

# **QUARTERLY ISSUES AND PROGRAMS REPORT**

**FOR**

**KRLD-FM HD3**

**3rd QUARTER, 2018**  
(July 1st – September 30th)

Prepared by:

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**Public Affairs Director**

**Issues of Concern to Dallas / Fort Worth  
Addressed in Responsive Programming  
in the 3rd Quarter, 2018**

1. **Community Outreach Issues**      Discussion of organizations needing donations of money and time to continue to support the philanthropic programs that help the increasing numbers of needy
2. **Small Business and Economic Issues**      Raising awareness of small business and entrepreneurial issues and financial planning methods to help people better position themselves for the future
3. **Crime and Prevention Issues**      Raising awareness of violence in our society and ways to break the cycle, including efforts to improve the lives of those who have been victimized
4. **Personal Empowerment Issues**      Motivational, self-improvement techniques for becoming more self-reliant, moving forward past adversity to achieve success, and thrive personally and professionally
5. **Arts and Education Issues**      Discussion of the vital role arts and education play in society, especially pertaining to raising bright, creative and productive children—raising awareness of efforts for improvement locally and nationally
6. **Mentoring and Positive Role Modeling**      Opening the dialogue about how responsible adults can / should reach out to others in the community, especially at-risk youth to demonstrate good behavior by example
7. **Hunger and Homelessness Issues**      Discussion about the challenges facing society in trying to meet the needs of a growing population of people who are hungry and / or homeless, including services available to help, and opportunities for volunteerism
8. **Women and Children's Issues**      Discussion about the issues that affect the health and overall wellbeing of the women and children in our area.
9. **Education**      Discussion about the issues affecting the educational landscape of North Texas.

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11. **Foster Care** Discussion of the issues affecting the foster care system as well as advocating for it.
12. **Job Training** Discussion concerning the best practices for a more successful career and discussion with those that are helping North Texans achieve more in their jobs.
13. **Financial Literacy** Discussion about the people and organizations that are helping the citizens of North Texas better understand their finances.
14. **Environmental Issues** Discussion about the people and organizations that are working to improve the local environment.
15. **Pet Care/Animal Abuse Prevention** Discussion about the people and organizations that are working to better the lives of animals and educate North Texans about animal care and animal abuse prevention.

**KRLD-FM HD3 Programs That Address Community Issues  
3rd Quarter, 2018**

**Public Affairs Program**

**Schedule and Description**

**Better Living**

Sundays, 6:00-7:00 a.m. Produced by Nick Carissimi, this show addresses issues of local and national concern by speaking with authors, local leaders, activists and volunteers about thought-provoking ways to make life better for people everywhere.

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**1-ISSUE: Community Outreach**

**Better Living – Grace**

July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018

6am-7am

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The mission of Family Compass is to build healthy families and a strong North Texas community by preventing child abuse and neglect. CEO Ona Foster talked about the group's two home mentoring programs and their community education program for families in Dallas and Collin County.

**Better Living – Jordan Elizabeth Harris Foundation**

September 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2018

6am-7am

60 minutes of a 60 minute program

The Jordan Elizabeth Harris Foundation provides free suicide prevention training and education for children and adults, as well as depression research funding. Guests Christina Judge and Ellen Harris talked about why the group was formed, the services it provides as well as how people can get involved through volunteer opportunities.

**10-ISSUE: Health and Wellness**

**Better Living – Grace**

July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018

6am-7am

30 minutes of a 60 minute program

GRACE demonstrates compassion for those less fortunate by providing assistance to individuals and families in crisis and guidance toward self-sufficiency. Executive Director Shonda Schaefer spoke about the services that the group provides as well as how the organization will handle moving to a new facility.

**Better Living – Center of Hope \*RERUN\***

July 8<sup>th</sup>, 2018

6am-7am

60 minutes of a 60 minute program

For nearly 20 years the Center of Hope has provided crisis assistance and long-term solutions out of poverty to thousands of families living in Parker County. CEO Paula Robinson spoke about the origins of the organization and the services that Center of Hope provides the community.

**Better Living – Grief Recovery \*RERUN\***

July 15<sup>th</sup>, 2018

6am-7am

30 minutes of a 60 minute program

Author John James discussed his book, "The Grief Recovery Handbook" which explores healthy ways of dealing with grief. Mr. James also had tips on how to get help after the death of a friend or loved one and why doing so is important.

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**Better Living – Zero Prostate Cancer**

August 19<sup>th</sup>, 2018

6am-7am

30 minutes of a 60 minute program

An upcoming fundraiser and awareness event for Zero Prostate Cancer was the topic of the day's show. Cancer survivor Brad Nowlin talked about his experience with the illness and how the group helped to save his life with a free cancer screening.

**Better Living – Dallas Area Parkinsonism Society 2 \*RERUN\***

August 26<sup>th</sup>, 2018

6am-7am

60 minutes of a 60 minute program

Dedicated to affecting and improving the lives of those affected by Parkinson's disease. DAPS provides free and reduced-rate services throughout the greater Dallas area, including group exercise classes, speech therapy, and care partner support groups. Guests Dr. Chad Swank and Jo Klein talked about their involvement with the group and how volunteers and those with Parkinson's can get involved with the DAPS.

**Better Living – Jordan Elizabeth Harris Foundation**

September 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2018

6am-7am

60 minutes of a 60 minute program

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**11-ISSUE: Foster Care**

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**12-ISSUE: Job Training**

**Better Living** – Center of Hope \*RERUN\*

July 8<sup>th</sup>, 2018

6am-7am

60 minutes of a 60 minute program

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**Better Living** – United Way of Tarrant County

August 19<sup>th</sup>, 2018

6am-7am

30 minutes of a 60 minute program

The United Way of Tarrant County collaborates with organizations and agencies that make a measurable impact on their community through evidence-based programs. CEO TD Smyers talked about his vision for UWTC's future and the future of his community. Programs provided and how to get involved with the organization was also discussed.

**13-ISSUE: Financial Literacy**

**Better Living** –Financial Planning

July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018

6am-7am

30 minutes of a 60 minute program

Financial Planner Tena Burrell talked about the importance of smart financial planning. Ms Burrell talked specifically about why retirement planning is important and had tips on how to start. The subject of estate planning was also discussed.

**Better Living** – Guns and Hoses Foundation of North Texas

August 5<sup>th</sup>, 2018

6am-7am

60 minutes of a 60 minute program

Founded in 2002, dedicated to assisting the families of fallen first responders who have lost their lives in the line of duty. The group also contributes to children's charities supported by local police and fire departments. Executive Director Dave Swavey and Family Liason Denise Hunter spoke about the group's work and an upcoming boxing tournament.

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**Better Living** – United Way of Tarrant County

August 19<sup>th</sup>, 2018

6am-7am

30 minutes of a 60 minute program

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**14-ISSUE: Environmental Issues**

**Better Living** – Texas State Guard

September 16<sup>th</sup>, 2018

6am-7am

30 minutes of a 60 minute program

The mission of the Texas State Guard (TXSG) is to provide mission-ready military forces to assist state and local authorities in times of state emergencies. Brigadier General Robert Hastings talked about the services that the TXSG provides, how to join and how the group is preparing to keep Texans safe during severe weather season.

**15-ISSUE: Pet Care/Abuse Prevention**

**Better Living** – Victory Therapy Center \*RERUN\*

September 30<sup>th</sup>, 2018

6am-7am

60 minutes of a 60 minute program

VTC's mission is to care for the physical, mental, and emotional needs of children, adults, Veterans, first responders, and their families through the healing power of horses. Stephanie Melchert talked about the founding of the group and the programs that are offered. Christine Terry spoke about her involvement with the group and how it has impacted her life.



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