

QUARTERLY ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

1nd QUARTER 2018, January through March

Following is a listing of some of the significant issues responded to by KOMC KRZK Radio, Branson, MO, along with the most significant programming treatment of those issues for the period 01/1/2018 to 03/31/2018. The listing is by no means exhaustive. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect any priority or significance.

DESCRIPTION OF ISSUE	PROGRAM	DATE	TIME	DURATION	NARRATION OF TYPE AND DESCRIPTION OF PROGRAM SEGMENT
City Engineer to Retire	news	01/29	5P	2 minutes	After nearly three decades of service, Branson City Engineer and Director of Public Works David Miller is retiring. Miller was hired in 1990 as Branson's first city engineer, where he arrived at City Hall with nothing but a phone on the floor and no employees. Fast forward to today and Miller has handled all major capital construction projects in the city, all while managing a staff of 58 employees. Miller says because of his time with the city, he has literally got to witness the transformation of Branson into what it is today.
WIX Partners w/JWH	At Your Service	02/21	9A	10 minutes	WIC has partnered with Jesus Was Homeless (JWH) to provide WIC services at the Jesus Was Homeless Facility. Location is 310 Gretna Road, Branson. This partnership provides another convenient location for families to access WIC services. This location will allow WIC to meet the needs of those families that qualify for WIC and reside on the western side of Branson, but do not have the means to make it to appointments at our current Branson Location. WIC services available the second and fourth Tuesday of each month from 8:30 am to 4:00 p.m - Walk-ins welcome, although those with appointments may be served first.

Upcoming City Elections Janet and Friends 01/18 7A

1 min 30 sec Candidate filing officially closes for the April 3rd municipal elections in

Taney and Stone Counties. Everyone running for office in the City of Branson filed on the first day, December 12th, so the final list remains the same, including a contested race for the Ward 1 Alderman seat currently held by Mike Booth, who did not file for re-election. Ward 1 voters will decide between Bill Skains, Marshall Howden and Babette Fogle for the two-year position. Meanwhile, incumbent Branson Ward 3 Alderwoman Betsy Seay and Ward 2 Alderman Rick Castillon are running unopposed. It will be an all-incumbent ballot for the cities of Hollister, Forsyth and Rockaway Beach. In Hollister, that's Mayor David Tate, Ward 2 Alderman Phil Carman and Ward 1 Alderman David Honey; in Forsyth, that's Ward 1 Alderman Brian Anton and Ward 2 Alderwoman Cheryl Altis; and in Rockaway Beach, that's Ward 2 Alderman Russell Anderson and Ward 1 Alderman Robert "Buck" Brown.

ID of Woman Killed in Fire Released Online 03/20

The name of the woman killed in a Branson house fire Monday evening is released. Taney County Coroner Tony Mullen says officials have identified the woman as 75-year-old Verla Simmons of Branson. At approximately 8:22 p.m., Branson Fire-Rescue crews were dispatched to a home in the 800 Block of Shady Drive, just off Highway 165 near Fall Creek, on report of a residential structure fire. Upon arrival crews discovered the bedroom of the home well involved in flames and smoke showing from the exterior of the home. Branson Fire Chief Ted Martin says upon entering the home firefighters discovered Simmons unconscious and unresponsive. Firefighters and TCAD paramedics performed CPR to revive Simmons but were unsuccessful. Simmons was also a long-time employee of Ozark

Mountain Media Group, formerly Earls Family Broadcasting, where she served in a variety of positions during her nearly 17-year career here.

Substance Abuse Initiative Adds Educator At Your Service 02/12 9A

The Stone and Taney Counties Substance Abuse Initiative names Katie Turck to serve as its first-ever Community Educator. In 2016, 11-point-five million people misused prescription opioids and 116 people died every day from opioid-related drug overdoses, according to the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. Now in her position for a little over a month now, Turck says her goals include getting people talking openly about substance abuse, so people who need help can get it and lives can be changed.