## **ISSUES - PROGRAMS REPORT**

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## STATION KKPS HAS ASCERTAINED THAT THE FOLLOWING ISSUES ARE MATTERS OF CONCERN TO THE COMMUNITY IT SERVES:

- 1. HEALTH CARE
- 2. IMMIGRATION REFORM
- 3. EDUCATION
- 4. PUBLIC SAFETY
- 5. CHILD SAFETY
- 6. LOCAL AND NATIONAL ECONOMY
- 7. WOMEN'S ISSUES
- 8. LOCAL POLITICS AND GOVERNMENT
- 9. ROLE OF LATINOS IN THE COMMUNITY
- 10. LATINO YOUTH

## STATION KKPS ADDRESSED THE ISSUES IT HAS DETERMINED ARE OF CONCERN IN THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMS, NEWS PROGRAMS, AND PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS

ISSUE: HEALTH CARE

Planned Parenthood Suing Texas

Program: KKPS Morning News

When: November 24, 2015 at 6:50/7:50 AM

Planned Parenthood is suing Texas over efforts to block Medicaid funding. The organization says health care access to over 13-thousand women is on the line. The lawsuit was filed in Austin.

Medical School Receives Grant

Program: KKPS Morning News

When: December 21, 2015 at 6:50/7:50 AM

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ISSUE: IMMIGRATION REFORM

Injunction Upheld

Program: KKPS Morning News

When: November 10, 2015 at 6:50/7:50 AM

Brownsville federal judge Andrew Hanen's injunction blocking President Obama's executive action on immigration reform has stood up in an appellate court. Republicans hailed the decision as a victory; the administration's only option is to take its case to the U-S Supreme Court.

Administration Appeals Ruling

Program: KKPS Morning News

When: November 11, 2015 at 6:50/7:50 AM

President Obama is appealing the latest ruling against his executive action on immigration. The Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals upheld the injunction to Obama's order to block the deportation of millions of illegal immigrants. That injunction came from Brownsville federal judge Andrew Hanen.

**Deportations Planned** 

Program: KKPS Morning News

When: December 29, 2015 at 6:50/7:50 AM

South Texas congressman Henry Cuellar says a national plan to start deporting undocumented immigrants is in the works. Cuellar says those affected are mostly from Central America, most of whom are women and children who have already been ordered deported. Cuellar said the deportations could begin as early as next month.

National Guard Troops To Stay

Program: KKPS Morning News

When: December 16, 2015 at 6:50/7:50 AM

Governor Greg Abbott will keep National Guard troops along the border to help stop illegal crossings into the United States. Abbott says this is his response to what he calls "federal inaction" in preventing unaccompanied minors from entering the country.

**Customs Head Visits** 

Program: KKPS Morning News

When: December 16, 2015 at 6:50/7:50 AM

The commissioner of Customs and Border Protection was in the Valley Tuesday. Gil Kerwikowski toured a detention center in McAllen and several other locations, speaking with detainees and local border patrol officials.

**ISSUE: EDUCATION** 

Local School Awarded

Program: KKPS Morning News

When: October 15, 2015 at 6:50/7:50 AM

A big honor for a Valley high school. St. Joseph's Academy in Brownsville is named High School of the Year by the National Hispanic Institute. St. Joe's has been nominated for the award six times. This time, they won, in their 150th year of existence.

State Officials Meet With School District Officials

Program: KKPS Morning News

When: November 3, 2015 at 6:50/7:50 AM

The Texas Education Agency meets with Progreso school district officials, who are appealing the decision to replace the board with state-appointed managers. The TEA's investigation into the district followed reports of mismanagement of funds and corruption among board members.

School Board Members Indicted

Program: KKPS Morning News

When: November 18, 2015 at 6:50/7:50 AM

Two members of the Donna school board and a city employee have been indicted on charges of bribery and extortion. They include school board vice-president Eloy Infante, board member Elpidio Yanez, and city worker Adrian Guerrero. They're all free on bond. A pre-trial hearing is set for next month.

Affirmative Action Goes To SCOTUS

Program: KKPS Morning News

When: December 9, 2015 at 6:50/7:50 AM

The Supreme Court today takes up the issue of affirmative action in college admissions. The University of Texas says students learn better when there's diversity on campus, but lawyers for a woman who was denied admission to U-T say that's not enough to justify decisions based on race.

**Education Reform Bill Signed** 

Program: KKPS Morning News

When: December 11, 2015 at 6:50/7:50 AM

President Obama signed a sweeping education reform bill Thursday. The new law replaces the No Child Left Behind Act, and will give more authority to states and local school districts.

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ISSUE: PUBLIC SAFETY

New Police Chief In Edinburg

Program: KKPS Morning News

When: November 4, 2015 at 6:50/7:50 AM

Edinburg has a new chief of police. 25-year department veteran David White was sworn in Tuesday. He replaces Rolando Castaneda, who retired earlier this year.

New Border Patrol Sector Chief

Program: KKPS Morning News

When: November 4, 2015 at 6:50/7:50 AM

The Border Patrol's RGV sector has a new chief. Manny Padilla comes to the Valley from Tucson, Arizona, where he was the sector chief. His last day there is November 20th.

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