

# Issues/Program Report

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Quarterly Issues Report  
July-September 2016

<u>KTMJ-CD/Program</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Time</u>
Fox News at 9pm	Mon-Sunday	9:00pm-9:30pm

Each program previously listed is a locally produced news program presenting a mix of news, weather, sports and community issue reports. These reports normally run about 1 and ½ minutes in length.

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Fox News Sunday	Sunday	9:00am-10:00am
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This show is produced by Fox News and hosted by Chris Wallace. It features news of the week, interviews with political insiders, interview segments and feature reports. Fox New panelists also are routinely on the show to comment and ask questions of interview subjects.

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The following pages will describe the various treatment we gave stories in different categories for the quarter.

Our categories included:

\*Consumer

\*Education

\*Health and Fitness

\*Community & Volunteer Efforts

\*Safety & Crime Prevention

Each story in the various categories describe locally produced content in topic. The following items represent a wide range of information we feel is valuable to our viewers.

Many items are refashioned in some form by reporters to air on the following morning shows on KSNT and KTKA.

**Consumer news**

This category consists of news directed at the consumer; items that deal with household budgeting, scam alerts, trends, money management, etc.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 7/6/16

Length: 1:34

Summary: During the summer months, it can be hard for people with little income to keep their homes cool especially if their homes are not properly insulated. Now those struggling may be getting a break with the help of a \$350,000 dollar grant. We find out how this benefits people who need it most.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 7/22/16

Length: 1:30

Summary: From leaky faucets and squeaky doors...to more serious situations like black mold. Being a renter can come with all kinds of issues. That was the case for a Topeka woman who had been sweating it out in the summer heat after her air conditioner stopped working. We dig deeper into what rights renters have.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 7/25/16

Length: 1:30

Summary: It looks like things are back on track for Kansas schools. This year parents should expect to pay more on their kids' school supplies. Kansas schools will also be upping fees of their own. We talk with USD 501 members to see exactly how much more money you'll be coughing up.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 8/27/16

Length: 45 sec.

Summary: The Topeka police department warned residents about a new scam. This time...it's over the phone. And this is the number you need to look out for. Police are saying the caller presents them self as a sheriff's deputy. They call to say a person at the house as failed to appear in court.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 8/29/16

Length: 1:25

Summary: The city of Ottawa is currently under an emergency boil water advisory. After a water main line broke last night. We check in to see how the city is holding up.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 9/2/16

Length: 1:02

Summary: As the summer driving season comes to an end, the gas pump will be more forgiving on your wallet. But take some comfort knowing that you spent a little less for this holiday weekend compared to previous months. We take a look at the numbers.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 9/6/16

Length: 1:41

Summary: Saturday's earthquake may not have had anyone running for the hills but it does have some Kansans looking into earthquake insurance. We take a look and see how you might best protect yourself from a shakeup.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 9/19/16

Length: 1:35

Summary: Those red itchy dots on many people's arms and upper bodies have returned to northeast Kansas. The problem of oak mites was one we saw last year and this year is no different. They are just barely visible insects to the human eye. The little oak mites live in the leaves of oak trees around Topeka and the rest of the Midwest. They were first found in Kansas back in 20-04 but they have gotten worse in recent years.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 9/20/16

Length: 1:38

Summary: With summer still here, you might have noticed your electricity bill higher than expected. But one man in Junction City recently got his bill and saw it was more than double what he normally pays. We are tracking down answers from Westar.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 9/28/16

Length: 1:25

Summary: Those living in Hiawatha are watching where they use their drinking water and who they let drink from the tap. That's because there is too much of one chemical in the water that makes it unsafe for babies and pregnant women. We found out what the town is doing to keep people safe.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 9/28/16

Length: 50 sec.

Summary: Westar customers have complained to the Kansas Corporation Commission and now the energy company is under investigation. The KCC says they've had nine complaints about the new smart meters. The commission has recommended Westar provide customers the option not to have a smart meter and keep their mechanical meter.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 9/29/16

Length: 50 sec.

Summary: If you have an ash tree...listen up. The Kansas Department of Agriculture is currently testing trees in the area to see if ash trees are infested with the emerald ash borer. The beetles are attracted to ash trees that feed on the bark of the trees. After years of trees being infested, the tree dies and then must be removed.

### **Education News**

This category consists of innovative learning opportunities in the classroom, what students are learning and how educators are meeting the demands; it also covers items parents can use in their own home to better raise their family.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 7/8/16

Length: 1:18

Summary: With a new elementary school being built in Holton, students in the area can expect some changes. But they may not be the only ones who will be seeing changes this upcoming school year. We find out how the newly built school will impact teachers and students.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 8/20/16

Length: 1:33

Summary: Washburn university students went back to school this this week. Those students will have a big impact on the local economy. We spoke with one business that is just as excited as the students are for the school year to start.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 8/25/16

Length: 45 sec.

Summary: The Boys and Girls Club of Topeka is now more high tech. A ribbon cutting was held today at the Adams building for Club Tech. Now the club has a space for an interactive smart board and other technology. It will use the room to teach kids financial literacy.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 8/26/16

Length: 45 sec.

Summary: The grades are in and Kansas schools are slipping in some key areas according to a new report card. The Kansas Association of School Boards released its research today. It found Kansas' overall education rank remains high...tenth in the nation for overall student outcomes. But it ranks 29th in total revenue per student.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 9/1/16

Length: 35 sec.

Summary: Topeka public schools unveiled its newest vehicle aimed at helping kids. The "tot spot" van was unveiled for the first time ahead of the board of education meeting. Spot stands for speech, physical therapy, occupational therapy teacher.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 9/9/16

Length: 45 sec.

Summary: A summit in Topeka is helping veterans get the mental health services they need. The V-A Eastern Kansas Health Care system community held a mental health summit at the Topeka Masonic center. Sessions included talks on coming home after service, military sexual trauma, homelessness and suicide prevention.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 9/12/16

Length: 1:35

Summary: The largest teachers union in Kansas will try to overturn a policy change passed by lawmakers that makes it easier to fire teachers. The group had their case dismissed in a district court. But now their appeal is being heard by the state supreme court. We explain why some teachers believe the rule is unconstitutional.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 9/21/16

Length: 1:35

Summary: Kansans could see a change in how much money public schools are given. The state Supreme Court heard arguments on whether school funding is adequate in the state. We were at the hearing and share the arguments the two sides are making.

## **Health and Fitness news**

This category covers important health and fitness news for family and children; illness prevention and health education is also covered

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 7/8/16

Length: 50 sec.

Summary: People who live in the Oakland neighborhood could soon have a medical clinic within walking distance of their homes. Topeka Public Schools superintendent Dr. Tiffany Anderson is leading the effort. She says the local health care provider, Grace Med is looking for a grant that would allow funding for a new clinic.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 7/11/16

Length: 1:33

Summary: Flint Hills Community Health Center received a grant this month that would expand dental services to thousands in Emporia. We talk with employees in the dentist's office on what those expansions mean for the area in keeping kids and adult with a healthy hygiene regimen.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 7/13/16

Length: 1:36

Summary: Last year we told you about a Topeka girl who has a rare condition that makes her allergic to the sun. Now there's a new drug that is meant to help her be able to handle being in the sunlight for long hours. We talked with the girl and her mother about how the new drug is working for her.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 7/21/16

Length: 1:28

Summary: Five hundred softball players across the nation are in Topeka for a three day tournament. We were there today talking with visitors. Some tell us this high of heat is uncommon from where they're from and what they're used to. We find out what's being done to help make the tournament a little more tolerable and keep them safe from any heat related problems.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 8/10/16

Length: 1:39

Summary: A rise in Zika cases in southern Florida has raised the question again about research getting funding from the federal government to find a vaccine. Here in Kansas, one university is still doing work despite the lack of money coming in. We follow up on a story we first told you about in June to see what has changed.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 8/28/16

Length: 1:12

Summary: Kansas health officials are warning people about toxic algae blooms in several lakes across the state. We spoke to several people out at Milford reservoir where the algae is in full bloom and how it's affecting them.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 9/1/16

Length: 45 sec.

Summary: Those donating blood won't see a change once the Topeka Blood Center starts screening for the Zika virus. The center will join its parent organization in response to the food and drug administration's recommendations to test blood for Zika.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 9/2/16

Length: 1:03

Summary: Do you consider e-cigarettes to be the same as cigarettes? Leaders in Manhattan are thinking of treating them the same and banning them. We look at the potential impact on business and what changes electronic smokers will have to make.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 9/18/16

Length: 1:13

Summary: Some residents of Lyndon and Alma say they are afraid to see their clinics close. This comes after Stormont Vail announced it will be closing them in less than four months. We talk with some people who expressed their concern over the closings.

### **Community and Volunteer efforts**

This category covers stories involving various community and volunteer efforts in their particular towns and cities that enable their communities to be a better place to live and work.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 7/8/16

Length: 1:14

Summary: In the aftermath of the events in Dallas and earlier this week in Baton Rouge and Minnesota, we wanted to hear how Topekans are responding. We went to an east Topeka event that focused on bringing together a community.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 7/9/16

Length: 1:18

Summary: Tonight volunteers held their annual Zoobilee -- a fundraiser for the Topeka zoo. The event isn't just about raising money for the zoo...it's about something more.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 7/10/16

Length: 1:29

Summary: Fiesta Mexicana is here in Topeka with the fiesta kicking off in a couple of days. The Oakland neighborhood has volunteered their time to keep this tradition going for 83 years. We visit the area to see what goes in to setting up the incredible tradition.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 7/22/16

Length: 1:34

Summary: Topeka Police and other responders are teamed up today to hand out bottles of water to the homeless and needy during this excessive heat. We rode along with the crew and talked with those trying find relief from the heat.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 7/29/16

Length: 1:33

Summary: Have you ever heard of one man's trash is another man's treasure? Well, Manhattan has made that saying a reality. We checked out how the community came together for their annual furniture amnesty day to see what \*treasures locals were able to dig up.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 8/4/16

Length: 1:33

Summary: Topeka police are continuing to try and build better relationships with the citizens they serve as part of the annual National Night Out. The event also unites communities on ways to protect their community from crime. We talked with one resident in hi-crest neighborhood on the changes this brought to her neighborhood.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 8/6/16

Length: 1:31

Summary: Safe Streets in Topeka held National Night Out in various locations around Topeka. The event is where the community gathers together to curb crime. We find out what one neighborhood is taking from the event.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 8/16/16

Length: 45 sec.

Summary: Volunteers from Topeka and Wichita Red Cross chapters left for Louisiana to help out flood victims. For two weeks, the volunteers will drive through the state providing two meals a day to those affected by the flooding.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 8/20/16

Length: 45 sec.

Summary: A motorcycle club for firefighters and e-m-s members are raising money for families of two Hoyt firefighters. The club is raising money by holding a motorcycle ride and an auction. Half of the money raised from the event will go to the family of Captain Michael Schultz who was killed when the truck he was in crashed back in July.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 9/5/16

Length: 45 sec.

Summary: People headed to Everest for the 9th annual Tractor Cruise for a Cure. Each tractor driver donated 35 dollars to participate...with the money going to the Angelman Syndrome foundation. The cruise was created nearly 10 years ago by Ingrid Olson's father to help find a cure for his daughter who has the disorder.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 9/11/16

Length: 1:16

Summary: While the sun was out on 9/11, a special memorial could be seen if you were driving in Osage county near the Melvern overpass on the Kansas Turnpike. We found out how organizers have kept this show of patriotism going since 2002.

### **Safety and crime prevention**

This category consists of efforts to ensure family safety in the home, workplace and schools.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 7/7/16

Length: 1:34

Summary: After we heard about the infant found in Lawrence we questioned what options do parents in the area have if they want to give up their children. We looked at the Safe Haven law in the state and how it's there to help parents.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 7/11/16

Length: 1:33

Summary: When it comes to traffic stops, there is only one thing that matters to both the officer and driver at the end of it all: getting home safe. In light of recent events we talked to the Kansas Highway Patrol to hopefully bridge the gap of misunderstandings between a driver and the officer.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 7/28/16

Length: 1:36

Summary: Members from Junction City's school district met today for a training seminar before school starts. What are they training for? Any emergency situation that could put them or their students in danger. We see how USD 475 is preparing for the worst.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 8/3/16

Length: 1:37

Summary: A deadly hot air balloon crash in Texas last weekend has many questioning the safety of hot air ballooning. We talk with a local hot air balloon pilot about the tragedy and what he'll be doing differently now.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 8/4/16

Length: 1:20

Summary: Three quarters of a million dollars will help research how to prevent and respond to sexual assaults on campus. Eight schools are part of the heartland project. All will get money from the University of Kansas to start their own campus task force to prevent sexual assault.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 8/8/16

Length: 1:12

Summary: The possibility of your child being hurt while at a waterpark is a nightmare many parents may not have thought about before this weekend. We find out how one local water park monitors their water slides.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 9/6/16

Length: 1:15

Summary: Imagine being able to track your children - making sure they get to school safely. One local school district is looking at new technology to give parents peace of mind. We explain how it works.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 9/8/16

Length: 1:24

Summary: Since May, more than 200 people have been arrested as police get tough on gang-related crime in the city. But are Topekans seeing a difference? We went to find out.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 9/12/16

Length: 1:32

Summary: Car burglary, vandalism, and arson can be a concern for any neighborhood. But neighbors in one Topeka neighborhood say those crimes are happening to them. We talk to neighbors in the area about the crime and what the sheriff's office is doing to help.

Program: KTMJ 9PM

Date aired: 9/21/16

Length: 1:29

Summary: Caught on camera. Thieves lurking late at night in a west Topeka neighborhood. Now residents are saying they need to take things into their own hands. We went to find out how people are fighting back.

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**FOX TELEVISION NETWORK  
PUBLIC AFFAIRS BROADCASTS  
July – September 2016**

**“FOX NEWS SUNDAY WITH CHRIS WALLACE”**

July 3. Hillary Clinton faces the FBI, as a private meeting between her husband and attorney General Loretta Lynch causes a political firestorm. Now, Lynch is making assurances the meeting won't influence the investigation into Clinton's private e-mail server. Today, Congressman Xavier Becerra, a Clinton supporter and possible running mate, on criticism the case is politically tainted, as well as the impact of the Benghazi report on the 2016 race. It's a "Fox News Sunday" exclusive. A warning from the CIA chief in the wake of the massacres in Turkey and Bangladesh. We'll discuss the latest fronts in the war on

terror with the chairman of the House Intelligence Committee, Congressman Devin Nunes. Plus, we'll ask the Sunday panel about the 2016 Vice Presidents, as the current V.P. weighs in on a potential Trump running mate.

July 10. Three shootings in three days highlight tensions between law enforcement and race. Now the country looks for a way forward. Protests in cities across the country as two incidents involving black men shot and killed by police. Then a sniper takes deadly aim at law enforcement in Dallas. We will ask former Philadelphia Police Commissioner Charles Ramsey about the relationship between police and minority communities, discuss the president's response with Homeland Security Secretary Jeh Johnson and New York City Police Commissioner Bill Bratton, and then talk to the Reverend Jesse Jackson about the racial divide in America. Then the presidential candidates respond. We'll speak to key supporters on both sides about the impact on 2016. Plus, we'll ask our Sunday panel about the Clinton e-mail fallout.

July 17. The Republican convention is set to get under way in the shadow of chaos overseas. An attempted coup is crushed in Turkey. Another deadly attack in France. We'll have live reports with the latest from Istanbul and Nice. Then -- Donald Trump chooses Indiana Governor Mike Pence as his running mate. We'll talk with Trump campaign chair Paul Manafort about the ticket and Trump's message this week. Plus, with security already tight here in Cleveland, will they take more steps after the latest act of terror. We'll ask Republican Party Chief Reince Priebus. And our Sunday panel on how the renewed debate over national security will shape the race between Trump and Hillary Clinton.

July 24. On the eve of the Democratic convention, we speak with Hillary Clinton's chief strategist, and Donald Trump's campaign chairman. Clinton chooses Virginia Senator Tim Kaine as her running mate. We'll discuss the ticket and where the race stands now with Clinton chief strategist Joel Benenson. Then, the fallout from Cleveland. From Ted Cruz's role as spoiler. To Melania's speech mishap. The Trump's grim view of an America in crisis. We'll ask Trump campaign chair Paul Manafort what bounce they got from their convention. And our Sunday panel on leaked emails that show the DNC working against Bernie Sanders.

July 31. Hillary Clinton's first interview as the Democratic nominee, only on "Fox News Sunday." Clinton hits the road on a bus tour of battleground states, then sits down with us for the first time in this campaign. Clinton on voters not knowing what to make of her. And -- the e-mails. Hillary Clinton, one on one. It's a "FOX News Sunday" exclusive. Then, with both conventions wrapped up, the race to November is on. We'll ask our Sunday panel where the contest stands.

Aug. 7. Hillary Clinton opens a big lead in the polls. What can Donald Trump do to cut into it? Today, a debate between one of Trump's most trusted backers, former House Speaker Newt Gingrich, and Clinton supporter, Congressman Xavier Becerra, about the race, the issues, and Trump's missteps. And then -- the uproar over the cash payment to Iran just as American hostages were being freed. Senator Tom Cotton, one of President Obama's sharpest critics on whether it was a ransom payment. Plus, as Clinton and Trump both face high unfavorable numbers, we'll ask our Sunday panel whether the election will be about who voters dislike more.

Aug. 14. Governor Mike Pence in his first Sunday show interview since becoming Donald Trump's running mate, only on "Fox News Sunday." On his role in the campaign. Are you the cleanup crew? Top Republicans declaring never Trump. They say we can't trust Donald Trump to be commander-in-chief. And Trump's claim President Obama and Hillary Clinton founded ISIS. Now, Trump says that he was being sarcastic. So, Governor, which is it? Governor Mike Pence one-on-one. It's a "Fox News Sunday" exclusive. Then, new questions about the relationship between the Clinton Foundation and the State Department. We'll talk with Senator Claire McCaskill, a top Clinton supporter,

about the possibility of an FBI investigation. Plus, the candidates clash over the economy. We'll ask our Sunday panel what their plans will do for your pocketbooks.

Aug. 21. With less than three months to Election Day, Donald Trump hits the reset button again. But will we see a new Trump or more of the same? With new leadership at the top, will Trump be able to reverse his tumble in the polls? We'll discuss with former New York Mayor Rudy Giuliani who's helping Trump prepare for the presidential debate. Then, new developments in the Hillary Clinton e-mail saga, as a judge orders her to answer questions about her secret setup under oath. We'll talk to Senator Ben Cardin, a top Clinton supporter, about the continued pressure from both the court and Capitol Hill. Plus, new details on the cash payment between the U.S. and Iran. It would have been foolish, imprudent and irresponsible for us to not try to maintain maximum leverage. If you're asking me, was there a con: We'll ask our Sunday panel whether leverage amounts to ransom. Then, she was blind. But now he can see and he's working with lawmakers on both sides of the aisle to help others gain access to the kind of clinical trials that helped him.

Aug. 28. It's still August, but the presidential race hits a new low as Donald Trump and Hillary Clinton trade blistering accusations over race. Today, Donald Trump's new campaign manager, Kellyanne Conway, on Clinton tying Trump to the alt-right and the effort to keep Trump on message. Then, the Libertarian Party's presidential nominee, Gary Johnson -- on his push to get on the stage for the presidential debate. It's a "Fox News Sunday" exclusive. Plus, we'll ask our panel whether Trump's position on deporting illegal immigrants will gain or cost him support. And our power player of the week. After dominating in Rio, what's next for Katie Ledecky?

Sept. 4. Donald Trump reaches out to black voters as polls suggest Hillary Clinton's lead is narrowing. Today, a debate between Dr. Ben Carson, a Trump adviser, and Congressman Gregory Meeks, a top Clinton adviser, on who has better ideas to help minorities. Then, the other woman on the presidential ballot. Dr. Jill Stein, the Green Party's nominee, on her strategy for November. Plus, Clinton faces new scrutiny over her responses to the FBI as a race against Trump begins to tighten. We'll ask our Sunday panel how the new revelations will play with voters.

Sept. 11. Fifteen years after 9/11, we'll examine the security of our homeland. Are Americans more or less safe? And how is it shaping the Trump/Clinton campaign? As we pause to remember one of the darkest days in our nation's history, we get an assessment of future threats. Today, Secretary of Homeland Security Jeh Johnson on keeping America safe. Then, a debate between former House Speaker Newt Gingrich, a Trump advisor, and Congressman Xavier Becerra, a Clinton backer on which candidate is better equipped to be commander in chief. Plus, is Russia trying to disrupt the U.S. elections? We'll ask our Sunday panel what could happen in November. And our power player of the week, NFL quarterback Kirk Cousins playing for a lot more than winning games.

Sept. 18. Donald Trump does an about face on the birther issue, as Hillary Clinton returns to the campaign trail after a health scare. Today, Clinton's running mate, Virginia Senator Tim Kaine, discusses her health and transparency -- as the race keeps tightening. Then, New Jersey Governor Chris Christie, head of Trump's White House transition team, responds live. And our Sunday panel on Trump's suggestion for Clinton's security detail. Plus, actor George Clooney on massive corruption and civil war in the world's newest nation. Clooney on South Sudan and presidential politics, only on "Fox News Sunday." And our power player of the week, a preview of the Smithsonian's new museum of African-American history.

Sept. 25. Charlotte police release video of the shooting of Keith Scott. And the first presidential debate is now just hours away as Trump and Clinton get ready to go head to head for the first time. On the eve of the big face-off, we'll ask Republican running mate, Indiana Governor Mike Pence,

how Trump is preparing for the biggest night so far of his political career. And as Hillary Clinton gets ready, we'll speak with her chief strategist Joel Benenson about her game plan for taking on Trump. Plus, Clinton and Trump weigh in on race and policing after the latest shootings. We'll ask our Sunday panel how the shootings and the violent protests will factor into the debate. And our power player of the week: the first African-American woman to run the world's biggest library.

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