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LIHEAP CRISIS PROGRAM – Community Action of Southern Kentucky began operating the Crisis portion of the Low Income Heating Assistance Programs on January 2nd, 2017. The program is operated on a first come first serve basis until Federal funds are exhausted. LIHEAP assists households that are in a home heating crisis. The deepening of cold winter weather combined with rising utility costs leaves many households unable to fully meet heating bills or purchase sufficient bulk fuel to keep their families safe and warm. This two minute alert was aired on January 2<sup>nd</sup> through February 15<sup>th</sup>, 2017.

NEW BEGINNINGS RESOLUTION RUN – On Saturday, January 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2017, New Beginnings Therapeutic Riding hosted a Resolution Run on Bill Ferguson Road in Bowling Green . Check in time was at 7:30 AM and runner start time was at 9:00 AM. The registration fee included a hooded sweatshirt, goodie bag, water and post run breakfast by Wild Eggs. All proceeds from the run went to the Foundation for Equine Assisted Therapies for individuals ages 5 to adults with behavioral, emotional, mental and physical disabilities in Warren and surrounding counties. This two minute alert was aired three times daily at 6:30 AM, 7:30 AM NS 9:30 AM from January 1<sup>st</sup> through January 27<sup>th</sup>, 2017.

FOSTER PARENTS NEEDED – In Kentucky, over 7,000 children are in foster care. There is a shortage of foster parents in our community and foster children need to live in a loving home. Lifeskills Inc. Therapeutic Foster Care works with children who have a variety of needs. They provide training, support and financial assistance to therapeutic foster parents in our community. All interested individuals were invited to an informational meeting at Lifeskills in Bowling Green on February 6<sup>th</sup>, 2017 at 6:00 PM. This two minute alert was aired three times daily at 6:30 AM, 7:30 AM and 9:30 AM from January 15<sup>th</sup> through February 6<sup>th</sup>, 2017.

CANCER SUPPORT GROUP – On February 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2017, the Oncology and Hematology Department located in the TJ Health Pavilion held a Cancer Support Group Meeting titled, “Knowing You Are Not Alone Is Important” at the Barren River Regional Cancer Center. The group meets quarterly and all individuals affected by cancer are invited to attend. The group is formed to give family, caregivers and survivors the support and strength they need to move on together. This two

minute alert was aired three times daily at 6:30 AM, 7:30 AM and 9:30 AM from February 2<sup>nd</sup> through February 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2017.

HOME LOAN/GRANT CONSULTATION – The USDA Rural Development Office had a representative at the Glasgow-Barren County Chamber of Commerce on Thursday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2017 from 12:00 PM until 1:00 PM. Several topics were discussed including home loan programs and repair loan/grants available to low income residents and to assist individuals with the Prequalification Package. This two minute alert was aired three times daily at 6:30 AM, 7:30 AM and 9:30 AM from March 5<sup>th</sup> through March 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2017.

CLOTHES CLOSET – Horse Cave Christian Church opened their Clothes Closet on Friday, March 24<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 AM until 11:00 AM. Clothes for men, women and children were available. Bibles and prayers were also available to anyone who was interested. Their food pantry was open and available to anyone in need. Many individuals in our community are low income or have no income and rely on these programs to provide things they need. This two minute alert was aired three times daily at 6:30 AM, 7:30 AM and at 9:30 AM from March 7<sup>th</sup> through March 24<sup>th</sup>, 2017.

CLOTHES FOR KIDS RADIO AUCTION – On Monday, March 20<sup>th</sup> through Friday, March 24<sup>th</sup>, 2017, WLOC Clothes for Kids had their semi-annual spring auction. Many items were donated and the auction was broadcast on air. Listeners called during the live auctions and placed bids on the items. All proceeds were given to WLOC Clothes for Kids and the funds were distributed to the local Family Resource Youth Services Centers in the Hart County and Caverna School Districts to help clothe children in need. Many students benefit from this program each year. This two minute alert was aired at 6:30 AM, 7:30 AM and 9:30 AM from February 25<sup>th</sup> through March 24<sup>th</sup>, 2017.