

## 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	Consumer Issues	Religion	Government (National)
Children/Youth	Economy	Technology	Government (Local)
Politics	Housing	National Security	Environment
Health/Healthcare	Transportation	Minority Issues	Cultural
Crime/Law Enforcement	Community	Women's Issues	Elderly
Legal Matters (e.g. court decisions)	Business	Employment	Immigration
			Business & Industry

### Programs

Channel	Issue	Time	Date	Duration (Seconds)	Title of Program	Brief Narrative Description
56.1	EDUCATION	11:00AM	JULY 1,2021	111 SECONDS	EAST TEXAS LIVE	The 2021 STAAR test data has been released and shows that students across the state are falling behind. Educators in East Texas are pulling out all their resources to catch students back up. The Sylvan Learning Center in Tyler has seen an incline in students during the summer.

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56.1	COMMUNITY	4/4:30PM	JULY 2,2021	70 SECONDS	KETK NEWS AT 4/4:30	The two biggest cities in East Texas are holding Fourth of July festivities for the whole family. Celebrations in Tyler will be at Lindsey Park starting at 2pm and the fireworks show will begin at 9pm. Longview will have a free concert at Maude Cobb Convention Center and their fireworks show will start at 9:30pm.
56.1	CULTURAL	11:00AM	JULY 2,2021	95 SECONDS	EAST TEXAS LIVE	The Texas Shakespeare Festival is back on stage after cancelling last summer due to the pandemic. The festival will go through August 1 <sup>st</sup> and will feature four shows including Romeo and Juliet.

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56.1	CRIME/LAW ENFORCEMENT	4/4:30PM	JULY 6,2021	73 SECONDS	KETK NEWS AT 4/4:30	The Henderson Police Department is coordinating with other law enforcement to search for a missing 16-year-old Henderson High School student. Lexi Thibodeaux has not been seen since telling her grandmother she was going for a walk Monday afternoon. The community has come together to help the family find Lexi.
56.1	ECONOMY	5:00PM	JULY 7,2021	81 SECONDS	KETK LIVE AT FIVE	Gas prices are soaring, and they are on track to be the highest in seven years. These increases are impacting drivers especially now that it is peak driving season. Gas prices in Tyler range from \$2.67 to \$3.07. Experts say slowing down and minimizing the use of air conditioning helps to save fuel usage.

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56.1	TECHNOLOGY	6:00PM	JULY 7,2021	126 SECONDS	KETK NEWS AT 6	Residents of Tyler and Whitehouse will have a new choice for internet provider. Lubbock based Vexus is expected to being expanded internet access across the area and hopes to service at least 40,000 homes between Tyler and Whitehouse. The company plans to have the network built in two years.
56.1	HOUSING	6:00PM	JULY 7,2021	96 SCONDS	KETK NEWS AT 6	Newberry Real Estate is building a new subdivision in South Tyler that will families during the housing shortage. The 140 acres of land will be developed into a new neighborhood with hundreds of lots will be available soon. In the past few years active home listings have gone from 3500 to 1500.

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56.1	ENVIRONMENT	10:00PM	JULY 7,2021	63 SECONDS	KETK NEWS AT 10	The Tyler Berry Farm has a sense of hope following the setback in planting during the February freeze. Their strawberry plants were not able to prosper so they decided to plant blueberries. The blueberries turned to be a great deal and the farm is open for consumers to pick berries.
56.1	TECHNOLOGY	5:00PM	JULY 8,2021	87 SECONDS	KETK LIVE AT FIVE	A cyber-attack on Whitehouse ISD may have compromised the personal information of students and employees. The district is working with third party forensic specialists to investigate the hacking and they are hoping to restore full and secure functionality as soon as possible. An East Texas expert says that schools are a gold mine for cyber criminals because they can steal lots of identities at once.

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56.1	CHILDREN/YOUTH	10:00PM	JULY 8,2021	112 SECONDS	KETK NEWS AT 10	Project Hope in Jacksonville is helping feed East Texas children. They give kids 18 years and younger three meals a day, five days a week.
56.1	CRIME/LAW ENFORCEMENT	5:00AM	JULY 21,2021	113 SECONDS	KETK TODAY	The Rusk county Sheriff's Office has detained two people for a quadruple murder in Cherokee County. The four people were found shot and killed in a home following a 911 phone call from someone in the house. A motive for the killings is not yet known.
56.1	CRIME/LAW ENFORMENT	5:00AM	JULY 23,2021	210 SECONDS	KETK TODAY	The Rusk County Sheriff's Office has charged a group of people with animal cruelty after a cockfighting bust. The persons arrested had traveled from San Antonio, Houston, and Dallas with roosters to participate in fights. The sheriff's office teamed up with the Texas Humane Society and Rusk County Pet's Alive to find the seized roosters new homes.

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56.1	ENVIRONMENT	4/4:30PM	AUGUST 2,2021	68 SECONDS	KETK NEWS AT 4/4:30	East Texas gardeners are concerned that the wet summer may be causing your plants to drown. Agricultural experts say excess rainfall can cause foliage disease and nothing can be done to stop it.
56.1	CONSUMER ISSUES	6:00PM	AUGUST 2,2021	94 SECONDS	KETK NEWS AT 6	Product shortages have been commonplace during the pandemic. Parents are now finding that back to school necessities are in short supply. Elise Thiesen of GW School Supply says the shortage will most likely impact backpacks, shoes, laptops, and tablets.
56.1	COMMUNITY	10:00PM	AUGUST 2,2021	137 SECONDS	KETK NEWS AT 10	East Texas Mackenzie Brown competed in archery in the Tokyo Olympics and placed fourth in the individual competition. Her Olympic journey began in 5th grade when her P.E. coach started an archery program. The Flint, Texas archer first qualified for the Olympics in 2016 and finished 17 <sup>th</sup> overall in Rio.

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56.1	CRIME/LAW ENFORCEMENT	10:00PM	AUGUST 2,2021	334 SECONDS	KETK NEWS AT 10	It has been 15 years since Brandi Wells disappeared. Wells was last seen in Longview at Graham Central Station. Her car was later found on Interstate 20. Police investigated Brandi's disappearance for months before the trail went cold
56.1	EDUCATION	5:00AM	AUGUST 3,2021	104 SECONDS	KETK TODAY	East Texas school districts are experiencing a shortage in teachers. Henderson ISD Assistant Superintendent Amanda Wallace states that it has been difficult to find certified quality teachers over the last few years. Lindale ISD Superintendent Stan Surratt says they are experiencing a tremendous shortage for good substitutes. Staff administration are stepping in when teachers are not available to make sure that kids are still being taught.



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56.1	EDUCATION	4/4:30PM	AUGUST 4,2021	99 SECONDS	KETK NEWS AT 4/4:30	Educators have a plan to help students get back on track after last month's report stating students scored lower on STAAR tests. The Texas Education Agency is helping guide districts towards recovery. School districts are personalizing how they teach their curriculum to fit the individual needs of their students.
56.1	GOVERNMENT (LOCAL)	5:00AM	AUGUST 4,2021	103 SECONDS	KETK TODAY	Lufkin City Council members voted to end countywide EMS starting January 1,2022. The Lufkin Fire Department is currently responsible for all EMS calls in Angelina County. City officials want Angelina County to assume responsibility for EMS calls outside of the city limits. Long response times and costs were two driving forces for the change

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56.1	COMMUNITY	5:00PM	AUGUST 4,2021	82 SECONDS	KETK LIVE AT FIVE	The City of Tyler held a ceremony to commemorate the demolition of the Harvey Hall Convention Center. The convention center will be replaced with a more updated compound. The plan is for the new Rose Complex to be up and running in October 2022.
56.1	ECONOMY	5:00PM	AUGUST 5,2021	129 SECONDS	KETK LIVE AT FIVE	Local stores are excited to see customers during the upcoming sales tax holiday weekend. Most clothing, footwear, school supplies and backpacks under \$100 will be tax free beginning Friday and ending on Sunday.
56.1	EDUCATION	6:00PM	AUGUST 9,2021	99 SECONDS	KETK NEWS AT 6	After school programs are starting up with the new school year. The Mentoring Alliance is offering in school programs on campuses in Tyler, Bullard, and Whitehouse. They supply snacks and help kids with their homework. The Boys and Girls Club works with districts across North East Texas serving grades K through 12.

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56.1	HEALTH/HEALTHCARE	11:00AM	AUGUST 10,2021	98 SECONDS	EAST TEXAS LIVE	Health officials want to make sure East Texans take the surge in COVID cases seriously. Community members can do their part by getting vaccinated and being responsible with taking other safety measures including wearing a mask and quarantining when sick.
56.1	EMPLOYMENT	11:00AM	AUGUST 12,2021	107 SECONDS	EAST TEXAS LIVE	East Texas hospitals are struggling with a staff shortage as COVID-19 patient numbers rise every day. UT Health East Texas is receiving help from the state and still recruiting more workers through raising pay and holding hiring events.
56.1	TRANSPORTATION	4/4:30PM	SEPTEMBER 1,2021	75 SECONDS	KETK NEWS AT 4/4:30	A new crosswalk safety law took effect today. Drivers can now be charged with a Class A misdemeanor if they cause bodily harm to a pedestrian. According to the Texas Department of Transportation pedestrians account for one in five traffic fatalities.

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56.1	GOVERNMENT(LOCAL)	10:00PM	SEPTEMBER 1,2021	121 SECONDS	KETK NEWS AT 10	Texas' new permit less carry law took effect today. The law will allow law abiding citizens 21 and older to open carry handguns without license or training.
56.1	TECHNOLOGY	6:00PM	SEPTEMBER 2,2021	72 SECONDS	KETK NEWS AT 6	Vexus Fiber is breaking ground in Tyler to install the first lines of the new internet service coming to Tyler. The internet company plans to cover a lot of ground over the next few years to provide another internet option for the people of East Texas.
56.1	COMMUNITY	10:00PM	SEPTEMBER 2,2021	98 SECONDS	KETK NEWS AT 10	Longview Regional Medical Center hosted a prayer walk for the hospital's patients battling COVID-19. A large group of hospital staff and members of Longview First Assembly Church walked around the hospital praying for patients, their families and exhausted staff.

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56.1	EDUCATION	11:00AM	SEPTEMBER 3,2021	80 SECONDS	EAST TEXAS LIVE	More than 20 East Texas school districts have closed due to COVID. Families are being forced to find alternatives for childcare. Some daycares are offering drop services for parents who do not have enough to plan before a school closes. Despite solution parents would rather their kids stay in the classroom so they can learn from their teachers.
56.1	HEALTH/HEALTHCARE	5:00PM	SEPTEMBER 8,2021	132 SECONDS	KETK LIVE AT FIVE	September is National Suicide Prevention Month. This designation started in 2008 to destigmatize talk surround suicide. East Texas has the highest rate of suicide of anywhere else in Texas. Tammy Weppelman with the Texas Health and Human Services says people should be aware of the signs of and be willing to talk about suicide.

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56.1	COMMUNITY	6:00PM	SEPTEMBER 8,2021	77 SECONDS	KETK NEWS AT 6	Six East Texas veterans' organizations were presented with over \$1million in grants. The grants will go towards helping thousand of East Texas veterans with transportations services, home modifications and more.
56.1	CRIME/LAW ENFORCEMENT	4/4:30PM	SEPTEMBER 9,2021	102 SECONDS	KETK NEWS AT 4/4:30	52-year-old Anthony Cravo of East Texas is dead after an officer involved shooting in Lufkin. The police encountered Cravo following a call to a robbery in the 900 block of North Chestnut Street. Cravo pointed his firearm at the officer cause the officer to respond by shooting him twice. A victim at the scene stated they were held hostage by Cravo.

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56.1	GOVERNMENT(LOCAL)	5:00PM	SEPTEMBER 9,2021	107 SECONDS	KETK LIVE AT FIVE	The City of Tyler is proposing new additions for the fire department in the 2022 budget. The want to add two new firefighters, new safety equipment and a new tower truck. Tyler citizens have an opportunity for public input on September 22nd at the Tyler City Hall.
56.1	CONSUMER ISSUES	5:00AM	SEPTEMBER 10,2021	121 SECONDS	KETK TODAY	Consumers in East Texas are seeing rising prices at the grocery store for several reasons. COVID-19 has been a leading cause and now a drought up north is affecting grocery costs. Due to the drought wheat products are also missing from the shelves. Labor and material shortages are other causes for increases in prices.

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56.1	HEALTH/HEALTHCARE	11:00AM	SEPTEMBER 15,2021	60 SECONDS	EAST TEXAS LIVE	Nacogdoches has a new COVID testing center. The drive thru testing site will be operate seven days a week from 9am-5pm until September 30 <sup>th</sup> . The site will be set up in the parking lot of the Nacogdoches County Civic Center.
56.1	BUSINESS/INDUSTRY	5:00AM	SEPTEMBER 16,2021	105 SECONDS	KETK TODAY	The latest surge in COVID cases has added a strain on East Texas funeral homes. Community Funeral Home of Tyler is averaging three or four COVID related deaths per week. Along with the rise in funerals is a change in how funeral services are done. There are mask mandates and limited capacity on funeral guests.



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

Type of Issue	Duration (Seconds)	Title or Narrative
Animal/ Pet Adoptions	:30	Shelter Pet Project – Pure Love – Logan & Leo
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Animal/ Pet Adoptions	:30	Shelter Pet Project - Pure Love – Renee & Turtle
Animal/ Pet Adoptions	:30	Shelter Pet Project -Pure Love – Rachel & Wiley
Animal/ Pet Adoptions	:15	Clear the Shelters – Pet Trick Gallery
Animal/ Pet Adoptions	:05/:10/:15	Clear the Shelters – Cutest Pet Sweepstakes
Animal/ Pet Adoptions	:15/:30	Clear the Shelters – Pet Supply Drive
Children/Youth	:30	Boys & Girls Clubs – Meal Services
Children/Youth	:15	Boys & Girls Clubs - Relief Fund
Children/Youth	:60	Boys & Girls Clubs – Whatever it Takes
Children/Youth	:15	CASA for Kids of East Texas – Justice is Served
Children/Youth	:30	CASA for Kids of East Texas – Become an Advocate
Children/Youth	:30	Empowering Girls in STEM - Astronomy
Children/Youth	:30	Empowering Girls in STEM - Physics
Children/Youth	:15/:30	Foster Care – Donate your small talk
Children/Youth	:30	Texas CASA – The Hardest Part
Community	:15/:30	United Way of Smith County – David Stein
Community	:15/:30	United Way of Smith County – Mandi Monk
Community	:30/:90	United Way of Smith County – Slam Poem
Community	:15/:30	United Way of Smith County – Terri Smith
Community	:30	United Way of Smith County – Pillars of the Community
Community	:30	Salvation Army – Tee Off for Toys
Community	:15	Gregg County Fair - Annual Gregg County Fair
Community	:15	East Texas Food Bank – Virtual Food Drive
Employment	:30	Goodwill of East Texas – Job Board
Employment	:15	Workforce Solutions – Virtual Job Fair
Environment	:60	U.S. Forest Service – Forest Trail
Environment	:60	U.S. Forest Service – Burning Debris
Environment	:15/:30	National Park Foundation – Answer the Call

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Environment	:15/:30/:60	National Park Foundation – Find Your Park
Environment	:15/:30	National Park Foundation – The Right Place
Environment	:15/:30	World Wildlife Fund – Nature Needs Help
Government (LOCAL)	:15/:30	Texas National Guard – COVID Response
Government (LOCAL)	:15/:30	Texas National Guard – Fire Response
Government (LOCAL)	:15/:30	Texas National Guard - Serve Close
Government (LOCAL)	:15/:30	Texas National Guard – Trade Skills
Health/Healthcare	:30/:60	American Nurses Association – American Nurse Heroes
Health/Healthcare	:15/:30	Texas Department of Health & Human Services – Alzheimer’s Awareness
Transportation	:15/:30	Texas Department of Transportation – Look Twice for Motorcycles – Pictures
Transportation	:15/:30	Texas Department of Transportation – Talk.Text.Crash. – Bad Combos
Transportation	:30	Texas Department of Transportation Be Safe - Monster
Transportation	:30	Texas Department of Transportation Be Safe – Move Over
Transportation	:30	Texas Department of Transportation Be Safe – Night Vision
Transportation	:30	Texas Department of Transportation Child Safety – Click It
Transportation	:15/:30	Texas Department of Transportation DMWT - Black Pumas
Transportation	:15/:30	Texas Department of Transportation Impaired Driving - Walter
Transportation	:15/:30	Texas Department of Transportation Impaired Driving - Analicia
Veterans	:15/:30/:60	Department of Veterans Affairs – Veterans Crisis Line - You are not alone