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## WLFL-TV 1st Quarter Public Service Report

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To Whom It May Concern:

The attached is a compiled list of program descriptions of public affairs shows, which WLFL produced to serve the community's interest during the 1st quarter (January 1st through March 31, 2009) of the broadcast calendar year.

### Community Calendar:

CW 22 Community Calendar

Local non-profit organizations utilize this community service project to promote local community events and activities. The events and activities included support group meetings to talk about important issues, and charity events that help raise money for important causes. The Community Calendar airs daily at 10am. It is 60 seconds in length and is comprised of 3 announcements at 20 seconds each.

In the 1st quarter, WLFL aired approximately 55 announcements for a total of 55 minutes of community announcements.

### Public Service Announcements:

In addition to the attached, WLFL aired public service announcements covering a number of topics which include the following subject matter: **Crime, Drugs/Alcohol, Education, Employment/Economy, Environment, Health, Youth/Teens, Volunteering, Fitness, Family and Government, and DTV transition.** During the 1st quarter of 2009, WLFL aired approximately 5 hours of public service announcements. These public service announcements range from 10 seconds to 60 seconds in length. The public service announcements aired daily between sign on to sign off seven days a week

### Locally produced Public Service Announcements:

None aired this quarter.

### Network produced Public Service Announcements:

We aired no Network produced Public Service Announcements during the 1st quarter.

### Public Service Programs:

The following programs air on WLFL with the goal of educating all sectors of the community as to the issues that affect them regionally, as well as nationally. These shows highlight topics of interest and organizations that provide necessary information and/or services for the betterment of those who are in need of mental, emotional or physical assistance in the Triangle and surrounding communities.

#### Program Title: **ABC 11 eyewitness news on CW 22**

Date/Time: Monday-Friday 10-10:30 PM  
Saturday-Sunday 10-10:30 PM

Issue: Various

Type: Locally Produced

## Program Topic and Description:

CW 22 and ABC 11 have joined together for a news share, which started on June 26, 2006. This partnership allows CW22 to serve the community by airing a public service Program that we would not be able to run on our own. The newscast is produced by ABC 11 eyewitness news, but it airs on our station. The nightly newscast will cover major issues that and effect and interest the public. See attached report.

### **Better Life- twice a quarter (each show as a different theme)**

Better Life is a locally produced show that airs at least twice a quarter. Better Life takes you on a journey of many of the Triangle's own businesses that can help you achieve your goals. Whether it's a treatment to help you look or feel better, a new career, a fitness program that REALLY works, or making a spiritual comeback, we'll give you the information you need to make "A Better Life".

#### ***Air times this quarter:***

None aired this quarter

#### ***Topics discussed were:***

### **MDTV- Twice a quarter**

MDTV is a locally produced show that airs at least twice a quarter. MDTV takes you on a journey of many of the Triangle's medical services that can help you achieve a long healthy life. Whether it's a new medical treatment, or a new machine, that helps scan for cancer, we'll give you the information you need to find the cure for you or information that will point you in the right direction.

***Air times this quarter:*** 02/17/09 @ 10:35pm  
02/21/09 @ 12:30pm  
02/22/09 @ 10:35pm

#### ***Topics discussed were:***

**Chiropractic Care-** Most people can benefit from chiropractic care because chiropractic care is about a lot more than just helping fix lower back and neck pain. Chiropractic care is about overall health and wellness. So when our body is functioning better, then our overall health and wellness is better too. An optimal spine is a vital key to achieving optimal health for every person in your family.

**Sedation Dental Care-** Sedation Dental care is a new technology called CAD/CAM, where they can actually to take a traditional crown, and make it in the same day out of a solid block of porcelain. They take 3D optical image of the tooth inside your mouth, and then digitized on a computer. They load it in a machine called CEREC which mills the crown. With Today's technologies and cosmetic porcelains we can transform a smile almost overnight. Also Sedation Dentistry they can comfortably sedate you allowing the dentist to do what may take 7 to 10 visits at other places can be condensed to 1 or 2 visits.

## Other events

### **The CW Television Network programs**

There were no CW Television Network programs that aired during the 1st quarter

### **Community Outreach –Schools**

- WLFL outreaches to schools through job shadowing day, where students from area schools spend the day at the station and learn what employees at a television do day to day.
- WLFL does station tours for schools and scout troops.



**WTVD**

**ISSUE / PROGRAM  
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**LOCAL PROGRAM  
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**FIRST QUARTER  
2009**

## INTRODUCTION

**"ABC 11 EYEWITNESS NEWS AT 10 O'CLOCK ON WB 22" PREMIERED ON MONDAY, JUNE 26, 2006.**

FROM JANUARY 1, 2009 THROUGH MARCH 31, 2009, WTVD (RALEIGH/DURHAM/FAYETTEVILLE) AIRED AN AVERAGE OF 7 HOURS OF LOCAL NEWS PROGRAMS WEEKLY ON WB22. ALSO, ON OUR DTV CHANNEL 212, THE STATION RE-AIRS A LARGE AMOUNT OF LOCAL PROGRAMMING (LOCAL NEWS) AND A SUBSTANTIAL AMOUNT OF LOCAL WEATHER INFORMATION FROM OUR FIRST ALERT DOPPLER RADAR.

WTVD'S PROGRAM PROVIDED SIGNIFICANT TREATMENT OF THE FOLLOWING ISSUES THAT WERE IMPORTANT TO THE STATION'S 22-COUNTY VIEWING AREA IN THE FIRST QUARTER OF 2009:

GROWTH  
EDUCATION  
HEALTH  
CRIME  
POVERTY

THE FOLLOWING PAGES DESCRIBE SOME OF WTVD'S MOST SIGNIFICANT TREATMENT OF THESE ISSUES OF CONCERN.

### GROWTH

#### JANUARY 3, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

NEW 'GROUND TRANSPORTATION' OPTIONS ARE AVAILABLE TO 'R-D-U' CUSTOMERS. SUPER SHUTTLE'-- LAUNCHED A 'SHARED' VAN RIDE SERVICE TODAY. IT'S FOR DESTINATIONS WITHIN A '30-MILE RADIUS' OF THE AIRPORT. THE SERVICE WILL RUN FROM EARLY IN THE MORNING -- UNTIL THE LAST FLIGHT AT NIGHT. CUSTOMERS CAN MAKE SUPER SHUTTLE RESERVATIONS ONLINE, BY PHONE OR AT R-D-U.

#### JANUARY 6, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

Xxxx 'WANTS' CONGRESS - TO 'PASS' HIS PLAN 'QUICKLY'. THAT PUTS A LOT OF 'PRESSURE' ON NEW SENATORS AND REPRESENTATIVES -- ON CAPITOL HILL. SENATOR xxx IS ONE OF THOSE LAWMAKERS. THE NORTH CAROLINA DEMOCRAT IS ONE OF 'NINE' NEW SENATORS 'SWORN IN' TODAY.

#### FEBRUARY 2, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

DURHAM'S MAYOR SAYS "THERE WILL BE SOME TOUGH DECISION AHEAD OF US....AND DURHAM MUST PREPARE FOR THE WORST" xxx DELIVERED THE ANNUAL 'STATE OF THE CITY' ADDRESS EARLIER TONIGHT. HE FOCUSED HEAVILY ON THE STATE OF THE ECONOMY.. POINTING OUT THAT WHILE DURHAM IS RIDING OUT THE RECESSION-- THE BULL CITY IS NOT IMMUNE TO THE ECONOMIC DOWNTURN. THE CITY IS SEEING A 5.5-MILLION DOLLAR SHORTFALL--CITY OFFICIALS HAVE ALREADY ASKED DEPARTMENTS TO CUT THEIR CURRENT BUDGETS BY 1-PERCENT. THAT NUMBER COULD GROW-- ON A LIGHTER NOTE-- MAYOR xxx HIGHLIGHTED THE CITY'S MAJOR ACCOMPLISHMENTS IN 2008-- INCLUDING THE DEBUT OF THE NEW PERFORMING ARTS CENTER--HE TALKED ABOUT THE CITY'S CONTINUED EFFORT TO REDUCE CRIME, GO GREEN, INCREASE JOBS, AND IMPROVE TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE.

## GROWTH

### FEBRUARY 3, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

SO MANY COMPANIES ARE 'LOSING' MONEY IN THIS 'RECESSION'. BUT ONE SANFORD BASED BUSINESS IS TURNING IN A '1000- PERCENT' PROFIT INCREASE. THE PANTRY IS THE 'LARGEST' GASOLINE RETAILER IN THE SOUTHEAST. THE COMPANY SELLS FUEL AT 'KANGAROO GAS STATIONS'. THE PATRY ACTUALLY SOLD 'LESS' GAS AND 'LESS' MERCHANDISE INSIDE ITS CONVENIENCE STORES. BUT GAS PROFIT MARGINS 'JUMPED' FROM '10- CENTS' A GALLON TO '25- CENTS' A GALLON. ECONOMISTS SAY RETAILERS ARE ABLE TO 'RAISE' PROFIT MARGINS AS OIL PRICES COME 'DOWN' -- BECAUSE CONSUMERS PAY 'LESS ATTENTION' TO GAS PRICES WHEN THEY ARE FALLING.

### FEBRUARY 15, 2009

1:45

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE 'BIG THREE' PUT THEIR 'BEST WHEELS' FORWARD TODAY. THEY'RE IN RALEIGH FOR THE 22ND ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL AUTO EXPO. AND THEY'RE HOPING THEY'LL GET A 'SALES BOOST' SOON - THANKS TO A CLAUSE IN THE STIMULUS BILL.

### FEBRUARY 17, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

THE 'STIMULUS PLAN' IS EXPECTED TO 'SAVE' OR 'CREATE' -- '3- POINT- 5' MILLION JOBS. '105- THOUSAND' OF THOSE WILL BE HERE IN NORTH CAROLINA. WHILE SOME LAWMAKERS ARE 'HOPEFUL' -- OTHER MEMBERS OF CONGRESS -- AND SOME 'ECONOMISTS' BELIEVE THAT NUMBER IS 'TOO HIGH'. THOSE LOOKING FOR WORK ARE A BIT 'SKEPTICAL' TOO.

### FEBRUARY 23, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

CONTROVERSY OVER WHERE TO PUT A 15 MILLION DOLLAR ART MUSEUM IN FAYETTEVILLE IS JUST THAT, A CONTROVERSY. THOSE BEHIND THE PLAN SAY THEY HAVE TO GO BACK TO SQUARE

### FEBRUARY 24, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

TONIGHT SOME REPUBLICANS ARE CONCERNED ABOUT WHERE MILLIONS OF STIMULUS DOLLARS WILL BE SPENT IN OUR STATE. EARLIER TODAY GOVERNOR xxx ANNOUNCED THE FIRST ROUND OF ROAD IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS AND THE THOUSANDS OF JOBS THEY'LL CREATE. EVEN SHE WARNS -- ITS NOT ENOUGH TO FIX ALL OF OUR STATE'S FINANCIAL PROBLEMS.

### FEBRUARY 25, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

THERE ARE NEW CONCERNS ABOUT HOW THE STATE WILL SPEND MILLIONS IN STIMULUS MONEY. A BIG CHUNK IS MEANT FOR ROADS -- BUT SOME PROJECTS APPEAR TO FOCUS ON ROADS THAT ARE IN GOOD SHAPE. ABOUT 15-PROJECTS IN THE TRIANGLE ARE GETTING THE GREEN LIGHT. FOR INSTANCE -- I-540 BETWEEN I-40 AND US 70 WILL BE RESURFACED USING FOUR MILLION DOLLARS OF STIMULUS MONEY. D-O-T OFFICIALS CONCEDE 'SHOVEL READY' DOESN'T NECESSARILY MEAN TOP PRIORITY. BUT THEY HAVE TO SPEND 400-MILLION DOLLARS WITHIN 120-DAYS. THAT MEANS MANY OF THE FIRST PROJECTS ARE THOSE THAT WERE APPROVED -- BUT HAD BEEN DELAYED BECAUSE OF A LACK OF FUNDING.

## GROWTH

### MARCH 7, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

IT WAS A GORGEOUS DAY ACROSS THE HEART OF CAROLINA TODAY. AND THE 'WARM WEATHER' IS DOING MORE THAN BRINGING 'SMILES' TO PEOPLE'S FACES. IT'S ALSO PROVIDING AN 'ECONOMIC BOOST' TO SOME AREA 'NURSERIES'.

### MARCH 11, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

'BUSINESS OWNERS' - IN 'DOWNTOWN FAYETTEVILLE' - ARE 'GETTING READY' - FOR WHAT THEY 'HOPE' - WILL BE A 'BUSY DAY' TOMORROW.. AS THE 'FIRST LADY' COMES TO TOWN. THE 'BUZZ' ALONG - 'HAY STREET' TONIGHT. AFTER 'TOURING' FORT BRAGG, MRS. Xxx WILL MAKE A 'LATE AFTERNOON APPEARANCE' - AT THE 'ARTS CENTER. SHE'LL MEET WITH SEVERAL 'COMMUNITY GROUPS' - WHO 'SUPPORT' MILITARY FAMILIES. 'DOWNTOWN MERCHANTS' ARE HOPING THE 'FIRST LADY'S VISIT' - BRINGS 'EXTRA BUSINESS'. MRS. Xxx SAYS - HELPING 'MILITARY FAMILIES' - IS ONE OF HER 'TOP PRIORITIES' - AS FIRST LADY. HER APPEARANCES ARE BY 'INVITATION ONLY'.

### MARCH 16, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

TONIGHT - 'SMALL BUSINESS OWNERS' - ARE GETTING 'NEW HELP' FROM THE PRESIDENT. TODAY, A 'RALEIGH MAN' WAS AT THE 'WHITE HOUSE' - AS THE 'PRESIDENT' - ANNOUNCED A 'NEW PLAN' - TO GET 'CREDIT' FLOWING AGAIN - TO 'SMALL BUSINESSES'. THE PRESIDENT MET WITH MANY 'SMALL BUSINESS OWNERS' TODAY. THANKS TO A 'SIMPLE LETTER' -- A RALEIGH BUSINESSMAN WAS THERE. TONIGHT -- HE'S SHARING HIS EXPERIENCE WITH EYEWITNESS NEWS.

### MARCH 16, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

SOME 'DURHAM RESIDENTS' - COULD LOSE 'THEIR' HOMES TO A 'WAL-MART' STORE' - BUT THEY'LL GET A 'NICE PRICE' FOR THEIR HOUSES. A 'SOUTH CAROLINA' DEVELOPER - WANTS TO BUILD A 'WAL-MART' - IN THE 'KENTINGTON HEIGHTS' COMMUNITY. IT'S 'NEXT' TO THE 'STREETS AT SOUTHPOINT'. THE DEVELOPER IS OFFERING A TOTAL OF MORE THAN 20- MILLION DOLLARS. THAT BREAKS DOWN TO ABOUT '300- THOUSAND DOLLARS' - PER HOME. BUT, SOME OF THE HOMEOWNERS WANT 'MORE' MONEY.

### MARCH 17, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

'CONSTRUCTION' ON RALEIGH'S HILLSBOROUGH STREET 'ROUNDBOUTS' -- COULD START OVER THE SUMMER. THAT NEWS COMES AFTER THE CITY COUNCIL 'APPROVED' A '9- POINT-9' MILLION DOLLAR 'CONTRACT' TO BUILD SEVERAL ROUNDBOUTS. THEY'LL BE BUILT ON THE THOROUGHFARE BORDERING N-C STATE'S CAMPUS. THE BID WAS '3- MILLION DOLLARS' CHEAPER THAN EXPECTED.

## EDUCATION

### JANUARY 4, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

N-C STATE WOMEN'S BASKETBALL COACH xxx HAS MISSED HER FOURTH STRAIGHT GAME. THE 66-YEAR-OLD IS 'BATTLING' A RECURRENCE OF BREAST CANCER. UNIVERSITY OFFICIALS SAY SHE'S EXPERIENCING LOW ENERGY LEVELS. WOLFPACK FANS SAY THEY'RE HOPING FOR THE BEST. LATER THIS WEEK, THE SCHOOL WILL MAKE AN ANNOUNCEMENT ABOUT xxx'S FUTURE WITH THE TEAM --FOR THE REST OF THE SEASON.

### JANUARY 5, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

TONIGHT - STUDENTS AND PARENTS - ARE 'FIGHTING BACK' AGAINST A PLAN - TO MOVE 'HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS' - TO 'DIFFERENT SCHOOLS'. THE 'NEW' - WAKE COUNTY 'REASSIGNMENT PLAN' CALLS FOR 'MOVING' - A 'TOTAL' OF MORE THAN '25-THOUSAND STUDENTS' TO 'DIFFERENT SCHOOLS' -- OVER THE NEXT 'THREE YEARS'.

### JANUARY 11, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

VICTORY IS A LITTLE SWEETER TONIGHT FOR UNC'S WOMEN'S BASKETBALL TEAM AND THEIR HEAD COACH. TODAY-- COACH xxx ACCOMPLISHED HER 800TH CAREER WIN -- AGAINST THE N-C STATE WOLFPACK. SOME OF xxx'S FORMER PLAYERS WERE IN THE STANDS - CHEERING HER ON. ONE FRIEND WHO WAS MISSING--WAS N-C STATE'S WOMEN'S BASKETBALL COACH xxx. xxx-- IS OUT FOR THE SEASON BATTLING A RECURRENCE OF BREAST CANCER. Xxx SAYS IT'S WONDERFUL TO BE 'ONE OF ONLY FOUR' N-C-DOUBLE-A DIVISION ONE COACHES TO BE IN THE 800 CLUB. CURRENT TEAM MEMBERS SAY THEY HAVE 'GREAT RESPECT' FOR xxx AND ARE 'PROUD' TO BE COACHED BY HER.

### JANUARY 12, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

THE 'WAKE COUNTY SCHOOL SYSTEM' - BELIVES ITS 'DIVERSITY PLAN' - IS 'EFFECTIVE'. IT 'MOVES' STUDENTS AROUND - TO CREATE 'SOCIO-ECONOMIC' DIVERSITY. ADMINISTRATORS THINK 'ALL STUDENTS' - 'DO BETTER' - IN A 'DIVERSE ENVIRONMENT'. BUT IT'S THE 'WAY' - THE PLAN IS BEING 'CARRIED OUT' - THAT HAS A LOT OF 'PARENTS' COMPLAINING.

### JANUARY 12, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

'WAKE COUNTY' SCHOOL OFFICIALS SAY - THEY HAVE 'TECHNOLOGY' TO 'THANK' - FOR KEEPING THEIR STUDENTS 'SAFE'. LAST FRIDAY -- RALEIGH POLICE SAY A 'REGISTERED SEX OFFENDER' -- TRIED GETTING ON TO THE ATHENS DRIVE HIGH SCHOOL CAMPUS. BUT THE MACHINE ALERTED THEM -- AND THEY WERE ABLE TO CALL POLICE.

## EDUCATION

### JANUARY 13, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

SOME WAKE COUNTY PARENTS SAY -- THE SCHOOL SYSTEM'S LATEST 'REASSIGNMENT PLAN' -- USES 'FUZZY' MATH. FAMILIES FIGHTING TO STAY A 'APEX HIGH SCHOOL' -- SAY NUMBERS USED TO DETERMINE 'LOW- INCOME' STUDENTS AT 'ATHENS DRIVE' -- ARE 'INCONSISTENT'. THAT'S WHERE OFFICIALS WANT TO SEND THEIR KIDS. THE NUMBER OF STUDENTS AT ATHENS GETTING 'FREE' OR 'REDUCED PRICE LUNCH' -- IS '26- PERCENT'. BUT THE 'REASSIGNMENT PLAN' REPORTS IT'S '40- PERCENT'. SCHOOL LEADERS SAY THEY USE THE NUMBER OF 'ELEMENTARY STUDENTS IN THE SAME AREA ON THE LUNCH PROGRAM. THAT'S BECAUSE OLDER STUDENTS MAY BE 'TOO EMBARRASSED' TO GO INTO THE DESIGNATED LUNCH LINE.

### JANUARY 26, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

GOVERNOR xxx ANNOUNCED A MAJOR 'OVERHAUL' OF THE STATE'S PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM TODAY. SHE'S CHOSEN THE SUPERINTENDENT OF CUMBERLAND COUNTY SCHOOLS TO OVERSEE IT. DOCTOR xxx -- WILL TAKE ON HIS 'NEW POSITION' NEXT MONTH. xxx SAYS THE APPOINTMENT ISN'T THE RESULT OF A 'NEW AUDIT' OF THE 'DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION'.

### FEBRUARY 28, 2009

1:45

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

SOME TRIANGLE STUDENTS ARE REACTING TO A 'STATE DEPARTMENT' WARNING TONIGHT. OFFICIALS SAY 'SPRING BREAKERS' HEADED TO MEXICO - NEED TO BE 'AWARE' OF KIDNAPPINGS AND 'DRUG RELATED' MURDERS. BUT, AS xxx SHOWS US, SOME STUDENTS AT TRIANGLE SCHOOLS ARE NOT HEEDING THE ADVICE.

### MARCH 2, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

THE 'FINANCIAL CRISIS' - IS FORCING 'THE GOVERNOR TO 'PLAY THE LOTTERY'. THE STATE FACES A '2-POINT-2 BILLION DOLLAR' BUDGET SHORTFALL. NOW THE GOVERNOR - PLANS TO TAKE '88- MILLION DOLLARS' IN 'LOTTERY MONEY' -- AND PUT IT IN THE 'GENERAL FUND'. Xxx SAYS - SHE'S JUST TRYING TO 'DO' - WHAT'S 'RIGHT' FOR THE STATE. CRITICS SAY - IT'S THE 'EDUCATION' LOTTERY - NOT 'GENERAL FUND' LOTTERY. Xxx SAYS - THE MONEY WILL 'REMAIN' - WITHIN EDUCATION.

### MARCH 3, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

TONIGHT - LEADERS AT 'U-N-C CHAPEL HILL' - 'WANT' THE 'HIGHEST PAID' WORKERS -- TO TAKE 'TIME-OFF' - WITHOUT GETTING 'PAID'. THEY THINK IT COULD PROTECT 'LOWER PAID' EMPLOYEES FROM LAY-OFFS. THE UNIVERSITY FACES A '7-PERCENT' BUDGET CUT. TEMPORARY FURLOUGHS MUST BE 'APPROVED' BY STATE LAWMAKERS. IF THAT DOESN'T HAPPEN -- THE CHANCELLOR SUGGESTS U-N-C CREATES A SYSTEM FOR 'TOP EARNERS' TO CONTRIBUTE TO AN 'EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE FUND' FOR 'LAID-OFF' WORKERS. BIG NAME COACHES LIKE xxx -- ARE AMONG THE 'TOP EARNERS'. HE'S PAID MOSTLY FROM SPORTING EVEN 'REVENUE' AND 'PROMOTIONAL DEALS'. STILL -- xxx SAYS HE'S MINDFUL OF HIS DEPARTMENT'S SPENDING..LIKE BASKETBALL COACH XXX -- xxx' SAYS HE 'GIVES BACK' TO THE UNIVERSITY AND THE COMMUNITY. HE SAYS HE MADE NUMEROUS DONATIONS LONG BEFORE IT WAS CONSIDERED THE 'RIGHT THING' TO DO -- DURING THE 'ECONOMIC CRISIS'.



## EDUCATION

### MARCH 4, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

THE 'SCHOOL REASSIGNMENT BATTLE' - IN 'WAKE COUNTY' - IS GOING 'POLITICAL'. 'PARENTS' - HAVE FORMED A 'POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE'. IT'S CALLED 'TAKE WAKE SCHOOLS BACK'. MEMBERS WANT TO 'RECRUIT CANDIDATES' - TO FILL 'FOUR OPENINGS' - ON THE 'SCHOOL BOARD' - LATER THIS YEAR. THE 'PAC' WANTS STUDENTS - TO BE 'ABLE' TO 'ATTEND SCHOOL' - IN THEIR 'OWN' NEIGHBORHOOD. SOME 'CURRENT BOARD MEMBERS' - WORRY THE CANDIDATES WILL PUSH AN 'AGENDA' - THAT'S UNFAIR FOR 'ALL' STUDENTS.

### MARCH 7, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

WAKE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS SUPERINTENDENT LOOKS A LITTLE DIFFERENT TONIGHT. DOCTOR xxx HAD HIS HEAD SHAVED TODAY AT NAPPER TANDY'S IN RALEIGH. IT WAS ALL A PART OF THE SAINT BALDRICKS FOUNDATION'S EFFORT TO RAISE MONEY FOR CHILDHOOD CANCER. xxx SAYS MOST YOUNG PATIENTS REMAIN ACTIVE IN SCHOOL WHILE THEY'RE FIGHTING CANCER. AND-- HE DECIDED TO TAKE PART IN THEIR HONOR. DOCTOR xxx SAYS HIS NEW HAIRCUT IS EXCITING. AND - THE WORLD FEELS A LOT COOLER NOW.

### MARCH 9, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

IN HER FIRST 'STATE OF THE STATE' ADDRESS -- THE GOVERNOR 'ADMITS' -- OUR STATE SIMPLY 'CAN'T AFFORD' TO 'KEEP' SOME OF THE PROGRAMS IT OFFERS TODAY. BUT SHE ALSO SAYS -- SHE'S STICKING WITH A 'CAMPAIGN PROMISE' NOT TO HURT 'PUBLIC EDUCATION'.

### MARCH 9, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

IN FAYETTEVILLE, TWO 'TEENAGE GIRLS' - ARE IN 'BIG TROUBLE'. INVESTIGATORS SAY - THEY TOOK 'DRUGS' AND 'WEAPONS' - TO 'SCHOOL!' SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES ARRESTED - 17-YEAR-OLD xxx AND 18-YEAR-OLD xxx TODAY - AT "71st HIGH SCHOOL". THE 'TWO GIRLS' - ARE CHARGED WITH POSSESSION OF 'ECSTASY' - AND POSSESSION OF A 'WEAPON' - ON 'SCHOOL GROUNDS'. THEY'LL MAKE THEIR 'FIRST COURT APPEARANCE' - TOMORROW.

### MARCH 10, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

CHANGES ARE ON THE WAY AT ALL NORTH CAROLINA 'PUBLIC UNIVERSITIES'. A 'COMMISSION' - STUDYING 'HATE CRIME' ON CAMPUS - IS RELEASING ITS 'FINAL RECOMMENDATIONS'. NOW, 'ALL CAMPUSES' - WILL BE ON THE 'SAME PAGE' - WHEN IT COMES TO 'STUDENT CONDUCT'. IT 'STEMS' FROM AN INCIDENT ON THE 'N-C STATE CAMPUS' - LAST NOVEMBER. AFTER THE 'ELECTION', FOUR STUDENTS 'SPRAY-PAINTED' RACIST GRAFFITI - IN THE 'FREE EXPRESSION TUNNEL'.

### MARCH 11, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

WAKE COUNTY SCHOOL LEADERS ARE CONSIDERING STARTING SCHOOL DAYS 'EARLIER'. BY STARTING '5- TO- 10 MINUTES EARLIER EACH DAY -- THEY COULD CREATE AN EXTRA '15' TO '30-HOURS' IN THE SCHOOL YEAR. THOSE HOURS WOULDN'T BE SPENT IN THE 'CLASSROOM'. INSTEAD -- THEY WOULD GIVE TEACHERS TIME TO MEET WITH ONE ANOTHER -- TO SEE WHAT'S WORKING -- AND WHAT'S NOT. SOME PARENTS ARE CONCERNED ABOUT 'ADDITIONAL' CHILD CARE. OTHERS SAY THE SCHOOL DAY STARTS EARLY ENOUGH. A DECISION IS DUE LATER THIS MONTH.

## EDUCATION

### MARCH 16, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

THE GOVERNOR WILL BE RELEASING THE 'BUDGET' - TOMORROW MORNING. SHE 'PLEGGED' AGAIN TODAY - TO SPEND 'MORE MONEY' - ON 'EDUCATION'. BUT, SOME 'STATE LAWMAKERS' - ARE WONDERING 'HOW' - SHE CAN DO 'THAT' - WITHOUT MAKING 'REALLY DEEP CUTS' ELSEWHERE.. THAT MAY HAVE A 'BIG IMPACT' ON FAMILIES.

### MARCH 17, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

THERE 'IS' - A 'BIG WINNER' - IN THE 'GOVERNOR'S BUDGET'. SHE WANTS TO 'INCREASE' - 'EDUCATION FUNDING' - BY 350-MILLION-DOLLARS. IT'S MONEY THAT'LL 'LIKELY' - COME FROM THE 'FEDERAL STIMULUS PLAN'. BUT, 'SCHOOL LEADERS' AND 'PARENTS' SAY - DON'T 'COUNT ON THE MONEY' - UNTIL IT'S 'IN' OUR HANDS.

### MARCH 18, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

THE FINANCIAL CRISIS IS HITTING HIGHER EDUCATION CLOSE TO HOME TONIGHT. STUDENTS WHO HAVE LOANS WITH THE COLLEGE FOUNDATION OF NORTH CAROLINA - ARE NO LONGER ABLE TO CONSOLIDATE OUTSTANDING DEBTS.

### MARCH 31, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

THE 'ECONOMY' - IS 'TAKING A TOLL' - ON 'LOCAL SCHOOLS'. IN WAKE COUNTY, 'FINANCIAL CONCERNS' - FORCED 'SCHOOL LEADERS' - TO PASS A 'LEAN' BUDGET - THIS EVENING. NOW, 'HUNDREDS OF TEACHERS' - COULD 'LOSE' THEIR JOBS - AND 'CLASSES' MAY GET 'LARGER'.

## HEALTH

### JANUARY 6, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

'OVERHAULING' - THE 'NORTH CAROLINA' - 'MENTAL HEALTH SYSTEM' - WILL BE 'ONE' - OF xxx' - 'BIGGEST CHALLENGES' - WHEN SHE BECOMES 'GOVERNOR' - ON SATURDAY. BUT THE 'MAN' - SHE'S CHOSEN TO 'TACKLE THE PROBLEMS' - IS ALREADY IN THE SPOTLIGHT - FOR HAVING A POTENTIAL 'CONFLICT OF INTEREST'. xxx - WILL BE xxx'S "SECRETARY FOR HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES". BUT xxx HAS WORKED AS A 'LOBBYIST' - FOR COMPANIES - THAT DO 'MILLIONS OF DOLLARS' IN 'BUSINESS' - WITH 'D-H-H-S'. xxx SAYS - SHE HAS 'COMPLETE FAITH' - IN xxx'S 'COMMITMENT' - TO WORK IN THE 'BEST INTERESTS' OF THE STATE. xxx ALSO NAMED SECRETARIES OF 'REVENUE', 'ADMINISTRATION', AND 'ENVIRONMENT' TODAY.

### JANUARY 6, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

AFTER 'MISSING' - 'FOUR GAMES' - 'N-C STATE' - 'WOMEN'S BASKETBALL COACH' ANNOUNCES SHE'S 'STEPPING DOWN' - FOR THE SEASON. HER 'ONGOING BATTLE' WITH 'BREAST CANCER' HAS LEFT HER ENERGY LEVEL 'TOO LOW' TO COACH AT THE 'HIGH STANDARDS' SHE SAYS SHE SET FOR HERSELF.

## HEALTH

### FEBRUARY 3, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

SOME SAY 'BREAKFAST' IS THE MOST IMPORTANT MEAL OF THE DAY. IT DOESN'T HURT WHEN IT'S 'FREE' - EITHER! xxx - ADVERTISED A FREE 'GRAND SLAM' BREAKFAST - DURING THE 'SUPER BOWL'. MILLIONS OF PEOPLE - ACROSS THE COUNTRY 'TOOK ADVANTAGE' OF THE 'OFFER' TODAY. THAT INCLUDES PEOPLE 'HERE' IN NORTH CAROLINA. BY 'NOON', WORKERS AT THE xxx - ON 'WAKE FOREST ROAD' IN RALEIGH - ESTIMATED THEY'D SERVED 15- HUNDRED PEOPLE. A 'LINE' OF CUSTOMERS - SURROUNDED THE BUILDING FOR HOURS.

### FEBRUARY 15, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

ORANGE COUNTY SAYS IT HAS 'THREE' CONFIRMED CASES OF WHOOPING COUGH. THE ORANGE COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT SAYS -- TWO FOURTH GRADE STUDENTS AND A KINDERGARTNER -- AT CARRBORO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ARE INFECTED. THERE'S A POSSIBILITY ANOTHER KINDERGARTNER MAY ALSO BE. AS A RESULT, THE AGENCY IS REQUIRING STUDENTS WHO MAY HAVE COME INTO CONTACT WITH THE STUDENTS -- TO TAKE PREVENTIVE ANTIBIOTICS. HUNDREDS OF FOURTH GRADERS, KINDERGARTNERS AND BUS RIDERS ON BUS 223 ARE AFFECTED. PARENTS ARE REQUIRED TO SHOW PROOF TOMORROW THAT THEIR CHILD IS TAKING MEDICINE. IF NOT, THEIR CHILD WILL BE TURNED AWAY. SCHOOL OFFICIALS SAY THEY SENT LETTERS HOME WARNING PARENTS. ONE TO PARENTS OF FOURTH GRADERS AT THE BEGINNING OF THE MONTH, ANOTHER TO KINDERGARTNERS LAST WEEK. THEY SAY A SIGNIFICANT NUMBER OF PARENTS HAVE YET TO COMPLY. WHOOPING COUGH IS HIGHLY CONTAGIOUS FROM A SNEEZE OR COUGH. IT CAUSES A CONSTANT, HACKING COUGH THAT CAN LEAVE CHILDREN NEARLY BREATHLESS. IT CAN BE DEADLY IN INFANTS AND THE ELDERLY. WHILE IT'S NOT 100 PERCENT EFFECTIVE - EXPERTS SAY THE D-TAP VACCINATION IS THE BEST PREVENTION. THIS ISN'T THE FIRST TIME AN ORANGE COUNTY SCHOOL'S BEEN HIT WITH A WHOOPING COUGH SCARE. LAST NOVEMBER, THERE WERE SEVEN REPORTED CASES AT ESTES HILL ELEMENTARY -- WHICH IS ALSO IN ORANGE COUNTY

### FEBRUARY 23, 2009

1:00

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### FEBRUARY 24, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

TONIGHT, THE 'V-FOUNDATION FOR CANCER RESEARCH' - ANNOUNCED 'DETAILS' - ABOUT THIS YEAR'S 'JIMMY V WEEK' - IN AUGUST. SOME BIG CHANGES WERE MADE INCLUDING THE RETURN OF THE 'JIMMY V CELEBRITY GOLF CLASSIC' TO THE TRIANGLE AFTER TWO YEARS IN PINEHURST.

## HEALTH

### FEBRUARY 25, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

ANOTHER ORANGE COUNTY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IS BATTLING 'WHOOPING COUGH' TONIGHT. OFFICIALS SAY A STUDENT AT GRADY BROWN ELEMENTARY IN HILLSBOROUGH IS SICK. THE SCHOOL SENT HOME LETTER TO PARENTS YESTERDAY. LATE LAST YEAR, SEVERAL STUDENTS AT ESTES HILL ELEMENTARY IN CHAPEL HILL CAUGHT THE BACTERIA. 'PERTUSSIS' CAUSES A CONSTANT, HACKING COUGH THAT CAN TAKE KIDS' BREATH AWAY. IT'S VERY CONTAGIOUS, TOO.

### FEBRUARY 28, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

TAKING IT ALL OFF FOR A GOOD CAUSE. CAROLINA HURRICANE RYAN BAYDA WAS ONE OF HUNDREDS OF MEN, WOMEN AND EVEN CHILDREN WHO HAD THEIR HEADS SHAVED TODAY. THIS IS ONE OF MANY HEAD SHAVINGS ORGANIZED BY THE SAINT BALDRICKS FOUNDATION. THE FOUNDATION RAISES MONEY FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL AND CANCER RESEARCH.

### MARCH 3, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

TONIGHT THERE IS A DESPERATE PLEA FOR THE GIFT OF LIFE. THE BLOOD BANK AT CAPE FEAR VALLEY MEDICAL CENTER IN FAYETTEVILLE SAYS ITS SUPPLY IS CRITICAL LOW. THAT PLEA ISN'T JUST BEING HEARD IN FAYETTEVILLE. AS xxx SHOWS US BLOOD DONATIONS ACROSS THE COUNTRY ARE DOWN, AND THE ECONOMY IS PARTLY TO BLAME.

### MARCH 7, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

WAKE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS SUPERINTENDENT LOOKS A LITTLE DIFFERENT TONIGHT. DOCTOR xxx HAD HIS HEAD SHAVED TODAY AT NAPPER TANDY'S IN RALEIGH. IT WAS ALL A PART OF THE SAINT BALDRICKS FOUNDATION'S EFFORT TO RAISE MONEY FOR CHILDHOOD CANCER. xxx SAYS MOST YOUNG PATIENTS REMAIN ACTIVE IN SCHOOL WHILE THEY'RE FIGHTING CANCER. AND-- HE DECIDED TO TAKE PART IN THEIR HONOR. DOCTOR xxx SAYS HIS NEW HAIRCUT IS EXCITING. AND - THE WORLD FEELS A LOT COOLER NOW.

### MARCH 9, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

THE 'DEBATE' - OVER 'STEM CELL RESEARCH' - IS A 'MAJOR ISSUE' HERE IN THE TRIANGLE. PROPONENTS SAY - THE PRESIDENT'S 'DECISION' - IS AN 'ENCOURAGING' - FIRST STEP. BUT, IT'S DRAWN 'SHARP CRITICISM' - FROM 'RELIGIOUS GROUPS'. THEY BELIEVE - IT RAISES A 'MORAL DILEMMA' -- BECAUSE THE EMBRYOS ARE 'DESTROYED' - DURING THE RESEARCH. 60-PERCENT OF PEOPLE 'SURVEYED' - IN A RECENT 'DUKE STUDY' - PREFERRED 'DONATING' THEIR EMBRYOS TO 'RESEARCH' - INSTEAD OF 'DISPOSING' OF THEM. UNTIL TODAY, THAT WAS 'NOT' POSSIBLE.

### MARCH 17, 2009

1:30

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

LESS THA '3- MONTHS' IN OFFICE -- AND THE 'PRESIDENT' MAY BE FORCED TO 'BACK DOWN' -- FROM ONE OF HIS 'BUDGET CUTTING' PROPOSALS.. THE PRESIDENT WANTS TO 'CUT' - SOME 'V-A MEDICAL BENEFITS'.. BUT 'VETERANS' SAY.. IF HE 'TRIES'.. IT'LL BE 'ALL-OUT WAR'.

## HEALTH

MARCH 18, 2009

1:45

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

THERE IS A WARNING OUT TONIGHT..SOME OLD BOOKS MAY BE HAZARDOUS TO YOUR CHILD'S HEALTH! THE 'GOVERNMENT' IS TELLING 'LIBRARIES' AND 'BOOK STORES' -- TO GET RID OF CHILDREN'S BOOKS PRINTED 'BEFORE' 1986. AS xxx TELLS US -- THE REASON IS 'TOO MUCH' LEAD.

MARCH 18, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

THE 'PRESIDENT IS 'DROPPING AN IDEA' - THAT CAUSED AN 'UPROAR' -- AMONG 'MILITARY VETERANS'. IT'S A FOLLOW-UP TO A STORY WE FIRST TOLD YOU ABOUT LAST NIGHT. IN HIS V-A BUDGET, THE PRESIDENT PROPOSED HAVING PRIVATE COMPANIES PAY FOR VETS' SERVICE-RELATED TREATMENT. IT COULD HAVE SAVED THE GOVERNMENT HUNDREDS-OF-MILLIONS. BUT VETS WORRIED THEY'D FACE HIGHER CO-PAYS AND DEDUCTIBLES. TODAY, THE PRESIDENT DROPPED THE IDEA, MUCH TO THE RELIEF OF VETERANS SOME CAPITAL HILL LAWMAKERS WARNED THE WHITE HOUSE LAST NIGHT, HIS V-A PROPOSAL WOULD NEVER FLY WITH CONGRESS.

## CRIME

JANUARY 2, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

'GOVERNOR'S 'NEW ADMINISTRATION' - 'CONFIRMS' - THE 'HEAD' - OF THE 'EMBATTLED' - 'STATE PROBATION DIVISION'.. WILL BE 'OUT' OF A JOB. xxxx - HAS COME 'UNDER FIRE' - 'FREQUENTLY' - DURING THE PAST YEAR. 'NEWS REPORTS' REVEAL - THE STATE HAS 'LOST TRACK' - OF 'THOUSANDS' OF CRIMINALS - ON PROBATION. AND, 'HUNDREDS' OF PROBATIONERS - HAVE BEEN 'CONVICTED OF MURDER'. Xxx SAYS - HER 'NEW TEAM' - WILL MOVE 'QUICKLY' - TO REBUILD THE DIVISION. Xxx APPOINTED - xxxxx - AS 'CORRECTIONS SECRETARY'. AND, xxxx AS "SECRETARY OF CRIME CONTROL AND PUBLIC SAFETY". xxxx' WILL BE THE 'NEW' - "SECRETARY OF JUVENILE JUSTICE AND DELINQUENCY PREVENTION". Xxx'S REPLACEMENT HAS 'NOT' BEEN NAMED. CHANGES TO THE 'PROBATION SYSTEM' - 'COME' - AFTER 'TWO' HIGH-PROFILE MURDERS. A YEAR AGO, 'DURHAM POLICE' FOUND - 'DUKE GRADUATE STUDENT' xxx- 'DEAD' - INSIDE HIS APARTMENT. HE WAS 'SHOT TO DEATH' - DURING A ROBBERY. 'CHAPEL HILL POLICE' FOUND 'U-N-C STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT' - xxx - MURDERED - 'TWO MONTHS' LATER. THE YOUNG MEN 'CHARGED' - IN 'BOTH' - 'MURDER CASES' - HAVE 'CRIMINAL RECORDS' -- AND WERE 'ON PROBATION' - AT THE TIME OF THE 'KILLINGS.'

JANUARY 2, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

IN RALEIGH -- A MAN IS CHARGED WITH 'RAPING' THE SAME WOMAN -- 'THREE- TIMES'. POLICE PICKED UP '54-YEAR OLD' -- xxxx YESTERDAY. NOW THE CLAYTON MAN IS BEING HELD ON A '620-THOUSAND DOLLAR' BOND. INVESTIGATORS SAY xxxxs VICTIM HAS DIMINISHED MENTAL CAPACITY. BUT THEY AREN'T SAYING ANYTHING ELSE ABOUT THE CASE.

JANUARY 2, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

A WARREN COUNTY DEPUTY CHARGED WITH 'SEXUAL BATTERY' -- IS OFF THE JOB. RALEIGH POLICE ARRESTED xxx -- NEW YEAR'S EVE. NOW -- HE'S ON 'UNPAID' LEAVE. THE '40-YEAR OLD' ALLEGEDLY TOUCHED WOMEN 'INAPPROPRIATELY' -- INSIDE TWO DIFFERENT STORES AT BRIER CREEK. AND -- INVESTIGATORS THINK THERE COULD BE OTHER VICTIMS. WARREN COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPUTY SAYS IT'S NOW INVESTIGATING THE CASE.

## CRIME

### JANUARY 6, 2009

1:30

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

A 'BODY' - WAS DISCOVERED IN A 'DUMPSTER' - AT A 'REST STOP' IN 'JOHNSTON COUNTY' - FORCING AUTHORITIES TO 'CLOSE' THE 'REST STOP' THIS EVENING. THIS IS 'UNFOLDING' - JUST OFF I-40 IN BENSON.

### JANUARY 10, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

A 'RALEIGH FATHER' IS IN 'JAIL' TONIGHT -- ACCUSED OF 'CHOKING' HIS SIX MONTH OLD BABY. POLICE HAVE CHARGED -- 26 YEAR OLD xxx. ACCORDING TO COURT DOCUMENTS, HE 'STRANGLERED' HIS CHILD LAST WEDNESDAY -- AT AN UNDISCLOSED LOCATION. DOCUMENTS SAY -- HE CAUSED THE CHILD TO 'STOP BREATHING' AND 'LOSE CONSCIOUSNESS'-- ALONG WITH 'BRUISING' AND 'ABRASIONS'-- AROUND THE CHILD'S NECK. THE SIX MONTH OLD IS NOW RECOVERING IN THE HOSPITAL. Xxx IS EXPECTED TO MAKE HIS FIRST COURT APPEARANCE -- ON MONDAY.

### JANUARY 12, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

TONIGHT - A 'TEENAGER' IN DUNN - IS IN 'JAIL' - ON 'CHARGES' - HE 'MURDERED' HIS 'STEPFATHER'. BUT, WAS IT 'SELF DEFENSE'? THE TEEN'S RELATIVES SAY HIS 'STEP- FATHER' -- MAY HAVE 'PROVOKED' HIM.. EITHER WAY '17- YEAR OLD' MATTHEW LOGAN SUTER IS BEHIND BARS --- CHARGED WITH 'MURDER'..

### FEBRUARY 3, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

POLICE ARE LOOKING FOR SOMEONE WHO LOOKS LIKE 'THIS' COMPOSITE PHOTO. LAST NIGHT, THE MAN KNOCKED ON A WOMAN'S DOOR ON McCULLOCH STREET. THAT'S IN A NEIGHBORHOOD OFF WESTERN BOULEVARD. POLICE SAY THE SUSPECT ORDERED HER TO DRIVE HIM TO AN A-T-M AND TAKE OUT MONEY. THEN, HE FORCED HER TO DRIVE TO NEW BERN AVENUE AND DROP HIM OFF. SHE'S NOT PHYSICALLY HURT.. TONIGHT, INVESTIGATORS ARE LOOKING FOR THIS MAN. HIS COMPOSITE IS ON THE LEFT -- AN A-T-M SURVEILLANCE PHOTO IS ON THE RIGHT. HE'S DESCRIBED AS 'HEAVY-SET' AND IS ABOUT FIVE-FEET, EIGHT-INCHES TALL. RALEIGH POLICE WANT ANYONE WITH INFORMATION TO GIVE THEM A CALL.

### FEBRUARY 17, 2009

1:45

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

CRIME, MEANWHILE, IS ON THE RISE IN FAYETTEVILLE. THAT HAS POLICE SCRAMBLING TO TRY AND GET THE CRIME RATE UNDER CONTROL.. WHILE A GROWING NUMBER OF RESIDENTS ARE TAKING THE LAW INTO THEIR OWN HANDS.

### FEBRUARY 23, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

TONIGHT, GARNER POLICE ARE TREATING THE CASE AS A FELONY 'HIT AND RUN'. THEY HAVE NOT MADE ANY ARRESTS, BUT THEY THINK THE LAST PEOPLE TO SEE xxx ALIVE MAY HAVE LIED TO AVOID RESPONSIBILITY FOR HER DEATH.

## CRIME

### FEBRUARY 23, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

MORE ALLEGATIONS TONIGHT OF PATIENT ABUSE AT A STATE MENTAL HOSPITAL.. FROM A DURHAM MOTHER. AND THIS TIME -- TH 'ACCUSER' IS AN '8- YEAR OLD' CHILD. THESE PICTURES WERE TAKEN BY HIS MOTHER. SHE SAYS THEY SHOW 'BRUISES' AND OTHER 'MARKS' -- SUFFERED IN 'TWO' BEATINGS BY THE SAME STAFF MEMBER. THE INCIDENT ALLEGEDLY HAPPENED AT 'CENTRAL HOSPITAL' IN THE GRANVILLE COUNTY TOWN OF 'BUTNER' EARLIER THIS MONTH. STATE OFFICIALS SAY INVESTIGATIONS DONE BY A 'CENTRAL HOSPITAL ADVOCACY GROUP' -- AND A 'FEDERAL AGENCY' FOUND NO MERIT TO THE ALLEGATIONS. xxx SAYS BUTNER POLICE ALSO REFUSED TO 'PRESS CHARGES' -- SO SHE SWORE OUT 'ASSAULT WARRANTS' FOR THE HOSPITAL EMPLOYEE OVER THE WEEKEND.

### FEBRUARY 24, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

A WAKE COUNTY WOMAN IS 'DEAD' TONIGHT. AND A 'MAN' - 'FAMILY MEMBERS' SAY - IS HER 'EX-BOYFRIEND' - WILL FACE A 'MURDER CHARGE'. IT HAPPENED - OUTSIDE THE HOME OF xxx ON 'CREECH ROAD' - NEAR 'GARNER' - THIS MORNING. SHE WAS 'SHOT' IN THE HEAD, ACCORDING TO A 'FAMILY FRIEND'. THE FRIEND SAYS - THE 'MAN' - INVESTIGATORS HAVE 'TARGETED' - AS xxx'S KILLER' - IS HER EX-BOYFRIEND. PEOPLE ON THE SCENE SAY xxx - ALSO 'SHOT HIMSELF'. HE'S LISTED IN 'FAIR CONDITION' - AT 'WAKE MED' - AFTER SURGERY FOR A 'STOMACH WOUND'.

### MARCH 2, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

THE DURHAM POLICE DEPARTMENT RELEASED ITS ANNUAL CRIME REPORT TONIGHT. POLICE SAY OVERALL, CRIME WENT UP ONE PERCENT. BUT VIOLENT CRIME JUMPED FOUR PERCENT IN 2008. RAPES DROPPED 19- PERCENT AND AGGRAVATED ASSAULTS FELL SLIGHTLY. THE DEPARTMENT ALSO SAW AN ELEVEN PERCENT INCREASE IN ROBBERIES -- WITH MAINLY LATINO VICTIMS. THE DEPARTMENT SAYS SOME OF THE SUSPECTS SAY THEY COMMITTED CRIMES BECAUSE THEY DIDN'T HAVE A JOB AND NEEDED MONEY.

### MARCH 3, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

AUTOPSY RESULTS FOR A MURDERED APEX TEEN -- SHOW xxx WAS 'SEDATED' -- 'STRANGLER' -- AND 'SUFFOCATED'. SHERIFF INVESTIGATORS FOUND THE '18- YEAR OLD'S' BODY IN AN ABANDONED MOBILE HOME NEAR 'NEW HILL' IN DECEMBER. A 'PLASTIC BAG' HAD BEEN 'TAPED' OVER HIS HEAD. AND -- xxx HAD BEEN LEFT TO 'DIE' IN A SLEEPING BAG. FOUR OTHER TEENS WHO xxx KNEW - - ARE CHARGED WITH MURDER. MEDICAL EXAMINERS FOUND LARGE AMOUNTS O 'ALCOHOL' AND AN 'ANTI- DEPRESSANT' DRUG IN xxx'S SYSTEM. HE ALSO SUFFERED A STRONG BLOW TO THE HEAD.

### MARCH 7, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

NEARLY 'SIX MONTHS' AGO xxx VANISHED. IT WAS AROUND THE 'SAME TIME' - HER HOME IN STEM -- CAUGHT FIRE. EVER SINCE -- VOLUNTEERS HAVE REFUSED TO GIVE UP HOPE - SEARCHING EVERY WEEK. TONIGHT-- PEOPLE GATHERED IN BUTNER TO 'PRAY' FOR HER RETURN.

## CRIME

### MARCH 7, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

SOME MEN ON AN 'EARLY MORNING EXPEDITION' -- MADE A TERRIBLE DISCOVERY IN EDGECOME COUNTY. THE SHERIFF SAYS PEOPLE RIDING FOUR WHEELERS -- FOUND A BODY OFF 'MARRIOTT FARM ROAD' TODAY. DEPUTIES SAY THE VICTIM IS A FEMALE. THE CAUSE OF HER DEATH IS NOT YET CLEAR. BUT AUTHORITIES HAVE AN IDEA OF WHO SHE MIGHT BE. THEY'RE WAITING TO RELEASE THAT INFORMATION ONCE THEY GET RESULTS FROM THE MEDICAL EXAMINER.

### MARCH 9, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

IN FAYETTEVILLE, TWO 'TEENAGE GIRLS' - ARE IN 'BIG TROUBLE'. INVESTIGATORS SAY - THEY TOOK 'DRUGS' AND 'WEAPONS' - TO 'SCHOOL!' SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES ARRESTED - 17-YEAR-OLD xxx AND 18-YEAR-OLD xxx TODAY - AT "71st HIGH SCHOOL". THE 'TWO GIRLS' - ARE CHARGED WITH POSSESSION OF 'ECSTASY' - AND POSSESSION OF A 'WEAPON' - ON 'SCHOOL GROUNDS'. THEY'LL MAKE THEIR 'FIRST COURT APPEARANCE' - TOMORROW.

### MARCH 10, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

CUMBERLAND COUNTY SHERIFF'S INVESTIGATORS NEED YOUR HELP. THEY'RE LOOKING FOR A 'WOMAN' IN CONNECTION WITH A 'SHOOTING'. IT HAPPENED THIS EVENING OUTSIDE A HOME ON 'DRIVER STREET'. INVESTIGATORS SAY THEY FOUND A WOMAN LYING OUTSIDE A HOME WITH 'SERIOUS INJURIES'. NOW -- DEPUTIES WANT TO TALK TO xxx. THEY SAY THE '28- YEAR OLD' LEFT THE 'CRIME SCENE' SHORTLY AFTER THE SHOOTING. ANYONE WITH INFORMATION CAN CALL CUMBERLAND COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT.

### MARCH 10, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

'THOUSANDS' - OF 'SEX OFFENDERS' - ARE 'KICKED OFF' - 'MY SPACE' TONIGHT. IT'S PART OF 'ATTORNEY GENERAL xxx FIGHT' - TO 'CLEAN UP' SOCIAL NETWORKING WEB-SITES. HE'S MAKING 'SOME' PROGRESS -- BUT HE WANTS PARENTS TO BE 'AWARE'.

### MARCH 11, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

ACCORDING TO 'JUST RELEASED' COURT DOCUMENTS.. .xxx TOLD HIS WIFE - HE COULD 'KILL' HER - MONTHS 'BEFORE' - THE 'PREGNANT' - 'WAKE COUNTY MOTHER' - WAS 'MURDERED'. THE DOCUMENTS SHOW xxx - SENT HIS WIFE A 'CHILLING E-MAIL' - FOUR MONTHS BEFORE - SHE WAS FOUND 'MURDERED' - AT THE COUPLE'S HOME. HE COMPLAINED - HE WAS HAVING TO 'FOREGO YARD WORK' - TO CARE FOR THEIR 'TODDLER DAUGHTER'. QUOTE.. "I AM TAKING BEER AND 'HER' TO POOL. I AM IN A MOOD THAT MAKES OUR TRIP TO MYRTLE BEACH SEEM MILD, PRAY THE BEER KICKS IN. I COULD 'KILL YOU' - FOR NOT LETTING ME FINISH THE YARD - THIS MORNING." xxx - ISN'T CHARGED IN THE CASE. BUT INVESTIGATORS SAY HE 'IS' THEIR 'PRIMARY SUSPECT'.



## CRIME

### MARCH 15, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

NEARLY A DOZEN PEOPLE ARE BEHIND BARS TONIGHT -- CHARGED WITH 'COCAINE TRAFFICKING' - IN RALEIGH. RALEIGH POLICE SAY 10- PEOPLE WERE TAKEN INTO CUSTODY-- AFTER THE DRUGS WERE DISCOVERED IN A 'HOME' - OFF NEW BERN AVENUE. THE SUSPECTS RANGE IN AGE FROM '20 TO 49' YEARS OLD. TONIGHT, RUBY AND TAWANA LANG, TIFFANY McKOY, MICHAEL BELL, AIVONYI OKATAHI, OWEN BOWEN, ANDREW PEART, LOUIS RIVERA, DONNELL STANFORD AND CHATANGO BANKS ARE EACH BEING HELD UNDER - 3- MILLION DOLLARS BOND! POLICE SAY THE COCAINE HAS AN ESTIMATED STREET VALUE - OF ABOUT '60- THOUSAND' DOLLARS. THEY'RE EXPECTED IN COURT TOMORROW.

### MARCH 17, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

IN DURHAM -- POLICE CHARGED A WOMAN WITH 'D-W-I' IN A WRECK THAT 'KILLED' HER HUSBAND. xxx IS CHARGED WITH 'D-W-I' -- 'DRIVING WITHOUT A LICENSE' -- 'RECKLESS DRIVING' -- AND 'DEATH BY MOTOR VEHICLE'. THE CRASH HAPPENED LAST TUESDAY ON 'HIGHWAY- 751'. HIGHWAY PATROL SAYS xxx WAS GOING 'TOO FAST' -- 'LOST CONTROL' -- AND 'ROLLED INTO A DITCH'. HER HUSBAND -- 'xxx' -- WAS 'KILLED'.

### MARCH 17, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

A DURHAM COUPLE HEADS OVERSEAS TO ADOPT-- NOW THEY'RE BEHIND BARS-- CHARGED WITH TRYING TO 'BUY' THEIR BABIES ILLEGALLY. THE 'U-S EMBASSY' - 'REPORTED' THE COUPLE - TO 'EGYPTIAN AUTHORITIES' - WHEN THEY BECAME 'SUSPICIOUS' - OF THE CHILDREN'S 'BIRTH CERTIFICATES'.

### MARCH 22, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

TONIGHT, FRIENDS ARE MOURNING THE LOSS OF 16-YEAR-OLD xxx. FISHERMEN DISCOVERED HER BODY YESTERDAY NEAR 'THE ENO RIVER'. DURHAM COUNTY INVESTIGATORS HAVE ARRESTED AND CHARGED A SUSPECT. IT'S REPORTEDLY HER MOTHER'S BOYFRIEND. MEANWHILE-- GRIEF COUNSELORS ARE EXPECTED TO BE ON HAND AT 'NORTHERN HIGH SCHOOL' -- IN THE MORNING. IT'S WHERE MYLIN WENT TO SCHOOL.

### MARCH 23, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

IN DURHAM, POLICE STILL WON'T TALK ABOUT A POSSIBLE MOTIVE IN A TEENAGER'S GRUESOME MURDER. xxx'S STEPFATHER xxx MADE HIS FIRST COURT APPEARANCE TODAY. INVESTIGATORS SAY HE ADMITS CHOKING THE 16-YEAR-OLD AND GETTING RID OF HER BODY. SATURDAY, TWO FISHERMEN DISCOVERED xxx'S CHARRED REMAINS NEAR THE ENO RIVER. RELATIVES THINK THERE MAY HAVE BEEN A HISTORY OF ABUSE. COURT RECORDS SAY xxx INITIALLY TOLD INVESTIGATORS HE AND xxx HAD AN ARGUMENT FRIDAY. HE CLAIMED SHE WENT TO BED UPSET AND WAS GONE BY MORNING. ACCORDING TO WARRANTS, INVESTIGATORS SEIZED A PAIR OF xxx'S SWEAT PANTS THAT MAY CONTAIN EVIDENCE LINKING HIM TO A CRIME.

## CRIME

MARCH 31, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

THE 'MOORE COUNTY TOWN' - OF 'CARTHAGE' - IS STILL IN 'SHOCK' - ABOUT 'SUNDAY'S NURSING HOME RAMPAGE'. TONIGHT, WE'RE LEARNING 'MORE' - ABOUT THE 'MAN' - POLICE SAY IS 'RESPONSIBLE' -- AND THE 'HEROIC OFFICER' - WHO 'STOPPED' HIM. xxx - SPOKE 'EXCLUSIVELY' - WITH OFFICER xxx'S 'FATHER'. BUT - WE BEGIN WITH xxx' -- AND AN 'EXCLUSIVE TELEVISION INTERVIEW' - WITH THE ALLEGED GUNMAN'S 'STEP-SON'.

MARCH 31, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

IN JOHNSTON COUNTY, A 'FORMER PROSECUTOR' - CHARGED WITH 'FRAUD' - WILL 'TURN HERSELF IN' TOMORROW. INVESTIGATORS SAY - xxx - AND 'FIVE OTHERS' - 'TAMPERED' - WITH 'COURT DOCUMENTS'. TODAY - 'FOUR LAWYERS' - AND A FORMER 'COURT CLERK' - TURNED THEMSELVES 'IN'. THEY'RE CHARGED WITH GETTING SEVERAL 'DRUNK DRIVING' CASES - 'ILLEGALLY DISMISSED'. xxx - RESIGNED FROM THE 'JOHNSTON COUNTY D-A'S OFFICE' - MORE THAN A YEAR AGO.

## POVERTY/JOBS/ECONOMY

JANUARY 2, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

AS MANUFACTURING SLOWS -- 'LAY-OFFS' INCREASE. NOW MANY PEOPLE ARE STARTING THEIR YEAR IN THE 'UNEMPLOYMENT LINE'. IT WAS 'STANDING- ROOM ONLY' INSIDE THE 'EMPLOYMENT SECURITY COMMISSION' IN RALEIGH TODAY xxx WAS ONE OF THE HUNDREDS WHO WAITED 'HOURS' FOR HELP. THE '58-YEAR OLD' LOST HIS JOB THIS WEEK. NOW HE'S SIGNING UP FOR 'UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS' -- FOR THE FIRST TIME IN HIS LIFE. NORTH CAROLINA'S UNEMPLOYMENT RATE -- IS AT '7- POINT- 9' PERCENT. THAT'S A '25- YEAR HIGH'.

JANUARY 5, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

DURHAM COUNTY IS 'RE-WORKING' ITS BUDGET -- IN LIGHT OF THE 'ECONOMIC SQUEEZE'. COUNTY MANAGER xxx WANTS ALL DEPARTMENTS TO 'CUT' THEIR BUDGETS. THE COUNTY FACES A '14- MILLION- DOLLAR' FUNDING GAP. AND, xxxx SAYS HE'S NEVER SEEN ANYTHING LIKE IT. HE'S PROPOSING A 'SIX-PERCENT' CUT FOR ALL DEPARTMENTS AND A '3- PERCENT' CUT FOR SCHOOLS. COUNTY COMMISSIONERS WILL LIKELY DECIDE 'WHO' -- AND 'WHAT' TO CUT -- A WEEK FROM TODAY.

JANUARY 5, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

IT'S 'BAD ENOUGH' TO BE 'OUT OF WORK'. NOW, THOUSANDS OF 'JOBLESS' - 'NORTH CAROLINIANS' - ARE GETTING MORE 'BAD NEWS'. THEIR 'UNEMPLOYMENT CHECKS' - WILL 'LIKELY' - BE 'LATE'. THE 'EMPLOYMENT SECURITY COMMISSION' WEBSITE - IS HAVING 'TECHNICAL DIFFICULTIES'. THE 'SYSTEM' - 'CRASHED' OVER THE 'WEEKEND' - AS SOME PEOPLE 'REGISTERED' - FOR THE FIRST TIME.. AND OTHERS SIGNED-UP FOR THIS WEEK'S 'CHECKS'. 'E-S-C OFFICIALS' SAY - THE WEBSITE WAS 'OVERWHELMED'. EVEN 'THEY' - HAVE BEEN CAUGHT 'OFF-GUARD' - BY THE 'RAPIDLY RISING' NUMBER OF PEOPLE - IN THE 'UNEMPLOYMENT LINE'. 'E-S-C OFFICIALS' SAY - THEY HOPE TO HAVE THE PROBLEM 'FIXED' - BY TOMORROW.

## POVERTY/JOBS/ECONOMY

### JANUARY 6, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

TONIGHT - 'RALEIGH CITY LEADERS' - ANNOUNCED 'HOW' THEY CAN 'SAVE' - 15-MILLION DOLLARS. AT TONIGHT'S 'CITY COUNCIL MEETING' - THEY 'TALKED ABOUT' - A 'SOFT HIRING FREEZE' - FOR 'EVERY DEPARTMENT' - EXCEPT 'PUBLIC SAFETY DEPARTMENTS'. BASICALLY THEY WOULD NOT FILL ANY 'VACANT JOBS' - THAT 'BECOME AVAILABLE'. THEY ALSO DISCUSSED 'DELAYING RENOVATIONS' AND 'UPGRADES' AT 'CITY PARKS'. THE 'CITY MANAGER' - WILL GIVE THE 'COUNCIL' - A 'FINAL BUDGET' TO CONSIDER IN 'MAY'.

### JANUARY 12, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

TONIGHT, 'GOVERNOR xxx'S OFFICE' SAYS - THE 'SHORTFALL' - IS EXPECTED TO 'HIT' - 2-BILLION DOLLARS. THAT'S 'UP' - FROM 1-POINT-2 BILLION 'PREDICTED' - EARLIER THIS YEAR. NOW THE 'PRESSURE IS ON' - TO 'BALANCE THE BUDGET' - BY THE 'END' OF JUNE. AND, 'GOVERNOR xxx HAS A 'PLAN'.

### JANUARY 26, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

COMPANIES ACROSS THE COUNTRY - ARE 'CUTTING JOBS'. NOW THE 'CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT COMPANY' - PLANS TO LET '20-THOUSAND WORKERS' GO. IT HAS A HEADQUARTERS IN 'CARY' - AND 'FACTORIES' -- IN 'JOHNSTON COUNTY' AND 'LEE COUNTY. AS YOU CAN IMAGINE - 'LOCAL WORKERS' - ARE 'WORRIED' - ABOUT THEIR 'FUTURE'.

### JANUARY 26, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

THE 'CITY OF RALEIGH' IS 'PRIORITIZING' TO STAY AFLOAT DURING THE 'FINANCIAL CRISIS'. TODAY MAYOR xxx DELIVERED THE STATE OF THE CITY ADDRESS AT THE CONVENTION CENTER. xxx SAYS RALEIGH IS OPERATING ON '6- PERCENT' LESS OF A 'BUDGET' THAN EXPECTED. TO KEEP THINGS RUNNING 'SMOOTHLY' -- HE LAID OUT '4- PRIORITIES'. AMONG THEM -- SECURING FUNDING FOR 'NEW TRANSPORTATION' -- AND RENEWING THE CITY'S PUSH TO HAVE 'DOROTHEA DIX' CAMPUS TURNED INTO A 'PARK'.

### FEBRUARY 1, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

WAKE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MEET TOMORROW IN DOWNTOWN RALEIGH. AND THEY FACE A 'DIFFICULT VOTE'. MILLIONS NEED TO BE CUT FROM NEXT YEAR'S BUDGET. AND THAT COULD 'IMPACT' KEY SERVICES. HERE'S A QUICK BREAKDOWN..THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE MIGHT LAY-OFF MORE THAN '120 PEOPLE'. AMBULANCES IN OPERATION - 24-HOURS A DAY - COULD BE PARKED FOR 12-HOURS. AND THE LIBRARY SYSTEM - MIGHT CUT 27-JOBS - AND CLOSE FIVE BRANCHES.

## POVERTY/JOBS/ECONOMY

### FEBRUARY 2, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

DURHAM'S MAYOR SAYS "THERE WILL BE SOME TOUGH DECISION AHEAD OF US....AND DURHAM MUST PREPARE FOR THE WORST" xxx DELIVERED THE ANNUAL 'STATE OF THE CITY' ADDRESS EARLIER TONIGHT. HE FOCUSED HEAVILY ON THE STATE OF THE ECONOMY.. POINTING OUT THAT WHILE DURHAM IS RIDING OUT THE RECESSION-- THE BULL CITY IS NOT IMMUNE TO THE ECONOMIC DOWNTURN. THE CITY IS SEEING A 5.5-MILLION DOLLAR SHORTFALL--CITY OFFICIALS HAVE ALREADY ASKED DEPARTMENTS TO CUT THEIR CURRENT BUDGETS BY 1-PERCENT. THAT NUMBER COULD GROW-- ON A LIGHTER NOTE-- MAYOR xxx HIGHLIGHTED THE CITY'S MAJOR ACCOMPLISHMENTS IN 2008-- INCLUDING THE DEBUT OF THE NEW PERFORMING ARTS CENTER--HE TALKED ABOUT THE CITY'S CONTINUED EFFORT TO REDUCE CRIME, GO GREEN, INCREASE JOBS, AND IMPROVE TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE.

### FEBRUARY 3, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

'GOVERNOR IS WARNING 'STATE WORKERS' - ABOUT THE 'POSSIBILITY' OF 'LAYOFFS'. xxx HELD HER FIRST "COUNCIL OF STATE" MEETING - THIS MORNING. SHE USED THE TERM 'RIF' -- IT STANDS FOR 'REDUCTION IN FORCE'. THAT MEANS SOME 'STATE WORKERS' - COULD LOSE THEIR JOB. THE GOVERNOR SAYS - SHE DOESN'T 'EXPECT' - LAYOFFS TO TAKE PLACE. BUT, THE STATE IS FACING A 2-BILLION DOLLAR 'BUDGET SHORTFALL':.

### FEBRUARY 15, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

THERE'S A RUSH TONIGHT FOR THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE TO FILE THEIR TAXES. TOUGH ECONOMIC TIMES ARE CAUSING PEOPLE TO FLOOD TRIANGLE TAX SERVICES HOPING FOR A RETURN. BUT WHAT ABOUT PEOPLE WHO MIGHT NOT BE ABLE TO AFFORD TO FILE? LIVE FROM A-B-S TAX SERVICE IN RALEIGH WITH MORE.

### FEBRUARY 17, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

KEEPING YOUR 'LAWN' - 'GREEN' - COULD SOON COST 'RALEIGH HOMEOWNERS' - 'MORE GREEN'. TODAY, THE 'CITY COUNCIL' - VOTED TO ENACT A 'TIERED' - 'WATER RATE STRUCTURE'. 'WATER CUSTOMERS' - PAY A 'FLAT RATE' - RIGHT NOW. BEGINNING IN DECEMBER, 'WATER' WILL COST 'MORE' - AS YOU 'USE MORE'. THERE 'IS' - A 'BIG EXCEPTION' - TO THE 'NEW RULE'. BUSINESSES WILL CONTINUE PAYING A 'FLAT RATE'. LEADERS SAY - THEY HAVEN'T FIGURED OUT 'HOW' - TO FAIRLY 'BILL' BUSINESSES -USING A 'TIERED RATE'. THERE'S 'ALSO CONCERN' - THE 'ADDED COSTS' - COULD 'CHASE AWAY' - THE 'BIGGEST WATER USERS'.

### FEBRUARY 17, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

SOME BIG 'CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS' - IN 'WAKE COUNTY' - COULD BE 'DELAYED' - BECAUSE OF A 'DROP' IN 'TAX REVENUE'. THEY'RE PROJECTS 'ALREADY' APPROVED BY 'WAKE COUNTY VOTERS'. OVER THE PAST 'THREE YEARS' - 'VOTERS' - APPROVED MORE THAN A 'BILLION DOLLARS' - IN 'BONDS' - FOR SCHOOLS, LIBRARIES AND PARKS. THE 'OPENING' - OF A NEW 'COUNTY COURTHOUSE' - WILL BE 'DELAYED' - UNTIL 20-13. 'SIX' SCHOOL PROJECTS - MAY 'ALSO' BE DELAYED. AND 'NEW LIBRARIES' - AND 'OPEN SPACE PROJECTS' - ARE 'ON ICE' TOO.

## POVERTY/JOBS/ECONOMY

### FEBRUARY 18, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

WAKE COUNTY LEADERS WANT TO KNOW HOW OUR STATE'S CUT OF THE STIMULUS MONEY WILL ADD UP FOR THEM. IN A JOINT MEETING OF SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS AND COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, BOTH TALKED ABOUT HOW THEY'RE MOVING FORWARD WITH A CONSERVATIVE BUDGET. THE HIRING FREEZE WILL STAY IN PLACE AND SOME CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS ARE BEING DELAYED. THEY'RE WAITING TO SEE IF THE ZERO-INTEREST BONDS ON SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION PASSED WITH THE STIMULUS WILL HELP. COUNTY LEADERS HAVE ASKED DEPARTMENTS TO SEE IF THEY COULD TRIM THEIR BUDGETS BY 10-PERCENT, NOT KNOWING HOW LONG THE RECESSION WILL LAST AND WHEN HELP FROM THE STIMULUS WILL ARRIVE.

### FEBRUARY 23, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

HOME VALUES ACROSS THE TRIANGLE ARE PLUMMETING DUE TO THE COLLAPSED HOUSING MARKET. THE AVERAGE TRIANGLE HOME VALUE IN JANURARY WAS DOWN THREE AND A HALF PERCENT. THAT'S COMPARED TO THE SAME TIME THE YEAR BEFORE. NORTH RALEIGH'S BEDFORD SUBDIVISION IS SEEING ITS VALUES FALL FAST. HOMEOWNERS ARE BEING FORCED TO SELL THEIR HOMES AT 20 TO 24 PERCENT DISCOUNTS.

### FEBRUARY 25, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

THE GOVERNOR 'NOW' WANTS MOST 'STATE AGENCIES' - TO 'CUT THEIR BUDGET' - BY 9-PERCENT. THE 'NEW' - 'DEEPER CUTS' - ARE PART OF AN EFFORT TO 'CLOSE' - A '2-POINT 2-BILLION DOLLAR' - 'BUDGET SHORTFALL' -- THAT SEEMS TO BE 'GETTING WORSE' BY THE DAY.

### MARCH 2, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

THE 'FINANCIAL CRISIS' - IS FORCING 'THE GOVERNOR TO 'PLAY THE LOTTERY'. THE STATE FACES A '2-POINT-2 BILLION DOLLAR' BUDGET SHORTFALL. NOW THE GOVERNOR - PLANS TO TAKE '88-MILLION DOLLARS' IN 'LOTTERY MONEY' -- AND PUT IT IN THE 'GENERAL FUND'. Xxx SAYS - SHE'S JUST TRYING TO 'DO' - WHAT'S 'RIGHT' FOR THE STATE. CRITICS SAY - IT'S THE 'EDUCATION' LOTTERY - NOT 'GENERAL FUND' LOTTERY. Xxx SAYS - THE MONEY WILL 'REMAIN' - WITHIN EDUCATION.

### MARCH 3, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

TONIGHT - 'WAKE COUNTY' SCHOOL LEADERS - ARE BRACING FOR AN "ECONOMIC HURRICANE".. AS THE 'SUPERINTENDENT' CALLS IT. HE PRESENTED HIS 'BUDGET' TONIGHT. THE 'STATE' IS 'SHORT' - 'TWO BILLION' DOLLARS - THE 'COUNTY' IS 'MILLIONS' IN THE HOLE -- AND IT'S 'NOW' - 'TRICKLING DOWN' - TO THE CLASSROOM.

### MARCH 3, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

HUNDREDS OF ORANGE COUNTY RESIDENTS ARE APPEALING THEIR PROPERTY ASSESSMENTS. MEMBERS OF THE 'ORANGE TAX REVOLT' SAY THEY'RE EXCESSIVE -- AND 'UNREALISTIC'. TONIGHT COUNTY COMMISSIONERS HEARD THEIR CRY FOR HELP --

## POVERTY/JOBS/ECONOMY

### MARCH 4, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

THE 'ECONOMY' IS GETTING WORSE -- AND THERE WON'T BE A 'QUICK' RECOVERY. THAT'S THE WORD FROM THE 'FEDERAL RESERVE'. IT RELEASED ITS LATEST 'ECONOMIC SURVEY' THIS AFTERNOON. OFFICIALS FOUND THE ECONOMY 'SLOWED DOWN' MORE IN JANUARY AND FEBRUARY. NATIONALLY -- SHOPPERS ARE SPENDING 'LESS' AND MOST COMPANIES ARE 'CUTTING BACK'. BUT THERE'S AT LEAST ONE BRIGHT SPOT -- LOCALLY.

### MARCH 9, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

AS THE ECONOMY CONTINUES TO 'TAKE A HIT' -- THE NUMBER OF 'UNEMPLOYED' GROWS -- MORE AND MORE ARE WILLING TO TAKE PAY-CUTS, WORK JOBS THEY'RE OVERQUALIFIED FOR, EVEN WORK PART TIME—xxx IS TAKING A CLOSER LOOK, LIVE OUTSIDE 'LABOR FINDERS' ON CAPITAL BOULEVARD IN RALEIGH.

### MARCH 10, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

THE GOVERNOR HASN'T 'RULED IT OUT'. AND TONIGHT -- SOME 'BUDGET EXPERTS' SAY SOME KIND OF 'TAX INCREASE' SOUNDS LIKELY. Xxx IS STRESSING 'SPENDING CUTS' TO HELP PLUG A 'THREE' TO '4- BILLION' DOLLAR 'BUDGET SHORTFALL' -- FOR NEXT 'FISCAL YEAR'. BUT SHE WANTS MORE SCHOOL SPENDING. CONSERVATIVES EXPECT A PROPOSED 'TAX HIKE' ON 'CIGARETTES' AND 'ALCOHOL'. SOME LIBERALS ALSO WANT 'BROADER' SALES TAXES -- NOT JUST ON STUFF YOU BUY -- BUT ALSO ON SERVICES LIKE DOCTOR'S VISITS.

### MARCH 11, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

THE HUGE 'RISE' IN UNEMPLOYMENT -- MEANS THE 'SEARCH' FOR WORK IS 'INTENSIFYING'. HUNDREDS IN THE TRIANGLE ARE WAITING IN 'LONG LINES' -- AND DOING EVERYTHING THEY CAN -- JUST TO GET A 'SHOT' AT A NEW JOB. Xxx IS 'LIVE' AT THE EMPLOYMENT SECURITY COMMISSION IN RALEIGH WITH THE REST OF THE STORY.

### MARCH 16, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

'THE CITY OF RALEIGH' - IS HOPING IT CAN 'BALANCE' ITS BUDGET - 'WITHOUT' TAX INCREASES -- OR LAYOFFS. 'CITY LEADERS' - ORGANIZED A 'BUDGET WORKSHOP' TODAY. THEY FACE AN '18' TO '22-MILLION DOLLAR' SHORTFALL. BUT -- THEY WANT TO 'AVOID' DRASTIC CUTS. INSTEAD -- MOST JOBS WILL STAY 'OPEN' -- SALARIES COULD 'FREEZE' -- AND 'BENEFITS' MAY BE 'REDUCED'. 'SMALL' IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS - LIKE 'ROAD REPAVING' WILL ALSO BE DELAYED.

### MARCH 21, 2009

1:45

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

IT'S A WAY TO STAY AFLOAT WHILE BATTLING A TIGHT ECONOMY. SOME TRIANGLE JOBSEEKERS FLOODED THE TIME WARNER MUSIC PAVILION 'JOB FAIR' TODAY. COMPANIES ARE HIRING FOR SEASONAL SUMMER WORK.

## POVERTY/JOBS/ECONOMY

### MARCH 21, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

SOME PEOPLE TOOK ADVANTAGE OF A CHANCE TO HAVE THEIR TAXES FILED FOR FREE. THE I-R-S TEAMED UP WITH NON-PROFIT 'TAX ASSISTANCE CENTERS' TODAY. TOGETHER - THE GROUPS HELPED PEOPLE PREPARE THEIR TAX RETURNS - FREE OF CHARGE. IF YOU STILL NEED TAX HELP - I-R-S AGENTS OFFER FREE ADVICE WEEKDAYS - DURING NORMAL BUSINESS HOURS.

### MARCH 22, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

THE TOUGH ECONOMY HAS PEOPLE LOOKING FOR DEALS ON JUST ABOUT EVERYTHING-- ESPECIALLY BIG TICKET ITEMS. HERE IN THE TRIANGLE, 'HOME SHOPPERS' ARE NO EXCEPTION. MANY FLOCKED TO THE CONVENTION CENTER TODAY FOR A HOME AUCTION. MORE THAN 150- FORECLOSED HOMES WERE UP FOR BIDS.

### MARCH 23, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

POLICE SAY A TAX PREPARER IN JOHNSTON COUNTY MANIPULATED PAPERWORK AND STOLE THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS FROM CLIENTS. NOW THEY HOPE YOU PAY ATTENTION -- AND PROTECT YOUR MONEY.

### MARCH 23, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

WITH MORE 'LAYOFFS' BEING REPORTED AND 'UNEMPLOYMENT' ON THE RISE -- FAMILIES ARE LOOKING FOR ANY 'FINANCIAL SAVINGS' THEY CAN FIND THAT'S 'WHY' - THOUSANDS OF 'NEW PARENTS' - ARE MAKING THEIR 'WAY' - TO ONE OF THE AREA'S 'LARGEST' - 'CONSIGNMENT SALES' - OF 'CHILDREN'S CLOTHING' - AND 'TOYS'.

### MARCH 23, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

THEY CONTROL A NEARLY BILLION-DOLLAR BUDGET. BUT TONIGHT, WAKE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS ARE BICKERING OVER 159-BUCKS A MONTH. COMMISSIONER xxx IS ASKING HIS COLLEAGUES TO TAKE A 10-PERCENT PAY CUT. THEY EACH MAKE 19-THOUSAND-DOLLARS A YEAR. xxx SAYS IT DISPLAYS LEADERSHIP AND SHOWS COUNTY EMPLOYEES COMMISSIONERS FEEL THEIR PAIN. SEVERAL COMMISSIONERS ACCUSE xxx OF POLITICAL POSTURING. VICE-CHAIRWOMAN xxx SAYS SHE DOESN'T HAVE ANY OTHER INCOME AND WON'T TAKE THE CUT. xxx AND xxx ALSO SAY 'NO'. xxx AND xxx SAY THEY WILL. THERE'S NO WORD FROM THE OTHER TWO COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

### MARCH 23, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

HUNDREDS OF ORANGE COUNTY RESIDENTS HOPE LEADERS HEAR THEIR PLEADS LOUD AND CLEAR THEY PACKED INTO THE GYM AT ORANGE HIGH SCHOOL IN HILLSBOROUGH TONIGHT. SEVERAL HOLDING SIGNS-- ALL UPSET OVER THE SPIKE IN THEIR TAX RE-VALUATIONS. PROPERTY TAXES HAVE RAISED AN AVERAGE OF 23- PERCENT SINCE THE LAST REVALUATION IN 2005. RESIDENTS SAY THEY HAVE THE HIGHEST TAXES IN THE STATE. SOME RESIDENTS SAY THEY CAN'T AFFORD TO PAY THEIR HIGH TAXES-- ESPECIALLY WITH THE ECONOMIC CRISIS. OTHERS ARE FEARFUL THEY'LL LOSE THEIR HOMES OR HAVE TO MOVE.

POVERTY/JOBS/ECONOMY

MARCH 31, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

IN RALEIGH TODAY -- '17-HUNDRED PEOPLE' - 'TURNED OUT' - FOR THE 'MONSTER DOT COM' - JOB FAIR. TWENTY-NINE EMPLOYERS.. HAD NEARLY '500 JOBS' - 'UP FOR GRABS'. MANY OF THE 'JOB SEEKERS' - ARE 'OUT OF WORK' - FOR THE FIRST TIME. THAT'S 'WHY' - THE "KEEP AMERICA WORKING TOUR" - IS AS MUCH ABOUT 'LANDING A JOB' - AS IT IS ABOUT 'DUSTING OFF' YOUR 'RESUME' AND 'POLISHING' INTERVIEWING SKILLS. 'EXPERTS' TOLD PEOPLE -- IF YOU 'REALLY STAND OUT' -- YOU 'COULD' - GET A 'JOB'.



### III. COVERAGE OF ADDITIONAL ISSUES

#### JANUARY 11, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

TOMORROW WILL BE xxx'S 'FIRST DAY' AS OUR STATE'S 73RD GOVERNOR. AND AS SHE PLANS THE MOVES SHE'LL MAKE, OUR FIRST FEMALE GOVERNOR IS FACING MANY CHALLENGES. THEY INCLUDE 'RISING UNEMPLOYMENT RATES' AND A LOOMING 'BUDGET CRISIS'.

#### JANUARY 12, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

GOVERNOR xxx SPENT HER 'FIRST' WORK DAY -- SHAKING THINGS UP. THERE ARE STILL 'PACKED' MOVING BOXES IN HER OFFICE -- BUT xxx GOT DOWN TO BUSINESS ANYWAY. SHE SIGNED 'FIVE' EXECUTIVE ORDERS TODAY -- AIMED AT MAKING STATE GOVERNMENT MORE OPEN AND ACCOUNTABLE. AMONG TODAY'S ORDERS -- THE 'CREATION' OF A WEB SITE WITH 'PUBLIC RECORDS' -- INCLUDING 'STATE CONTRACTS' AND 'GRANTS'. xxx IS ALSO CHANGING THE WAY 'HIGHWAY PROJECTS' ARE 'APPROVED' STATEWIDE. THEY WILL NO LONGER BE VOTED ON BY THE 'BOARD MEMBERS' OF THE 'D-O-T'.

#### JANUARY 13, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

A 'PHONE CALL' FROM EYEWITNESS NEWS -- IS CHANGING THE WAY 'TRASH' IS BEING HANDLED IN DURHAM. RESIDENTS ARE FOLLOWING CITY INSTRUCTIONS ABOUT 'HOW' TO LEAVE CHRISTMAS TREES OUT FOR RECYCLING. BUT THE TREES AREN'T BEING 'RECYCLED'. THEY'RE BEING MIXED WITH TRASH AT THE BULL CITY'S 'WASTE TRANSFER STATION' INSTEAD. THE CITY CHARGES RESIDENTS '60- DOLLARS' A YEAR FOR YARD WASTE PICK-UP. BUT DURHAM HAS 'MIXED' YARD WASTE WITH 'REGULAR TRASH' SINCE A FIRE 'SHUTDOWN' ITS COMPOST YARD IN 2006 EYEWITNESS NEWS ASKED FOR AN 'EXPLANATION' TODAY. THE CITY NOW SAYS IT'S ARRANGING FOR A 'PRIVATE COMPANY' TO 'RECYCLE' THE CHRISTMAS TREES.

#### JANUARY 20, 2009

3:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

PRESIDENT xxx TOUCHED ON THOSE 'CHALLENGES' -- DURING HIS 'INNAUGURAL ADDRESS'. MORE THAN A MILLION PEOPLE 'CROWDED' INTO OUR NATION'S CAPITAL TO WITNESS xxx'S SWEARING IN. .

#### FEBRUARY 1, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

DURHAM GIVES HIS ANNUAL STATE OF THE CITY ADDRESS TOMORROW. Xxx PLANS TO RECOUNT THE CITY'S ACHIEVEMENTS AND CHALLENGES. AND THE ECONOMY, WILL MOST LIKELY, BE THE 'MAJOR TOPIC'. RESIDENTS AND BUSINESS OWNERS ARE ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND. THE MEETING IS SCHEDULED TO GET STARTED AT SEVEN P-M -- IN THE CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS.

#### FEBRUARY 1, 2009

1:45

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

TONIGHT, SOME TRIANGLE DRIVERS ARE UPSET WITH THE NUMBER OF POTHOLES POPPING UP AROUND RALEIGH. THEY SAY THE POTHOLES ARE MAKING IT UNPLEASANT TO GET AROUND. DRIVERS ARGUE THEIR TAXES SHOULD PAY FOR A PAVEMENT FIX. BUT A STRUGGLING 'STATE BUDGET' COULD PUT A DENT IN THE PROCESS.

### III. COVERAGE OF ADDITIONAL ISSUES

#### FEBRUARY 2, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

WE'RE FOLLOWING 'BREAKING NEWS' RIGHT NOW IN 'NASH COUNTY'. A 'TRUCK FIRE' - HAS SHUTDOWN LANES IN 'BOTH DIRECTIONS' - OF I-95. AND, THERE'S A POTENTIAL 'HAZ-MAT' SITUATION.

#### FEBRUARY 22, 2009

1:30

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

NORTH CAROLINA'S xxxx IS AMONG GOVERNORS FROM ACROSS THE COUNTRY IN WASHINGTON THIS WEEKEND - MEETING WITH THE PRESIDENT.

#### FEBRUARY 23, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

NORTH CAROLINA GOVERNOR IS BACK FROM 'WASHINGTON, D-C'. NOW SHE'S PLANNING WHAT TO DO WITH 'FEDERAL STIMULUS' MONEY. THE STATE GETS ITS FIRST SHARE ON WEDNESDAY. xxx SPENT THE WEEKEND IN 'D-C' -- FOR THE NATIONAL GOVERNORS' ASSOCIATION MEETING. TODAY -- THE GROUP MET WITH THE PRESIDENT AT THE WHITE HOUSE. HE LET THEM KNOW '15- BILLION' DOLLARS OF 'STIMULUS MONEY' IS ON ITS WAY. THE 'CASH' WILL COVER 'MEDICAID PAYMENTS' -- BUT MORE IS COMING. NORTH CAROLINA IS SUPPOSED TO GET A TOTAL OF '6- BILLION'. xxx SAYS IT WON'T SOLVE ALL OF NORTH CAROLINA'S PROBLEMS -- BUT SHE BELIEVES IT WILL HELP. Xxxx SAYS THE STATE HAS 'BIG PLANS'. SHE TELLS EYEWITNESS NEWS -- SHE ALSO WANTS TO USE THE 'WEB' TO LET PEOPLE FOLLOW HOW 'EVERY DOLLAR' IS SPENT.

#### FEBRUARY 24, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

THERE'S A NEW PUSH TO DEFINE MARRIAGE IN NORTH CAROLINA. BISHOP xxx AND SEVERAL OTHERS ATTENDED A NEWS CONFERENCE TODAY. TH 'DIOCESE OF RALEIGH' AND OTHER LEADERS IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY WANT TO DEFINE MARRIAGE AS BETWEEN 'ONE MAN' AND 'ONE WOMAN'. LAWMAKERS PLAN TO INTRODUCE THE LEGISLATION THURSDAY. IF PASSED -- THE BILL WOULD PUT THE ISSUE OF SAME-SEX MARRIAGE ON THE BALLOT -- AND LET VOTERS DECIDE.

#### FEBRUARY 25, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

THE PRESIDENT WILL MAKE HIS FIRST VISIT TO NORTH CAROLINA SINCE BECOMING THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF ON FRIDAY. THE PRESIDENT WILL VISIT CAMP LEJEUNE. HE'S EXPECTED TO MAKE A MAJOR SPEECH ON HIS PLANS TO WITHDRAW TROOPS FROM IRAQ. MARINES FROM CAMP LEJEUNE WILL PLAY A MAJOR ROLE IN THE PRESIDENT'S PLAN TO ADD A GREATER PRESENCE IN AFGHANISTAN.

#### MARCH 2, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

THOUSANDS OF AMERICAN TROOPS ARE PREPARING TO GO TO AFGHANISTAN. THE PENTAGON ANNOUNCED ITS PLANS TODAY, SAYING THE 82ND AIRBORNE'S TOP GENERAL WILL COMMAND THEM.. IT'S ALL AN EFFORT TO STOP A RECENT SPIKE IN VIOLENCE THERE -- AND IT STARTS IN A MATTER OF WEEKS.

Other

### III. COVERAGE OF ADDITIONAL ISSUES

#### MARCH 10, 2009

2:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

THE NATION'S 'FIRST LADY WILL BE IN OUR AREA - ON THURSDAY. MRS. xxx WILL 'MEET' - WITH 'MILITARY SPOUSES' - AT 'FORT BRAGG'. xxx INTRODUCES TO 'ONE' WHO HOPES TO BE ONE- OF THE 'LUCKY WIVES' - WHO'LL TELL THE 'FIRST LADY' - ABOUT THE CHALLENGES 'MILITARY WIVES' ARE FACING.

#### MARCH 21, 2009

1:30

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

ANOTHER GRASSROOTS POLITICAL GROUP SAYS IT'S 'HAD IT' WITH GOVERNMENT SPENDING. IT HELD WHAT'S CALLED A 'TEA PARTY PROTEST' TODAY OUTSIDE THE STATE CAPITOL IN RALEIGH. THE PROTESTERS SAY ENOUGH IS ENOUGH -- AND THAT INCLUDES GOVERNOR xxxS BUDGET PLAN.

#### MARCH 23, 2009

1:00

SOURCE TYPE: NEWS

NORTH CAROLINIANS ARE NEARLY SPLIT ON AN AMENDMENT THAT WOULD BAN GAY MARRIAGE. AN ELON UNIVERSITY POLL FOUND MORE THAN 50- PERCENT OPPOSE A BAN. THAT'S COMPARED TO 43- PERCENT WHO SUPPORT OR STRONGLY SUPPORT IT. NORTH CAROLINA IS THE ONLY STATE IN THE SOUTH THAT DOESN'T HAVE AN AMENDMENT RESTRICTING MARRIAGE TO A UNION BETWEEN ONE MAN AND ONE WOMAN.