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The following are the issue areas to which KZJO has given the most significant treatment during this calendar period:

- I. Economy
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Below are summaries of the news stories and programs that were Q13 FOX News's most significant coverage of local community issues broadcast on KZJO this quarter. The dates noted are the dates when stories or programs first aired. Most stories were repeated and expanded in subsequent newscasts.

I. ECONOMY

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 1/18
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: :28
Type: News

WE UPDATED OUR VIEWERS ON AMAZON'S SEARCH FOR A SECOND HEADQUARTERS. AMAZON REPORTS THEY HAVE NARROWED DOWN THE LIST OF POTENTIAL CITIES FOR ITS NEW HEADQUARTERS FROM 238 CITIES TO 20. THE FINALISTS ARE NOW IN AN EVEN TIGHTER RACE TO SEE WHO CAN BRING ALL OF THOSE AMAZON JOBS TO THEIR CITY. WE SPOKE TO THE PUGET SOUND BUSINESS JOURNAL ABOUT THE FINALISTS AND THEY SAY THE PICKS SHOW AMAZON WANTS TO SPARK COMPETITION BETWEEN NEIGHBORING CITIES AND ALSO THAT THEY ARE LOOKING TO SET UP A HUB ON THE EAST COAST. AMAZON ESTIMATES IT WILL BRING 5 BILLION DOLLARS IN CONSTRUCTION INVESTMENT AND 50 THOUSAND HIGH PAYING JOBS TO WHATEVER CITY WINS THE BID. THE COMPANY IS EXPECTED TO MAKE A DECISION SOMETIME BEFORE THE END OF THIS YEAR.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 1/31
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: 3:04
Type: News

WE SHOWED OUR VIEWERS A NEW REPORT THAT CONFIRMS WHAT A LOT OF WASHINGTON RESIDENTS ALREADY KNOW: IT'S GETTING MORE AND MORE EXPENSIVE TO LIVE IN THE PUGET SOUND. THE SURPRISING PART IS THAT THE HOUSING MARKET IN TACOMA AND PIERCE COUNTY IS OUTPACING SEATTLE'S. THE REPORT FROM RENTAL WEBSITE, TRULIA, SHOWS THE MEDIAN PRICE OF RENT ROSE NEARLY NINE PERCENT IN TACOMA TO NEARLY 18-HUNDRED DOLLARS.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 2/5
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: 3:17
Type: News

WE TOLD OUR VIEWERS THAT THE DOW RECORDED ITS WORST ONE DAY POINT DROP IN HISTORY. IT LOST MORE THAN 1500 POINTS AT ITS WORST MOMENT TODAY. WE SPOKE WITH FINANCIAL EXPERTS TO GAIN INSIGHT INTO HOW THIS MIGHT AFFECT OUR VIEWERS FINANCIAL INVESTMENTS AND TO OFFER THEM SOME ADVICE ON WHAT TO DO. EXPERTS SAY THAT THE SHOCK EMOTION IS SOMETHING PEOPLE NEED TO KEEP IN CHECK. THEY ALSO SAY THAT THE MARKET HAS GONE THROUGH A LONG STRETCH OF PROSPERITY AND SO IT IS ONLY NATURAL FOR IT TO PULL BACK. PEOPLE TEND TO MAKE VERY BAD DECISIONS WHEN THE MARKETS SWING DRAMATICALLY. SO, EXPERTS FURTHER RECOMMEND THAT INVESTORS SHOULD LOOK TO THINGS

THEY CAN CONTROLS LIKE THE FEES, EXPENSES AND TAXES BEING PAID ON A PORTFOLIO AS CHEAPER ALTERNATIVES CAN BE FOUND. INVESTORS CAN ALSO LOOK AT STOCKS VERSUS MORE STABLE THINGS LIKE BONDS AND CASH WHICH ARE LESS LIKELY TO BE MAJORLY AFFECTED BY SWINGS IN THE MARKET'S DAILY PERFORMANCE. OVERALL, EXPERTS SAY THAT IT IS KEY TO STAY SMART AND NOT LET EMOTIONS ALONE DRIVE INVESTMENT DECISIONS.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 2/12
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: :25
Type: News

WE ALERTED OUR VIEWERS THAT AMAZON IS REPORTEDLY LAYING OFF HUNDREDS OF CORPORATE EMPLOYEES BASED AT IT'S SEATTLE HEADQUARTERS, BUT A SOURCE FAMILIAR WITH THE CUTS TOLD THE SEATTLE TIMES THAT LAYOFFS ARE ALSO HAPPENING ELSEWHERE IN AMAZON'S GLOBAL OPERATIONS. THE LAYOFFS ARE PRIMARILY FOCUSED ON AMAZON'S CONSUMER RETAIL BUSINESS. AMAZON SAYS SOME OF THOSE CORPORATE EMPLOYEES MAY STILL FIND WORK AT THE COMPANY AND THEY ARE WORKING WITH AFFECTED EMPLOYEES TO FIND ROLES IN THE AREAS WHERE THE COMPANY IS HIRING.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 3/7
Time: 8:00 pm
Length: 5:06
Type: News

WE UPDATED OUR VIEWERS ON THE MEDIAN PRICES OF HOMES IN THE PUGET SOUND AREA. IN SEATTLE THE MEDIAN HOME PRICE IS ABOUT \$800,000. HOME PRICES HAVE SKYROCKETED BY NEARLY 18 PERCENT IN SNOHOMISH COUNTY AND 16 PERCENT IN PIERCE COUNTY IN THE PAST YEAR. ECONOMISTS SAY EVEN IF YOU ARE NOT IN THE MARKET FOR A HOME, WHAT HAPPENS HERE HAS A RIPPLE EFFECT ALL ACROSS WESTERN WASHINGTON. IT CAN ALSO AFFECT THOSE RENTING. PEOPLE WHO LIVE AND WORK THROUGHOUT THE REGION ARE FACING LONGER COMMUTES AS THEY ARE FORCED TO MOVE FURTHER AND FURTHER AWAY FROM THEIR JOBS IN SEATTLE. IT'S DIFFICULT FOR PEOPLE WHO FEEL LIKE THE SEATTLE-AREA IS THEIR HOME AND YET FEEL FORCED TO MOVE AWAY. WE SPOKE WITH MATTHEW GARDNER, AN ECONOMIST WITH WINDEMERE, WHO SAYS THAT THURSTON COUNTY IS STILL A VIABLE OPTION. HE ALSO SAYS SKAGIT COUNTY AND WHATCOM COUNTY ARE STILL AFFORDABLE PLACES TO LIVE. HOWEVER, THESE LOCATIONS MEAN A COMMUTE OF 6 HOURS A DAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE SEATTLE-BASED JOBS. SOME THINK THE SEATTLE HOUSING MARKET BUBBLE WILL BURST, HOWEVER, ECONOMISTS DON'T AGREE. MATTHEW GARNDER SAYS HE PREICTS A NATIONAL RECESSION AT THE END OF 2019, BUT FOR THIS AREA HE SAYS HE DOESN'T EXPECT A SIGNIFICANT DIP IN HOME PRICES. HE THINKS IT MAY STABILIZE, BUT IT WON'T BURST.

Program: Q13 News This Morning
Airdate: 3/10
Time: 7:00 am
Length: :27
Type: News

WE TOLD OUR VIEWERS THAT PRESIDENT TRUMP HAS ORDERED NEW TARIFFS ON IMPORTED STEEL AND ALUMINUM. THE NEW TARIFFS WOULD TAX STEEL COMING INTO AMERICA BY 25 PERCENT AND ALUMINUM BY 10 PERCENT. MEXICO AND CANADA ARE EXEMPT FROM PAYING THAT FOR NOW AND PRESIDENT TRUMP SAID HE MIGHT ADD AUSTRALIA TO THAT LIST. THE PRESIDENT SAYS THE MOVE WILL HELP THE STEEL INDUSTRY. BUT HERE IN WASHINGTON STATE, AND ACROSS THE COUNTRY, MORE JOBS RELY ON BUYING STEEL THAN ON MAKING IT. IN WASHINGTON, THE BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS NOTES THAT NEARLY TWO THOUSAND PEOPLE WORK TO PRODUCE ALUMINUM AND STEEL, SO THE TARIFFS COULD HELP THEIR INDUSTRY. HOWEVER, THERE ARE MORE THAN 160 THOUSAND JOBS THAT RELY ON BUYING THE METALS IN INDUSTRIES LIKE CONSTRUCTION AND MANUFACTURING. TARIFFS MAY HURT THESE INDUSTRIES BY MAKING STEEL AND ALUMINUM MORE EXPENSIVE.

II. PUBLIC SAFETY

Program: Washington's Most Wanted
Airdate: Every
Saturday Time: 9:30pm
Length: 30:00
Type: Public Affairs

Q13 FOX NEWS WORKS WITH CRIME STOPPERS OF PUGET SOUND TO PROFILE SOME OF THE TOP FUGITIVES IN THE PACIFIC NORTHWEST. THE SHOW INFORMS VIEWERS ABOUT MURDER SUSPECTS, COLD CASES, MISSING PERSONS, SEX CRIMINALS, BANK ROBBERS, CYBER-CRIMINALS AND NEIGHBORHOOD SAFETY ISSUES. Q13 FOX NEWS ANCHOR DAVID ROSE HOSTS WASHINGTON'S MOST WANTED AND WORKS WITH ALL CITY, COUNTY, STATE, AND FEDERAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES IN WASHINGTON STATE.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 1/11
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: :42
Type: News

WE TOLD OUR VIEWERS THAT EVERETT MAYOR, CASSIE FRANKLIN, HAS ISSUED A MAYORAL DIRECTIVE OUTLINING HOW TO REDUCE YOUTH, GANG AND GUN VIOLENCE IN THE CITY. ACCORDING TO THE CITY, THERE WERE 198 GANG RELATED OFFENSES REPORTED IN EVERETT BETWEEN JANUARY 1ST TO THE END OF OCTOBER OF LAST YEAR. THAT IS A 75 PERCENT INCREASE COMPARED TO 2016. IN THAT SAME PERIOD THERE WERE NEARLY 100 SHOOTING RELATED INCIDENTS. OF THE 80 PEOPLE ARRESTED BY EVERETT

POLICE FOR GANG-RELATED OFFENSES LAST YEAR, NEARLY ALL OF THEM WERE 21 YEARS OLD OR YOUNGER. MAYOR FRANKLIN SAYS THE CITY WILL OUTLINE SIX INITIATIVES INCLUDING DEVELOPING A GANG PREVENTION AND INTERVENTION PROGRAM, CONSIDERATION OF A STANDALONE GANG RESPONSE UNIT, AND LAUNCHING A FIREARM SAFETY CAMPAIGN.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 1/16
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: 3:32
Type: News

WE INFORMED OUR VIEWERS THAT SINCE MARIJUANA BECAME LEGAL IN WASHINGTON STATE, STATISTICS SHOW DRIVING UNDER ITS INFLUENCE HAS STEADILY GONE UP. STATEWIDE, THERE WERE 503 DEADLY CRASHES IN 2016. AND NEARLY A FIFTH OF THEM WERE CAUSED BY DRIVERS WHO TESTED POSITIVE FOR MARIJUANA. TROOPERS SAY THAT IF THEY DECIDE TO ARREST A DRIVER FOR DRUG IMPAIRMENT, A JUDGE NEEDS TO APPROVE A SEARCH WARRANT FOR THINGS LIKE BLOOD TESTS TO CONFIRM THE SUSPECTED DRUG USE. THIS PROCESS CAN TAKE A FEW HOURS. LIKE WITH ALCOHOL, MARIJUANA AFFECTS EACH PERSON DIFFERENTLY. IT DEPENDS ON A VARIETY OF FACTORS INCLUDING HOW MUCH A PERSON SMOKED OR INGESTED, HOW RECENTLY THEY USED THE DRUG, AND HOW OFTEN THEY USE IT OVERALL.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 2/4
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: 3:47
Type: News

WE TOLD OUR VIEWERS THAT DESPITE RECENT AMTRAK CRASHES, PEOPLE STILL DON'T SEEM TOO WORRIED ABOUT GETTING ON A TRAIN. HOWEVER, MOST FEEL THAT IT IS TIME THE U.S. INVESTS TO MAKE RAIL TRAVEL SAFER. WE SPOKE WITH AN ATTORNEY WHO SAYS THAT MANY TRAIN COLLISIONS ARE AVOIDABLE, BUT THE U.S. HAS FALLEN BEHIND IN IMPLEMENTING NEW TECHNOLOGIES. THE U.S. IS ONE OF THE ONLY COUNTRIES IN THE WORLD THAT ALLOWS PASSENGER AND FREIGHT TRAINS TO SHARE TRACKS WHICH IS WHAT CAUSED A RECENT COLLISION. A TECHNOLOGY CALLED POSITIVE TRAIN CONTROL CAN PREVENT INSTANCES LIKE THIS. IT USES GPS TECHNOLOGY TO AUTOMATICALLY SLOW OR STOP TRAINS IF AN OBJECT IS IN THE WAY OR A TRAIN IS GOING TOO FAST. THE POSITIVE TRAIN CONTROL SYSTEM IS SOMETHING CONGRESS MANDATED TO BE IMPLEMENTED BY THE END OF 2018, WHICH WAS ALREADY AN EXTENSION OF THREE YEARS. NOW ANOTHER EXTENSION HAS BEEN GRANTED SO THAT RAILROADS CAN HAVE MORE TIME TO ADD THE TECHNOLOGY. THEY CAN CONTINUE TO APPLY FOR AN EXTENSION UNTIL 2020. WE ALSO LET OUR VIEWERS KNOW THAT SENATOR MARIA CANTWELL HAS URGED CONGRESS TO HOLD A HEARING ON THE SAFETY OF AMTRAK THIS SESSION. SHE SAYS SHE IS WRITING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE, SCIENCE AND TRANSPORTATION TO, "HOLD AN OVERSIGHT HEARING ON CURRENT AMTRAK SAFETY STANDARDS AND

TRAINING PROCEDURES, AND THE STATE OF FEDERAL RAIL SAFETY REGULATION AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.”

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 2/12
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: :34
Type: News

BECAUSE THE FLU IS HITTING OUR REGION IN A WAY IT HASN'T IN ALMOST A DECADE, WE LET OUR VIEWERS KNOW THAT EVERGREEN HEALTH IN KIRKLAND IS GOING TO START SCREENING EVERY SINGLE VISITOR FOR FLU-LIKE SYMPTOMS. THEY SAY THE LAST TIME THEY DID THIS WAS DURING THE SWINE FLU OUTBREAK. EVERGREEN SAYS THAT STARTING AT 5 A.M. TOMORROW, A TEAM OF NURSES WILL GREET EACH VISITOR COMING INTO THE HOSPITAL. THEY'LL ASK EACH PERSON QUESTIONS LIKE WHETHER THEY'VE HAD A COUGH, FEVER OR RUNNY NOSE TO DETERMINE WHETHER THEY WILL BE PERMITTED TO SEE PATIENTS IN THE HOSPITAL. A DOCTOR WITH THE HOSPITAL SAYS THEY WILL SCREEN ONLY ADULTS AND THAT NO CHILDREN UNDER THE AGE OF 16 WILL BE ALLOWED AT ALL TO VISIT PATIENTS. THIS IS BECAUSE CHILDREN DON'T OFTEN REMEMBER TO COVER THEIR MOUTHS WHEN THEY SNEEZE OR COUGH. THE FLU IS SO BAD THIS YEAR THE HOSPITAL IS NOT WILLING TO TAKE ANY RISK FOR THEIR PATIENTS. WE ALSO LET OUR VIEWERS KNOW THAT THIS PROTOCOL IS ONLY FOR THE HOSPITAL PORTIONS OF THE CAMPUS, NOT FOR THE OTHER SPECIALTY CLINICS.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 3/13
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: 3:32
Type: News

WE TOLD OUR VIEWERS THAT THE KING COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE HAS RECEIVED REPORTS THAT PARENTS ARE GETTING CALLS FROM A BLOCKED NUMBER. A MAN WITH AN ACCENT THEN CLAIMS TO HAVE KIDNAPPED THE RECIPIENT'S CHILD AND DEMANDS A RANSOM IN EXCHANGE FOR THEIR CHILD'S SAFE RETURN. ONE PARENT REPORTED THAT THE SCAMMER EVEN KNEW HER DAUGHTER'S NAME. A VERY SIMILAR SCAM MADE THE ROUNDS LAST MARCH. KING COUNTY INVESTIGATORS SAY THAT IF A CALL LIKE THIS IS RECEIVED, PEOPLE SHOULD HANG UP IMMEDIATELY AND CALL 911. THIS ENSURES THAT INVESTIGATORS CAN TRACK THE CALL. INVESTIGATORS ALSO WARN TO BE CAREFUL ABOUT ANY PERSONAL INFORMATION SHARED ON SOCIAL MEDIA BECAUSE SCAMMERS CAN USE IT TO EFFECTIVELY TRICK PEOPLE.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 3/21
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: 2:21
Type: News

WE WARNED OUR VIEWERS THAT CITY OFFICIALS ARE WARNING RIDERS OF RENTAL BIKES TO CHECK THE BRAKES AFTER VANDALS HAVE BEEN DELIBERATELY CUTTING BRAKE LINES ON SOME OF THEM. IT'S AN ISSUE BEING SHARED BY ALL THREE BIKE-SHARE COMPANIES IN THE CITY - LIMEBIKE, OFO, AND SPIN. THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE USE THEM EVERYDAY AND MANY ARE NOT REALIZING THE BRAKES ARE CUT UNTIL THEY'RE ALREADY RIDING. THE COMPANIES RECOMMEND THAT ALL RIDERS CHECK THE BRAKES BEFORE GETTING ON A BICYCLE. ALSO, USERS WHO DISCOVER BIKES THAT HAVE BEEN TAMPERED WITH SHOULD REPORT THE DAMAGED BIKE THROUGH THE RIDESHARE COMPANY'S APP.

III. ENVIRONMENT & HEALTH

Program: Q13 News This Morning
Airdate: 1/7
Time: 7:00 am
Length: :27
Type: News

WE TOLD OUR VIEWERS THAT WE ARE GETTING INTO PEAK FLU SEASON, BUT DOCTORS SAY IT'S STILL NOT TOO LATE TO GET THE VACCINE. THE VACCINE TAKES TWO WEEKS TO KICK IN AND FLU SEASON USUALLY LASTS THROUGH MARCH. IN WASHINGTON, THE LATEST NUMBERS SHOW THAT 20 DEATHS HAVE BEEN BLAMED ON THE FLU. LAST YEAR, NUMBERS FROM THE CDC SHOWED A HUGE SPIKE IN PEOPLE GETTING SICK DURING THE MIDDLE OF JANUARY. THERE'S CONCERN THAT A LOT MORE PEOPLE COULD GET SICK THIS YEAR BECAUSE DOCTORS SAY THE FLU SHOT ISN'T WORKING AS WELL AS THEY WOULD HOPE.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 1/10
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: :32
Type: News

WE ALERTED OUR VIEWERS THAT HEALTH OFFICIALS ARE REPORTING A SUSPECTED NOROVIRUS OUTBREAK AT A SECOND EL TORO RESTAURANT IN PIERCE COUNTY. IN ADDITION TO THE RESTAURANT'S TACOMA/WESTGATE LOCATION, OFFICIALS ARE NOW INVESTIGATING THE RESTAURANT'S UNIVERSITY PLACE LOCATION. THEY SAY THE RESTAURANT IS BEING CLOSED SO IT CAN BE THOROUGHLY CLEANED AND SANITIZED. SO FAR, THE OUTBREAK LINKED TO EL TORO HAS LED TO MORE THAN 230 PEOPLE GETTING SICK. WE ALSO REMINDED OUR VIEWERS THAT THE MOST COMMON SYMPTOMS OF NOROVIRUS INCLUDE DIARRHEA, VOMITING, NAUSEA AND STOMACH PAIN. IT CAN ALSO COME WITH SERIOUS COMPLICATIONS IN THE MOST EXTREME CASES. THE BEST WAY TO AVOID NOROVIRUS IS TO MAKE SURE HANDS ARE THOROUGHLY WASHED BEFORE TOUCHING, COOKING, OR EATING FOOD.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 2/1
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: :19
Type: News

WE TOLD OUR VIEWERS THAT SCIENTISTS AT UW ARE WORKING ON A NEW TECHNIQUE TO FIGHT BACK AGAINST BREAST CANCER. THEY ARE TESTING A NEW TYPE OF VACCINE TARGETED FOR BREAST CANCER SURVIVORS. THERE'S ALWAYS A CHANCE BREAST CANCER WILL RETURN, AND DOCTORS HOPE THE VACCINE WILL PREVENT THAT. SURVIVORS WORKING WITH UW SAY IT'S TOUGH LIVING WITH THE KNOWLEDGE THAT THE CANCER COULD RETURN AT ANY TIME.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 2/27
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: 5:39
Type: News

WE TOLD OUR VIEWERS ABOUT A GROUP CALLED "LONG LIVE THE KINGS" THAT IS WORKING TO RESTORE HEALTHY SALMON POPULATIONS TO OUR REGION. THE SOUTHERN RESIDENT ORCAS IN PUGET SOUND ARE JUST ONE OF 123 SPECIES OF NORTHWEST FISH AND WILDLIFE TOTALLY INTERTWINED WITH SALMON. AN AMAZING FACT, BUT ALSO A PROBLEM BECAUSE LESS THAN ONE PERCENT OF JUVENILE SALMON SURVIVE THE JOURNEY TO THE OCEAN. THIS HAS BEEN THE REALITY SINCE THE EARLY 1990S. NON-PROFIT "LONG LIVE THE KINGS", ALONG WITH GOVERNMENT FISH MANAGERS, TRIBES AND OTHER ENVIRONMENTAL GROUPS ARE RUNNING A MULTI-YEAR EXPERIMENT TO SEE IF LIMITED HELP FROM PEOPLE CAN SAVE THE STEELHEAD FROM THE BRINK OF EXTINCTION IN HOOD CANAL. THEIR METHOD IS DIFFERENT THAN THE ONE A TRADITIONAL HATCHERY USES. A MORE TRADITIONAL HATCHERY FERTILIZES EGGS IN TANKS AND THEN RELEASES FISH WHEN THEY'RE YOUNG. AT "LONG LIVE THE KINGS," RESEARCHERS GATHER WILD EGGS AND RAISE THEM TO SEXUAL MATURITY IN PENS. THEIR PROCESS ALLOWS FISH TO GO ABOUT THEIR USUAL CYCLE OF COMING HOME, FINDING A MATE, AND SELECTING THEIR SPAWNING LOCATION. THE THEORY IS THAT BY HOLDING BACK MORE THAN 400 INTO ADULTHOOD WILL HELP SPIKE THE NUMBER OF WILD STEELHEAD TO A NEW NORMAL. A PILOT PROJECT ON JUST ONE RIVER HAS HELPED IMPROVE STEELHEAD NUMBERS BY 300 PERCENT AND THE TREND SEEMS TO BE HOLDING. WE ALSO TOLD OUR VIEWERS THAT THIS IS PART OF A BIGGER PROJECT THAT WILL WRAP UP IN FOUR YEARS. WHILE THIS EXPERIMENT INVOLVES STEELHEAD, ORCA PREFER TO EAT ANOTHER SPECIES CALLED CHINOOK, OR KING SALMON. BUT SCIENTISTS SAY THIS HANDS-ON APPROACH TO GROWING FISH COULD WORK FOR CHINOOK TOO. THE HOPE IS TO TRY IT OUT ON SALMON RUNS WHERE EXTINCTION IS CLOSE AT HAND.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 3/5
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: 5:46

Type: News

WE TOLD OUR VIEWERS ABOUT A NEW FITNESS TREND THAT CAN GET RESULTS IN 20 MINUTES WHAT IT WOULD TAKE 3 HOURS IN THE GYM TO OBTAIN. IT'S ALREADY A FITNESS CRAZE IN EUROPE AND IS MAKING ITS WAY TO THE UNITED STATES AND HERE TO SEATTLE. IT'S CALLED ELECTRONIC MUSCLE STIMULATION OR E-M-S. A TRAINER PUTS ELECTRODES ON THE MAJOR MUSCLE GROUPS OF YOUR BODY AND SENDS IMPULSES EVERY FEW SECONDS INTO THE MUSCLES MAKING THEM CONTRACT. TRAINERS ONLY RECOMMEND USING EMS TWICE A WEEK AT MOST. DURING A SESSION, CLIENTS PULL ON A SUIT THAT LOOKS LIKE A WET SUIT WITH 16 ELECTRODES ABOVE EVERY MAJOR MUSCLE GROUP. EACH PERSON'S SUIT IS WIRELESSLY CONNECTED TO AVATARS ON IPADS THAT A TRAINER CONTROLS. USERS SAY EMS HAS IMPROVED THEIR ATHLETIC PERFORMANCE AS WELL AS HELPED WITH ISSUES LIKE LOWER BACK PAIN. ANY PERSON INTERESTED IN EMS WILL BE SCREENED BEFORE GETTING HOOKED UP. THOSE WITH A HEART CONDITION, PACEMAKER, OR ANY KIND OF ELECTRICAL DEVICE IN YOUR BODY, TUMORS OR NEUROLOGICAL DISORDERS, SHOULD NOT USE EMS. ROUTINES CAN OTHERWISE BE CUSTOMIZED FOR ANYONE AND COSTS ROUGHTLY \$60 A SESSION. THE 20 MINUTE WORKOUT WRAPS WITH 5 MINUTES OF RELAXATION AND STRETCHES. TRAINERS RECOMMEND 3 DAYS OF REST BEFORE ANOTHER SESSION.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 3/16
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: :28
Type: News

WE LET OUR VIEWERS KNOW THAT REPORTS INDICATE GROWING OUTBREAKS OF SERIOUS INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN THE HOMELESS COMMUNITY. IT IS RAISING CONCERNS FOR PUBLIC HEALTH OFFICIALS IN KING COUNTY. ACCORDING TO THE SEATTLE TIMES, THEY'RE INVESTIGATING OUTBREAKS OF BODY LICE, BACTERIAL INFECTIONS LIKE 'FLESH EATING DISEASE' AND SHIGELLA WHICH CAUSES BLOODY STOOL. OFFICIALS SAY THEY ARE ALSO MONITORING AN OUTBREAK OF HEPATITIS A. WE ALSO LET OUR VIEWERS THAT YESTERDAY, THE COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH PASSED A RESOLUTION IN AN EFFORT TO GET MORE TOILETS AND HOT WATER HAND WASHING STATIONS TO HOMELESS CAMPS. OFFICIALS ARE ALSO RECOMMENDING THAT MORE HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS GIVE OUT HEPATITIS A VACCINES TO THE HOMELESS.

IV. EDUCATION & YOUTH DEVELOPMENT

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 1/2
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: 4:07
Type: News

WE WARNED OUR VIEWERS ABOUT POPULAR YOUTUBE STAR, LOGAN PAUL, FACING CRITICISM FOR POSTING A VIDEO OF A DEAD BODY AND MAKING

LIGHT OF SUICIDE ON HIS YOUTUBE CHANNEL THE VIDEO IS SERVING AS A REMINDER TO PARENTS ABOUT THE KINDS OF IMAGES READILY AVAILABLE TO CHILDREN ONLINE. KIDS CAN FIND REFERENCES TO DRUGS AND ALCOHOL, SUICIDE, DEATH, AND SEXUAL CONTENT ONLINE. WE SPOKE WITH JILL GOETZ, A MOM AND EDUCATOR WITH "SAVVY PARENTS, SAVE KIDS" WHICH IS AN ORGANIZATION THAT EDUCATES PARENTS ON THE DANGERS LURKING ONLINE. SHE SAYS PARENTS NEED TO COMMUNICATE GUIDELINES WITH THEIR KIDS AND ACTIVELY MONITOR WHAT THEIR CHILDREN HAVE ACCESS TO ON ANY DEVICES THEY USE. WE ALSO PROVIDED VIEWERS WITH INFORMATION FROM ONE MONITORING ORGANIZATION, COMMONSENSEMEDIA.ORG, THAT SAYS "YOUTUBE" IS REALLY GEARED TO AGES 13 AND UP AND "YOUTUBE KIDS" IS GEARED FOR CHILDREN ABOVE THE AGE OF SEVEN.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 1/22
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: 4:04
Type: News

WE TOLD OUR VIEWERS THAT WSU STUDENTS ARE LOBBYING FOR A SUICIDE PREVENTION BILL NEARLY A WEEK AFTER THEIR STAR QUARTERBACK, TYLER HILINSKI, TOOK HIS OWN LIFE. THIS INCIDENT IS SHEDDING LIGHT ON STUDIES WHICH SHOW THAT FOR COLLEGE AGE STUDENTS AGED 18-22, SUICIDE IS THE SECOND LEADING CAUSE OF DEATH AFTER ACCIDENTAL DEATH. THERE CAN BE A LOT GOING ON WITH KIDS WHO ARE LEAVING HOME FOR THE FIRST TIME AND TRANSITIONING IN TO ADULTHOOD. WE SPOKE WITH DR. WARING OF SWEDISH WHO SAID FRIENDS, FAMILY, AND FELLOW CLASSMATES SHOULD BE PRESENT AND BE AN EMPATHETIC LISTENER IF SOMEONE EVER EXPRESSES THOUGHTS OF SUICIDE TO THEM. IT IS IMPORTANT TO TRY AND INSTILL HOPE AND HELP THEM FIND RESOURCES IF NEEDED.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 2/1
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: 7:57
Type: News

WE CLARIFIED THE SPECIAL ELECTION BALLOTS VIEWERS HAVE REGARDING SCHOOL LEVIES TO PAY FOR EDUCATION. THERE HAS BEEN RAMPANT CONFUSION BECAUSE THE VOTER PAMPHLETS FOR THE FEBRUARY 13 SPECIAL ELECTION DETAIL HOW THE LEVIES WILL LOCAL SCHOOLS, BUT THEY DO NOT OUTLINE THE AMOUNT OF STATE PROPERTY TAX INCREASES. SOME COUNTIES, LIKE SNOHOMISH AND PIERCE, HAVE COME OUT EARLY WITH THIS INFORMATION AND HAVE POSTED IT ON THEIR WEBSITES. KING COUNTY, HOWEVER, DOES NOT HAVE THAT INFORMATION. THE KING COUNTY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE SAYS THEY ARE STILL MANUALLY CALCULATING THOSE NUMBERS. OVERALL, IT'S SAFE TO SAY THAT VIEWERS LIVING IN KING COUNTY OR ANY AREA THAT HAS EXPENSIVE HOMES, WILL BE PAYING A SIGNIFICANT INCREASE IN PROPERTY TAXES. THESE INCREASES ARE DUE TO

THE MCCLEARY COURT MANDATE THAT SAYS BASIC EDUCATION MUST BE FULLY FUNDED THROUGH THE STATE BUDGET. SOME VOTERS, HOWEVER, ARE HESITANT TO VOTE YES WHEN THEY CAN'T BE SURE EXACTLY HOW MUCH THE INCREASES WILL IMPACT THEIR BUDGETS. BUT SCHOOL'S SAY THAT IF THE LEVIES AND THE BONDS DO NOT PASS, CLASSROOMS WILL BE OVERCROWDED CLASSROOMS AND THERE WILL BE CUTS TO PROGRAMS.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 2/7
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: 4:15
Type: News

WE TOLD OUR VIEWERS ABOUT NEW EFFORTS TO KEEP VULNERABLE SEATTLE YOUTH OUT OF TROUBLE, SPECIFICALLY IN THE WHITE CENTER NEIGHBORHOOD. WHILE NEW HOUSING DEVELOPMENTS SIGNAL A FRESH START, KING COUNTY SHERIFF'S VEHICLES REMAIN AS A REMINDER OF THE AREA'S TOUGH REPUTATION. WE SPOKE WITH LIFELONG WHITE CENTER RESIDENT, AARON GARCIA, WHO HAS DEDICATED HIS LIFE TO HELPING TEENS BE SUCCESSFUL. GARCIA HAS APPLIED FOR A YOUTH SPORTS GRANT FROM KING COUNTY WHICH PROVIDES 77-THOUSAND DOLLARS OVER TWO YEARS AND WILL ALLOW EVERGREEN HIGH STUDENT ATHLETES TO GO TO SPORTS SUMMER CAMPS ON COLLEGE CAMPUSES. THE SPORTS GRANT COVERS TRANSPORTATION AND HOUSING ALONG WITH THE EXPERIENCE. WHEN KIDS ARE OUT OF SCHOOL AND MAY NOT HAVE ACCESS TO CAMPS OTHERWISE, THEY MAY FALL IN WITH THE WRONG CROWD. BY BEING ABLE TO SEND THEM TO CAMPS, THOSE BAD INFLUENCES ARE LESS LIKELY TO GRAB A HOLD OF THEM AND OPEN UP NEW DOORS OF OPPORTUNITY.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 3/12
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: 3:00
Type: News

WE TOLD OUR VIEWERS THAT STUDENTS ACROSS THE REGION ARE PLANNING ON STAGING WALKOUTS THIS WEEK. THEIR GOAL IS TO TAKE TIME TO REMEMBER THE LIVES OF THOSE LOST IN PARKLAND AS WELL AS RAISE AWARENESS OF THE IMPORTANCE OF GUN CONTROL. THE PARKLAND FLORIDA SCHOOL SHOOTING MAY HAVE HAPPENED ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE COUNTRY, BUT THE IMPACT HAS BEEN PROFOUND. THE PLAN IS TO WALK OUT OF CLASSROOMS WEDNESDAY MORNING FOR 17 MINS IN MEMORY OF THE 17 VICTIMS WHO DIED IN PARKLAND. STUDENTS ALSO HOPE IT WILL SEND A MESSAGE TO LAWMAKERS. ONE CHANGE STUDENTS SAY THEY WOULD LIKE TO SEE IS THE AGE FOR BUYING GUNS TO BE RAISED. LOCAL SCHOOLS AND DISTRICTS EACH HAVE THEIR OWN POLICIES ABOUT LETTING STUDENTS PARTICIPATE IN THE PROTESTS.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 3/15

Time: 9:00 pm
Length: 9:21
Type: News

WE TOLD OUR VIEWERS THAT A RECENT ARTICLE BY THE NEW YORK TIMES REPORTED THAT MORE AMERICAN TEENAGERS THAN EVER ARE SUFFERING FROM SEVERE ANXIETY. ALSO, ACCORDING TO THE CDC, THE SUICIDE RATE FOR GIRLS AGES 15 TO 19 DOUBLED BETWEEN THE YEARS 2007 AND 2015. FOR BOYS, IT WENT UP 30 PERCENT. WE HIGHLIGHTED STUDENTS AT A LOCAL SCHOOL IN BELLEVUE, WA WHO HAVE DECIDED TO TACKLE THE ISSUE HEAD ON. AFTER RECEIVING AN ASSIGNMENT FROM A TEACHER, THEY CREATED THEIR OWN CURRICULUM ON MENTAL HEALTH. THEIR CURRICULUM ASKS STUDENTS TO MOVE FROM ONE SIDE OF THE ROOM TO THE NEXT IF THEY WOULD ANSWER YES TO A SERIES OF QUESTIONS THAT START OFF SIMPLE AND GET MORE POINTED AND MORE PERSONAL. THE STUDENT-CREATED CURRICULUM ALSO ADDRESSES ISSUES OF ANXIETY AND POSITIVE WAYS OF DEALING WITH IT. STAFF AT THE SCHOOL HAS EMBRACED THESE EFFORTS AND DEDICATED ONE DAY OF ENGLISH CLASS FOR STUDENTS TO DISCUSS AND SPREAD THE MESSAGE ABOUT ANXIETY AND DEPRESSION. STAFF BELIEVES THIS APPROACH IS EFFECTIVE BECAUSE THE MESSAGE IS BEING DELIVERED BY STUDENTS. THE PROGRAM IS CURRENTLY ONLY AVAILABLE AT ONE SCHOOL IN THE BELLEVUE SCHOOL DISTRICT, BUT THE TEENS ARE WORKING TO TAKE THE STUDENT-LED PROGRAM DISTRICT-WIDE.

V. TRANSPORTATION

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 1/24
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: :30
Type: News

WE TOLD OUR VIEWERS ABOUT A NEW STUDY BY AAA THAT SUGGESTS MORE AMERICANS ARE OPENING UP TO THE IDEA OF RIDING IN A SELF DRIVING CAR. AT THIS TIME LAST YEAR, 78 PERCENT OF PEOPLE SAID THEY'D BE AFRAID TO RIDE IN A DRIVERLESS CAR. A YEAR LATER AND THAT NUMBER IS DOWN TO 63 PERCENT. THE STUDY ALSO FOUND THAT MILLENNIALS SEEM TO BE THE MOST TRUSTING OF THE NEW DRIVERLESS TECHNOLOGY. AS PEOPLE'S ATTITUDES WARM TO THE IDEA, THE SELF-DRIVING CAR INDUSTRY CONTINUES TO MAKE STRIDES. FOR EXAMPLE, "WAYMO", WHICH IS PART OF GOOGLE, RECENTLY ANNOUNCED THEY ARE REMOVING TEST DRIVERS FROM ITS VEHICLES OPERATING IN THE PHOENIX AREA. MANY EXPERTS PREDICT DRIVERLESS TECHNOLOGY WILL BE IN WIDESPREAD USE ACROSS THE COUNTRY WITHIN THE NEXT TWO YEARS.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 1/30
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: 2:56
Type: News

WE GAVE OUR VIEWERS AN UPDATE ON THE STATE OF BRIDGES ALL ACROSS WASHINGTON. A NEW STUDY BY A ROAD CONSTRUCTION GROUP RANKS STATES BY HOW STRUCTURALLY SOUND THEIR BRIDGES ARE. WASHINGTON IS IN THE MIDDLE OF THE PACK, BUT NEARLY FIVE PERCENT OF ALL BRIDGES IN THE STATE ARE IN SERIOUS NEED OF REPAIR. THE STUDY FOUND ONE OF THOSE IS THE BRIDGE OVER THE GREEN RIVER IN KENT ON S 212TH THAT SEES 35 THOUSAND CROSSINGS A DAY. OUR STATE HAS SEEN MAJOR FAILINGS LIKE THE SKAGIT RIVER BRIDGE, AND BILLIONS OF DOLLARS IN REVAMPS FOR THE I-90 AND 520 BRIDGES. THE INDUSTRY STUDY SEEMS TO EXPOSE THE LITTLE SECRET ABOUT BRIDGE SAFETY: SOME BRIDGES DON'T GET INSPECTIONS FOR TWO YEARS. WSDOT SAID THAT'S BY DESIGN AND THAT THEY HAVE A ROTATING INSPECTION SCHEDULE FOR STATE-OWNED BRIDGES RATHER THAN GETTING THEM ALL DONE AT ONCE. THE ISSUE IS THAT A LOT CAN HAPPEN IN TWO YEARS WITH HARSH WEATHER AND WEAR AND TEAR. WE ALSO SHARED WITH OUR VIEWERS THAT THE STATE MIGHT GET SOME RELIEF IF THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT MAINTAINS THEIR STANCE ON INCREASING THE INFRASTRUCTURE BUDGET.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 2/1
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: :38
Type: News

WE LET OUR VIEWERS KNOW THAT BUS DRIVERS FOR SEATTLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS ARE ON STRIKE AND THERE'S NO END IN SIGHT. THESE MEANS 12 THOUSAND STUDENTS AND THEIR FAMILIES MUST FIND ALTERNATIVE WAYS TO GET KIDS TO AND FROM SCHOOL. THE DISTRICT IS GOING TO CONTINUE TO BE IN CONTACT WITH PARENTS AS THIS UNFOLDS. FIRST STUDENT IS TRYING TO WOO DRIVERS BACK TOO BY OFFERING A FULL 8 HOURS OF PAY, FREE LUNCH, AND A 25 DOLLAR PER DIEM FOR CROSSING THE PICKET LINE. THE COMPANY SAID AROUND 350 OF THE 400 WORKERS STAYED HOME TODAY IN PROTEST. THE OTHER 50 DID CROSS THE LINE AND DID GET SOME BUS RUNS GOING. THE DRIVERS HAVE BEEN NEGOTIATING OVER HEALTHCARE AND RETIREMENT BENEFITS SINCE LAST SUMMER. IT'S A STANDOFF BETWEEN THE TEAMSTERS UNION AND THE FIRST STUDENT TRANSPORTATION COMPANY. THE TEAMSTERS SAY DISRUPTING BUS SERVICE SENDS A STRONG MESSAGE TO THE DISTRICT AND SEATTLE FAMILIES.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 2/6
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: 3:06
Type: News

A NEW WASHINGTON STATE REPORT SAYS HOV LANES BETWEEN FEDERAL WAY, SEATTLE AND EVERETT MOVE TRAFFIC BELOW 45 MILES PER HOUR ALMOST 80-PERCENT OF THE TIME. HOWEVER, THE OTHER LANES MOVE EVEN SLOWER. WE SPOKE WITH RIDESHARE COMMUTERS TO GET A SENSE OF THE SHARED PAIN ON THE ROAD AND HOW NEW RIDESHARE OPPORTUNITIES

MIGHT HELP GIVE SNOHOMISH COUNTY RESIDENTS ALMOST THREE DAYS OF FREE TIME A MONTH. COMMUNITY TRANSIT SAYS ITS 100 VANPOOLS GET NEARLY 800 PEOPLE OFF THE ROAD IN THE CONGESTED MESS UP NORTH. THE TERRIBLE COMMUTES ARE A TWO-PRONGED PROBLEM. SEATTLE'S TOO PRICEY, SO GROWTH IS EXPANDING TO THE NORTH. THE COUNTY IS WORKING ON WIDENING ROADS THAT GET TO I-5, BUT THEY ARE YEARS AWAY. COMMUNITY TRANSIT AND WSDOT HAVE ALSO WORKED TO CREATE A NEW FOURTH LANE AT 128TH FOR BUSES ONLY WHICH SOME SAY HAS HELPED A LITTLE. AT THIS POINT, THE COUNTY ESTIMATES THAT 100 THOUSAND PEOPLE ARE TRAVELING BETWEEN SNOHOMISH AND KING COUNTIES TWICE A DAY AND THAT NUMBER WILL CONTINUE TO GROW. IF MORE COMMUTERS CAN BE FLEXIBLE AND CHOOSE OPTIONS LIKE A VAN SHARE, THEY COULD SAVE A LOT OF TIME, MONEY, AND WEAR AND TEAR ON THEIR VEHICLES.

Program: Q13 News This Morning
Airdate: 3/11
Time: 7:00 am
Length: 3:35
Type: News

WE UPDATED OUR VIEWERS ABOUT PLANS FOR THE NOTORIOUS MERCER MESS IN SEATTLE. TRAFFIC ON THIS BUSY ROUTE CAN TAKE COMMUTERS TWO HOURS JUST TO GO A FEW MILES. WSDOT HAS ANNOUNCED THAT THEY WILL BE TESTING THE USE OF METERS ON THE MERCER ON-RAMP TO I-5. THEY REPORT THAT THE LIGHTS WILL MAKE CARS LINE UP SAFELY AND MORE EFFICIENTLY TO MERGE. WSDOT ALSO SAYS THEY DON'T BELIEVE THE METERS WILL MAKE MERCER ANY SLOWER, AND THEY EXPECT CRASHES TO BE REDUCED BY 33 PERCENT. WSDOT SAYS METERS WITH A SHORT WAIT ON THE RAMP ALLOWS DRIVERS TO INCREASE THEIR AVERAGE FREEWAY SPEED SHORTENING TRAVEL TIMES ON I-5. HOWEVER, COMMUTERS WE SPOKE TO ARE NOT BUYING IT AS THEY DO NOT FIND CRASHES TO BE THE MAIN ISSUE ON MERCER. THEY THINK THAT METERS DURING RUSH HOUR WILL MAKE IT IMPOSSIBLE TO GET OUT OF THE SOUTH LAKE UNION AREA.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 3/14
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: 3:10
Type: News

WE TOLD OUR VIEWERS ABOUT PLANS FOR LIGHT RAIL EXPANSION IN THE SEATTLE AREA. AS THE POPULATION CONTINUES TO GROW IN THE PUGET SOUND REGION, THE NEED FOR PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION ALSO GROWS. THE PAINS OF GROWTH AND INEVITABLE CONSTRUCTION MESS IS NOT GOING TO BE CONVENIENT FOR EVERYONE, BUT SEATTLE IS A MODERN THRIVING METROPOLIS THAT NEEDS SENSIBLE INFRASTRUCTURE. SOUND TRANSIT RECENTLY RELEASED IDEAS FOR POSSIBLE ROUTES IN WEST SEATTLE. THEY WERE DRAWN UP AFTER ANALYZING THE VARIOUS IDEAS SOUND TRANSIT GATHERED FROM PUBLIC INPUT LAST MONTH. ONE PLAN WOULD PUT THE LIGHT RAIL ON 15TH AVE WEST. ANOTHER WOULD MOVE IT TO 20TH AVE AND CREATE AN UNDERGROUND STATION AT MARKET STREET. A GROUP OF ABOUT

30 COMMUNITY STAKEHOLDERS THAT REPRESENT BUSINESSES, COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS, AND OTHER ENTITIES THAT CARE ABOUT TRANSPORTATION AND TRANSIT IN THE REGION WILL ULTIMATELY DECIDE THE ROUTE OF LIGHT RAIL EXPANSION. THEY WILL CONSIDER PUBLIC INPUT, ANALYSIS, AND OTHER FACTORS BEFORE THEIR ULTIMATE PROPOSAL TO THE SOUND TRANSIT BOARD.

VI. GOVERNMENT

Program: Q13 News @ 4 pm
Airdate: 1/4
Time: 4:00 pm
Length: 3:28
Type: News

THE NEW DIRECTIVE ISSUED BY JEFF SESSIONS REGARDING MARIJUANA LEAVES MARIJUANA BUYERS, SELLERS, AND USERS VULNERABLE TO PROSECUTION. WE INFORMED OUR VIEWERS HOW LOCAL GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS ARE RESPONDING. WHILE INSLEE DID NOT INITIALLY SUPPORT I-502 ON THE BALLOT, HE HAS COME AROUND AFTER THE GROUNDSWELL OF SUPPORT, AND THE MASSIVE INFLUX OF SALES AND CASH TOTALLING MORE THAN THREE BILLION DOLLARS. THE MOVE BY THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT IS A BIPARTISAN WORRY TOO BECAUSE LAWMAKERS HAVE BANKED ON THE STEADY FLOW OF TAX MONEY FOR BUDGETS TO HELP OUR CASH-STRAPPED STATE. AT THIS STAGE OF THE GAME, BASED ON THE CITIZEN'S INITIATIVE, THE STATE HAS BILLIONS OF DOLLARS OF TRANSACTIONS THAT ARE TAKING PLACE RELATED TO THE MARIJUANA INDUSTRY. SEATTLE MAYOR JENNY DURKAN STATES THAT SHE SUPPORTS THE VOTERS AND THAT THERE ARE NO PLANS TO ENFORCE LAWS AGAINST SMALL TIME MARIJUANA USERS OR TO CLOSE DOWN ANY LEGAL BUSINESSES. WE TOLD OUR VIEWERS THEY COULD READ MORE ABOUT THE ATTORNEY GENERALS DECISION AND WHAT IT MEANS FOR OTHER STATES WHO HAVE LEGALIZED RECREATIONAL MARIJUANA BY GOING TO OUR WEBSITE, Q13FOX.COM.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 1/22
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: :40
Type: News

WE LET OUR VIEWERS KNOW THAT WASHINGTON STATE'S LAWMAKERS ON THE SENATE LAW AND JUSTICE COMMITTEE ARE EXPECTED TO LISTEN TO TESTIMONY ON REPEALING THE DEATH PENALTY. ACCORDING TO THE NORTHWEST NEWS NETWORK, THE PROPOSAL WOULD END CAPITAL PUNISHMENT AND REPLACE IT WITH LIFE WITHOUT PAROLE ON FIRST-DEGREE MURDER CONVICTIONS. IN 2014, GOVERNOR JAY INSLEE PLACED A MORATORIUM ON EXECUTIONS WHILE HE IS GOVERNOR. KING COUNTY PROSECUTOR DAN SATTERBERG IS ONE OF THE PEOPLE WHO WILL BE SPEAKING IN FAVOR OF GETTING RID OF THE DEATH PENALTY. HE SAYS IT WOULD MAKE THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM STRONGER. IN THE SEATTLE

TIMES THIS WEEKEND, SATTERBERG WROTE. "OUR DEATH PENALTY PROCESS IS TOO SLOW, TOO UNCERTAIN, TOO COSTLY AND ULTIMATELY, BY ANY MEASURE, IT CANNOT BE SAID TO WORK, " HE CONTINUED, "IT IS TIME TO MOVE ON FROM THIS 4-DECADES-LONG FAILED EXPERIMENT AND FOCUS OUR TIME AND RESOURCES ON MORE RATIONAL RESPONSES TO VIOLENT CRIME." WE ALSO LET OUR VIEWERS KNOW THAT THERE ARE CURRENTLY 8 PEOPLE ON DEATH ROW IN OUR STATE.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 2/8
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: :32
Type: News

WE TOLD OUR VIEWERS THAT A GROUP OF AIRLINES, INCLUDING ALASKA AIRLINES, IS SUING WASHINGTON STATE OVER ITS SICK LEAVE LAW. THE NEW PAID SICK LEAVE ACT TOOK EFFECT AT THE BEGINNING OF 2018 AND IT REQUIRES EMPLOYERS TO PROVIDE AT LEAST ONE HOUR OF PAID SICK LEAVE FOR EVERY 40 HOURS WORKED. ACCORDING TO THE HERALD, THE AIRLINES SAY THE MEASURE IS TOO COMPLICATED AND COULD ADD MORE COSTS AND DELAYS FOR TRAVELERS. THEY SAY THAT MULTIPLE STATES AND CITIES WITH SIMILAR LAWS ARE MAKING IT HARD FOR THEM TO COMPLY WITH ALL THE DIFFERENT REGULATIONS. THE COMPLAINT ALSO SAYS SICK TIME AND OTHER EMPLOYEE BENEFITS ARE ALREADY NEGOTIATED VIA COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENTS. THE AIRLINES ARE SEEKING A RULING FROM A FEDERAL JUDGE, REQUESTING THE STATE'S LAW NOT APPLY TO PILOTS AND CREW MEMBERS. HOWEVER, PASSENGERS WHO SPOKE WITH US DON'T SEEM TO THINK AIRLINES SHOULD BE ALLOWED TO HOLD THEIR PASSENGERS HOSTAGE WITH THE NEW LAWSUIT. FSG WORKING WASHINGTON, AN ORGANIZATION THAT SUPPORTED THE PAID SICK LEAVE LAW HAS ALSO REITERATED THAT WORKERS' RIGHTS AND PUBLIC HEALTH AREN'T COMPLICATED. THEY BELIEVE AIRLINE EMPLOYEES SHOULD BE ABLE TO TAKE A SICK DAY WHEN THEY'RE SICK, JUST LIKE EVERY OTHER WORKER IN EVERY OTHER WORKPLACE IN OUR STATE.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 2/23
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: 4:37
Type: News

WE LET OUR VIEWERS KNOW THAT SEATTLE LANDLORDS ARE TAKING THE CITY OF SEATTLE TO COURT OVER NEW RULES THAT REQUIRE LANDLORDS TO TAKE THE FIRST QUALIFIED TENANT WHO APPLIES AND BANS THEM FROM CHECKING CRIMINAL RECORDS. LANDLORDS SAY STATE LAW ALREADY PROTECTS RENTERS FROM DISCRIMINATION, AND THAT SEATTLE'S POLICY IS AN UNCONSTITUTIONAL OVERREACH. A JUDGE IS EXPECTED TO ANNOUNCE A RULING IN A FEW WEEKS AND IT'S EXPECTED TO BE A LANDMARK DECISION BECAUSE SEATTLE IS THE ONLY PLACE IN THE COUNTRY WITH AN ORDINANCE LIKE THIS. LANDLORDS FEEL THEY SHOULD HAVE SOME SAY IN WHO THEY RENT TO IN ORDER TO KEEP THEIR COMMUNITIES SAFE. ONE LANDLORD WE

SPOKE TO, CHRIS BENIS, THAT IS A PART OF LAWSUIT SAYS HE AND HIS FAMILY WILL SELL THEIR REAL ESTATE HOLDINGS IN THE CITY OF SEATTLE IF THESE RULES STAND. HE PREDICTS OTHERS WILL FOLLOW SUIT.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 3/1
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: :44
Type: News

WE LET OUR VIEWERS KNOW THE BILL TO EXEMPT WASHINGTON STATE LAWMAKERS FROM THE PUBLIC RECORDS ACT WILL NOT BECOME LAW. THE DECISION CAME AFTER THOUSANDS OF VOTERS CALLED OR EMAILED THEIR STATE ELECTED OFFICIALS. GOVERNOR JAY INSLEE VETOED THE BILL JUST SHORT OF THE MIDNIGHT DEADLINE. WE ALSO REPORTED THAT A FEW MINUTES BEFORE WE GOT THE NEWS, DEMOCRATS AND ALL THE REPUBLICANS IN THE HOUSE ISSUED A LETTER THEY SENT TO THE GOVERNOR ASKING HIM TO VETO THE BILL. EARLIER IN THE WEEK THE GOVERNOR SAID A THE BILL WAS VETO-PROOF BECAUSE THE SAME LAWMAKERS WHO PASSED THE BILL COULD OVERRIDE HIS VETO. THE PUSH BACK ON THE BILL DIDN'T JUST COME FROM THE PUBLIC. THE SEATTLE TIMES AND OTHERS ACROSS THE STATE PUBLISHED FRONT PAGE EDITORIALS THIS WEEK AGAINST THE MEASURE. IT WAS THE FIRST FOR THE SEATTLE TIMES IN MORE THAN 100 YEARS. LAWMAKERS ARE NOW SAYING THEY WANT TO FORM A TASK FORCE IN ORDER TO READDRESS THE ISSUE AND COME UP WITH A SOLUTION THAT WORKS FOR THE GOVERNMENT AND THE PUBLIC THEY SERVE.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 3/14
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: 3:21
Type: News

WE TOLD OUR VIEWERS THAT GOVERNOR JAY INSLEE, SURROUNDED BY HEADS OF STATE AGENCIES AND TRIBAL LEADERS, SIGNED AN EXECUTIVE ORDER TO MAKE SAVING WASHINGTON STATE'S RESIDENT ORCAS A TOP PRIORITY. OFFICIALS BELIEVE PEOPLE, THE ORCAS, AND THE SALMON CAN LIVE TOGETHER AND CO-EXIST AS WE GROW IN THIS AREA. THE ORDER INCLUDES FOUR KEY POINTS. FIRST, MORE QUIET SPACE FOR BOATS AROUND ORCAS WHICH INCLUDES STATE FERRIES. NEXT, IS A PLAN FOR CLEANER WATER BY REDUCING TOXINS THAT FLOW INTO RIVERS AND THE SOUND. THE ORDER ALSO SEEKS TO PROTECT ORCAS FROM POTENTIAL OIL SPILLS. FINALLY, THE ORDER PLANS TO FOCUS ON RESTORING THE POPULATION OF THE ORCAS' FAVORITE MEAL, CHINOOK SALMON, BY INVESTING IN HATCHERIES. THIS WILL ALSO INVOLVE HABITAT RESTORATION WITH THE HOPES OF REAL RECOVERY OF THE ORCA, THE PUGET SOUND, AND THE STATE OF WASHINGTON.

VII. COMMUNITY

Program: Q13 News This Morning
Airdate: 1/6
Time: 7:00 am
Length: 2:56
Type: News

WE LET OUR VIEWERS KNOW A RECENT FEDERAL SURVEY SHOWS HOMELESS NUMBERS HAVE GONE UP NATION-WIDE FOR THE FIRST TIME SINCE 2010, MOSTLY ON THE WEST COAST. PROBLEMS LIKE AFFORDABLE HOUSING, MENTAL ILLNESS, AND ADDICTION ARE MAKING CITIES LIKE SEATTLE AND TACOMA DECLARE HOMELESS EMERGENCIES. BUT THESE COMMUNITIES ARE ALSO TAKING STEPS TO COMBAT THE PROBLEM. BETHELEHEM BAPTIST CHURCH ON PORTLAND AVENUE IN EAST TACOMA HAS TRANSFORMED THEIR FACILITY IN TO A HOMLESS SHELTER. THE CHURCH HAS PUT IN CARPET TILES AND PUT UP COTS TO MAKE THEIR SPACE AS INVITING AND COMFORTABLE AS POSSIBLE. THE CHURCH-TURNED-SHELTER ALSO PROVIDES DAY CARE, A COMMERCIAL KITCHEN, AND SHOWERS ON-SITE. IN 2017, THE TACOMA CITY COUNCIL UPDATED ITS LAWS WHICH WAVED SOME PERMITTING FEES TO MAKE IT EASIER FOR CHURCHES AND OTHER NON-PROFITS TO OPEN SHELTERS. CITY OFFICIALS CONFIRM BETHELEHEM BAPTIST IS SO FAR THE FIRST CHURCH TO APPLY FOR A PERMIT.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 1/23
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: 4:12
Type: News

WE TOLD OUR VIEWERS THAT VANDALISM HATE CRIMES APPEAR TO BE ON THE RISE HERE IN WASHINGTON STATE. DATA FROM THE FBI SHOWS THAT THESE TYPES OF CRIMES HAVE ALMOST DOUBLED IN A YEARS TIME. IN 2015, THE FBI INVESTIGATED 69 GRAFFITI OR VANDALISM HATE CRIMES IN THE EVERGREEN STATE. A YEAR LATER, THAT NUMBER JUMPED TO 113 HATE CRIMES. THIS FOLLOWS A SIMILAR TREND NATIONWIDE WHERE THERE WERE ROUGHLY 200 MORE REPORTS OF "HATE CRIME RELATED VANDALISM" THAN THE YEAR BEFORE. THE CITY OF SEATTLE WORKS WITH SPD OFFICERS TO TRACK THESE CRIMES ALONG WITH DATA POINTS LIKE AGE, PARENTAL AND MARITAL STATUS, AND POLITICAL IDEOLOGY. THE POINT, THEY SAY, IS TO TRACK WHERE BIAS CRIMES ARE HAPPENING. THIS WAY THE CITY CAN COME UP WITH A PLAN TO MINIMIZE THEIR IMPACT, ESPECIALLY ON SEATTLE'S MOST VULNERABLE COMMUNITIES. LISA HERBOLD, A SEATTLE COUNCILMEMBER, SAYS IT'S REALLY IMPORTANT NOT JUST FOR VICTIMS TO COME FORWARD BUT FOR BYSTANDERS TO SPEAK UP AS WELL.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 2/1
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: 3:37

Type: News

THE OPIOID EPIDEMIC IS HITTING WASHINGTON STATE HARD. SO, WE TOLD OUR VIEWERS ABOUT TWO NEW LOCAL EFFORTS TO TRY AND FIGHT BACK. ON ONE SIDE, THE PIERCE COUNTY PROSECUTOR IS TAKING THE BATTLE TO COURT BY SUING THREE OPIOID MAKERS. THE DRUG MAKERS ARE BEING ACCUSED OF BEING COMPLICIT IN THE CRISIS THAT'S KILLING HUNDREDS OF PEOPLE IN WASHINGTON STATE EVERY YEAR. TACOMA'S FIRE DEPARTMENT IS TAKING THINGS A STEP FURTHER BY GIVING AWAY FREE NARCAN WHICH IS A DRUG THAT CAN REVERSE THE EFFECTS OF AN OPIOID OVERDOSE. THE KITS COME WITH THE NASAL SPRAY FORM OF NARCAN ALONG WITH READING MATERIALS ABOUT HOW TO USE THEM AND HOW TO SPOT AN OVERDOSE. ALSO INCLUDED IS A BLUE CARD WITH RESOURCES AND A PROMISED FOLLOW-UP CALL FROM PROFESSIONALS. WE ALSO LET OUR VIEWERS KNOW THAT THE FUNDING FOR THIS PROGRAM IS NOT COMING OUT OF TAXPAYERS DOLLARS IN THE FIRE DEPARTMENT'S BUDGET, BUT RATHER FROM A STATEWIDE GRANT SPECIFICALLY SET ASIDE TO FIGHT THE OPIOID CRISIS. THESE KITS CAN BE PICKED UP AT ANY OF THE REGION'S NEEDLE EXCHANGES.

Program: Q13 News This Morning
Airdate: 2/4
Time: 7:00 am
Length: :24
Type: News

WE TOLD OUR VIEWERS THAT SEVERAL VOLUNTEERS OPENED A WORKSHOP AT MCCAUGH HALL IN SEATTLE TO HELP HUNDREDS OF SEATTLE-AREA IMMIGRANTS AND REFUGEES. THOSE ATTENDING THE WORKSHOP WERE ABLE TO GET THEIR LEGAL QUESTIONS ANSWERED FREE OF CHARGE. SOME FAMILIES WE SPOKE TO TOLD US THAT EVEN WITH THE LEGAL STATUS OFFERED BY A GREEN CARD, THEY'RE STILL CONCERNED ABOUT THE FUTURE. WE ALSO LET OUR VIEWERS KNOW THAT IF THEY MISSED THE WORKSHOP, THEY CAN STILL GET IN TOUCH WITH SEATTLE'S OFFICE OF IMMIGRANT AND REFUGEE AFFAIRS FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT BECOMING A U.S. CITIZEN. WE ALSO INCLUDED A LINK TO MORE INFORMATION ON OUR WEBSITE.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 3/6
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: 3:29
Type: News

WE LET OUR VIEWERS KNOW HOW THE COMMUNITY CAME TOGETHER TO HONOR REX THE HERO DOG. REX, THE MIGHTY GERMAN SHEPHERD, SUFFERED SEVERAL INJURIES PROTECTING HIS OWNER FROM HOME INVADERS TWO WEEKS AGO. TODAY, PETA HONORED REX WITH A HEROIC DOG AWARD FOR GOING ABOVE AND BEYOND AT GREAT PERSONAL RISK TO PROTECT HIS BELOVED FAMILY. IN ADDITION TO THE AWARD, PETA ALSO GAVE REX A GET-WELL CARE PACKAGE AND THEY ARE OFFERING A REWARD OF \$5,000 FOR

INFORMATION LEADING TO THE ARREST AND CONVICTION OF THE ARMED INTRUDERS WHO VICIOUSLY BEAT AND SHOT THE FAMILY DOG. THE ORGANIZATION ALSO APPLAUDED JAN MAGNUSON, THE DES MOINES POLICE DEPARTMENT ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER, WHO SAVED REX'S LIFE BY RUSHING HIM TO THE VET. REX IS STILL HEALING PHYSICALLY AND EMOTIONALLY, BUT HE IS IMPROVING EVERY DAY. THE FAMILY SAYS THEY ARE JUST OVERWHELMED BY THE OUTPOURING OF SUPPORT FROM THE COMMUNITY.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 3/16
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: 4:41
Type: News

WE TOLD OUR VIEWERS THAT THE PIERCE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT HAS RESPONDED TO MORE HOMICIDES SO FAR THIS YEAR THAN ALL OF LAST YEAR COMBINED. THEY'RE ALREADY UP TO 12 AND FIVE OF THOSE OCCURRED IN THE LAST WEEK. ALL OF THE HOMICIDES ARE HAVING AN IMPACT ON THE FORCE. THESE CRIMES ARE ALSO AFFECTING THOSE IN THE COMMUNITY. THE SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT HAS BEEN POSTING POSITIVE STORIES ON THEIR FACEBOOK PAGE IN AN EFFORT TO BALANCE SOME OF THE NEGATIVE NEWS. BUSINESSES LIKE TRACERS ROAST COFFEE COMPANY SOUTH OF PUYALLUP ARE TRYING TO ALLEVIATE THE BURDEN BY OFFERING OFFICERS A FREE CUP OF COFFEE. SHERIFF PAUL PASTOR, PIERCE COUNTY SHERIFF, SAID TO US THAT SOME OFFICERS ARE FEELING LIKE THEY'VE BEEN RODE HARD AND PUT AWAY WET. HE IS THANKFUL THEY HAVE THE HEART TO KEEP GOING. OTHERS IN THE COMMUNITY SAY THEY REMEMBER TO THANK OFFICERS WHEN THEY SEE THEM. SHERIFF PASTORS SAYS THEY DESERVE IT AND IT SHOWS THE OFFICERS THE COMMUNITY SUPPORTS THEM FOR WHAT THEY'RE DOING.

Program: Q13 News @ 9
Airdate: 3/22
Time: 9:00 pm
Length: 3:31
Type: News

WE TOLD OUR VIEWERS ABOUT A LOCAL COMMUNITY THAT IS COMING TOGETHER TO ADDRESS GUN SAFETY. IN THE HIGHLINE SCHOOL DISTRICT, A GROUP OF ABOUT 60 PEOPLE MADE UP OF SCHOOL STAFF, PARENTS, AND STUDENTS ARE TRYING TO FIGURE OUT WHAT TO DO ABOUT GUN VIOLENCE. THEY HAVE DISCUSSED IDEAS LIKE ADDING MORE LAW ENFORCEMENT AND UNDERGOING MORE LOCKDOWN DRILLS. HOWEVER, PEOPLE ALSO THINK THE RESPONSIBILITY FOR SOLUTIONS SHOULD NOT BE PLACED ONLY SOLELY ON LAW ENFORCEMENT, THE COMMUNITY, THE DISTRICT, THE SCHOOLS, OR JUST ON FAMILIES. A 2016 BOND MEASURE WILL HELP PAY FOR SCHOOL SAFETY UPGRADES LIKE AUTOMATIC DOOR LOCKS AND ELECTRONIC CARD READERS AT ENTRANCE DOORS OF ALL SCHOOLS. BUT HIGHLINE'S SUPERINTENDENT SAYS PREVENTION STARTS WITH GETTING TO KNOW EACH STUDENT'S STRENGTHS AND STRUGGLES BECAUSE IT IS GOING TO BE THAT STUDENT OR A TEACHER WHO NOTICES A YOUNG PERSON WHO IS ACTING DIFFERENTLY

OR SAYING SOMETHING DIFFERENTLY. HAVING A STUDENT BODY AND STAFF ON THE ALERT CAN BETTER ENSURE PREVENTION OF TRAGIC INCIDENTS. DISTRICT STAFF ADMITT THEY DON'T HAVE ALL THE ANSWERS AND THEY WANT INPUT FROM THE COMMUNITY.