

KNEL-AM/FM

3rd QUARTER ISSUES

JULY-SEPTEMBER 2018

Key issues facing the community addressed by KNEL in the 2nd Quarter of 2018:

- Local Government
- Elections
- Education
- Agriculture
- Local Economy

Local issues were the subject of coverage during KNEL newscasts and through regular appearances of local officials from the Cities of Brady and Mason, McCulloch and Mason Counties, Brady and Mason School Districts and AgriLife Extension representatives on KNEL's daily public affairs program - KNEL Morning Program.

Local Government –

City of Brady Park/Ball Fields Renovation

City of Brady/McCulloch County issues/services with shared responsibilities – EMS, Dispatch, Fire, Law Enforcement

Burns Bans In Area Counties

Budget/Tax Rate planning and public meetings for area cities, counties and school districts

Town Halls hosted by U.S Congressman Conaway

Revised senior nutrition program in Mason County

Elections –

Brady ISD deliberations on proposed bond election for facility improvements

Education –

Return to school activities for all area schools

BISD consideration of calling for bond election for three facility improvement projects.

Mason ISD Implementing renovations for high school track and tennis courts.

Agriculture –

McCulloch County/City of Brady joint committee to plan for utilization of the G. Rollie White Facility.

Inaugural McCulloch Co. 4-H Farm and Ranch Dinner

Range, Grain and Wildlife Seminars/Workshops

Annual 4-H enrollment period

Local Economy –

Coverage of local Sales Tax rebates to area cities and counties.

Activities of Brady Economic Development Corporation

City hosting of annual World Championship Bar-B-Que Goat Cook-Off

Flood relief for Sonora County