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Issues addressed in WBMZ programming in the quarter include: Economic Issues, containing Agribusiness, jobs, the economy, personal finance. Health Care, health and medical issues and concerns. Public Safety, transportation, and crime issues. Education and Arts issues with Child and Family issues. And other local concerns.

Health and Medical Issues

Program: Georgia Focus, 26 minutes

Guests: Julie Ann Hamilton and Muriel Lemay-Clarke

Topic: Discussion of Stroke the causes and symptoms associated with it and the prevention of it.
Broadcast on Sunday October 22, 2023 at 6:20 AM.

Program: Georgia Focus, 26 minutes

Guest: Dr. Lauren Grawert

Topic: As Medical Director of Aware Recovery Care, she talks about help available to those in need of recovery issues. Program aired on WBMZ, Sunday November 5, 2023 at 6:20 AM.

Program: Georgia Focus, 26 minutes

Guest: Kyle Waide

Topic: Kyle talks about the seriousness of hunger in Georgia and what needs to be done to fix it. Mr. Waide serves as the Chair of the National Council for Feeding America, the largest public charity in the U.S. Program Broadcast on Sunday December 10, 2023 at 6:20 AM.

Georgia Focus Extra, 4 Minutes: Sickle Cell Anemia

Broadcast on Sunday October 8, 2023 at 6:46 AM.

Georgia Focus Extra, 4 Minutes: Free Dental health programs.

Aired on Sunday October 15, 2023 at 6:46 AM.

Georgia Focus Extra, 4 Minutes: Hearts Mummer at CHOA Hospital.

Broadcast Sunday October 22, 2023 at 6:46 AM.

Georgia Focus Extra, 4 Minutes: CHOA talks about Heat related illness.

Broadcast November 26, 2023 at 6:46 AM.

Georgia Focus Extra, 4 Minutes: Autism awareness is discussed by Dr. Divah Kerrin. .

Broadcast Sunday December 24, 2023 6:46 AM.

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Georgia Focus Extra, 4 Minutes: Mark Welsh the Chief Diversity Officer at CHOA discusses the plan to reach more children across the state. Broadcast Sunday December 10, 2023

Education Issues, Family and Child Concerns, and Arts

Program: Georgia Focus, 26 minutes

Guest: Linda Hamilton

Topic: AmeriCorps is Georgia “peace corps” with volunteers in throughout the states organizations. AmeriCorps, nationwide, connects over 70,000 Americans each year in intensive service to meet community needs in education, the environment, public safety, health, and homeland security. Aired on Sunday October 15, 2023 at 6:20 AM.

Program: Georgia Focus, 26 minutes

Guests: Julie Reiger and Jim Miles

Topic: Halloween Special where each guest talks about their haunted happens and whether they’re real or not. Broadcast Sunday October 29, 2023 at 6:20 AM.

Program: Georgia Focus, 26 minutes

Guests: Dink Nesmith, Amanda Bright and others.

Topic: Teachers and UGA student share the wealth of experience of a local newspaper. Broadcast on Sunday November 12, 2023 at 6:20 AM.

Program: Georgia Focus, 26 minutes

Guests: Robert Buscolotta, Jimmy Carter

Topic: Jimmy Carter in Plains details all of the history when Jimmy Carter was President and President Carter talks about his life. Aired on Sunday: December 3, 2023 at 6:20 AM.

Program: Georgia Focus, 26 minutes

Guest: Loran Smith

Topic: Talks about his book about Larry Munson called What Da ya Got Loran. Program aired on Sunday December 17, 2023 at 6:20 AM.

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Program: Georgia Focus, 26 minutes

Guest: Steve Oney

Topic: Talks about his book and the lives of the men in it.

Aired December 29, 2023 at 6:20 AM.

Georgia Focus Extra, 4 Minutes: Paige Watts on her new book *What's with Atlanta*. Diving into the history and culture of Atlanta, from its beginnings to current times and status as the “Hollywood of the South”. Broadcast Sunday October 29, 2023 at 6:46 AM.

Georgia Focus Extra, 4 Minutes: Zoe Tan talks about Jurassic World. Broadcast on Sunday November 12, 2023 at 6:46 AM.

Georgia Focus Extra, 4 Minutes: Paige Watts dives deep into the history and culture of Atlanta, from its beginnings as a railroad hub to its status as “Hollywood of the South”, discussing her book *What's with Atlanta*. Aired Sunday December 29, 2023 at 6:46 AM.

Public Safety/Crime/Transportation

Program: Georgia Focus, 26 minutes

Guest: Clay Bryant

Topic: Solving the murder of Fred Wilkinson and other murders in the area solved by Clay Waler. Aired October 8, 2023 at 6:20 AM.

Program: Georgia Focus, 26 minutes

Guests: Bob Bolz and Allen Pagett

Topic: Georgia Search & Recue experts talk about the effects of a search. Broadcast Sunday December 24, 2023 at 6:20 AM.

Georgia Focus Extra, 4 Minutes: Safe driving with Governor’s Office of Hwy Safety. Aired Sunday November 19 2023 at 6:46 AM.

Georgia Focus Extra, 4 Minutes: The ATL is now available for Atlanta commuters in connection with the Atlanta-region Transit Link Authority. Broadcast on Sunday December 3, 2023 at 6:46 AM.

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Economic and Agribusiness Issues

Program: Georgia Focus, 26 minutes

Guests: Sean O’Conner and Daniel Beavers

Topic: Talking about how Dept of Community Affairs grants have been used to grow business in Dawson. Broadcast on Sunday November 19 2023 at 6:20 AM.

Program: Georgia Focus, 26 minutes

Guests: Beth Anders and Karen Beavers

Topic: GA Center for Non Profits and the Tommy Nobis Center talk about giving on GA Gives Day November 28. Program aired on Sunday November 26, 2023 at 6:20 AM.

Georgia Focus Extra, 4 Minutes: Christmas Care Boxes from Samaritan’s Purse.
Aired Sunday November 5, 2023 at 6:46 AM.

Georgia Focus Extra, 4 Minutes: Brian Apines talks about Northpoint’s Be Rich campaign. Be Rich is a yearly "go do" initiative of North Point Ministries. Broadcast Sunday December 17, 2023 at 6:46 AM.

Other Issues, Information and Inclusive

Programming also included numerous public service announcements addressing identified issues, concerns, and community events. Plus local information, weather and sports.