

Issues Programs List
Quarterly Issues Programs List
KIXS, KLUB, KQVT

January 1, 2024 – March 31, 2024

Section I: Issues

The stations have identified the below issues as the most significant topics discussed throughout the quarter.

- A. **Economic Development:** Downtown Victoria is expanding and revitalizing the downtown area. Keeping our community updated on these large projects is important.
- B. **Pet Adoption:** Victoria Country Animal Services is aiming to decrease the kill rate. There is a huge need for volunteers in Victoria and surrounding cities.
- C. **Special Needs:** An estimated 29.5% of adults live with a disability. In recent years, Texas public schools report that 11.3% receive special education services.
- D. **Alcohol Abuse:** The CDC estimates 274,633 years of potential life is lost to excessive alcohol use each year. An average of 10,647 annual deaths in Texas are attributable to excessive alcohol use.
- E. **Livestock:** Texas is known for its livestock. The state ranks first in the number of cattle operations and the value of all cattle.

Section II. Responsive Programs

The Victoria Report is a locally produced program which airs every Sunday throughout the quarter on all three stations at 7:30 a.m. for 15 minutes.

Date	Issues Covered	Description of Program
1/7/2024	Special Needs, Community Events	Night to Shine for the Tim Tebow Foundation came in to talk about the event for people with Special Needs. Also asking the community for volunteers to help put the event on. Also, for donations of prom dresses, men's attire, hair, makeup, and other things to make this event a success for those who attend.
1/14/2024	Economic Development, Community Events	Joel Novasad from the Victoria Visitors Center came into discuss the Victoria's Bi-Centennial events, including upcoming events at the new pavilion. We also talked about revitalization in Downtown Victoria.
1/21/2024	Health/Wellness, Community Events	The Victoria Chapter of the American Heart Association promoted the annual HEART WALK that is happening in February.
1/28/2024	Addiction, Alcohol Abuse, Health	Billy Cattan Outreach talks about resources to continue with a dry January. They also chatted about programs to help with alcohol dependency and upcoming events and programs coming up for 2024.
2/4/2024	Recycling, Environment	Meredith Bird with Farmers Market she spoke about SNAP being accepted at the Farmers Market. Ways to recycle and save by using reuseable resources.

2/8/2024	Recreation, Youth programs	Victoria Parks and Recreation spoke about the upcoming Kids Fish Day at Victoria Parks. He also gave us information about the Dog Park that had recently opened. We were also given some insight on upcoming community events and more fishing type of events as well.
2/18/2024	Education, Farming, Youth Activities	Spokesman discussed the upcoming Victoria County Jr. Livestock Show. Robin Janecka came in to talk about the scholarship program for the Victoria Livestock show. Also, the history of the 76 th Victoria Livestock show.
2/25/2024	Health/Wellness, Healthcare	Victoria Texas Health Dept. discussed the Community Health Assessment. Spokespeople came in to talk about medical testing that is available in the Crossroads. They also gave different locations in Victoria and important dates.
3/3/2024	Non-Profits, Community, Events	Gary Moses discussed current events and upcoming fundraising events that helped many different non-profits. Also chatted about the upcoming bicentennial events in preparation for the City's 200 celebration.
3/10/2024	Pet Adoptions	Pet Adoptions of Cuero discussed the need for volunteers. Linda Anzaluda came in to talk about pet adoptions in Cuero and surrounding counties. She also advised of discounted pet services available as well.
3/17/2024	Community Events, Youth Activities	Victoria Parks and Recreation discussed the upcoming Easter Eggstravaganza. Steven and Pooks discussed the Easter event in detail, adding hype for the community to come out. We went over the booths that would be there and the schedule.
3/24/2024	Entrepreneurs, Community Events	Karissa Winters discussed the upcoming Think Big Event with Victoria Innovative Collective. Pooks and Karissa discussed the free community event "Think Big Fest." Also pointed out how the event was relevant for all community members. The event is a huge asset to the community and inspiration, showcasing inventions that are being created by community members.
3/31/2024	Community Service	Chris Dolle talked about the Day of Caring 2024. Discussed Day of Caring, what it means, and why it is important for the community. Also pointed out which organizations are participating and what community members receive. Discussed an innovative app just for community service.