Chapter 11 bankruptcy protection in December 2015. And customers who paid deposits or bought warranties, let me know they are anxious about what that means for their money. Because once a business files bankruptcy, you are turned from a customer into a creditor. That means you're caught up in the bankruptcy court case, and may be entitled to file a claim for payment. Most customers who are owed money were automatically entered as claimants to the court--some may have even received paperwork confirming this already. The good news, we're told customers who put money on furniture before the bankruptcy filing are considered priority claims. Meaning you are first on the list to get paid back in full once the case is settled. The bad news: that's not expected to happen until end of this year.

Freebie Friday, Smart Shopper Daphne Munro aired 2/26 at 6pm TRT:50

Arizona State Hospital New records show struggle to correct issues, David Biscobing on 3/2 at 6pm TRT: 1:30

Bumped from a flight? You could get much more than a voucher. Joe Ducey reports on 3/3 at 6pm, TRT: 1:34. Spring break is here and summer travel is near. If you're flying out of town and get bumped from a flight, there's a reason not to take that \$200 voucher the airline offers. Charles Leocha with travelersunited.org, says they may have to offer you much more. In fact, by law, you could get up to 400% your one-way ticket price refunded, in cash, not a voucher. It happens if you are involuntarily bumped and you're rescheduled to be at your destination more than 2 hours later, or if the airline offers no other travel plan. Airlines must refund checked bagging fees for lost luggage. And by law, if your luggage is lost or damaged, they must compensate you up to \$3,300 per bag.

<u>Check Fraud Case</u> Man wants more action in police investigation, David Biscobing on 3/04 at 6pm TRT: 2:00

Valley seniors targeted in 'Grandparent Scam;' never wire money, call family to verify story. Joe Ducey reports on 3/04 at 6pm, TRT: 2:15. The Grandparent Scam is back with a vengeance. It's the one where a fake grandchild calls, saying they have been arrested or in a car accident and need you to wire them money for ball and/or an attorney. The grandma or grandpa are scared to death, so they run to the nearest wire service and send money (usually thousands of dollars) to help their baby. These schemes work because they are scary and convincing--and the fake grandkids ask that the grandparent not tell the rest of the family for fear of embarrassment. Don't fall for it. So when you get the call: Ask for names, call you relatives, do not wire any money ever!

 $\underline{\text{DeSisto School}}$  Sheriff's staff blocks reporter from news conference, David Biscobing on 3/08 at 6pm TRT: 2:00

<u>DeSisto School</u> Officials respond to reporter denied access, David Biscobing on 3/10 at 6pm TRT: 1:30

<u>Final Notice' letter offers student loan help; Dept. of Education says letter is not from them.</u> Joe Ducey reports on 3/11 at 6pm TRT: 1:07 You get an official-looking letter in the mail offering student loan consolidation with the U.S. Dept. of Education. All you have to do is go to a website, sign up for a Federal Student Ald ID, and call give them a call. Stop right there. Who are these people? With only a phone number and no conspicuous name to check out--I gave them a call. The voicemail says if you got the letter and don't have student loans then it was a mistake, otherwise leave a message. The U.S. Dept. of Education tells me the letter isn't from them. But they tell me they've gotten complaints out of Alabama too. A closer look at the very bottom of the letter in very small print says DPC offers "fee based application assistance" and that "such programs may be available for free by various government agencies."

Governor Interview Governor Ducey won't endorse a Republican, David Biscobing on 3/15 at 6pm TRT: :45

Paddock customers to get refunds, court date; AZROC mailing letters to eligible claimants. Joe Ducey reports on 3/15 at 5pm TRT 1:11 Customers of Paddock and Cameo Pools can expect a couple of letters in the mail in the coming days. The pool company's licenses were revoked in 2015, after dozens of complaints about abandoned jobs. The Arizona Registrar of Contractors (AZROC) says it began sending notices of eligibility to customers who applied for restitution from the state's Residential Recovery Fund. In all, the state says it received 78 administrative complaints. 46 of those complainants applied for the fund. 38 were deemed to be eligible for up to \$30,000. Some customers were not eligible because they hired the companies after the licenses had been suspended, according to the AZROC. As it stands now, approximately \$352,620 is expected to be paid out from the fund to cover both Paddock and Cameo licenses.

Governor Interview Governor Ducey describes a rape kit reform, David Biscobing on 3/16 at 6pm TRT: 2:00

Chandler PD Body Cam Settlement amount disclosed after incident, David Biscobing on 3/17 at 6pm TRT: 2:00

AZ ROC: Tempe contractor, Ron Dew, fined \$1.3M for running illegal business; nearly 500 violations. Joe Ducey reports on 3/17 at 6pm TRT: 2:10 The Arizona Registrar of Contractors (AZROC) announced a \$1.28 million fine against a Valley man accused of repeatedly operating air-conditioning and home service companies illegally. Ronald Dew, 59 of Tempe, was cited for nearly 500 violations. All are connected to Acclaim Air LLC, a company investigators say was being managed by Dew. His contracting license was revoked in 2011 after investigators found that his company Abode Air LLC trained employees to deliberately sabotage HVAC equipment and charge for unnecessary parts. The AZROC says one month after that revocation, Dew began illegally operating another company, ACME Home Services LLC. When the company eventually applied for a license, investigators say it used the information of Dew's 92 year-old father, William Dew. The elder Dew had apparently signed over power of attorney to his son, allowing him to run the company. That application was denied. In it's current case the AZROC says it has issued citations against Ron Dew, ACME Home Services, and Acclaim Air accusing them of an ongoing conspiracy to evade Arizona contracting law.

<u>Is your car ready for the Phoenix heat?</u> Joe Ducey reports on 3/23 at 6pm TRT :42 Do you know if your car is safe for summer travel? Are the tires filled to car specifications? Do you know how to check for A/C problems?

<u>Dental Dangers</u> Legislative committee hears reform measures, David Biscobing on 3/23 at 6pm TRT: 1:45

<u>Valley mom seeks wedding deposit from closing business Manor at Catlin Court</u>. Joe Ducey reports on 3/23 at 6pm TRT: 1:40. A Glendale wedding business is shutting down, leaving families to figure out what to do next. Laura Roether, of Glendale, says she's been planning her son's wedding for months. While he is stationed in Montana, she has taken on the planning of his 2017 wedding. But just a few weeks after giving a cash deposit to Manor at Catlin Court in Glendale, she found out the business is shutting down. Even worse, they wouldn't be refunding her deposit. Joe says the big lesson here is that cash disappears. If a credit card had been used, filling a dispute may have gotten her money back. Bottom line--non-refundable deposits protects the business. So avoid cash, and make them small. If you can get it in writing, specify that you want the money held for the event, not paying the light bill.

Dishwasher fires, car emissions and insurance: Lawsuit settlements could mean money for you Joe Ducey reports on 3/24 at 5pm TRT: 1:11 Has your dishwasher overheated? Was there a fire? If it's a Whirlpool, Kenmore or KitchenAid model, a class action lawsuit settlement could mean money for you. Scott Hardy with topclassactions.com says the dishwashers were made between 2000 and 2006. The settlement means money back for repairs or towards a new dishwasher up to \$300. The claim deadline is June 2nd, 2016. None of the companies admit any wrongdoing. See if you qualify for this settlement. Remember the Volkswagen emissions scandal where the company allegedly programmed cars to avoid certain emission detection?

Now Volkswagen and Audi are offering goodwill packages to owners, including a \$500 prepaid Visa card or dealer card. Make sure you don't give up any rights before signing for this one. The claim deadline is April 30. The company admits no wrongdoing. And if you have a mortgage through the online bank Everbank or Everhome mortgage, they may have forced their insurance on you. The allegation is the insurance was excessive and that the bank got a kickback from the insurance company. The settlement could mean money back for you. The deadline to file a claim is April 26. The companies admit no wrongdoing.

Why you should avoid 'free trial' offers; it could cost you hundreds of dollars. Joe Ducey reports on 3/25 at 6pm TRT: 1:21 I always say if you get a free product offer, get ready to pay! You can't stay in business when you're giving stuff away. Often we see those "free trial" period offers with anti-aging creams or diet supplements. The offer says you can try it for just the cost of shipping. Judy wrote me, "I sent for a sample of wrinkle cream for \$4.98. A week later they withdrew \$98.41 from my account." She returned the product by priority mail and they still have her money. The same thing has happened to countless others I've heard from. One woman was signed up for \$270 worth of creams. All of these offers operate in the same way: Your account gets hit, you return the product, but you're told it's too late or that you violated some fine print agreement. Just remember, if you have to give your credit card information for just shipping charges, it could be used for much more.

<u>Dangerous Explosives</u> Man suffers injury using store bought explosive, David Biscobing on 3/28 at 6pm TRT: 1:30

Valley man says shops close before warranty work is completed. Joe Ducey reports on 3/29 at 6pm TRT: 1:24 A Valley man says he's had a difficult time getting a car repair company to make good on a warranty. Chet Hutton says he paid Meineke \$9,000 to install a newly rebuilt engine. The purchase included a warranty. So when the car's motor started having problems, he took the car back to the shop for repairs. But Hutton says the shop had closed. Since the business is a chain, Hutton says he just went to the nearest location for service. "He said 'We'll see. I'll get a hold of corporate," Hutton says. But when he showed up again, Hutton says that location closed too. So Chet tried a third location. This shop wasn't closed, but he says they would not commit to fixing anything. So after weeks of trying to get it done on his own, Hutton let me know and volunteer Carol with the Assistance League of Phoenix took over. Meineke calls it an "extraordinary circumstance" and that parts had to be special ordered. In a statement COO Douglas Danstrom says, "While each customer service case is handled on a case-by-case basis, the time it took to complete Mr. Hutton's vehicle repair is not indicative of the average time it takes our customer service team to resolve customer issues." Hutton says Carol got Meineke into gear. "She was a blessing," he says. Following through from beginning to end, she helped secure the installation of a newly rebuilt motor at Meineke's expense. When signing up for a warranty, be sure to get everything in writing and find out who will do the work when a shop shuts down. Meineke says it's customers should go the nearest shop or contact customer service.

Gilbert Police Use of Force A look at Gilbert Police use of force statistics, David Biscobing on 3/28 at 6pm TRT: :30

Sheriff RICO Spending FBI conducting interviews regarding Sheriff RICO Case, David Biscobing on 3/29 at 6pm TRT: 1:30

Spa manufacturer cuts ties with Valley spa business. Joe Ducey reports on 3/30 at 6pm TRT:1:54 Mr. Spa used to have five stores in the Valley. Now they have just two. And one of the manufacturers they counted on, broke ties with them. This all comes after customer complaints that Mr. Spa wasn't delivering spas in a timely manner, even after they were paid. We've followed owner Dave Miller since he took over Mr. Spa. Customers say Miller has blamed production delays for some of the problems. He also claims he didn't get timely funding from some customers. This week, Bullfrong Spas broke ties with Mr. Spa saying there were no lengthy production delays on their end. And Bullfrong is helping "around a dozen" customers get the spas they paid for.

Get a \$3,000 check in the mail? It's probably fake so don't cash it. Joe Ducey reports on 3/30 at 6pm TRT: 2:04 Yeah, that check is fake, even though the bank and business that supposedly sent it are real. Watch Joe Ducey and producer Courtney Holmes break it down. .

## **KNXV-TV News Programs**

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## **ABC15 Mornings**

Weekdays 4:30AM-7:00 AM

Provides viewers with a comprehensive smart start to their day with local, national and international news and updates to stories that developed overnight and stories that are happening now from the breaking news desk. Weather and traffic updates help viewers plan their day and route to work. Besides providing news, viewers get financial updates from the floor of the New York Stock Exchange and how this news impacts jobs and economic development in the Phoenix area. In addition each day the latest medical, consumer and parenting stories help improve people's lives.

## ABC15 News at 11am

Weekdays 11:00AM-12Noon

Updates on local and national news headlines.

#### The Now

Weekdays 4:00-4:30 PM

This newscast provides viewers a first look at the news of the day and what is happening right now. It gives viewers a snapshot of some of the stories the ABC15 News team is working on for later newscasts, along with a look at the big national stories of the day. Viewers are also provided with a look at interesting websites and video that people across the nation are talking about. This newscast also includes entertainment news along with regular health segments. The Now newscast also provides the first weather forecast of the afternoon for viewers in the Phoenix metro area.

## ABC15 News at 5

Weekdays 5:00-5:30 PM

For those just getting home from work, this newscast follows stories developing during the day with an emphasis on the newest and freshest details. Besides an update on stories going on here, viewers are updated on stories going on around the state and nation. Daily pieces from our Smart Shopper team help viewers save money and participate in exclusive offers. Also the latest breakthroughs in health help viewers lead healthier, smarter lives.

### ABC15 News at 6

Weekdays 6:00-7:00 PM

The 6pm newscast highlights important Valley and Statewide issues such as the economy, housing, and growth. It is the only hour long 6pm newscast in the Valley. It features an updated weather forecast and Sports highlights, with a focus on local sporting events. This newscast focuses on fresh angles to stories still being worked on from the 5pm newscast. A daily consumer feature called "Let Joe Know" highlights consumer problems and takes action to help viewers who have been wronged. "Smart Shopper" Daphne Munro offers money saving tips during this newscast.

## ABC15 News at 10

Monday-Saturday 10:00-10:35 PM, Sunday 10:00-11:00 PM

Provides a fast paced wrap-up of the day's top stories including the latest weather information and highlights from sports. Most 10pm newscasts feature a promotable story from our investigative unit highlighting current issues, uncovering information on the latest scams, or exposing consumer fraud. Smart Shopper segments are regularly featured to help viewers stretch their budget and get the most for their money.

## ABC15 Weekends Saturday

Saturday 5:00-7:00 AM / 8:00-9:00 AM / 6:00-7:00 PM

Updates local and national news headlines from overnight and during the day.

## ABC15 Weekends Sunday

Sunday 5:00-7:00 AM / 5:00-5:30 PM

Update local and national news headlines from overnight and during the day.

## **KNXV-TV Public Service Announcements**

First Quarter 2016 (January/February/March)

(See attached for schedule/date/time/length)

Child Identification. This ad informs the public about the importance of your child having a child identification card. Created by ADOT, the campaign tells parents that having a child identification card helps fight identity theft and makes it easier for law enforcement if you have to utilize an "Amber Alert" for your child.

Motor Cycle Safety (ABA National Guard). This ad seeks to inform the public that riding a motorcycle although fun can be dangerous. The campaign stresses getting training and lets the public know that scholarships and insurance benefits are available for taking a class.

Know Snow (ABA National Guard). This ad seeks to inform the public the importance of slowing down and using caution around snowplows. The campaign stresses that a driver should never pass and active snowplow.

Date Rape (Ad Council). This ad seeks to inform the public on the importance of listening to their date - that "no" means no.

ABA30HD: This ad seeks to inform the public on the importance of how broadcasting: keeps them informed, regularly donated air time to the community and immediately alerts them to breaking news.

**EEO -** Equal Employment Opportunity. This locally produced spot expresses to ABC15 viewers that KNXV-TV is an equal opportunity employer. The EEO Public File Report complies with Section 73.2080(c)(6) of the FCC's 2002 EEO Rule. A copy of the station EEO public file report is kept in the station's public inspection file and can also be found on ABC15.com.

FCC. This locally produced spot tells ABC15 viewers that the licensee; KNXV-TV certifies that it publicizes the existence and location of the station's Children's Television Programming Reports

# Log Summary [KNXV PSA REPORT LESLIE]: 12/28/15 - 01/31/16

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KNOW SNOW	01/04/16	1:16:37 XM			KNXV TV PSA/ABA-National Guard	PROMO/PSA
CHILD ID	01/05/16	9:07:16 AM			KNXV TV PSA/ABA-National Guard	PROMO/PSA
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KNOW SNOW	01/12/16				KNXV TV PSA/ABA-National Guard	PROMO/PSA
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# **KNXV-TV** Community Service

First Quarter 2016

## January Community Outreach:

- Rally for Red The station's heart health program. On the 15<sup>th</sup> of every month, ABC15 will remind viewers to do something heart healthy for themselves during all newscasts. The station supports the program with a story on the newscasts and Facebook mentions. The station also produces a heart healthy newsletter that is sent to viewers who sign up to receive it.
- Glendale Glitter & Glow Block Party As part of the on-going tradition, ABC15
  partners with the City of Glendale to promote the free family event on January 9. The
  station produced a promo that air a week prior to the event. The station talked about it
  during the newscasts and had a guest on during ABC15 News at 11am.

## January Public Appearances:

- January 12 Susan Casper emceed the Martin Luther King Celebratory Dinner in Scottsdale.
- January 15 Susan Casper emceed the 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Arizona Martin Luther King Celebration breakfast.
- January 18 Joe Ducey gave a tour to a family who are fans of the "Let Joe Know" segments.
- January 27 Susan Casper and Kevin Clay hosted the 100 Black Women Phoenix Metropolitan chapter's "Social Media Social". This was a seminar on how social media works and how it can benefit their chapter.
- January 28 Iris Hermosillo visited PLC Arts Academy in Scottsdale and talked about the weather to the 2<sup>nd</sup> grade class.

## February Community Outreach:

- Rally for Red The station's heart health program. On the 15<sup>th</sup> of every month, ABC15 will remind viewers to do something heart healthy for themselves during all newscasts. The station supports the program with a story on the newscasts and Facebook mentions. The station also produces a heart healthy newsletter that is sent to viewers who sign up to receive it.
- Glendale Chocolate Affaire Continuing the tradition ABC15 sponsored the popular Chocolate Affaire. The station shot a promo with mainline anchor Amber Sullins. Event was mentioned several times in newscasts. Meteorologist Iris Hermosillo was live during the afternoon shows on day one of the festival. Iris tweeted while she was on site. New Media posted a story about the Chocolate Affaire and put it on the "Things to do" this weekend calendar. Station also had a booth during the festival on Friday afternoon.
- Wear Red Day As part of Rally for Red, the stations heart health program, the station
  promoted National Wear Red day, on February 5, in conjunction with the American
  Heart Association. In the week leading up to the day, the station encouraged people
  on-air and online to wear red. Station aired segments about heart health in the
  afternoon shows.
- GlitzGlamGive "The" Awards Viewing Party benefitting the Arthritis Foundation –
  ABC15 anchor Danielle Lerner emceed this Oscar night event at the Arizona Biltmore
  which raised \$212,580. The station supported the event with a promotional schedule,
  stories on the newscast, putting a face on arthritis, Sonoran Living Live segments, news
  mentions and face book mentions.

### February Public Appearances:

- February 5 Ray Telles participated in a Career Fair at Ellsworth Elementary in Queen Creek.
- February 8 Eric English gave a tour to his students from Scottsdale Community College.
- February 13 Steve Irvin emceed the annual VNSA Used at Arizona State Fairgrounds for two hours.

- February 15 Joe Ducey have a tour to a young man and family who were fans of his segment "Let Joe Know".
- February 17 Justin Pazera spoke to several classes at Quentin Elementary in Avondale about the importance of going to college and pursuing a career.
- February 19 Danielle Lerner was a "guest artist" for the Paw Prints Art Show.
   Proceeds went to Gabriel's Angels.
- February 20 Justin Pazera hosted the Chandler Center for the Arts fundraiser for youth programs.

## March Community Outreach:

Rally for Red - The station's heart health program. On the 15<sup>th</sup> of every month, ABC15 will remind viewers to do something heart healthy for themselves during all newscasts. The station supports the program with a story on the newscasts and Facebook mentions. The station also produces a heart healthy newsletter that is sent to viewers who sign up to receive it.

## **Public Appearances:**

- March 1 Katie Raml called longtime radio personality Super Snake at Mega 103 and welcomed him back on the air. (Super Snake had been off the air for approx. 1 year)
- March 2 Allison Rodriguez and Nick Ciletti read at Spitalny Elementary School's "Read Across America" evening which also celebrated Dr. Suess' birthday.
- March 3 Josh Frigerio took his ASU class on a tour of the ABC15 Studio.
- March 4 Stephanie Hockridge moderated a private question and answer session with designer to the stars, Michael Costello in conjunction with Scottsdale Fashion Week.
- March 4 Nick Clietti participated in a panel with Arizona Latino Media Annual High School Workshop at ASU/Walter Cronkite School of Journalism.
- March 4 Andy Ramirez participated in a panel with Arizona Latino Media Annual High School Workshop at ASU/Walter Cronkite School of Journalism.
- March 18 Suzanna Stanton gave a tour to 15 homeschooled students of various ages and their parents.
- March 26 Susan Casper was the Mistress of Ceremony at the Links Debutante Ball 2016.
- March 26 Justin Pazera hosted the "Hope in the Face of Aids" annual dinner benefitting the International Alliance for the Prevention of AIDS.