

Quarterly Issues and Program List

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Pursuant to the disclosure requirements in 47 C.F. R. 73.3526(11)(i), and during the quarter referenced above, this station provided information to its viewers regarding the following significant issues, including:

- Education
- Economy
- Health
- Public Safety
- Local Government & Politics
- Crime/Law Enforcement

Channel	Issue	Time	Date	Duration	Title of Program	Narrative Description
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56.1	Public Safety	11:00am	7/3/2017	50 Seconds	East Texas Live	Millions of Americans are gearing up for the 4 th of July weekend around the grill, but before you light up, you will want to make sure not to send your guest's home sick. Foodborne illness is a serious health threat. Public Health officials say at least 48 million of us
56.1	Crime/Law Enforcement	11:00am	7/3/2017	1 Minute and 30 Seconds	East Texas Live	The latest on the Palestine woman who went missing for several days, only to be found murdered. Police have arrested the ex-husband of Ricky Taylor in connection with her murder. Taylor, in the Anderson County Jail is being held on a one million dollar bond.
56.1	Public Safety	11:00am	7/3/2017	55 Seconds	East Texas Live	4 th of July weekend will increase the number of cars on the road. Triple A is predicting it to be the busiest 4 th of July on record. People will need to be extra cautious on the road. For those carrying campers, or boats, make sure you have everything strapped down and connected properly. Also, put down the phone and eliminate all distractions.
56.1	Health	11:00am	7/3/2017	50 Seconds	East Texas Live	Fourth of July fireworks are always a crowd favorite but for some, they could harm someone's ability to breathe. Experts warn fireworks can produce enough second hand smoke to cause breathing problems for people with asthma. They suggest that people with asthma not get too close to a large amount of smoke.

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56.1	Education	11:00am	7/3/2017	50 Seconds	East Texas Live	The rain Saturday might have cut the celebrations short, but students still got the chance to have fun at the Tyler Pounds Regional Airport. This past week, students have been involved in Aviation Camp at Tyler's Historic Aviation Museum.
56.1	Health	5:00pm	7/3/2017	1 Minute	KETK Live at Five	Thousands of injuries happen each year because of fireworks accidents. Doctors say most are burns on the hand. Medical professionals say that injuries happen by not using the fireworks right. Doctors around the area are urging locals to use fireworks with caution.
56.1	Education	6:00pm	7/3/2017	1 Minute	KETK News at 6	State Rep. Travis Clardy from Nacogdoches will author legislation to increase teacher pay. The proposed pay raise will not only increase but give greater flexibility to administrators, and help recruit and retain teachers. He says it is still a work in progress but should have a draft completed by next week.
56.1	Public Safety	10:00pm	7/3/2017	2 Minutes and 30 Seconds	KETK News at 10	Independence Day is one of the deadliest days of the year because of drunk drivers. According to TX-DOT, last year there were 438 fatalities involving an intoxicated driver. 10 of those happened on the 4 th of July weekend. Mothers Against Drunk Driving of East Texas would like to remind everyone to get home safe and have a plan. As a company policy, Tyler Cab Company gives free rides to people who are intoxicated, and their drivers have specific training to make drivers comfortable.

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56.1	Public Safety	10:00pm	7/3/2017	2 Minutes	KETK News at 10	Over the holiday weekend many people will cool off at the lake. We spoke with a Game Warden who said the #1 problem they face are boaters driving under the influence, and boaters not paying attention to other boats in the area.
56.1	Economy	10:00pm	7/3/2017	2 Minutes	KETK News at 10	Tyler Pounds Airport is asking the public's help asking passengers where they would like to fly next in an effort to offer more destinations for their customers. It's as simple as going online and completing a survey. The airport is a very big economic drivers for any city and they are hoping to encourage more to use it.
56.1	Economy	11:00am	7/4/2017	1 Minute and 10 Seconds	East Texas Live	It's a busy time of the year for produce stands. From salsa, to salads the fourth of July increased demand for fresh fruits and veggies. According to the Produce News, Independence Day is bigger than the Super Bowl for produce growers. Americans are expected to consumer nearly 105 million pounds of salad and salsa.

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56.1	Economy	11:00am	7/5/2017	50 Seconds	East Texas Live	General Electric has completed its buyout of Baker Hughes. The new Baker Hughes, a GE Company, is now the world's second-largest oilfield service company. They will have headquarters in London and Houston. The firm says they will be the first and only company to quote, "Bring together industry-leading equipment, services and digital solutions. About 70,000 people will be employed by the company.
56.1	Education	5:00pm	7/5/2017	1 Minute	KETK Live at Five	All Saints Episcopal School is spending the summer upgrading their campus. When they return next school year, elementary students will walk into an interactive forest and high schoolers will have a fully-integrated, technology-orientated learning environment. Mike Cobb, Head of School says that they want their students to learn in a unique way.
56.1	Crime/Law Enforcement	5:00pm	7/5/2017	1 Minute	KETK Live at Five	A piece of artwork on the Paul Boorman Trail on Longview was damaged earlier this week. The Longview Police have identified the person of interest but no name has been released at this time. Police say the individual is looking at either a theft or criminal mischief charge.

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56.1	East Texas Live	11:00am	7/6/2017	50 Seconds	East Texas Live	An Athens man has been indicted for a March murder. He is 45 year-old Timothy Washington of Athens. He is also being indicted for other charges as well as unlawful possession of a firearm. Prosecutors say he shot and killed a man inside a house in Athens on March. Witnesses say he sped off from the scene. No court date has been set.
56.1	Health	5:00pm	7/6/2017	1 Minute	KETK Live at Five	A well-known surgeon in Nacogdoches finally is hanging up his lab coat after four decades. Dr. Larry Walker has been working since 1973, and at age 77 he is ready to retire. He says his time serving the people of Nacogdoches was the best. Walker says he has enjoyed every minute of his career, and he couldn't have drawn it up any better.
56.1	Education	10:00pm	7/6/2017	3 Minutes	KETK News at 10	Governor Gregg Abbott is cracking down on a problem plaguing our state: Improper student-teacher relationships. He signed a bill into law, increasing the penalties against teachers caught in relationships with students, and superintendents who fail to report it. From 2015-2016 the Texas Education Agency reported more than 200 cases of alleged improper students teacher relationships. Several of these in East Texas school districts.

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56.1	Local Government & Politics	11:00am	7/7/2017	1 Minute and 15 Seconds	East Texas Live	People in the Longview area are still recovering after an EF-1 Tornado ripped through the community at the end of May. Thursday the U.S. Small Business Administration set up at the Maude Cobb Convention Center to offer disaster assistance.
56.1	Crime	5:00pm	7/7/2017	2 Minutes	KETK Live at Five	Women who carry purses need to always be on the look-out for purse snatchers. Officer Martin from the Tyler Police Department says that we have to be aware of our surroundings at all times. Snatchers are looking for people that aren't paying attention for a quick grab and run. They will also snatch your purse at a gas station, or from a shopping cart. If your purse is ever stolen call police, and contact your bank to cancel your credit cards.
56.1	Public Safety	5:00pm	7/7/2017	1 Minute	KETK Live at Five	Texas Parks and Wildlife has released the results of its holiday patrols over Fourth of July weekend. Game Wardens issues more than 1800 citations and an additional 1600 warnings. Wardens also responded to three boating related deaths and seven other drownings. Game Wardens are reminding boaters that everyone should have a life jacket that is on the water.

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56.1	Economy	6:00pm	7/7/2017	2 Minutes	KETK News at 6	Athletes from all over the region will be in Tyler this weekend competing in the 7 th Annual Rose Ruckus. In addition to the competition aspect of the Ruckus, the annual event brings thousands of dollars into the city of Tyler's economy.
56.1	Health	6:00pm	7/7/2017	1 Minute and 15 Seconds	KETK News at 6	People like to be outside this time of year. However, if you are allergic to wasps, bees or other flying insects you need to know that there is a shortage of the medicine used to treat those that are allergic. Reports suggest there is a 35% drop in the supply nationally. According to UT Health Northeast in Lindale, just a few days ago the supplier said the supplies are now back to normal.
56.1	Crime/Law Enforcement	10:00pm	7/7/2017	2 Minutes	KETK News at 10	A Gun Barrel City woman held off an intruder who tried breaking into her home over the holiday weekend. The man picked the wrong house since she is a strong supporter of the 2 nd Amendment. The intruder eventually ran to a back bedroom and barricaded himself. The event took nearly 3 hours and police have charged the man with burglary of a habitation and intending another felony.

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56.1	Economy	10:00pm	7/10/2017	2 Minutes	KETK News at 10	The damage left behind from tornadoes that hit Canton in April can still be seen today. The Family-Friendly Amusement Park Yesterland Farm was also heavily damaged, but they are quickly rebuilding what was destroyed, mixing some of the old with the new. The goal is to make it bigger and better, with new attractions like the Candy Cabin, while keeping old favorites like the Corn Maze and rides. Yesterland Farm will be open for its fall festival. It opens September 23 rd and runs for seven weekends.
56.1	Education	5:00am	7/11/2017	50 Seconds	KETK Today	High school home schoolers have a new option for the education this school year. The program is offered through the East Texas Christian Academy. It's called the Home School Advantage Plan. It is designed to enhance student education with a Christian perspective. Each student may take a maximum of two courses per year. Families can choose from math, English, science, social studies and several electives.
56.1	Health	5:00am	7/11/2017	50 Seconds	KETK Today	Can local honey really ward off allergies? We spoke with an allergist from UT Health Northeast and he says there are a lot of allergy myths out there and honey is one of them. The pollen that affects us is airborne so we get no benefits for eating honey. Another myth is that is you don't have allergies as a child, you won't have them as an adult.

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56.1	Public Safety	5:00am	7/11/2017	1 Minute and 20 Seconds	KETK Today	Many people who live in Jacksonville were outraged about trash being dumped near their baseball fields. The City said the trash was stashed behind the fields by the city due to the landfill being closed over the holiday weekend. Residents are now concerned this may keep happening.
56.1	Crime/Law Enforcement	5:00am	7/11/2017	1 Minute and 20 Seconds	KETK Today	The past two years, the homicide rate in Longview has been at 15, and halfway through 2017 that number could go even higher. The police have increased patrols in the crime ridden areas, but the department is also reaching out to the community to build relationships hoping they will talk and help officers. The Longview PD is working with the FBI to keep criminals off the streets.
56.1	Local Government & Politics	5:00pm	7/11/2017	1 Minute	KETK Live at Five	The City of Tyler is going to reinvest tax revenue to make part of the city better. It only took a few minutes for the city council members to approve the tax increment reinvestment zone. Once it collects enough revenue, then the city will decide on downtown projects to use the money for. This does not mean that taxes are going up, it just means they will be using tax dollars specifically for downtown projects.

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56.1	Local Government & Politics	10:00pm	7/11/2017	2 Minutes	KETK News at 10	Smith County is working on their road and bridge plan for the next fiscal year. The county made a point to listen to residents and hear which roads they would like to see improved. Judge Moran says this meeting is their first step in developing a final plan for recommendation to the citizens.
56.1	Local Government & Politics	6:00pm	7/12/2017	1 Minute and 30 Seconds	KETK News at 6	Starting in September, many knives, including the famous Bowie Knife will be legal to carry in our state. On September 1 st , Texas House Bill 1935 will go into effect. The Texas Knife Law Reform Bill will repeal the ban on carrying daggers, swords and knives. While they have always been able to buy them, many people didn't realize they couldn't carry them. The law does however restrict people from carrying these knives in certain places.

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56.1	Health	5:00am	7/14/2017	1 Minute and 5 Seconds	KETK Today	<p>A woman’s email went viral after saying she was taking time off to focus on her mental health and her boss agreed with her. The Executive Director of Samaritan Counseling says attending to our mental health is very important, because it affects the rest of our lives. The counseling center works with people dealing with depression, anxiety and more. The counseling center says management understanding mental wellness can be beneficial for a company. If you are overwhelmed it is okay to seek help.</p>
56.1	Local Government & Politics	5:00am	7/14/2017	1 Minute and 30 Seconds	KETK Today	<p>The Senate Agriculture Committee is holding hearings on the new Farm Bill, hoping to address 21st century farming. Right now lawmakers are deciding which programs to keep, and which ones to get rid of in the 2018 Farm Bill. Money is expected to be tight, but they have reassured farmers that supporting international trade will be the top focus.</p>

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56.1	Public Safety	5:00am	7/17/2017	1 Minute and 20 Seconds	KETK Today	For the past month, a 13 year-old boy has been fundraising to get 31 protective vests for the Wood County Sheriff's Department. What started as a single project for a Boy Scout became a community effort to give back. The community showed up in a big way, donating more than \$5,000 dollars towards the cause. Thanks to the community, deputies in Wood County will soon be better protected.
56.1	Crime/Law Enforcement	5:00am	7/17/2017	1 Minute and 20 Seconds	KETK Today	Credit card fraud is a rising problem in East Texas. Police say it's the epitome of organized crime. Police announced the arrest of five people in connection with the scheme. Police recognized a noticeable spike in gas pump skimmer activity in Tyler and Smith County impacting thousands of people. Five people we arrested in Houston, part of a ring of people that travel to East Texas to plant these skimmers. Banking alerts is one of the best ways to protect yourself.

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56.1	Public Safety	5:00am	7/20/2017	1 Minute and 20 Seconds	KETK Today	Several turn lanes throughout Tyler including some busy intersections are getting upgrades. TXDOT will be lengthening the turn lanes to allow more traffic to pass through that are currently backed up with congested traffic. Lanes are closed with most of the work being done during business hours. The construction is expected to be complete next summer.
56.1	Education	5:00am	7/20/2017	50 Seconds	KETK Today	Bullard High School students put the final touches on an experiment headed to the International Space Station. With the help of a program through UT Tyler, only a few students in the nation were selected for this project. The experiment tests effects of zero gravity on a potato blight. They're hoping to shed light on possible problems of farming in space.
56.1	Health	5:00am	7/21/2017	1 Minute and 20 Seconds	KETK Today	The Tyler Police Department is being proactive to keep their patrol officers safe in their cars. They've installed carbon monoxide detectors in all fifty of their Ford Explorer patrol units. Several officers have been poisoned by carbon monoxide in patrol units across the country. No officers in Tyler have been affected but they are erring on the side of caution with safety in mind.

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56.1	Local Government & Politics	5:00am	7/23/2017	1 Minute and 20 Seconds	KETK Today	Bruce Williams has a green thumb as a landscaper, and master gardener. Now he is taking his green thumb into the Green Party. He says the Green Party focuses on community activism, social justice and decentralization. Election officials say that while the Green Party may not win an election, they can still play a big role is what issues are focused on.
56.1	Local Government & Politics	5:00am	7/25/2017	1 Minute and 20 Seconds	KETK Today	The Texas Senate planned to tackle 16 items on its agenda Monday until a morning delay set lawmakers back more than 2 hours. Once Senators got back to normal business, they passed a bill to extend the task force focused on preventing maternal mortality. Also, SB2 also passed, which includes scholarships for disabled students, and a new version of school choice.
56.1	Education	5:00am	7/25/2017	1 Minute and 20 Seconds	KETK Today	The new school year is just weeks away and faculty and students have told us that Frankston ISD is understaffed when it comes to teachers. About 30 teachers have said they are not working with the district anymore due to complaints about the Superintendent. Complaints range from intimidation, to harassment. Many feel their complaints are falling on deaf ears.

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56.1	Economy	5:00am	7/25/2017	50 Seconds	KETK Today	New details about the rate increase proposed by Arizona-based waste water company, Liberty Utilities. A settlement has been reached between the Texas Office of Public Utility Council and Liberty utilities.
56.1	Economy	5:00am	7/25/2017	1 Minute and 20 Seconds	KETK Today	In Lufkin, Marc Hicks has been bringing life to downtown Lufkin for nearly 15 years has more on his to-do list. Next on the agenda for Mark Hicks is a new Angelina Brewing Company on Frank Street, and converting DETCOG's old building into a Downtown merchant market on First Street.
56.1	Crime/Law Enforcement	11:00am	8/1/2017	55 Seconds	East Texas Live	Two people killed in a Friday night homicide in Panola County have been identified. Reports state that 18 year-old Shayla Carson and 21 year-old Dalton Berry died in the shooting. A passing driver said he saw three black men leaving the driveway in a gray or black vehicle. No arrests have been made but Police are asking for the public's help.
56.1	Education	11:00am	8/1/2017	50 Seconds	East Texas Live	If you haven't finished your child's back to school supplies list, the Fourth Annual School is Cool event is this week. It's a chance for Tyler and Smith County families to prepare for this upcoming school year. It's free for pre-K through 12 th grade students and parents. Everything will be held at Harvey Hall in Tyler on Thursday.

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56.1	Health	11:00am	8/1/2017	1 Minute and 30 Seconds	East Texas Live	East Texans have the chance to receive free dental services at Tyler Junior College. Over 500 people are expected to receive free dental services this week. There are no qualifications to meet in order to receive free services and all are welcome.
56.1	Health	11:00am	8/1/2017	1 Minute and 25 Seconds	East Texas Live	Recently pharmacists and doctors received an alert about a shortage of certain generic prescriptions drugs. From time to time generic prescription drugs can run short. Here is east Texas medical professionals are used to the problem, and most of the time the drugs are on back-order or it can be a corporate issue but options are always available.
56.1	Economy	11:00am	8/1/2017	1 Minute and 20 Seconds	East Texas Live	The Old Petroleum Building in Longview that has sat empty for years has a new life. The building will now become an apartment complex, bringing in money to the city. Boarded up and painted with graffiti, Longview has been trying to figure out what to do with the 61 year-old building. Saigebrook Development out of Austin will convert the old building into 49 apartment units with the help of a multi-million dollar federal tax credit.

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56.1	Economy	11:00am	8/1/2017	50 Seconds	East Texas Live	Some good news for White Oak ISD teachers. 1 \$19 Million dollar bond passed this year, freeing up money for the school district to restructure some of its debt. This allowed the district to add an extra one thousand dollars to each teacher's salary. Residents didn't express much opposition to the proposed bond.
56.1	Public Safety	5:00pm	8/1/2017	1 Minute	KETK Live at Five	As of today, concealed firearms are legal to carry on community and Junior College campuses in Texas. The Police Chief with Kilgore College says they've had an advantage as they were able to spend the last year observing how the law has played out on four-year campuses so they are prepared.
56.1	Education	6:00pm	8/1/2017	1 Minute	KETK News at 6	Tyler Junior College has just approved a new four year degree. The degree will focus on teaching students the technology that helps run hospitals. The school hopes the degree will act as a path towards higher degrees at other universities. The degree is planned to be available in the fall of 2018.
56.1	Crime/Law Enforcement	11:00am	8/2/2017	1 Minute and 25 Seconds	East Texas Live	Car dealerships in Longview are on high alert after a series of burglaries over the weekend. Police believe the same thieves broke into four dealerships in a two day period. Crown Kia was one of the four affected. Broken into the same was as Tower Honda, Toyota of Longview, and Patterson Nissan. Police are urging anyone with information to please come forward.

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56.1	Crime/Law Enforcement	11:00am	8/2/2017	55 Seconds	East Texas Live	Titus County Sheriffs have arrested 48 year-old Johnny Voelker for shooting his ex-wife. He pulled up in his pick-up truck in front of his ex-wife's residence. That's when he allegedly shot her. She was taken to a local hospital and she is in stable condition.
56.1	Crime/Law Enforcement	5:00pm	8/2/2017	1 Minute and 10 Seconds	KETK Live at Five	Nacogdoches Police are investigating an armed robbery that occurred Tuesday night at The Loft apartments on Pearl Street. Police say two women were approached by a man after leaving their apartment and pointed a gun at them while demanding a purse. He then ran away. The man is described as a slender black man in his early 20s.
56.1	Public Safety	10:00pm	8/2/2017	1 Minute	KETK News at 10	Texas Department of Transportation is researching a stretch of Highway 7 in Nacogdoches County that could lead to a reduced speed limit. A few months ago there was a major accident there that left a 5 year old severely injured. This prompted a new evaluation from TX-DOT.

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56.1	Health	10:00pm	8/2/2017	2 Minutes	KETK News at 10	An important medical merger promises to give East Texans more health care choices. Texas Spine and Joint Hospital in Tyler is partnering with Baylor Scott and White Health in Dallas. Baylor, Scott and White is the largest non-profit health system in Texas. Texas Joint and Spine specializes in Spine Surgery and Orthopedic care. With the new merger, they're now part of a 48 hospital system.
56.1	Education	5:00am	8/3/2017	1 Minute	KETK Today	A local radio station has started a drive to make sure children have shoes for the new school year. KVNE of Tyler has partnered with St. Paul's Children's Foundation to gather shoes for children. Together they hope to meet their goal of 500 hundred pairs of new shoes. The Shoe Drive will be accepting donations until August 12 th .
56.1	Crime/Law Enforcement	5:00pm	8/3/2017	2 Minutes	KETK Live at Five	New details about a high school math teacher accused of having an improper relationship with a student. Anne Herman resigned in April after the allegations. According to paperwork she bragged about texting the student, and police are investigating the text and Snapchat messages between the two. The teacher allegedly drove the student home at times, and wear his football jersey sometimes staying at the teacher's home until 10pm.

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56.1	Local Government & Politics	6:00pm	8/3/2017	2 Minutes	KETK News at 6	The city of Diboll may soon have a smoking ban in Old Orchard Park after a youth advocacy complained about the second-hand smoke outdoors. While the idea is simple not everyone agrees with it since it is outdoors. The city will hold a town hall meeting to discuss on August 7 th .
56.1	Public Safety	11:00am	8/4/2017	1 Minute and 25 Seconds	East Texas Live	A Smith County road is causing concern for drivers. Some say it twists and turns sharply. Recently, several crashes have happened on curves along FM 346. The speed limit is 60 MPH and you're supposed to slow down to 45 MPH ahead of these curves. However, we are told drivers are failing to slow down. TX-DOT says they plan to apply a coating of sealant on the pavement next month to improve traction.
56.1	Crime/Law Enforcement	5:00pm	8/4/2017	1 Minute and 15 Seconds	KETK Live at Five	Last night around 83 members of Higher Heights Baptist Church heard gunshots coming from near the entrance of the church. While there were no injuries, bullet holes mark the front of the building. Police are investigating and church members are grateful that nobody was hurt.

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56.1	Local Government & Politics	5:00pm	8/4/2017	2 Minutes	KETK Live at Five	The battle over funding for the Angelina County Sheriff is taking a new turn. This week, Commissioners rejected a spending plan supported by Sheriff Sanchez that would have added six more deputies. Disappointed citizens are now hoping an online petition will convince their country to reconsider. An open forum will be held in the coming weeks to discuss the issue.
56.1	Economy	6:00pm	8/4/2017	1 Minute	KETK News at 6	A major renovation was just announced for Times Square Cinema and the surrounding shopping center. Initial plans will add a 22 lane bowling alley, laser tag, a gaming center and a full restaurant and bar. The center will span from the Old Double Dave's Pizza restaurant to where the Times Square Movie Theater currently is. A first of its kind venue to Tyler and local officials are hopeful this will boost the local economy.
56.1	Local Government & Politics	10:00pm	8/4/2017	3 Minutes	KETK News at 10	Jobs, healthcare, and immigration are three hot topics on Senator Ted Cruz's mind as he toured East Texas. The Senator's first stop was in Kilgore at the Skeeter Boating Company talking about the East Texas economy and the recent turmoil with healthcare.

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56.1	Economy	10:00pm	8/4/2017	1 Minute and 20 Seconds	KETK News at 10	The brand new Tyler Athletic and Swim Facility had its grand opening today. It is located off Old Jacksonville Highway, North of Toll 49, near Bruno's pizza. The facility covers 14,000 sq. ft. and offers along with tennis, swimming, weight lifting and much more. The city of Tyler hopes the hosting of future tennis and swim competitions at the complex will help breathe new life into the Tyler economy.
56.1	Crime/Law Enforcement	5:00am	8/7/2017	50 Seconds	KETK Today	New details in the final chapter in a cold blooded murder case. On Friday, a Gregg County Judge found 21 year old Deion Reed guilty for his role in a 2012 shooting. The Judge sentenced Reed to 60 years in prison. Reed is one of three men involved in a murder of a 23 year-old during an aggravated robbery.
56.1	Public Safety	5:00pm	8/7/2017	2 Minutes	KETK Live at Five	Texarkana has several road projects in the area that could cause delays for drivers due to road closures. Officials recommend finding alternative routes and to stay alert when driving through construction zones.
56.1	Public Safety	10:00pm	8/7/2017	2 Minutes	KETK News at 10	If you live Smith County it will now be easier to get crime information in your community by downloading a Smith County Sheriff's Office app. The app will make it easier to stay aware of what's going on in your community. The public safety app is free and it will keep you up to date on crimes in your area.

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56.1	Health	5:00am	8/8/2017	1 Minute and 10 Seconds	KETK Today	The Angelina County Sheriff's Office now has a Drug Drop Box. Thanks to an Eagle Scout Project, the box sits in the lobby. Normally people throw their unused prescriptions in the garbage or flush them down the toilet. However, this doesn't truly get rid of them and it can harm our water and the environment. The department is encouraging the public to use the drop box. Sheriff Sanches says that every two days or so they'll empty the box.
56.1	Public Safety	5:00am	8/9/2017	1 Minute and 20 Seconds	KETK Today	Card skimmers continue to pop up on gas pumps across the state, and yesterday another one was found in Tyler. The State's AG Commissioner took to Facebook to help protect your wallet. He says Texans need to be proactive if they want to protect their money. He says Bluetooth on your smart phone can detect a skimmer. He also says you can pay with cash, and avoid gas pumps that the cashier can't see. Also, look for tampered seals and reports anything suspicious to law enforcement.

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56.1	Public Safety	11:00am	8/9/2017	1 Minute and 25 Seconds	East Texas Live	As Arp's water supply shows signs of asbestos contamination, people living there are concerned about what they should do. We spoke with the mayor about the problem, who says it doesn't pose an immediate health concern. The last time major water lines were put in Arp was in 1966. This summer they are changing that. Arp is planning on replacing the old water lines but they have to find the money to make this project happen.
56.1	Local Government & Politics	5:00am	8/10/2017	50 Seconds	KETK Today	September 1 st , all businesses in Texas are required to be in compliance with Kari's Law. The law requires that multi-line phone systems are required to have direct dial access to 911. Kari's Law ensures you don't have to dial out, or 9, before trying to call 911
56.1	Local Government & Politics	11:00am	8/10/2017	1 Minute and 30 seconds	East Texas Live	US Congressman, Jeb Henslerling of East Texas was in Tyler yesterday. He spoke exclusively to us about his latest accomplishments, as well as his frustrations with fellow republicans in the senate who dropped the ball on an Obamacare repeal. Rep. Henslerling says that with every passing day he receives a letter from a constituent begging for progress with the President's agenda.

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56.1	Local Government & Politics	11:00am	8/11/2017	1 Minute and 25 Seconds	East Texas Live	The Smith County Road and Bridge Department presented a 6 year plan to improve the roads in Smith County. To fund the project Smith County may ask for another bond election to fund it. The 6 year plan would improve over one thousand miles of roads in Smith County. If they move forward, it would mean reconstruction, road widenings, overlay, and surface treatments.
56.1	Crime/Law Enforcement	5:00am	8/14/2017	50 Seconds	KETK Today	Tyler Police are still searching for the person they say killed a man Friday. Officers say shots rang out on East Lawrence St. near the medical district. Witnesses say they saw money scatter on the ground after the shooting that appears to be drug-related.
56.1	Local Government & Politics	5:00am	8/22/2017	1 Minute and 20 Seconds	KETK Today	Renewed calls to have Robert E. Lee High School renamed. On Monday night, the Tyler ISD School Board heard from both sides on the issue with more than 30 people eager to share their opinions.
56.1	Health	5:00am	8/15/2017	1 Minute	KETK Today	According to a local doctor, recess is so beneficial. She says all age groups could benefit from it. She says the purpose of recess goes beyond just physical activity. It is important for motor and social skills, including communication. Just interacting with one another can help with problem solving, and can lead to creative ways to play. Dr. Clem says it is so beneficial it should never be used as an incentive and it should be part of a daily schedule.

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56.1	Local Government & Politics	5:00am	8/22/2017	1 Minute and 30 Seconds	KETK Today	More than one-third of Americans have no access to the internet, most of them living in rural areas. Now the FCC Chairman wants to change that. Last week, Texas Senator John Cornyn and 55 of his senate colleagues wrote a letter to the FCC Chairman supporting his plan, but asking to keep costs for the consumer low.
56.1	Public Safety	5:00pm	9/1/2017	2 Minutes	KETK Live at Five	At least six people were hospitalized following an ammonia leak at the Brookshire's Warehouse off Old Jacksonville Highway. A Haz-Mat crew was on the scene for several hours until it was contained. More than forty people were evacuated to a nearby area.
56.1	Economy	5:00am	9/1/2017	1 Minute and 20 Seconds	KETK Today	The rumors of a gas shortage in Texas following Harvey has east Texans rushing to fill up their tanks, but Texas Railroad Commissioner Ryan Sitton told people Thursday that driver's panic is what is causing the problem.
56.1	Health	11:00am	9/1/2017	55 Seconds	East Texas Live	Christus Trinity Mother Frances Hospital is sending 12 nurses to the Houston area to help with relief efforts. They are heading to Christus Beaumont. They say the staff needs relief. They are also bringing medication and a strong team to help out.

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56.1	Public Safety	6:00pm	9/1/2017	1 Minute	KETK News at 6	Starting today it is now illegal to text and drive. Officials say the law targets people reading, writing or sending texts. Fines for the first offense can be up to \$99 dollars and the next offense could be up to \$200 dollars.
56.1	Health	10:00pm	9/1/2017	2 Minutes	KETK News at 10	The Shiner's Hospital in the only place in the area where Eye Link is available. They have also acquired a Neuro Sensory Integrator which also works with the eyes. Typically the impact assessment test is standard but it leaves room for error. Eye Link takes the thinking out of the concussion test. Doctor Radecki says Eye Link will help determine when it's safe for a child to return to learning or the playing field, and that information is crucial to concussion therapy.
56.1	Education	11:00am	9/4/2017	1 Minute	East Texas Live	A Kilgore Middle School is adopting Pasadena Middle School impacted by Hurricane Harvey. They offered to help Nelda Sullivan Middle School, by collecting food, blankets, pillows and any type of school supplies. They hope to head down to South Texas to deliver supplies today.

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56.1	Health	11:00am	9/4/2017	55 Seconds	East Texas Live	Natural disasters like Harvey can take a toll on mental health. The goal for many impacted by the event is to recover and rebuild. During the recovery phase, a variety of mental health issues may arise for survivors who were heavily impacted, and children may have bigger issues than adults, although they generally handle these situations better. It is important for first responders and volunteers to seek help if they develop mental health issues.
56.1	Economy	5:00pm	9/4/2017	1 Minute	KETK Live at Five	The City of Tyler has recently approved three new food trucks that can begin serving their food. We spoke with the owner of Rotolos about the benefits of running a food truck and all the extra money it brings to the local economy. The food trucks can be found across the city.
56.1	Education	6:00pm	9/5/2017	2 Minutes	KETK News at 6	Rains High School District in Emory is mourning the loss of one of their freshman students. He collapsed after running sprints on the school's football field. A difficult experience for the Rains coaching staff and the student body. Pastor Richard Piles says in his experience students and children are resilient when faced with this type of hardship. However, the community is behind the school and the boy's family.

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56.1	Local Government & Politics	10:00pm	9/5/2017	2 Minutes	KETK News at 10	The Trump Administration announced today the end of DACA. The decision affects East Texas DACA recipients. Hundreds of DACA activists and supporters turned out today at The Square to voice their opinion. Cole Hefner, State Rep says that our immigration system is pretty messed up. It's really hard to come here legally, but really easy to come here illegally. Dreamers in the crowd said they are afraid for what their futures hold with the recent announcement.
56.1	Education	6:00pm	9/6/2017	2 Minutes	KETK News at 6	Tyler ISD is debuting their new app today. It notifies parents when their child's bus is near, and tracks the bus to and from school. Not only is it a way to make sure your child doesn't miss the buss, but some say it's a great safety precaution too.
56.1	Health	5:00am	9/7/2017	1 Minute and 20 Seconds	KETK Today	Here is East Texas we enjoy raising our own food. Backyard chicken coops are also popular, but the centers for Disease control says these birds could be causing Salmonella outbreaks, The CDC warns these coops have caused a nationwide Salmonella outbreak. 961 people tested positive for the disease this year in forty-eight states. Cleanliness is key and it must be a top priority according to Celia Tucker that has a chicken coop in her front yard. She also recommends coop boots, wash frequently, and keep the coops clean.

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56.1	Public Safety	5:00am	9/7/2017	1 Minute	KETK Today	The East Texas Food Bank in Tyler is now acting as a hub for the Southeast Texas Food Bank in Beaumont. The Food Bank has been taking supplies from across the country for Harvey victims. Nearly 200,000 pounds of food has been sent to the Beaumont area.
56.1	Education	11:00am	9/8/2017	1 Minute and 25 Seconds	East Texas Live	Many Hurricane Harvey evacuee families are finding a new normal in East Texas right at the start of a school year. Whitehouse ISD is working to ensure a smooth transition for those students. We spoke with a woman who had just moved south to live with her daughter just two weeks before the hurricane.
56.1	Public Safety	11:00am	9/8/2017	1 Minute and 30 Seconds	East Texas Live	In Texas, pick-up trucks and SUV's are more popular than cars, and this week four mid-sized pickups earned a top rating in new crash tests. The Insurance Institute for Highway Safety gave four small pickup trucks top safety ratings. They include the Toyota Tacoma, the Chevy Colorado, and the GMC Canyon.

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56.1	Education	5:00am	9/12/2017	50 Seconds	KETK Today	While most East Texans were happy with another Friday night football game, folks in Diboll had something much bigger in mind. As an alternative payment, people brought school supplies instead of buying a ticket to the game against Crockett. The school supplies were gathered and then donated to Lumberton ISD, a school system affected by Hurricane Harvey. People came from all over East Texas just to donate.
56.1	Education	5:00am	9/12/2017	1 Minute and 20 Seconds	KETK Today	Hawkins and Cushing school districts are investigating an altercation that happened after Friday's football game. According to the schools it was between two assistant coaches after kids lined up to shake hands. Hawkins ISD is submitting an incident report and Cushing is also conducting their own investigating.
56.1	Crime/Law Enforcement	11:00am	9/12/2017	1 Minute	East Texas Live	A Lindale bar fight ends in the arrest of two men, and an injury to an officer. It happened Sunday night at Love and War. An officer was working off-duty when a fight broke out. The officer tried to break up the fight, and he was thrown onto a table, breaking it. The officer was taken to a hospital and he is expected to be okay.

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56.1	Health	5:00am	9/13/2017	1 Minute and 20 Seconds	KETK Today	If you're sniffing, sneezing and wheezing, you are not alone. Fall allergies have arrived in East Texas. The pollen count is spiking and it is highest in molds and weeds. Doctor Buttran says it is best to shower at night since pollens will stick to you throughout the day and you will contaminate the bed with pollens that could be bothering you. Also, sunglasses are helpful to prevent allergens from affecting your eyes.
56.1	Public Safety	5:00am	9/13/2017	1 Minute and 20 Seconds	KETK Today	Many East Texans have been going out of their way to help the influx of Hurricane Harvey evacuees. Love Inc. has been helping but they ran out of one overlooked thing: They need people to donate twin and full size beds, since many evacuees don't have a home to return to. Many are expected to become residents of Nacogdoches, and churches across the county have been happy to adopt these new families.
56.1	Public Safety	11:00am	9/13/2017	50 Seconds	East Texas Live	An update on a Longview restaurant owner burned in a cooking explosion almost a year ago. Dudley Lang said a safety device, made by Base-O Gas Products caused the incident. The suit sought damages in excess of \$75,000 as well as other cost. Terms of the settlement were not disclosed.

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56.1	Local Government & Politics	6:00pm	9/13/2017	2 Minutes	KETK News at 6	The argument about how Tyler recreational fields are used continues. Originally the city wanted to raise the fees to \$2000 dollars per field. Today they accepted Tyler Soccer Association's counter-offer of \$700 per field.
56.1	Public Safety	6:00pm	9/13/2017	2 Minutes	KETK News at 6	A Longview boy that was hospitalized after getting bit by a water moccasin is back home today. We wanted to learn more about how we can stay safe against snake bites. Experts say seeking medical attention quickly is the best thing you can do. Experts advise to make a lot of noise when walking through tall grass of a creek, and keep your eyes glued on where you are walking, or stepping.
56.1	Crime/Law Enforcement	6:00pm	9/13/2017	1 Minute	KETK News at 6	Longview ISD officials say they have identified the student who brought a loaded gun to school. The school says they are taking the incident very seriously and are disciplining him accordingly. The student is currently suspended pending expulsion.
56.1	Economy	10:00pm	9/13/2017	1 Minute and 10 Seconds	KETK News at 10	The North East Texas Regional Mobility Authority held a forum today to discuss transportation initiatives. One announcement made was the approval of a grant of \$500,000 dollars to East Texas counties. In the past two years the organization has given more than \$900,000 dollars to promote transportation projects, and they hope with more funds it will drive more businesses to the area.

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56.1	Health	10:00pm	9/13/2017	2 Minutes	KETK News at 10	East Texas Medical Center announced today that they are merging with another health system. ETMC will merge with Ardent Health Services. David Vandwater, CEO of Ardent says that they will be able to grow the current employment to a larger number than exists today. Ardent Will assume majority ownership and day to day operations of the new system, The name will remain East Texas Medical Center.
56.1	Education	5:00pm	9/14/2017	1 Minute	KETK Live at Five	A friendship bench at Bel-Air Elementary in Athens is changing the way of recess. It's a new way to find a buddy. It is designed to battle bullying on the playground. Instead of wandering around, looking for someone to play with, all you do is take a seat on the bench. That will let other kids know that you are looking for a friend. The teachers claim it's been a success so far, and that they have seen real friendships built.
56.1	Crime/Law Enforcement	11:00am	9/15/2017	50 Seconds	East Texas Live	An East Texas couple accused of sexually assaulting a child have been sentenced. The couple were captured in February after being on the run. Johnny Crocker received 50 years in prison for five charges of aggravated sexual assault of a child. Angela Crocker received 40 years for three charges of sexual assault of a child.

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56.1	Crime/Law Enforcement	5:00am	9/18/2017	1 Minute and 10 Seconds	KETK Today	Two Texas Deputies are recovering after they were shot in the line of duty. When volunteer firefighters arrived at a home on fire, the owner did not want them to out the fire out and pointed a gun on them instead. Later, when police tried to chase the man down they were fired upon hitting two deputies. The suspect is in custody, and the two deputies are recovering from their wounds. Texas Rangers, DPS and Bowie County continue to investigate.
56.1	Local Government & Politics	6:00pm	9/18/2017	1 Minute 45 Seconds	KETK News at 6	Garrison, Texas may be going wet soon after a citizens petition to approve alcohol sales to the area. Currently people are leaving Garrison to buy alcohol from surrounding areas. Town folk say increased revenue could be put to good use in the city. The city expects to generate \$1200 to \$1500 dollars each month in alcohol sales to the small city. The people will decide in November.
56.1	Local Government & Politics	11:00am	9/19/2017	1 Minute and 20 Seconds	East Texas Live	Tyler residents met Monday night with the TISD School Board to discuss a possible name change for Robert E. Lee High School. While no official decision was made, people from both sides of the issue are getting a chance to voice their concerns.

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56.1	Crime/Law Enforcement	5:00pm	9/19/2017	2 Minutes	KETK Live at Five	The police are still looking for a man they say kidnapped a woman. The victim is safe and sound. Police say the suspect is accused of forcefully dragging the victim from her home, shortly before 2am, Tuesday morning. However, the victim isn't supporting that version of events. White Oak police are still looking for answers.
56.1	Economy	10:00pm	9/19/2017	1 Minute and 30 Seconds	KETK News at 10	Innovation pipeline in Tyler is now expanding. What they do is offer services, like computers, high-tech programs, and 3-D printing. All tools people use for personal projects. Their target audience is anyone looking to create something for themselves. There are several Innovation Pipelines in the country, and all play an integral role in growing the city's economy.
56.1	Public Safety	6:00pm	9/20/2017	1 Minute and 30 Seconds	KETK News at 6	Local parents have contacted us saying they are concerned about bullying at their child's school. We spoke to an expert about the warning signs parents should look for. Josh Berger, Therapist for Alethia Counseling, says you need to look for a change in mood, a change in friends, weight changes or they have become more reclusive. These are signs whenever a child is starting to suffer from the effects of bullying. Parents should also remind their child that being bullies isn't their fault. The most important advice is to ensure you are praising them for who they are.

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56.1	Crime/Law Enforcement	10:00pm	9/20/2017	2 Minutes	KETK News at 10	Pi Kappa Phi Fraternity's Chapter operations were suspended temporarily at UT Tyler ten months after a fraternity hazing initiation led to a hospital visit for a pledge after two seizures. An anonymous student who was at the initiation says the leadership didn't report the incident because the associate member was ultimately okay. The anonymous student wanted to come forward in hopes that something like this never happens again.
56.1	Health	5:00am	9/26/2017	50 Seconds	KETK Today	Monday protestors held a rally on Capitol Hill about a proposed change to the FDA. Organizers say current laws make it nearly impossible for patients harmed by Class 3 Medical Devices to pursue legal action. This includes nerve stimulators, pacemakers, defibrillators and breast implants. Supporters say it would amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act with respect to liability. Under state and local requirements for the devices, the Medical Device Safety Act is a bi-partisan bill making its way through congress right now.

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56.1	Economy	5:00am	9/26/2017	50 Seconds	KETK Today	The City of White Oak has received state funding for sidewalks. Back in 2015 and again this May, officials requested the build sidewalks along certain roads. They received the money as part of the Tex-Dot, Curb, Ramp and Pedestrian Improvement Program. The sidewalks will run along White Oak Road, between Center Street and Bermuda Lane. The city is asking residents to voice their opinion with an online survey about walking and biking in their area.
56.1	Crime/Law Enforcement	5:00am	9/28/2017	1 Minute	KETK Today	A Nacogdoches woman has been arrested for child endangerment. The Sheriff's Office says a 28 year old was arrested after a sick call earl Wednesday morning. Deputies say two of five children found paint in the bedroom and some children swallowed it. Deputies also found feces all over the apartment, and clogged sinks. Child Protective Services removed her children from the apartment who ranged from infant to six years of age.

The station also aired the following public service announcements during the 3rd quarter:

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Type of Issue	Duration	Title or Narrative
Animal Conservation	:30	American Humane-Teach Kids Importance Wildlife Conservation
Animal Welfare	:30	Find A Way To Protect-Animal Wildlife, Protection & Welfare
Animal Welfare	:30	Whales: Animal Wildlife, Protection & Welfare
Animal Welfare	:60	Respect: Put An End to Commercial Whaling, Protect Whales
Children's Health	:30/:15	St. Baldricks-Words Kids Shouldn't Know-Fighting Cancer
Children's Health	:30	Help St. Jude Treat Childhood Cancer, Life Threatening Disease
Childhood Hunger	:30/:15	Blessings in a Backpack-Feeding Future of America
Childhood Hunger	:30	Feeding America-Anything for Kids: End Hunger for Kids
Donations	:30	Salvation Army: Hurricane Harvey Relief
Donations	:30	Texas Strong: Hurricane Harvey Relief
Donations	:60	Catholic Charities Diocese of Tyler: Hurricane Harvey Relief
Education	:15/:30/:60	Champions for Children-Improving Quality of Day Care Programs
Education/Health	:20	United Way-Join The Fight: Education, Health, Financial Stability
Family Values	:30/:15	ALS Association-Walk to Remember
Family Values	:30/:15	Responsible Fatherhood-Laugh
Family Values	:30/:15	Responsible Fatherhood-Mirror
Family Values	:20	Values-Open Door-Be Aware of Others
Family Values	:20	Values-Let Them In-Kind Gesture Can Change Someone's Day
Finances	:30	Smart About Money-Better Way to Manage Finances
Health	:30	American Migraine Foundation-Find Support & Treatment
Health	:30	Samaritan Counseling Center-Children, Adults, Relationship Help
Health	:30	American Family Physicians Health is Primary
Health	:30/:60	Leukemia & Lymphoma Society: Someone is Coming Home from Cancer
Hunger	:30	East Texas Food Bank-Please Donate to Feed East Texans
Hunger	:30	Save the Food-Lifecycle of Food, Stop Waste
Military Recruitment	:30/:60	Air Force Reserves: Your Military Adventure
Music Education	:30	NAMM Foundation-Celebrates & Promotes Music Education
Music Education	:30/:15	Just Play-Street Studio-Share the Power of Music
Pets	:15	Shelter Pet Project-Sand Castle Pet Adoptions
Pets	:30	Shelter Pet Project-Toys Pet Adoptions

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Type of Issue	Duration	Title or Narrative
Pets	:15	Clear the Shelters-Get Excited Pet Adoptions
Pets	:15	Clear the Shelters-Forever Home Pet Adoptions
Pets	:30	Clear the Shelters-New Best Friend
Pets	:30	Best Friends Animal Society
Pets	:30	Pets Fur People-Local Animal Adoptions
Public Donations	:30	Cash is Best-Cash Preferred Donations-Disaster Relief
Public Safety	:30/:15	American Red Cross-Blood Donations
Public Safety	:15	Child Fund International-Stop Child Marriage
Public Safety	:20	Wildlife Preparedness-Embers Fire Safety
Public Safety	:30	HRSA-Risks of Poison Exposure-Poison Hotline
Veteran Affairs	:30/:60	Wounded Warriors: Living Proof of Sacrifice-Donate
Veterans Affairs	:30/:60	Veterans Crisis Line-Bittersweet. Support Veteran Suicide Prevention
Veteran's Affairs	:30/:60	Make the Connection: It's About Time: Stories Strength & Recovery
Youth Well Being	:30/:15	Boys Town-Safe Strong-Help at the End of the Line-Ask Questions
Youth Well Being	:20	Boys Town-Friend- Help at the End of the Line-Ask Questions