

VIEWPOINT OVERVIEW JANUARY, FEBRUARY, MARCH 2020

1/4/2020 Reba Harris, Executive director of Gilead House. Talked about need for fire sprinkler system in the Gilead House building in order to stay open. The Gilead House offers a place where former female inmates may transition back into society.

1/12/2020 Ruth Lawson and Denine Smith of Coordinated Assistance Ministries. Talked about Ruth winning the Mayor's Action Award for 2020 plus some of the history of CAM. Denine talked about some of the goals of CAM moving forward now that she is the executive director.

1/19/2020 Jamie Henderson of Samaritan Caregivers. Talked about the upcoming Chocolate Celebration fundraiser as well as some of the programs offered by Samaritan Caregivers including a new medicare overview program to assist senior citizens in selecting the right coverage for them.

1/27/2020 and 2/3/2020 Pam Givens Kokomo Rescue Mission Talked about the upcoming Walk A Mile in my shoes fundraiser for the Kokomo Rescue Mission's women's shelters. Pam discussed the fundraiser and how to be a part, plus the separate functions of the two women's shelters operated by the mission.

2/9/2020 The Jimmy Rayl Boulevard commemoration. Edited highlights of the ceremony dedicating part of Superior street as Jimmy Rayl Boulevard in the city of Kokomo. Some of the speakers included Kokomo School Superintendent Dr. Jeff Hauswald, Kokomo Mayor Tyler Moore, son Jimbo Rayl, IHSAA assistant to the commissioner Chris Kaufman, IU's Tom Beale, IU teammate Tom Myer, Jerry Harkness, and Purdue head coach Matt Painter.

2/16/2020 and 2/23/2020 Rev. Ruth Lawson and CAM director Dennine Smith talking about the hygiene item drive for the homeless with Coordinated Assistance Ministries.

3/1/2020 Sharon Reed Howard County Historical Society. Sharon discussed the special Kokomo Black Women in the Midwest Project Revisited. She talked about the history of putting the information together for the presentation March 15 in the Seiberling Mansion.

3/8/2020 The Kokomo Engine Plant announcement. Edited highlights from the announcement of a \$4-million investment in the vacant Indiana Transmission Plant building to become the Kokomo Engine Plant

3/15/2020 Howard County Commissioner Paul Wyman, Howard County Health Doctor Dr. Zent, and Howard County Health Dept Nurse discussed the Coronavirus (COVID-19) and some of the precautions we all need to take to stay healthy during this outbreak.

3/22/2020 Howard County Commissioner Paul Wyman discussed the Coronavirus (COVID-19) and some of the precautions being taken in Howard County.

3/29/2020 Howard County Health Officer Dr. Don Zent, and Howard County Nursing Division director Jennifer Sexton discussed the Coronavirus situation and why some of the restrictions in Howard County were put into place.

