



KSMO (Kansas City)
Issues/Program Report
1st Quarter 2020

The following programs are locally produced live news programs that present a mixture of news, weather, sports and issue-related stories and segments.

<u>Program</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Time (Central)</u>
KCTV 5 News at 7:00	Monday – Friday	9:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
KCTV 5 News at 7:00	Sunday, Saturday	9:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

The following programs are produced by CBS News and re-transmitted on KSMO TV.

<u>Program</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Time (Central)</u>
Face the Nation	Sunday	10:30 p.m. – 11:30 p.m.

1st Quarter 2020 Summary

Some examples of the ways KSMO – TV used news programming to address issues of concern to the public in its service area are included in this report. Duration of report is from :15– 4:30 minutes.

- **Crime & Violence**
- **Community & Charity**
- **Health & Medical**
- **Political & Government**

Crime & Violence Concerns (January 2020)

Title	Date Aired	Newscast	Duration
First homicides of 2020 KSMO reports on the first homicides of 2020 in Kansas City, Missouri and Kansas City, Kansas. Both happened today.	January 5, 2020	7pm	:40
Woman killed on Kensington Ave. KSMO reports Kansas City, Missouri police are looking for information on who killed a woman near East 24 th Street and Kensington Avenue Friday night.	January 12, 2020	7pm	:20

Crime & Violence Concerns (February 2020)

Title	Date Aired	Newscast	Duration
KCMO death investigation	February 2, 2020	7pm	:25
KSMO reports Kansas City, Missouri police are investigating a body found burned at a homeless camp early this morning.			
Grandview rapist	February 16, 2020	7pm	:41
KSMO reports on shocking allegations out of Grandview, Missouri where a man is accused of multiple brutal kidnappings and rapes.			

Crime & Violence Concerns (March 2020)

Title	Date Aired	Newscast	Duration
Westport shooting charges	March 1, 2020	7pm	1:00
KSMO reports charges have been filed in Saturday's fatal shooting outside of a popular Westport bar. Police also reveal what led up to the incident.			
KCMO E. 101 st Terr. Homicide	March 22, 2020	7pm	:20
KSMO reports Kansas City, Missouri police have one person in custody for the murder of a 29-year old man on Friday night.			

Community & Charity Concerns (January 2020)

Title	Date Aired	Newscast	Duration
Cass County firefighter dies	January 5, 2020	7pm	2:08
KSMO reporter Leslie Aguilar reports how residents in the small town of Peculiar, Missouri are coming together to help victims of a house fire that also took the life of a Cass County firefighter.			
Lawrence homeless funding	January 12, 2020	7pm	:15
KSMO reports the Lawrence, Kansas City Commission will consider adding funding for the city's homeless shelter. The boost in funding is intended to help the homeless through winter.			

Community & Charity Concerns (February 2020)

Title	Date Aired	Newscast	Duration
Super Bowl gatherings	February 2, 2020	7pm	4:30
KSMO reporters Emily Rittman and Leslie Aguilar reported on thousands of metro area fans gathering together in the Power and Light and Westport areas of Kansas City to watch the Chiefs try to win their first Super Bowl in 50 years.			
Church Black History Month event	February 23, 2020	7pm	:20
KSMO reports on Black History Month celebrations continuing around the metro area today. Members of the New Bethel Church youth ministry held its own living museum teaching not only children, but the community about overcoming adversity.			

Community & Charity Concerns (March 2020)

Title	Date Aired	Newscast	Duration
Missouri primary on Tuesday	March 8, 2020	7pm	:16
KSMO reminds viewers on when the polls will be open for the Missouri primary on Tuesday, and that they can find their polling location by going to KCTV5.com .			
Core 4/stay home	March 22, 2020	7pm	:45
KSMO reports leaders from the four local municipalities are coming together in the battle against COVID-19, urging people to stay home as much as possible starting this week.			

Health & Medical Concerns (January 2020)

Title	Date Aired	Newscast	Duration
MLK/UMKC hygiene kits	January 19, 2020	7pm	:31
KSMO reports as part of Martin Luther King Jr. Day University of Missouri-Kansas City volunteers will help put together two thousand dental hygiene kits for community support groups. Volunteers will also pack meals to feed thousands of hungry people in our area.			
Coronavirus/latest	January 26, 2020	7pm	:31
KSMO reports fears over the mysterious new strain of Coronavirus are spreading as more cases pop up.			

Health & Medical Concerns (February 2020)

Title	Date Aired	Newscast	Duration
Coronavirus/latest KSMO reports travel restrictions are in effect as the Coronavirus continues to spread around Asia and the world.	February 2, 2020	7pm	1:44
Wuhan lockdown/California concerns KSMO reports ongoing fears over the Coronavirus outbreak has life at a near stand-still in mainland China. And, more than a dozen companies have pulled out of a cybersecurity conference in San Francisco.	February 23, 2020	7pm	:40

Health & Medical Concerns (March 2020)

Title	Date Aired	Newscast	Duration
Coronavirus outbreak KSMO reports federal and state officials are urging people to remain calm as cases of suspected Coronavirus rise worldwide.	March 1, 2020	7pm	1:44
U.S. COVID-19 update KSMO reports the United States is now reporting more than 135-thousand cases of Coronavirus, and more than two-thousand deaths. The Trump administration is now extending its social distancing guidelines through at least April 30 th .	March 29, 2020	7pm	1:16

Political & Governmental Concerns (January 2020)

Title	Date Aired	Newscast	Duration
Iran strike/latest KSMO reports the Trump administration is warning Iran that any retaliation for the killing of its top general will be met with military response.	January 5, 2020	7pm	1:50
Missouri State of the State on Wednesday	January 12, 2020	7pm	:15
KSMO reports Missouri Governor Mike Parsons is planning to share his thoughts on the direction of the state on Wednesday.			

Political & Governmental Concerns (February 2020)

Title	Date Aired	Newscast	Duration
Iowa Caucus	February 2, 2020	7pm	2:10
KSMO reports it's the kick-off to the 2020 election season. On the eve of the Iowa Caucus candidates are making a last push for votes.			
New Hampshire primary	February 9, 2020	7pm	:46
KSMO reports Democrats have descended on New Hampshire. They're making a last-minute push to sway voters headed to polls for the state's primary election on Tuesday.			

Political & Governmental Concerns (March 2020)

Title	Date Aired	Newscast	Duration
Buttigieg drops out KSMO reports breaking news that Democratic Presidential candidate Pete Buttigieg has dropped out of the race for his party's nomination.	March 1, 2020	7pm	:16
Missouri delivery robots KSMO reports Missouri lawmakers are considering new guidelines that could soon allow delivery robots to roam our city streets. The legislative bill is currently working its way through the state house.	March 8, 2020	7pm	:19