



**WXIX-TV**

**QUARTERLY REPORT/PUBLIC AFFAIRS**

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## **PROBLEMS AND NEEDS**

## 2021 Community Affairs Issues Fourth Quarter

1. **Crime/Safety** including crime prevention and notable local cases, alcohol and drug abuse, fire safety and police conduct.
  - **Keeping You Safe:** Recurring segments which address issues of personal and community safety.
  - **Military/Terrorism:** Part of Safety, includes reports on suspected terror threats, airport and Homeland security, as well as initiatives to support servicemen and women.
2. **Education** including education standards, school safety, and alternative schools.
3. **Racism/Discrimination** including affirmative action, NAACP activities, LGBTQ Rights, ADA, race relations and diversity initiatives.
4. **Family Issues/Welfare** including suitable housing, welfare to work issues, parenting and fatherhood initiatives, building stronger families and family values.
5. **The Economy** including business development, community infrastructure, small business development, and visitor attractions. Also includes personal economic issues such as Credit Cards, Income, Taxes and Investing.
6. **Recreation** including activities for youth and adults, and the arts.
7. **Community Involvement/Development** including volunteerism, blood drives, revitalizing neighborhoods, mentoring and fundraising activities.
  - **Politics 2021:** part of Community Involvement, including discussions of national and local issues and candidates, as well as voter registration and participation issues.
8. **Employment** including job opportunities, downsizing, training and outplacement.
9. **Environment/Animals** including chemical spills, landfills, water quality and smog, and animal protection and conservation.
10. **Healthy Living** including exercise, dieting, disease prevention, and personal safety issues, as well as mental health initiatives and new treatment options.
  - **Corona Virus:** Part of Health, includes updates on issues relating to the Covid-19 outbreak, such as health information, public orders, and other relevant information.

**WXIX-TV PUBLIC AFFAIRS PROGRAMMING**  
**ORGANIZED BY COMMUNITY PROBLEMS AND NEEDS ASSESSMENT**

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QUARTERLY LIST OF PROGRAMMING PROVIDING THE MOST SIGNIFICANT  
TREATMENT OF COMMUNITY ISSUES  
FOURTH QUARTER 2021

WXIX TV COMMUNITY AFFAIRS PROGRAMMING

**FOX19 NOW @ 4:30AM** (30 Minutes, 5 plays per week (M-F))

This live local news program includes live traffic reports, weather information and a look at overnight developing stories. Packaged stories range in length from 1:15 -2:30. It airs Monday – Friday from 4:30-5:00 a.m.

**FOX19 NOW @ 5:00AM** (60 Minutes, 5 plays per week (M-F))

This live local news program includes live traffic reports, weather information and a look at overnight developing stories. Packaged stories range in length from 1:15 -2:30. It airs Monday – Friday from 5:00-6:00 a.m.

**FOX19 NOW @ 6:00AM** (60 Minutes, 5 days per week (M-F))

This live local news program includes live traffic reports, and frequent weather information. Packaged stories range in length from 1:15 – 2:30. It airs Monday - Friday from 6-7 a.m.

**FOX19 NOW @ 7:00AM** (120 Minutes, 5 days per week. (M-F))

This live local program includes news, interviews, and entertainment segments. It often highlights local community events and issues. Packaged stories range in length from 1:15 – 2:30. It airs Monday - Friday from 7 -9 a.m.

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**FOX19 NEWS MORNING XTRA** (60 Minutes, 5 days per week (M-F))

This live local news program includes news, interviews, and entertainment segments. Packaged stories range in length from 1:15 – 2:30. It airs Monday - Friday from 9-10AM.

**FOX19 NEWS MORNING XTRA** (60 minutes, 5 days per week (M-F))

This live local news program includes news, interviews, and entertainment segments. Packaged stories range in length from 1:15 – 2:30. It airs Monday - Friday from 10-11AM.

**FOX19 NOW @ 3PM** (60 minutes, 5 days per week (M-F))

This live local program includes news, sports and weather, and community news segments from areas across the Cincinnati viewing area, and stories of national importance. Packaged stories range in length from 1:15-2:30. Program airs Monday –Friday from 3:00-4:00PM.

**FOX19 NOW @ 4PM** (60 minutes, 5 days per week (M-F))

This live local program includes news, sports and weather, and community news segments from areas across the Cincinnati viewing area, and stories of national importance. Packaged stories range in length from 1:15-2:30. Program airs Monday –Friday from 4:00-5:00PM.

**FOX19 NOW @ 5PM** (60 minutes, 5 days per week (M-F))

This live local program includes news, sports and weather, and community news segments from areas across the Cincinnati viewing area, and stories of national importance. Packaged stories range in length from 1:15-2:30. Program airs Monday –Friday from 5:00-6:00PM.

**FOX19 NOW @ 6PM** (30 minutes, 5 days per week (M-F))

This live local program includes news, sports and weather, and community news segments from areas across the Cincinnati viewing area, and stories of national importance. Packaged stories range in length from 1:15-2:30. Program airs Monday –Friday from 6:00-6:30PM.

**FOX19 NOW @ 6:30PM** (30 minutes, 5 days per week (M-F))

This live local program includes news, sports and weather, and community news segments from areas across the Cincinnati viewing area, and stories of national importance. Packaged stories range in length from 1:15-2:30. Program airs Monday –Friday from 6:30-7:00PM.

**FOX19 NOW @ 10PM** (60 Minutes, 7 plays per week (Mon-Sun)).

Live, local news at 10:00-11:00 PM, Monday - Sunday. The show often includes public interest stories and interviews with local community leaders. Packaged stories range in length from 1:15 – 2:00.

**FOX19 NOW @ 11PM** (35 Minutes, 5 plays per week (Mon-Fri))

Live local newscast at 11:00-11:35PM, Monday - Friday night. The show includes public interest stories and coverage of political issues of national and local importance. Packaged stories range in length from 1:15-2:00.

**FOX19 NOW @ 11PM** (30 Minutes, 1 play per week (SUN))

Live local newscast at 11:00-11:30PM, Sunday night. The show includes public interest stories and coverage of political issues of national and local importance. Packaged stories range in length from 1:15-2:00.

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**FOX19 NOW @ 7AM (Weekend)** (60 minutes, 2 days per week (Sat/Sun))

This live local news program includes news, interviews, community events, weather, and entertainment stories. Packaged stories range in length from 1:15-2:30. Show airs from 7-8AM on Saturday and Sunday mornings .

**FOX19 NOW (Weekend)** (120 minutes, 2 days per week (Sat/Sun))

This live local news program includes news, interviews, community events, weather, and entertainment stories. Packaged stories range in length from 1:15-2:30. Show airs from 8-10AM on Saturday and Sunday mornings.

**FOX NEWS SUNDAY** (60 minutes, 1 play per week)

This national news program covers political issues in Washington DC. The panels of guests are usually political experts and journalists discussing their opinions on the topic of the day. It airs Sunday mornings at 10 a.m.

**FULL COURT PRESS WITH GRETA VAN SUSTEREN** (30 minutes, 1 play per week)

This national news/interview program features host Greta Van Susteren discussing the local impact of national politics. The program features interviews with lawmakers, newsmakers, and influencers, as well as everyday Americans, to connect people with how policy and political decisions affect local communities. It airs Sunday night at 11:30PM.



**INVESTIGATE TV** (30 Minutes, 1 Play per week)

This Gray-produced news program features host Lee Zurik making in depth investigations into news stories and issues affecting the nation. Show's regular time period is Saturday night at 12:00AM. May air later due to sports overruns.

**PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS** (any day, any time)

WXIX broadcasts local and non-local public service announcements of varying lengths throughout its broadcast schedule. Some of the local announcements are produced by WXIX as part of a station campaign. The length ranges from :10 – 1:00.

**QUARTERLY LIST OF PROGRAMMING PROVIDING THE MOST  
SIGNIFICANT TREATMENT OF COMMUNITY ISSUES  
WXIX FOURTH QUARTER 2021**

**Crime and Safety**

**FOX19 Now (Morning)**

10/6/21 – Gun Violence Memorial Project: This story reported the city of Cincinnati is collecting mementos for the national Gun Violence Memorial Project in Washington. Families can donate remembrance items. The memorial will be on display through September of 2022. (0:53)

10/11/21 – Constable in Court: This story reported a Kenton County Constable is in court on Wanton Endangerment and other charges. The constable was charged after allegedly serving a ‘writ of possession’ in a county where he does not have jurisdiction and threatening the homeowner. (1:12)

10/14/21 – Rape Case DNA: This story followed up on the veteran police officer under investigation for accusations of shelving DNA test results for years. The investigation has been underway since June. (0:37)

10/19/21 – Homicide Numbers: This story reported Cincinnati is on track to set a new homicide record. There were 94 total in 2020; there are already 76 for 2021. Police say shootings are down compared to last year. (0:28)

10/25/21 – Pay for Warrant Scam: This story alerted viewers in Fort Mitchell about a new scam. Callers claim to be from the police department and demand gift cards for warrants and bail. Police ask potential victims to report the number to them. (0:30)

10/28/21 – Sentence for Drug Trafficking: This story reported one of 13 defendants in a massive drug trafficking case has been sentenced to nine years. Prosecutors claim he coordinated the distribution of enough fentanyl to kill everyone in Cincinnati. (0:27)

11/4/21 – Mt. Airy Attacker: This story reported police are asking for the public’s help to identify a suspect sketch. The man pictured is wanted for questioning in connection with two attacks on women in Mt. Airy Forest. (0:50)

11/5/21 – FAA Unruly Passengers: This story reported on letters the FAA is sending to passengers who cause disturbances on flights. They are issuing fines up to \$37,000 and sending some cases to the DOJ for criminal prosecution. (0:54)

11/10/21 – KSP Cams: This story reported Kentucky’s Governor is laying out a proposal to equip state troopers with cruiser and body cameras. The plan also includes a pay raise for troopers and dispatchers to attract and retain qualified people. (0:39)

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11/30/21 – Ransomware Payouts: This story reported the US Treasury says payments to ransomware hackers grew massively in the first half of 2021. The report found about \$590 million in payouts. The hackers also trafficked more than \$5 billion in bitcoin over the past three years. (0:27)

12/14/21 – Boy Scout Abuse Settlement: This story reported the Boy Scouts of America have reached a tentative settlement plan to compensate sexual abuse survivors. Insurance companies will pay \$850 Million into a trust. More than 92,000 claims have been filed by former scouts. (1:06)

### **FOX19 News Morning Xtra**

12/29/21 – Reading Dispatch Changes: This story alerted viewers that the Hamilton County Communications Center will handle all of the emergency dispatch duties for the city of Reading. The county already handles fire and EMS calls and will now handle police calls as well. (0:33)

### **FOX19 Now (Afternoon)**

10/4/21 – Human Trafficking Sting: This story reported 161 people have been arrested as part of a statewide operation in Ohio on human trafficking. The work also helped 51 potential victims and rescued ten missing children. (1:07)

10/13/21 – Cop Hid Rape Kits: This story reported a Cincinnati police officer is under investigation for allegedly hiding the DNA test results in cases going back several years. Prosecutors state hundreds of cases could be impacted. (0:45)

10/14/21 – Move Over Day: This story informed viewers that Saturday is ODOT Move Over Day. It's a reminder of Ohio's law to move over and slow down for emergency vehicles on the side of the road. Nearly 550 crashes have happened this year. (0:24)

10/19/21 – Cold Case: This story reported a van tied to a 2002 Delhi Cold Case has been found in the Ohio River. Human remains have been found and will be tested to confirm they belong to the woman who deliberately drive into the river with her children. (0:31)

10/27/21 – Car Theft Ring: This story alerted viewers to a car theft ring operating throughout the area. Police are reminding people not to leave anything of value in their vehicles. The crimes may all be tied to one gang of teenagers. (0:34)

11/8/21 – Coroner Press Conference: This story reported the coroner's office is looking for assistance in identifying three unknown women. Dr. Sammarco is hoping the public can help give names to the victims and closure to their families. (0:35)

11/9/21 – Jane Doe Identified: This follow up story reported that one of the three women profiled by the Hamilton County Coroner has been identified. The woman's cause of death is still being investigated. (0:32)

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11/22/21 – Parade Latest: This story reported the suspect in Waukesha parade incident was running from a domestic dispute. Police have confirmed it was not a chase or an act of terrorism. (0:35)

11/24/21 – OVI Checkpoint: This story reported the Butler County OVI task force will have a checkpoint on Route 4 looking for impaired drivers. The Thanksgiving holiday has become one of the deadliest on the roads for OVI crashes. (0:40)

11/29/21 – Thanksgiving Safety Report: This story reported 13 people were killed in crashes on Ohio roads over the holiday weekend. That is an increase from 2020. Troopers also arrested 300 people for impaired driving. (0:29)

12/2/21 – Father Drew Plea: This story reported the priest accused of rape has pleaded guilty and will spend seven years behind bars. The charges stem for events before he became a priest. (0:57)

12/3/21 – Milford Student Arrested: This story reported a Milford Junior High School student has been arrested after it was reported he made a “kill list” of other students. The school and police are investigating. (0:53)

### **FOX19 Now (Evening)**

10/1/21 – Collin’s Law: This story reported on a new law going into effect. Collin’s law makes hazing a felony. It also increases penalties for those who are aware of hazing and do not report it. (0:25)

10/11/21 – Highway Patrol Fighting Lasers: This story reported the Ohio Highway Patrol is working to locating and arresting people shining lasers at aircraft. The lasers can cause the cockpit to go black. Those caught are charged with felonies. (2:16)

10/18/21 – Community Meeting: This story reported the Neighborhoods Committee of Cincinnati City Council will hold a community meeting in Evanston. Council members want to hear from residents about stopping the gun violence and other challenges the neighborhood is facing. (0:27)

10/21/21 – Sycamore School Board Issue: This story reported a member of the Sycamore School Board is being investigated by the Ohio Education Association for suspected unethical and illegal behavior. The board member is alleged to have the school’s engineering program making products for his private company. (2:42)

10/29/21 – Car Crash Record: This story reported the US has reached a 15-year high for highway crashes and fatalities. More than 20,000 people died from January -June of 2021, and 18% increase over 2020. Speeding and not wearing seatbelts are primary factors. (0:45)

11/3/21 – After Hours Crackdown: This story reported on a new ordinance in Mount Healthy which cracks down on after-hours clubs and other businesses with late night access. Police say they have been called to too many of these that have gotten out of hand. (1:41)

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11/23/21 – Bates Lawsuit: This story reported the Ohio Supreme Court has ruled a lawsuit against Hamilton County caseworkers can move forward. The suit was filed by the grandmother of a toddler who died and alleges the caseworkers ignored the mother’s history of abuse leading to the death. (0:41)

11/23/21 – Opioid Case Update: This story reported a federal jury is holding three retail pharmacy chains liable for their role in distributing pain pills and contributing to the opioid crisis in two Ohio counties. (0:46)

11/30/21 – Use of Force Database: This story informed viewers the Office of Criminal Justice is unveiling a new “use of force” database that is searchable by citizens. The goal is to improve police-community relations. (0:18)

12/3/21 – Traffic Violations Review: This story reported on proposed legislation in Ohio what would ban police from pulling over drivers for minor violations like broken taillights. The goal is to repair relations between police and communities. (0:29)

12/15/21 – Massage Parlor Trafficking: This story reported two locations in Butler and Ross counties have been bust for prostitution and human trafficking. The bust was the result of multiple sting operations by several agencies. Authorities are working to help the women rescued from these businesses. (1:40)

12/21/21 – Body Cam Rollout: This story reported on the rollout of new Body Camera technology in all Ohio State Patrol cruisers. The upgraded equipment should eliminate situation where officers forget to turn on their cameras. (1:35)

### **FOX19 Now (Late)**

10/6/21 – Mt. Airy Attack: This story alerted viewers to a daytime assault on a jogger in Mt. Airy Forest. The woman was running alone when the man attacked her. She was able to scream and get away from him but wanted others to be aware of the potential dangers. (1:57)

10/12/21 – Unsolved Anniversary: This story reported on the 11-year anniversary of the double murder of a father and son. The two men were shot in their car and the crime is still unsolved. (2:11)

10/12/21 – Shooting Vigil: This story reported on a vigil for the woman killed in a West End Shooting. Two other people were injured. Eleven people have been shot in that neighborhood in the past three weeks, making it one of the city’s most violent neighborhoods. (1:19)

10/20/21 – Schroder Case Follow Up: This story reported on statements from the county prosecutor about the intensive investigations into cases handled by the accused police officer. Prosecutors will be checking any rape or sexual assault cases handled by the officer to make sure any DNA results were followed. (0:30)

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10/23/21 – Rally for Cold Case Cards: This story reported the non-profit group U Can Speak for Me is rallying to get the cold case playing cards back into the county jail. The sheriff stated prisoners have been using the cards to compromise locks and has removed them from the jail. (2:06)

10/29/21 – Car Title Fraud: This story reported on a local man who allegedly used a fake identity to buy cars from dealerships. He is accused of then changing the vin numbers and then retitling the cars in Ohio. (1:20)

11/1/21 – Wrong Way Crashes: This story reported on a fatal wrong-way crash on I-71 north of the city. While technology exists to prevent wrong way drivers, ODOT states that it would not be financially feasible to install at the more than 5,200 interchanges statewide. (1:19)

11/2/21 – Threat at Poll: This story reported police are investigating after a woman was reportedly threatened at a polling place. The woman states an unknown man shouted obscenities and pointed a gun at her outside the poll. (0:37)

11/4/21 – Money Stolen from City: This story reported the City of Cincinnati has lost \$137,000 due to a scam. Someone impersonating a contractor called the city to update the contractor's electronic fund transfer information. Additional safeguards are being added to prevent a recurrence. (0:41)

11/10/21 – Witness Fight: This story reported attorneys representing the defendant in a quadruple murder case have asked for public money for expert witnesses. The County Prosecutor is protesting because he thinks using public money for someone who has private representation would set a bad precedent. (2:08)

11/16/21 – Dress of Death: This story featured a local woman who has lost multiple family members to gun violence. She has had a dress specially made featuring their faces and the faces of victims from other unsolved shootings. (1:44)

11/17/21 – CPS Employee Charged: This story informed viewers a Cincinnati Public Schools employee has been charged with two counts for allegedly stealing from the district. The exact amount has not been released. (0:44)

11/19/21 – Hebrew Union College Report: this story discussed a newly released report alleging details of decades of sexual harassment at Hebrew Union College. The report states many students did not report the harassment for fear of retaliation. (1:08)

11/25/21 – Stolen License Plates: This story alerted viewers to a rash of stolen license plate incidents across the area. The timeline to these is similar to a regional car theft ring, and police are investigating whether the two are connected. (1:01)

11/29/21 – Cold Case Cards: this story reported the non-profit "U Can Speak for Me" says it is no longer selling their cold case playing cards in the Hamilton County Justice Center due to a security risk. They will sell in other centers while that risk is addressed. (0:55)

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12/1/21 – Drug Arrests: This story informed viewers more than a dozen people have been arrested in one of the largest drug busts in Cincinnati history. The group trafficked heroin and fentanyl throughout the area. (0:54)

12/6/21 – Delphi Murder Update: This story reported police in Delphi, Indiana, are looking for the owner of a fake social media profile. The profile is being researched in connection with the murder of two teenage girls in 2017. (1:11)

12/6/21 – Police Funding Proposal: This story reported Ohio's Governor has proposed that millions of dollars in Covid-19 stimulus grants would go to support first responders and fight violent crime. (0:50)

12/7/21 – Galla Park in Trouble Again: This story reported the bar and restaurant which had reached an agreement with the city to prevent a shutdown over perpetuating a nuisance is in trouble again. A new lawsuit alleges the business has not made any of the required changes, violating their agreement with the city. (0:38)

12/15/21 – McGuffey Interview: This segment interviewed Hamilton County Sheriff McGuffey about a plea deal from an excessive force case. The Sheriff stated she was very concerned about these types of incidents when she oversaw the county jail and is working as Sheriff to eradicate them. (1:32)

### **Public Service Announcements**

10/1/21 – 12/31/21 -- Various PSAs: WXIX aired public service announcements regarding crime prevention, safety, and anti-violence during the fourth quarter of 2021. The PSAs aired at various times and ranged in length from ten seconds to one minute.

See Attached Summary List for examples of PSA's aired in this quarter.

## **Keeping You Safe**

### **FOX19 Now (Morning)**

10/4/21 – Pedestrian Safety Buckets: This story informed viewers of a safety initiative in Mt. Washington. Buckets with pedestrian safety flags will be at major intersections. Pedestrians can grab one as they cross the road to make sure driver see them. (0:52)

10/6/21 – Volvo Recall: This story informed viewers that Volvo is recalling nearly 260,000 older vehicles. Front driver airbags in S-80 and S-60 sedans can explode and will need to have the faulty inflater replaced. (0:34)

10/13/21 – Jury Duty Scam: This story alerted viewers to a scam in Butler County. Callers are being told they missed jury duty and a warrant will be issued unless they send Target gift cards. (0:30)

10/19/21 – Northside Pedestrian Safety: This story reported police, community leaders and residents in Northside are working to improve pedestrian safety. Police are beefing up enforcement after a person was hit while crossing the street. City planners are looking at ways to slow traffic to the posted limit. (0:58)

10/25/21 – Shootings Follow Up: This story reported on a meeting with the Cincinnati Black United Front and Community members in response to recent shootings. The group met with city officials for more than two hours to discuss plans to curtail the violence. (2:34)

11/1/21 – Pedestrian Safety Rally: This story reported the families of four people killed or injured while crossing the street will hold a “Just Slow Down” rally for pedestrian safety. The rally starts in Avondale at 5PM. (0:22)

11/1/21 – Neighborhood Watch Meetings: This story informed viewers City Councilmember Betsy Sunderman held public meetings to show community members how to form neighborhood watch groups. Meetings showed residents how to protect their homes and report crimes anonymously. (0:26)

11/9/21 – Stop Signs Motion: This story reported the Law and Public Safety Committee is reviewing a proposal to add more stop signs to certain neighborhoods to increase safety. If it passes, the motion will go before the full council. (0:22)

11/11/21 – Fake Money Alert: This story alerted viewers that a woman received fake bills as change at a local store. Advised them to be on the lookout. Deputies state it is not uncommon to come across fake bills ((0:41)

11/15/21 – Veterans Scammed More: This story reported on an AARP report showing veterans get more fraudulent robocalls than other citizens. The scammers are trying to get vets to pay for services the government offers free. (0:23)

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12/2/21 – Headphone Recall: this story alerted viewers to a safety recall on DeWalt Wireless headphones because of a burn risk. Eleven different models are involved. (0:44)

12/10/21 – Guns Removed: This story reported more illegal guns have been taken off of Cincinnati streets as part of a drug trafficking bust. One of the weapons had been reported missing from Georgetown, Kentucky. (0:25)

12/15/21 – Pork Recall: This story informed viewers about the recall of processed pork products from Alexander and Hornung. The products are being recalled for a potential Listeria contamination. A list is available from the USDA. (0:47)

12/20/21 – P&G Recall: This story alerted viewers Procter & Gamble is recalling 30 aerosol spray products. The recall is due to concerns over the levels of benzene in the products. (0:25)

12/22/21 – Amazon Scam: This story alerted viewers to a scam where the caller pretends to be from Amazon. The claim the customer has been locked out of their account and the caller can help them access it through a bogus support site. (0:34)

12/27/21 – Emergency Contractor Program: This story reported on a program in Kentucky to make sure victims are not taken advantage of. The Emergency Contractor Registration program requires contractors to register with the state before working in the disaster zone. It also provides scam and fraud prevention information to those needing services. (0:32)

### **FOX19 News Morning Xtra**

12/17/21 – Mall Curfew: This story informed viewers Kenwood Mall is putting a curfew on those 17 and younger through the end of the Christmas shopping season. (0:23)

### **FOX19 Now (Afternoon)**

10/20/21 – Safety Enforcement Campaign: This story reported Cincinnati Police are conducting a traffic safety enforcement campaign in District 5. Motorists in Northside and College Hill are asked to pay extra attention to all traffic laws. Hamilton Avenue has been a hotspot for pedestrians getting struck by vehicles. (0:24)

10/26/21 – Drugs Look Like Snacks: This story warned parents about edible THC products in packaging that looks like popular snack and candy brands. Encouraged parents to be on the alert on Halloween and report any products they find. (0:42)

11/29/21 – Keep the Wreath Red: This story informed viewers about the annual safety campaign from the Colerain Fire Department. Each fire station has a wreath lit with red bulbs; one will be changed to white for each structure fire during the holiday season. (0:29)

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### **FOX19 Now (Evening)**

10/8/21 – Computer Security Risks: This story reported on the increased difficulty of keeping computers safe when working from home. If remote workers are using their own computers and those machines are used by others in the household, company data could be at risk. (1:24)

10/18/21 – Domestic Violence Clinics: This story reported the YWCA is partnering with Kroger's Little Clinic to address domestic violence. According to Women Helping Women, calls to the domestic violence hotline have doubled during the pandemic and there have been nine homicides connected to domestic violence so far this year. (1:37)

10/27/21 – Tree Trimming Scam: This story alerted viewers to a tree trimming scam in Union Township. The man is accused of going door to door offering services, and never providing them once the money is paid. (0:25)

11/8/21 – Amazon Scam: This story alerted viewers to scam emails being sent, claiming to have a large item purchase from Amazon. The hackers try to get victims to call their hotline number and give them credit card information. (1:07)

11/9/21 – Infrastructure OVI: This story informed viewers that one piece of the newly passed infrastructure bill is a requirement for automakers to find a way to keep drunk drivers off the road. Monitoring systems are supposed to roll out in new vehicles as early as 2026. (0:31)

11/11/21 – Scam Warnings: This story warned viewers about the number of scams which have arisen since the start of the pandemic. The Federal Trade Commission has received more than 270,000 reports of fraud with total losses of more than \$600 million. (1:20)

11/16/21 – Holiday Scams: This story informed viewers of the Better Business Bureau's Naughty List 12 Scams of Christmas. The list includes the most prevalent scams around the holidays, including misleading ads and alerts about compromised accounts. (2:44)

11/23/21 – Pastor Scam: This story alerted viewers to a scam where the perpetrator claimed to be a pastor collecting holiday gift cards for the less fortunate. The victim thought she was responding to her pastor but became suspicious when they asked for more. (1:17)

12/8/21 – Credit Card Safety Tips: This story reported on ways to protect yourself when shopping online with credit cards. Encouraged viewers to use a virtual card number, which is tied to the account but cannot be stolen. (1:28)

12/17/21 – Packages Stolen: This segment reported on the statistics of people who have had packages stolen from their porches. Gave tips on what people can do to get their money back if packages are stolen or how they can track. (1:25)

12/20/21 – AT&T Texting Scam: This story warned viewers about a scam coming to cell phones with 513 Area codes, claiming to offer the owner a free holiday gift. Tech experts want viewers to be alert to the scam and be careful about giving out information. (1:39)

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12/23/21 – Northside Traffic Changes: This story reported on changes to traffic patterns on Hamilton Avenue in Northside. The changes are in response to pedestrian accidents that seem to be caused by speeding and distracted drivers. (1:32)

12/28/21 – Uber Gift Cards: This story reported the Warren County Prosecutors and Atrium Medical Center are working to reduce drunk driving accidents on New Year’s Eve. They are handing out Uber Gift Cards to provide safe rides home from festivities. (1:38)

### **FOX19 Now (Late)**

11/3/21– Scam Alert: This story alerted viewers to a scam in Miami Township. The text message claims to be from Miami Township Fire and EMS. First responders warn you not to click the link. (0:20)

11/17/21 – Utility Scams: This story reported Duke Energy is teaming up with the Better Business Bureau to combat energy scams. Residents have been receiving suspicious messages claiming to be from Duke and threatening to shut off service in 30 minutes. In some instances, the scammers are even showing up in person demanding payment. (0:58)

11/19/21 – Miami U Carbon Monoxide: This story reported temporary carbon monoxide detectors are being installed in dorms at Miami University. This is after a leak was detected by a student’s personal detector which allowed the dorm to be evacuated in time. (0:43)

11/23/21 – Norwood Police Packages: This story reported the Norwood Police will again accept packages. People ordering packages from online retailers can have them delivered to the police department to protect against thieves. (1:17)

11/29/21 – Defeating Porch Pirates: This story informed viewers about tips from Sunman Police about how to keep from having packages stolen during the holiday season. Among the tips are installing an outdoor camera and requiring a signature for packages. (0:35)

12/2/21 – Arrest Made in Harrison: This story reported a student at Harrison High School has been arrested following reports of a possible weapon in a student’s car on campus. The weapon was confiscated and there was never a direct or indirect threat made. (0:45)

12/3/21 – Counterfeit Drugs: This story reported the Ohio Narcotics Intelligence Center is warning the public about fake prescription drugs being sold around the state. The pills look like Xanax and Oxycontin but can contain lethal levels of fentanyl and other drugs. (0:38)

12/9/21 – Puppy Scam: This story warned viewers the Better Business Bureau expects online pet purchase scams to double this year. They gave several tips to avoid being scammed and suggested visiting local animal shelters instead of buying online. (0:32)

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## **Military/Terrorism**

### **FOX19 Now (Morning)**

10/19/21 – Honor Flight: This story reported on the year's final honor flight. Veterans 65+ are flown to Washington DC to see the memorials and other sites. (1:42)

10/19/21 – IG Investigation: This story reported the Office of the Inspector General has notified leaders it will be looking into the withdrawal from Kabul. The probe will review this such as emergency planning and the execution of special immigrant visa program. (0:58)

10/25/21 – Afghan Refugee Sponsors: This story reported the Biden Administration is rolling out a new program allowing private groups to help Afghan evacuees find housing, health care and other needs to settle. Sponsor groups have to pass background checks. (0:31)

10/29/21 – Pipe Bomb Arrest: This story reported a suspect has been arrested in connection to the explosive devices found on Ohio River Barges. No name or exact charges have been released at this time. (1:13)

11/8/21 – Bomb Threat: This story reported Miami University was one of several schools evacuated over the weekend for bomb threats. Several buildings were evacuated but the threat was not found to be credible. (0:25)

11/9/21 – Soldier Identified: This story reported the remains of a Brown County man killed during the Korean War have finally been identified. Corporal Kenneth Foreman was reported MIA in 1950. He will be buried December 2. (0:25)

11/29/21 – Honoring Heroes: This story reported a local animal rescue is paying it forward with a charity drive to honor veterans. Volunteers are collecting donations through an Amazon wish list for veterans who live at the VA's Cincinnati Community Living center. The goal is to create personalized gift bags for the residents. (0:22)

12/16/21 – Warren County Couple Charged: This story reported a Warren County couple is among the people charged for their involvement in the January 6 violence at the Capitol. The couple are named among the members of the Proud Boys and Oath Keepers. (0:34)

12/20/21 – Rockets Fired Toward Embassy: This story reported two rockets were fired toward the US Embassy in Baghdad. One was shot down, the other missed the compound. (0:21)

12/21/21 – Pentagon Extremism Rules: This story reported the Pentagon is updating policy on extremism within the ranks of the military. The changes come after at least 74 current or former members of the military have been charged in connection with the January 6 attack on the Capitol. (0:33)

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### **FOX19 News Morning Xtra**

11/11/21 – Veterans Benefits: This series of stories informed viewers about the local businesses which are providing free goods and services to Veterans. (0:37)

### **FOX19 Now (Afternoon)**

10/28/21 – Bombs on Barges: This story reported explosive devices have been found on multiple barges and tugboats on the Ohio River. The FBI is investigating the cases. It is unclear how many devices have been recovered and if they are searching for more. (0:57)

11/30/21 – Michigan High School Shooting: This story updated viewers on the latest information from the school shooting in Michigan. Three students are dead, and six others injured in what is still an active scene. (1:40)

### **FOX19 Now (Evening)**

10/11/21 – Homeland Security Grants: This story informed viewers Kentucky is announcing \$3.3 Million in grants to local governments across the state to enhance security efforts. The Governor stated the extended public health crisis combined with increasing cyber-attacks has burdened local governments. (0:42)

11/5/21 – Chinese Spy Guilty: This story reported on a Chinese National who tried to steal aviation secrets from the GE Aviation Plant in Evendale. The spy was caught after meeting with a GE employee and trying to groom them. (0:23)

12/3/21 – Michigan Parents: This story reported the parents on the accused Michigan school shooter are on the run after being charged with involuntary manslaughter in the attack. They were supposed to turn themselves in and did not. (1:00)

12/7/21 – Pearl Harbor Anniversary: This story reported on the gathering of World War II veterans in Hawaii to mark the 80<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the attack on Pearl Harbor. (0:40)

12/16/21 – Gun at School: This story reported Blanchester High School was locked down after reports of a weapon on campus. Police searched and removed the weapon and student in question. (2:01)

12/22/21 – Local Men Charged: This story reported a Butler County father and son have been charged in connection with the January 6 violence at the Capitol. Each man faces four counts, each count punishable by a year in prison. (0:46)

### **FOX19 Now (Late)**

10/8/21 – Scheller Update: This story reported the Lt. Colonel who was imprisoned for speaking out about the Afghan withdrawal has been released from the brig. He will face court martial hearings on several charges in the coming week. (1:50)

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11/4/21 – Gold Star Family Dedication: This story reported on the dedication of a new memorial at Veterans’ Park. The memorial honors Gold Star families and the legacy of their loved ones. (0:35)

11/10/21 – Jail Programs for Veterans: This story reported Butler County has launched a new program for inmates who are veterans. Participants get one-on-one and group services focused on job training, mental health, and changing negative actions. (0:27)

11/24/21 – Lainhart First Interview: This story featured the first interview with Corporal Kelsee Lainhart, who was paralyzed by an explosive attack during the Afghanistan withdrawal. The Lawrenceburg native is still undergoing treatment. (4:59)

11/29/21 – Dayton Shooting Findings: This story reported the FBI has released their report on the 2019 mass shooting event in Dayton. The report concluded the shooter acted alone and was not directed by or aligned with any specific group. The shooter had a history of mental illness. (0:45)

12/8/21 – School Threat: This story reported Reading Schools and the Police are actively investigating potential threats of violence at the school. Social media posts have been circulating and are being looked at. (0:37) A related story reported on a second threat being investigated at Fairfield Schools.(0:56)

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## **Schools/Education**

### **FOX19 Now (Morning)**

10/7/21 – Scholarship for Early Childhood Teachers: This story early childhood teachers in Kentucky they could be eligible for a scholarship. The Division of Child Care is offering to cover tuition for teachers to get any interdisciplinary Early Childhood Education credential. (0:23)

10/8/21 – Driver Shortage: This story reported the Northwest Local School District is short approximately 15 bus drivers. 6 routes had to be canceled on Friday, causing students to miss class. Those students were given excused absences. The district is working to communicate cancellations earlier. (0:45)

10/11/21 – College Study Habits: This story reported 4 of 5 students in an anonymous study reported difficulty concentrating when learning from home. Home responsibilities, mental health and food insecurity were among the top reasons. (0:37)

10/12/21 – CPS Mandate: This story reported that only 2 out of 6,500 CPS employees have refused to comply with the district's vaccine or testing policy for Covid. Those two are currently on unpaid leave. CPS was the first district in the state to implement the policy. (0:50)

10/15/21 – UC Mandate: This story reported the University of Cincinnati is enforcing their Covid vaccine mandate starting today. The school announced the requirement back in August and even had vaccine tailgate drives to get everyone vaccinated before the deadline. (1:05)

10/18/21 – Superintendent Search: This story reported Cincinnati Public Schools are inviting the public to take part in the search for the next superintendent. Small group meetings will be held over the next few weeks. People can join in person or virtually. (0:30)

10/20/21 – New School Program: This story reported NSOI is offering home school curricula to families across Kentucky. The NSOI program is designed for students who do not fit into a traditional setting or have issues preventing regular attendance. (1:47)

10/21/21 – CPS College Night: This story reported Cincinnati Public Schools are holding their annual college night at the Education Center. Students will have the opportunity to ask about entrance requirements, financial aid, and other aspect of college life. (0:40)

11/1/21 – Lakota No Masks: This story reported the Lakota School District is no longer requiring masks. The Superintendent states they are still strongly recommended for K-12 students and staff and will be required on buses. (0:24)

11/4/21 – St. Henry Lawsuit: This story reported the family of a star soccer player who died at practice last year have filed a wrongful death suit against the school, the diocese of Covington, and St. Elizabeth medical center for not using an AED device. (1:51)

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11/16/21 – CPS Vaccine Meeting: This story reported the Cincinnati Public Schools are discussing whether they will mandate the covid-19 vaccine for students. Survey data from the district shows a majority of parents are against a mandate. The board is also considering the mandate for extracurricular activities. (0:29)

11/17/21 – Mariemont Masks Mandate Lifted: This story reported Mariemont Schools are lifting their mask mandate for students. The decision was made based on new quarantine and contact tracing guidelines as well as the availability of vaccines. (0:28)

12/14/21 – UC Applications Up: This story reported on an 11% increase in applications for the University of Cincinnati in Fall 2022. Among the reasons are the school's beautiful campus and successful sports programs, as well as the top-five ranking for their co-op and internship programs. (0:50)

12/21/21 – Liberty Junior Student: This story reported a teen has been arrested for making a terroristic threat to shoot up Liberty Junior High School. The 13-year-old girl made the threat on social media. (0:19)

### **FOX19 News Morning Xtra**

10/6/21 – Work from Home Days: This story looked at how the pilot Test and Stay program in Lebanon is working. The point is to keep healthy kids in school. As of the latest check, the district had only 40 in quarantine. (0:24)

12/23/21 – Student Loan Pause Extended: This story informed viewers the Biden Administration has extended the pause on federal student loan payments through May 2022. It was set to expire on January 31. (0:36)

### **FOX19 Now (Afternoon)**

10/4/21 – Vax 2 School: This story informed viewers the Ohio Vax-2-School registration is open. The program for vaccinated residents 12-25 will offer two million in scholarships. (0:48)

10/25/21 – New ODH Guidelines: This story reported the Ohio Department of Health is now rolling out the Mask to Stay and Test to Play program for schools across the state. The pilot program in Warren County was a success in preventing spread of Covid-19 while keeping students in school. (1:28)

11/8/21 – Pen Pal Program: This story reported the USPS is launching a pen pal program for students in grades 3-5. Each class will be matched with another class somewhere else in the country and will get a Pen Pal Project kit. (0:36)

11/10/21 – Innovative Learning Lab: This story reported on the opening of a new lab space at Saylor Park School. The lab provides a new work of STEM opportunities for students to get them thinking about STEM careers. (0:29)

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11/18/21 – SORTA Ends Contract: This story reported the SORTA transit authority has decided to end their contract with the Cincinnati Public Schools. Service will terminate at the end of the current school year. The student only routes which have run for decades were already discontinued for driver shortages. (1:33)

12/7/21 – Middletown Agreement: This story reported the Middletown School District has reached an agreement with the teacher's union. The new contract will affect 460 union members and goes into effect in July for the following school year. (0:57)

12/9/21 – Second Chance Grants: This story reported the state of Ohio has established a pilot program for people who started but were not able to finish a college degree. The grants help them reenroll and work with them to address the barriers that made them leave school. (1:31)

12/20/21 – Mt. Healthy Closed: This story reported Mt. Healthy schools are closing early for Christmas break due to a high number of illnesses. The schools will remain closed until after the first of the year. (0:21)

12/27/21 – Buddy Bench: This story reported on a third grader who worked to create a Buddy Bench at his school. The company told him he had to collect 205 pounds of small plastic lids for the project. He stated he would like to see a bench at every school and playground. (1:14)

### **FOX19 Now (Evening)**

10/4/21 – Tik Tok Response: This story reported Butler County is responding proactively to the most recent Tik Tok challenge – Slap a Teacher. The district is reminding students and families that such behavior will not be tolerated and is encouraging parents to talk to their children about social media use. (0:30)

10/8/21 – Officials Needed: This story reported the Ohio High School Athletic Association is in need of sports officials. There is a major referee shortage and games are having to be postponed or canceled. (0:31)

10/28/21 – Kentucky Homecoming Controversy: This story reported a Kentucky school is making national headlines for a controversial homecoming event. Photos appear to show students giving lap dances to faculty and staff. (0:29)

11/5/21 – Literacy Program: This story reported on a regular literacy program at Newport Primary School. Volunteers brought books for the school's book fair. The program is designed to get books into the hands of students in need. (0:57)

11/23/21 – Scholarship Program: This story reported on the announcement of the Marian Spencer Scholarship program at University of Cincinnati. 10 students per year for the next four years will be awarded full-ride scholarships honoring the Civil Rights icon. (2:05)

12/7/21 – Tax Breaks for Students: This story reported Ohio lawmakers are considering incentives to keep students graduating from Ohio colleges from leaving the state. They are also considering scholarships for out of state students pursuing STEM degrees, (0:34)

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12/13/21 – School Bus Issues: This story reported Franklin City Schools had to cancel classes today because of a lack of bus drivers. The district has been dealing with a shortage for some time and only had 11 drivers to cover 23 routes. (1:45)

12/16/21 – Little Miami Closed: This story reported Little Miami Schools are starting winter break early. Staffing shortfalls due to illness are the cause of the shutdown. Athletics will continue. (0:20)

### **FOX19 Now (Late)**

10/18/21 – Gateway Free Tuition: This story reported new students attending Gateway Community and Technical College are eligible for free tuition in the spring term. The college is hoping to boost enrollment and help remove financial barriers for new students. (0:20)

11/5/21 – CPS Requests Refund: This story reported the Cincinnati Public Schools have requested a refund from the Southwestern Ohio Regional Transit Authority (SORTA). The request comes after SORTA canceled specific routes for students, leaving nearly 8,000 students unable to use the buses for transport. (0:26)

11/15/21 – Middletown Teachers: This story reported the hundreds of teachers from the Middletown Teachers Association are filing an “unfair labor practice charge” against the school board. (1:37)

12/1/21 – New Middle School: This story reported Campbell County Schools are planning to build a new middle school on the old DAV property in Cold Spring. The current middle school is the third largest in the state. (0:43)

12/9/21 – Nursing Shortage: This story reported Kentucky’s Governor is stepping in to help nursing schools in the state. Schools have seen decreased enrollment and lack of faculty to accept new students, leading to a shortage in qualified nurses. (2:41)

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## **Racism/Discrimination/Diversity**

### **FOX19 News (Morning)**

10/5/21 – Tax Break Lawsuit: This story reported the federal judge has ruled that a group of Black homeowners can move forward with their lawsuit against the city of Cincinnati. The suit claims Black residents are worse off because of the way the city hands out tax abatements. (0:47)

10/11/21 – Outdoor Poetry: This story informed viewers the Cincinnati Public Library is marking Indigenous Peoples' Day with a celebration and poetry reading. The event will be held outdoors at the Clifton Branch. (0:25)

11/10/21 – Facebook Bullying: This story reported Facebook is releasing estimates of the incidence of bullying and harassment on their platforms. This is the first time such information has been released. (0:28)

11/15/21 – Race-Based Promotions Follow Up: This story followed up on a federal lawsuit over upcoming promotions in the Cincinnati Police Department. Two veterans police lieutenants state the city is continuing with their “unlawful” race-based hiring and promotion policies. (2:08)

11/17/21 – Racial Disparities: This story examined the data from the most recent study from Kentucky Youth Advocates. The study showed racial disparities across the state in areas ranging from education to economic wellbeing and health. (1:06)

11/18/21 – Urban Planning Discussion: This story informed viewers about an online panel discussion about the legacy of racial bias in urban planning hosted by the National Underground Railroad Freedom Center. The meeting is free to the public and there is a zoom link on the Freedom Center's website. (0:16)

11/19/21 – Hall of Fame Announcement: This story reported on the annual Black Business Hall of Fame Dinner. New members will be inducted for the extraordinary and longstanding commitment to business, their communities and the employment and promotion of African Americans in the region. (1:25)

12/7/21 – LYNX Project: This story reported on the Lynx Amplify series, formerly known as the autism advocacy series. The project collects poetry from non-speaking youth in the autism community and composers set it to music. The piece is then premiered in a sensory friendly concert. (1:38)

12/15/21 – CAIR Director Fired: This story reported the head of the Ohio chapter of the Council on American-Islamic Relations has been fired. He has allegedly been leaking information to a known anti-Muslim hate group. (0:38)

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### **Special Coverage**

11/24/21 – Arbery Verdict: WXIX aired live coverage of the reading of the verdict in the trial of the three men accused of killing jogger Ahmaud Arbery. Coverage aired from 1:36PM-2:00PM. (24:00)

### **FOX19 Now (Afternoon)**

10/7/21 – Designing Justice: This story informed viewers about a new exhibit at the Freedom Center. The exhibit helps to present many of the issues facing the country and the world in a way that is accessible and helps people figure out the words to express their opinions. (2:04)

10/8/21 – Ezzard Charles Groundbreaking: This story informed viewers about the groundbreaking ceremony for the new statue of Heavyweight Boxing Champ Ezzard Charles. The statue will stand in Laurel Park and will honor the boxer's contributions to the West End. (0:23)

11/10/21 – Holocaust Survivor: This story reported on a special program at the Holocaust and Humanity Center at the Cincinnati Museum Center. The program marked the 83<sup>rd</sup> anniversary of the Kristallnacht raid. (1:01)

12/21/21 – Mural Defaced: This story reported that a mural at Washington University depicting the faces of prominent black figures has been defaced with the symbols of a known white supremacist group. University Police are investigating. (0:28)

### **FOX19 Now (Evening)**

10/20/21 – Post Office Renaming: This story reported the North Avondale Post Office branch will be renamed in honor of two Cincinnati natives who served as World War II pilots. One flew with the Tuskegee Airmen and the other was a B-17 bomber pilot. (1:07)

### **FOX19 Now (Late)**

10/20/21 – Ethnic Intimidation: This story arrested a man on ethnic intimidation charges following an incident at a gas station. The suspect is accused of pulling a shotgun on an African American man who asked him to move his car at a gas station (0:45)

11/12/21 – Diamond Oaks BLM Incident: This story reported on the protest and walkout at Diamond Oaks Career Campus. The protest was sparked by a social media post showing kids appear to mimic the death of George Floyd. (0:48)

11/18/21 – Racist Threats at School: This story reported a Lexington School is investigating after racist threats were found on Snapchat. Parents are demanding solutions and the Superintendent state they are working on addressing incidents across the district. (0:37)

12/6/21 – Freedom Park Proposal: This story informed viewers about a proposal to turn part of Freedom Way in downtown Cincinnati into Freedom Plaza. The park outside the National

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Underground Railroad Freedom Center would include information installations and a circular speaker's venue. (1:43)

12/18/21 – Female Distillery Owners: This story reported on the opening of a new business in Over the Rhine. Michele Hobbs is the first female distillery owner in the area. They make a variety of both alcoholic and non-alcoholic offerings. (1:48)

12/20/21 – Holocaust Reenactment: This story reported a Washington DC librarian is on leave. The district is investigating allegations the staff member had eight- and nine-year-old students reenact events from the holocaust and made antisemitic remarks. (0:40)

12/23/21 – Potter Verdict: This story reported former police officer Kim Potter has been found guilty of manslaughter in the Daunte Wright case. Potter claimed she had mistakenly used her gun instead of her taser during a traffic stop. (1:34)

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## **Family Issues/Welfare**

### **FOX19 Now (Morning)**

10/1/21 – Beacon of Light Announcement: This story alerted viewers to the draft plan released by the Cincinnati Archdiocese to restructure parishes across the area. Churches will be put into families of parishes, in response to the decline in membership and number of priests available. (0:58)

10/7/21 – OTR Playground Meeting: This story reported on a community engagement session for the Findlay Recreation Project. The project will focus on revamping recreation centers in the neighborhood which have been plagued by crime. (0:26)

11/4/21 – Struggling Food Banks: This story reported food banks in Kentucky are facing shortages ahead of the Thanksgiving holiday. Supply chain issues and high costs are affecting distribution. (0:35)

11/4/21 – New Emergency Shelter: This story reported on a new emergency shelter in Northern Kentucky for people experiencing homelessness. The new facility will double current capacity and allow for clients to access services during the day. (1:56)

11/5/21 – Adoption Day: This story informed viewers about a multiple adoption event. The judge presiding over the adoptions has stated that publicizing the events raises awareness of the need and increases the number of children adopted. (0:38)

11/19/21 – Coat Drive: This story reported Duke Energy Center is looking for donations for their annual coat drive. They are hoping to have 4,000 adult and children's coat, along with hats and gloves, before their Thanksgiving Day Fall Fest Event. (0:29)

11/24/21 – Cram the Cruiser: This story informed viewers Kentucky State Police are hosting a Cram the Cruiser donation drive. Canned or dried food is accepted through December 6. (0:18)

12/10/21 – CPS Toy Drive: This story reported Cincinnati Public Schools is hosting a holiday gift drive to benefit kids experiencing homelessness. The district has about 3,500 students whose families are homeless. (0:28)

### **FOX19 Now (Afternoon)**

10/18/21 – Coat Drive: This story informed viewers St. Vincent de Paul is hoping to collect 4,000 coats to give out before winter. They especially need children's coats and those for larger adults. The first distribution event will be in November. (0:28)

10/28/21 – Keep Our Kids Warm Drive: This story reported a local organization is collecting hats, scarves, and gloves for children in need. The drive starts on Monday at Kenwood Mall and runs through December 4.

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11/4/21 – Crossroads Food Drive: This story reported Crossroads Church is sponsoring a drive to provide holiday meals for more than 100,000 people. Participants can pick up an empty box and shopping list and return the full box to the church. (0:24)

12/8/21 – Port Buying Homes: This story reported the Cincinnati Port Authority is using funds from an out-of-town investor to buy homes. Their goal is to protect the renters in those homes and promote affordable home ownership/ (1:19)

12/20/21 – Property Tax Break: This story reported Hamilton County homeowners who are behind on their property taxes can get assistance. If they qualify, they can get help with up to six months of past due payments. Funds are part of the American Rescue Plan. (0:21)

12/23/21 – Free Christmas Dinner: This story reported The Sunday Morning Club is hosting a free Christmas Dinner for anyone in need. Reservations are not needed but masks are required, (0:26)

### **FOX19 Now (Evening)**

11/17/21 – NKU Housing Expansion: This story reported on a partnership between Brighton Center, Northern Kentucky University and Highland Heights. The new building will provide housing for adults ages 18-24 who are pursuing a college degree. They will also have access to Brighton Center programs for assistance. (2:04)

11/18/21 – Freestore and Reds: This story reported the Freestore Foodbank, and the Cincinnati Reds Community Fund are teaming up for a drive-thru food distribution. The event will get holiday food packages to families that cannot make it to the Foodbank. (1:58)

11/23/21 – Local Giveaway: This story reported DJ Reader's A Son Never Forgets organization will partner with the Lucius Q restaurant to provide turkeys to 100 pre-selected families in need. They will also distribute toiletry kits to the homeless. (1:55)

11/29/21 – Helping 1 in 5: This story reported the Gilligan Company which operates more than 50 businesses in the area is asking for donations for 1 in 5. The local charity working to stop the stigma surrounding mental health and work in schools for suicide prevention. (2:07)

11/30/21 – Duke Helping with Energy Bills: This story reported Duke Energy has a new program, Share the Light Fund, to help struggling customers. Any customer can make a one-time donation and the company will match up to a certain level. (0:28)

12/15/21 – Child Tax Credits Ending: This story reminded viewers the monthly child tax credit payments under the American Rescue Plan will cease at the end of 2021. The program has been a huge financial help to families during the pandemic. (1:21)

12/17/21 – Bonus Controversy: This story reported Hamilton County JFS Workers are pushing back against the bonus structure offered by leaders. Some workers got more than double what others received. Union representatives stated the agency has had 63 confirmed cases on Covid-19. (2:10)

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### **FOX19 Now (Late)**

10/4/21 – Covington Heights Closure: This story reported federal housing officials have approved plans to shut down the City Heights public housing complex in Covington. Officials stated the building is beyond saving and are working to relocate the people living there. (0:36)

10/7/21 – City Heights Meeting: This story reported residents of the closing City Heights housing project will receive federal funds to assist them in moving and securing other housing. (0:19)

10/19/21 – Missing Foster Child: This story informed viewers about a foster child who has been missing for several months. His family is concerned because he has had contact with his biological family in the past. (1:25)

10/28/21 – Relief for Homeowners: This story reported Hamilton County is launching its program to help homeowners affected by the pandemic. Owners can apply for up to six months of past due mortgage payments or year of utility payments. (0:20)

10/31/21 – Maslow’s Army Event: This story reported Maslow’s Army held a Halloween event for people experiencing homelessness. Volunteers handed out pizza and candy at Fountain Square. The group does street outreach events to help with the changing needs of the homeless. (0:40)

11/20/21 – Stop the Violence Program: This story reported on a youth boxing event hosted by the Cincinnati Recreation Commission. The goal of the program is to reach kids before they get involved in illicit activities and show them a different path. (1:18)

11/22/21 – Shelter Helps with Domestic Violence: This story reported on the Purple Paws program from the Warren County Humane Association. The program finds foster homes for the pets of abuse victims who cannot take the animals to a shelter. (0:31)

12/23/21 – Gun Violence Reactions: This story reported local religious leaders are calling for support services for parents and outreach for teens. This is in response to younger and younger teens being involved in gun violence. (1:31)

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## **The Economy**

### **FOX19 Now (Morning)**

10/1/21 – Small Business Relief Day: This story reported the Hamilton County Commission voted for \$4 million in grants to help small businesses. The commission, in conjunction with the Urban League, held an event where businesses could apply onsite. (0:21)

10/6/21 – Middletown Development: This story reported on a proposed 1.3 billion development project in Middletown. Hollywoodland would include hotel, convention center, water park and retail establishments. (0:27)

10/8/21 – Brewery Refuses to Sell: This story reported the Rolling Mill Brewery in Middletown is in the area that would be part of the Hollywoodland development. They are not in support and have refused to sell their property to developers. (0:25)

10/11/21 – Roebling Closed All Year: This story reported the Roebling Suspension Bridge will remain closed to auto traffic until sometime in 2022. Engineers say more repairs are needed. The bridge remains open for pedestrian traffic. (0:35)

10/14/21 – Prices Spiking: This story reported on supply chain issues and the increasing cost of coffee. Weather in Brazil and a backlog at ports could cause prices to spike. (0:28)

10/15/21 – 5/3 Avondale Donation: This story reported Fifth-Third Bank is investing \$180 million in neighborhoods around the country. The Cincinnati area of Avondale will receive funding to support the next generation of homeowners and promote small business development. (0:25)

10/19/21 – CVG Updates: This story reported on two improvements to CVG this week. Valet service is returning, and a new rental care facility is opening. The new facility eliminates the need for a shuttle to the car lot. (0:27)

10/26/21 – Innovation Hub: This story reported Cincinnati's Innovation Hub at UC is expanding. The district is designed to inspire students to expand their ideas and become entrepreneurs. The goal is to expand the program so more minority owned businesses can start here. (0:49)

10/26/21 – Newport Plan Open House: This story reported the city of Newport is holding an open house to present the city's comprehensive development plan. The plan will serve as the basis for land development, improvements, transportation, and environmental initiatives. (0:24)

10/27/21 – United Losing Millions: This story reported United Airlines is losing \$3 million per month on paid leave for unvaccinated pilot. The company wanted to put those employees on unpaid leave, but a judge ordered them kept on the payroll while the lawsuit against the mandate is heard. (0:28)

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10/28/21 – Unemployment Audit: This story reported an audit revealed Ohio paid out \$3.8 billion more in unemployment benefits than it should have during the pandemic. That included payments to dead people and incarcerated inmates. (2:33)

11/1/21 – Landslide Repair: This story informed viewers that Route 42 in Boone County will be closed for two years for a landslide repair project. There will be a detour in place for the closed section. (0:21)

11/2/21 – Busken Limiting Hours: This story reported Busken Bakery closed all of their stores on a weekday due to staffing shortages. The company has also reduced their number of locations to keep current staff happy. (0:28)

11/11/21 – Soccer Impact: This story reported on the economic impact of the USA/Mexico soccer match. The match is sold out and the President of FC Cincinnati thinks that could have positive implications for Cincinnati being selected as a World Cup site. (0:30)

11/12/21 – Standard Deduction: This story informed viewers the IRS is adjusting the standard deduction for 2022 to account for inflation. This will not take effect until returns filed in 2023. (0:41)

11/17/21 – Energy Costs: This story reported the US Energy Information Administration is confirming the natural gas prices are expected to be 30% higher this winter. Propane and heating oil are expected to jump even more. (0:27)

11/19/21 – CVS Closing Stores: This story reported CVS is planning to close 300 locations per year over the next three years. The chain is restructuring to focus more on primary healthcare services. Employees impacted by the closure will be offered other positions. (0:26)

11/23/21 – Holiday Spending Predictions: This story reported that while people saved a lot of money during the pandemic, prices are high. Predictions are that while people will spend more over the holidays but on smaller items. (1:23)

11/26/21 – Supply Chain Issues: This story reported this could be one of the most expensive Christmases in history due to supply chain issues. Nearly two-thirds of those polled are worried gifts could be unaffordable this year. (1:33)

12/2/21 – MLB Lockout: This story reported MLB owners have instigated a lockout due to ongoing contract negotiations with players. This is the 9<sup>th</sup> work stoppage in league history and the first since the 1994/95 season. (0:23)

12/3/21 – Stadium Tax Rebate: This story informed homeowners in Hamilton County that they will be getting a rebate on their property taxes. This money is from the stadium agreement and sales tax increase voted on in 1996. (0:29)

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12/17/21 – Home Prices High: This story reported experts feel it will be some time before the housing market cools off. The median sale price for home in December was 14% above the prior year. (0:28)

12/21/21 – Dawson City Rebuilding: This story reported the Land Betterment Corporation is working to provide temporary shelter for families in Dawson City. Permanent structures will take time, but the eco-houses made from recycled shipping containers will house those whose homes were destroyed by the storms. (0:17)

12/24/21 – Canceled Flights: This story alerted viewers about canceled flights on Christmas Eve. United and Delta are both suffering staff shortages due to an increase in Covid cases among employees. (0:48)

12/26/21 – Restaurants and Covid: This story reported that restaurants are having to feel their way forward dealing with the newest covid surges. With laws preventing shutdowns, businesses have to make their own decisions about protocols. (0:35)

### **FOX19 News Morning Xtra**

10/5/21 – Transactions: This story reported on a controversial part of the infrastructure bill that would require banks to report transactions of \$600 or more to the government for taxation purposes. The current threshold is \$10,000. (1:29)

10/22/21 – Spooky Nook Update: This story reported the construction race is on to get the new Spooky Nook development open by the deadline. The project includes a hotel, conference center and sports center. (1:25)

10/28/21 – Winter Preps: This story reported how the City of Cincinnati's winter team is preparing for cold weather. The team must complete a training course to be ready to deal with cold stress and twelve-hour shifts. (1:52)

11/1/21 – Bengals Impact: This story reported on the positive impact the Bengals' good season is having on downtown businesses. Those near the stadium or airing the games are seeing success. (1:10)

11/18/21 – Stadium Costing Taxpayers: This story reported the Hamilton County Administrator updated the City Commission on the status of the Riverfront Sales Tax Fund. The report focuses on whether taxpayers will get a rebate from what is collected versus what is owed on the two facilities. (2:21)

11/22/21 – Push to Expand Streetcar: This story reported the passing of the \$1.2 trillion infrastructure bill is sparking debate among state and local leaders about what projects should get the funding. One incoming City Councilmember thinks the Streetcar should be expanded. (0:44)

11/24/21 – Restaurant Supply Shortage: This story reported local restaurants are having to work closely with suppliers to maintain a steady flow of their customers' favorites. (1:45)

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12/22/21 – Tax Rollback: This story reported Butler County homeowners are receiving a property tax rollback for one year. The average resident will save \$76 per \$100,000 of home value. (0:22)

### **FOX19 Now (Afternoon)**

10/13/21 – Supply Chain Sprint: This story reported the Biden Administration is announcing a 90-day push to relieve shipping bottlenecks. The plan allows ports to operate 24/7 and will work to increase the number of commercial truck drivers. (1:26)

10/28/21 – Dorothy Lane Opening: This story reported Dayton-based gourmet grocer Dorothy Lane market is planning to open their first Cincinnati location. The store will be part of a \$150 million mixed use development in Mason. (0:22)

11/3/21 – Metro Funding: This story reported Cincinnati Metro has received a \$12 million grant. The funding will be used for new buses and a new transit center in North College Hill. (0:20)

11/4/21 – Fifth/Third Bonuses: This story informed viewers Fifth/Third Bank will give bonuses to full and part-time employees who worked through the pandemic. Employees who worked from May 2020 to April 2021 are eligible for the payment. (0:24)

11/12/21 – Local Boutiques: This pair of stories alerted viewers to the return of two local events designed to help local small businesses. Art on Vine and Second Sunday on Main will feature local artists and vendors. (1:05)

12/7/21 – Global Wealth Gap: This story reported on the effect of the pandemic on the global wealth gap. Billionaires saw the greatest increase in wealth since 1995 in 2020, while about 100 million people worldwide were pushed into extreme poverty. (0:29)

12/16/21 – Riverfront Development: This story reported the Cincinnati Park Board voted to approve the bid for a marina and restaurant near Great American Ballpark. The new facility could be open by next summer. (0:53)

12/27/21 – UC Game Impact: This story reported on the positive impact UC's appearance in the Cotton Bowl is having on local businesses. On local business near the University is planning to open early and have food and drink specials for those coming to watch the game. (1:15)

12/28/21 – Economists on Sports Betting: This story reported on the reactions to legalized sports betting in Ohio. A recent survey showed 43% agreed sports betting would aid the state's economy, but 17% thought gains would be small and outweighed by the dangers of gambling addiction. (1:33)

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## **FOX19 Now (Evening)**

10/7/21 – DORA Construction: This story informed viewers about planned upgrades to the DORA area at The Banks. The upgrades will turn the area into a more parklike space with outdoor dining and walkways. (1:33)

10/11/21 – Skytop Redevelopment: This story reported the old Skytop Shopping Center in Anderson is being redeveloped into a residential community. The plan is for 361 units ranging from studios to 3 bedrooms. No completion date has been announced. (0:36)

10/20/21 – Less Spending: This story reported American consumers are expected to have \$46 billion less to spend on discretionary items like holiday gifts. A large part of that is due to a large part in the cost of heating oil and gasoline. Supply chain challenges are also having an effect on lower holiday spending. (0:55)

10/26/21 – Closed on Thanksgiving: This story reported Walmart and Costco have announced they will not open on Thanksgiving Day to allow employees to spend time with family. (0:13)

10/29/21 – Streetside Dining: This story reported the program which created outdoor dining areas in Covington has been extended through February 28. After that, restaurants and bars that want to participate will have to apply and follow different rules. (0:21)

11/12/21 – Carew Tower Issues: This story reported the historic Carew Tower building is facing foreclosure. The city is also seeking \$642,000 in unpaid utility bills. The building's owner could not be reached for comment. (0:38)

11/15/21 – Infrastructure Impact: This story reported the Mayor of Covington is concerned that they will be the forgotten players in the Brent Spence corridor project. The mayor is asking for support from other leaders in the state to make sure Covington's concerns are addressed. (1:38)

11/17/21 – Air BnB Prices: This story informed viewers of a recent travel survey showing that Air BnB prices can save travelers a lot of money in expensive cities and popular travel destinations. (1:14).

11/18/21 – Thanksgiving Costs: This story reported Thanksgiving food is costing more this year. Some ingredients such as smaller turkeys and cranberries may also be harder to find. (1:27)

11/24/21 – Holiday Travel: This story reported holiday travel for Thanksgiving is expected to be about 13% ahead of last year. Many carriers are offering incentives and bonuses to employees to avoid absenteeism over the weekend. (1:40)

11/24/21 – Boomerang Employees: This story reported businesses that are having trouble finding employees are hiring retirees heading back into the workforce. Employers are looking at retired employees who have done the job before to fill open positions. (1:32)

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12/14/21 – Lunken Improvements: This story reported Cincinnati’s Planning Commission has approved plans to turn the old Lunken Airport terminal into an event space with hotel, bar, and restaurant facilities. (0:24)

### **FOX19 Now (Late)**

11/3/21 – Company Moving Here: This story reported the Orange Grove Bio company, which invests in therapeutic drug companies, is moved from New York to the innovation hub in Cincinnati. They also plan to partner with UC on biotech innovation. (0:16)

11/16/21 – Cracking Down on Robocalls: This story reported Attorneys General from across the nation are call on the FCC to tighten regulations to reduce robocalls. They are asking for tighter restrictions on spoofing and other ways robocallers use to get around the Do Not Call registry. (1:10)

11/28/21 – Beer Prices Up: This story reported Ball Corporation, one of the largest aluminum can suppliers, stated demand is outstripping supply. They are requiring minimum orders for smaller companies at a higher price. The move could force small craft brewers out of business. (0:42)

12/6/21 – Ultimate Air Flights: This story reported the local charter airline has announced it is suspended flights indefinitely, due to work shortages and lingering effects from the pandemic. The company will provide updates on their website. (0:41)

12/21/21 – Tri-County Mall Development: This story informed viewers about the mixed-use plans to redevelop the Tri-County Mall site. The current property would be demolished and replaced with retail, residential and nature spaces. (0:43)

12/22/21 – Sports Betting Legalized: This story informed viewers that sports betting online has been legalized in Ohio. Kentucky is now the only state in the region that does not allow betting. (0:30)

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## Arts & Recreation

### FOX19 Now (Morning)

10/11/21 – Keep Her Playing Clinic: This story reported FC Cincinnati and P&G are teaming up for a girls' soccer clinic. The program is meant to help girls 6-14 learn skills and gain confidence. (0:28)

10/13/21 – Kentucky 5K: This story reported on a Kentucky man who has successfully run a 5K race in each of the state's 120 counties. The goal took five years to achieve. He is encouraging others to run at least one race of their own. (0:27)

10/17/21 – Fall Food Fest: This segment informed viewers about the Fall Food Fest at Findlay Market. Shoppers can sample fall-themed treats from more than 30 vendors. (0:28)

10/22/21 – FIFA Bid: This story reported on the festivities in Cincinnati to welcome the FIFA committee. Cincinnati is one of seventeen cities vying to host games for the 2026 World Cup event. 10-11 cities will be chosen early next year. (2:01)

10/25/21 – Flying Pig: This story reminded viewers that the Flying Pig Marathon is coming back after more than a year. The full and half marathon races takes place on Sunday. There are still virtual options available for those who want to avoid the crowds. (0:28)

10/26/21 – Ice Rink: This story reported the Fountain Square Ice Rink will open for the winter season on November 6. Reservations will be required again this year. (0:32)

11/25/21 – Local Teen Boxer: This story profiled a 13-year-old boxer who trains at a local gym. Her nickname is Special K, and she already has a title belt. (3:57)

12/17/21 – Wright Route: This story reported the National Park service is launching a website and information marking the 188<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Wright Brothers flight. The website chronicles the brothers cross-country trek to North Carolina. (0:47)

12/21/21 – Playoff Games: This story alerted viewers that Cinemark Theatres are teaming up with ESPN to air the college football playoff games. Fans can reserve seats with the purchase of a concession package. (0:24)

### FOX19 News Morning Xtra

11/18/21 – In Person Events Return: This story informed viewers the in-person holiday events on Fountain Square will happen this year. 3CDC is bringing back the tree-lighting and other events through the season. (0:31)

12/17/21 – Bearcat in the Nutcracker: This story reported the UC Bearcat kicked off a special performance of the Nutcracker celebrating the return to Music Hall. Other local mascots will appear across the ballet's run. (0:51)

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### **FOX19 Now (Afternoon)**

10/1/21 – Scavenger Hunt: This story informed viewers the Newport Aquarium is launching a scavenger hunt for visitors among the exhibits. One lucky family completing the hunt will win a 4-pack of season passes. (0:24)

10/20/21 – Neltner’s Farm: This story informed viewers about the fall festival at Neltner Farm in Northern Kentucky. There are activities for the whole family, as well as music and food. (1:39)

10/25/21 – Playhouse is Back: This story interviewed the artistic director of the Playhouse in the Park about the new season. The theatre has been closed for a year and a half and has reopened with two new plays with Cincinnati stories. (1:56)

11/18/21 – Festival of Lights: This story informed viewers about the opening of the annual Festival of Lights at the Cincinnati Zoo. The Zoo will be open extended hours through the season. (1:32)

11/19/21 – Sharon Woods Lights: This story informed viewers about the annual Holiday in Lights display at Sharon Woods. There are both walk through and drive through options. The display will remain open through December 30. (0:37)

12/2/21 – Lebanon Carriage Parade: This story reported on the annual Christmas celebration in Lebanon. The festival includes carriage rides, parades and caroling. (0:26)

### **FOX19 Now (Evening)**

11/30/21 – Bunbury Canceled: This story reported the Bunbury Music Festival has been canceled for 2022. This is the third year the festival has not been able to happen. (1:55)

11/30/21 – Shillito Elves: This story reported the Elves which were part of the Shillito’s holiday display starting in the 1950’s will be back on show at Findlay Market this season. (2:52)

### **Special Coverage**

12/30/21 – Playoff Prowl: WXIX aired a local special previewing the appearance of the University of Cincinnati Bearcats in the Cotton Bowl. It is the first time the school has made it to the college football playoffs. The special aired from 8:00-9:30PM.

### **FOX19 Now (Late)**

11/13/21 – Train Displays: Several stories alerted viewers to the opening of several local holiday train displays. Among them is the display at the Behringer-Crawford Museum in Devou Park, which was not open last year due to the pandemic. (1:39)

11/23/21 – Scuba Santa Returns: This story reported Scuba Santa at the Newport Aquarium is returning for the 19<sup>th</sup> years. Reservations are required to visit this year. (0:36)

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## **Community Involvement/Development**

### **FOX19 Now (Morning)**

10/2/21 – QCR CARE Fundraiser: This story reported Rhinegeist Brewery teamed up with Queen City Radio and Cincinnati Animal Care to raise funds and awareness for animal adoption. The goal was to find forever homes for all of their available animals. (0:39)

10/4/21 – Walk to Remember: This story reported on the 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Missing Alexis Walk to Remember for Pregnancy and Infant loss. The founders lost their own daughter in 2004 and hold the walk to raise funds to help other impacted families. (1:08)

10/4/21 – Scarecrow Row: This story informed viewers about the Scarecrow Row exhibit and fundraiser. Scarecrow displays are created by local artists. Funds will support Madis House, a relapse prevention and mental health center for young adults. (0:21)

10/11/21 – Light the Night Fundraiser: This story reported Miami University's football team is hosting a fundraiser for Leukemia and Lymphoma Society. Players have committed to a physical challenge for 25 days. (0:21)

10/12/21 – Schulte House Fundraiser: This story reported a local activist is raising money to save a historic location. The Schulte House on Glenway Avenue was owned by a partner in the Schulte-Reitman sawmill. (0:31)

10/15/21 – Bust a Crust: This story reported on the annual Taste of Belgium fundraiser. Pies ordered now will be available for Thanksgiving. Proceeds benefit Meals on Wheels. (0:45)

10/20/21 – Gun Violence Memorial: This story reported two local organizations are helping local families who have lost loved ones to gun violence. The Cincinnati Office of Human Relations and Every Town for Gun Safety will host a two-day memorial collection event. (0:21)

10/26/21 – Benefit for Police Officer: This story reported on a fundraising benefit for a West Chester Police officer who is battling a rare form of cancer.

10/29/21 – Covington Clay Wade: This story reported Covington officials are holding a drop by event in Mainstrasse Village. They are looking for public input on ways to improve the Clay Wade Bailey bridge gateway into Covington. (0:25)

11/1/21 – Candy Buy Back: This story reported a local dentist office is offering to buy people's extra Halloween candy for \$1 per pound. The candy is then sent to soldiers serving overseas. (0:43)

11/2/21 – Winter Running Club: This story reported on track and cross-country coaches who have started a winter running club for students who are interested but cannot afford the fees to join a team. The coaches volunteer their time and local companies are stepping up to donate shirts. (1:30)

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11/9/21 – Hoxworth Needs O: This story reported Hoxworth Blood Center has put out a call for donors with Type O Blood. Type O is the universal donor and can be given to anyone in an emergency. Donations have been low, so the center is asking people to make appointments as soon as possible. (0:21)

11/12/21 – Gospel Mission Thanksgiving: This story informed viewers City Gospel Mission will be collecting donations at the Oakley Kroger. The goal is to collect enough donations to feed 500 families. They will be giving out flyers with the most needed items. (0:21)

11/15/21 – Food from the Heart Kickoff: This story informed viewers about the annual Food from the Heart campaign. The goal this year is to raise fund for 50,000 meals. This year, Protective Life Corporation is matching the first \$25,000 donated. (0:38)

11/25/21 – Metro Free Rides: This story reported Cincinnati Metro will be offering free rides on two upcoming weekends during the Christmas season. The rides are to help people get to vaccine appointments and to explore local businesses while shopping. (0:32)

11/26/21 – Cincy Fire Coat Drive: This story reported the Cincinnati Fire Department is teaming with the City of Cincinnati Human Relations department to collect winter gear for students at South Avondale Elementary. (0:26)

12/6/21 – Nurses' Honor Guard: This story reported on a newly created non-profit that pays tribute to Nurses who have died. The Cincinnati Nurses' Honor Guard travels to funeral and memorial service to perform what is called the Nightingale Tribute. (0:14)

12/13/21 – Matthew 25 Leaves: This story reported the Disaster Response Team from Matthew 25 Ministries is heading to the Kentucky disaster zone. They will distribute food, water, personal care, and safety kits to those in need. (0:20) A related story encouraged viewers to contribute to the Team Western Kentucky Tornado Relief Fund. (0:26)

12/14/21 – NKU Vigil for Tornado: This story reported students at NU came together for a prayer vigil for the victims of the tornadoes in Western Kentucky. Attendees were asked to bring non-perishable food items to send as tangible aid to those hit by the storms. (1:06)

12/15/21 – Food From the Heart Update: This story reported on the amount of money which has been raised for the annual food drive so far. The campaign is still far short of last year's \$74,000. (0:50)

12/17/21 – Kroger Donating Chickens: This story reported Kroger and Miller Poultry are donating 14,000 pounds of chickens to St. Vincent de Paul. They food will be given out to families in need over the holiday season. (0:22)

12/17/21 – Food From the Heart Push: This segment featured a live update from the St. Vincent de Paul location in the West End. The update encouraged viewers to donate to the food drive as we go into Christmas week to get closer to the goal and maximize matching funds. (1:58)

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12/20/21 – Seven Hills Donations: This story reported Seven Hills Church is collecting donations of heaters, bedding, and hygiene kits at all of their Christmas week services. Donations will be sent to help the victims of the Western Kentucky tornadoes. (1:25)

12/21/21 – Tornado Help: This story reported a Kentucky man who was impacted by the 2012 Piner Tornadoes is taking construction help to Western Kentucky to assist the victims there. (0:28)

12/22/21 – Meals on Wheels: This story reported the local Meals on Wheels is preparing boxes with 10,000 pounds of food to help the tornado victims. The boxes will be shipped next week and distributed by the Red Cross. (0:55)

12/23/21 – Nursing Home Gifts: This story reported the Fairfield Police Department teamed up with Walmart to bring gifts and holiday cheer to residents at the Birchwood Care Center. They wanted to focus on the facility's most isolated residents. (0:45)

### **FOX19 News Morning Xtra**

10/14/21 – Boots & Bourbon Gala: This story reported on the annual fundraiser hosted by Steve and Amy Cauthen. The Boots and Bourbon gala raises money for the therapeutic riding services offered by New Day Ranch. (1:15)

10/21/21 – Parish Plan Next Steps: The story informed viewers the comment period for the Archdiocese's Beacons of Light plan has closed. The final plan will be released by the end of the year. (1:02)

10/27/21 – Real Deal Boxing: This story informed viewers about the Real Deal Boxing program. The program uses the discipline of boxing to teach at-risk youth skills for life and helps them to stay on a better path. (2:06)

11/4/21 – 5K Preview: This story informed viewers about the annual 5K fundraiser for Disabled American Veterans. Funds raised provide services to more than one million veterans across the country. (1:50)

12/14/21 – Cincy Shirts Donations: This story reported the local shirt company Cincy Shirts is selling "Kentucky Strong" shirts to benefit tornado relief. The money raised goes to Convoy of Hope, a relief organization on the ground in Mayfield. (0:56)

12/22/21 – Police Pay for Groceries: This story reported the Mariemont Police were sharing holiday cheer by stopping cars to give out grocery gift cards. They also went to the city's local grocery stores to pay for groceries for selected shoppers. (2:08)

### **FOX19 Now (Afternoon)**

10/5/21 – National Night Out: This story reported on the annual community building event. Cincinnati Police will be in Findlay Park and other locations around the city. The goal is to build positive relationships between police and the communities they serve. (2:56)

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10/12/21 – Grant Us Hope: This story reported on the Cincinnati-based not for profit that works in school districts to prevent suicides. Hope Squads are peer to peer programs providing help for students considering self-harm. (1:18)

10/26/21 – Vaccine Event: This story reported Crossroads Church is offering a health event. The event will offer Covid and Flu vaccines as well as food boxes and HIV tests. (0:20)

11/2/21 – Operation Santa: This story informed viewers the Postal Service is accepting letters for Operation Santa. Kids can send letters and the post office makes them available online for people who want to help Santa fulfill their wishes. (0:48)

11/2/21 – Prepare Affair: This story reported volunteers from People Working Cooperatively worked at the homes of local veterans to make sure they are ready for winter. The volunteers cleaned gutters and raked leaves to improve safety. (0:24)

11/9/21 – Double Donation Day: This story informed viewers on a matching grant for donations to St. Vincent de Paul. The first \$75,000 in donations will be matched by a group of donors. SVDP provides a wide range of services to people in need. (0:32)

11/18/21 – Coat Distribution: This story reported on the first of three winter coat distribution events with St. Vincent de Paul. Those in need just need an ID. (0:24)

11/24/21 – Collecting Toys: This story reported on the 4<sup>th</sup> year for the Ava’s Raise to Praise drive for toys and monetary donations. This year the Ronald McDonald House will be the beneficiary. Ava started collecting after having to spend a week in the hospital following emergency surgery. (2:54)

11/29/21 – Cincinnati Gives Challenge: This story reported on the ten-day fundraising challenge for local non-profits. Each participating organization has a separate page to promote their cause. Top fundraisers can win an additional \$40,000. (1:01)

12/1/21 – Cincy Giving Tree: This story reported the city of Cincinnati is hosting their Giving Tree again this year. Donations this year will benefit Found Village, an organization that helps teens just out of foster care get started as adults. (0:38)

12/13/21 – Bar Owner Helps Kentucky: This story reported the owner of Rich’s Proper Food and Drink is donating sales from his bottle shop to assist those recovering from the disaster in Mayfield, Kentucky. It is his hometown and some of his family still live there. (0:40)

12/16/21 – Kentucky Donations: This series of stories informed viewers about the various places and organizations collecting donations to assist the victims of the Kentucky Tornadoes – Matthew 25 Ministries, Gray TV and the Salvation Army, Kroger, and the Red Cross. (2:09)

12/20/21 – Operation Secret Santa: This story reported on a family which places personalized gift bags on people’s porches, then leaves before they can be seen. Recipients are recommended by teachers or school resource officers. (0:26)

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### **FOX19 Now (Evening)**

10/7/21 – Save the Mark Effort: This story reported on efforts to save the old St. Mark’s Catholic Church in Evanston. It has been decommissioned and vacant for years, but former parish members are looking to save and repurpose the building. (1:45)

10/8/21 – Street Naming: This story reported on the unveiling of a memorial to two police officers killed in the line of duty in 1997. Pope and Jeter Memorial Way was unveiled in Clifton by Officer Pope’s widow. (1:52)

10/19/21 – Dragonfly Auction: This story informed viewers about a charity art show. The work of local artists will be auctioned at the Pendleton Art Center to benefit the Dragonfly Foundation. (2:12)

10/22/21 – Service Animal: This story reported a local family is hoping to raise funds for a service dog for their daughter with cerebral palsy. The family is working with 4 Paws for Ability which pairs service dogs with children who has special needs. (2:14)

10/29/21 – Flying Pig Run: This story reported on the road closures and other preparations for the Flying Pig marathon. Also encouraged people to sign up to participate. (1:36)

11/1/21 – Freestore Giveaway: This story reported the Freestore Foodbank is starting their Thanksgiving food distribution. The program is spread out through November because of Covid distancing protocols. (1:41)

11/4/21 – Cincinnati Works: This story reported on the local non-profit that helps people break the cycle of joblessness and incarceration. Cincinnati Works helps people with training and skills to find jobs and then support to help them retain employment. (2:00)

11/22/21 – Helping Fire Victims: This story reported the program Holiday Angels is stepping up to help a mother and her five children who lost everything in a house fire. The non-profit takes the children shopping for winter clothes. (2:42)

11/22/21 – SVDP Giveaway: This story reported St. Vincent de Paul will be giving away Thanksgiving meals to 1,300 families in need. Distribution will take place at the Don and Phyllis Neyer Outreach Center in the West End. (0:30)

12/24/21 – OTR Free Holiday Meals: This story reported Good Plates Eatery in Over the Rhine is giving out holiday meals to those in need. The restaurant is striving to feed as many people as possible, straight from the stove. (1:21)

### **FOX19 Now (Late)**

10/5/21 – Tyler Davidson Anniversary: This story informed viewers about the 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the dedication of the fountain at Fountain Square. There will be a celebration starting at 4:30PM. (1:05)

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10/7/21 – Leukemia Light the Night: This story reported on the annual fundraising walk for the Leukemia and Lymphoma Foundation. The walk honors those who have been lost to the disease, and those who survived. (1:55)

10/22/21 – West End Clean Up: This story reported about National Make a Difference Day. The non-profit Seven Hills Neighborhood Houses worked to clean up the community garden and local rec center. The program encourages residents to take pride in their neighborhoods. (0:23)

11/6/21 – Benefit for Veteran: This story informed viewers of a benefit for a veteran who lost everything in a house fire. (1:45)

11/19/21 – Domestic Violence Walk: This story reported on a memorial walk honoring Melissa Howell Back. The woman died in a domestic violence situation last year. Proceeds from the walk will benefit a scholarship fund in her name. (0:46)

11/25/21 – Officer Food Giveaway: This story reported the Jewish Community in Amberley Village delivered a homemade kosher Thanksgiving meal to police and first responders on duty. Amberley Village PD was happy to have the donation back after Covid made last year impossible. (0:50)

12/19/21 – Gray TV Help: This story reminded viewers Gray TV is teaming with the Salvation Army to help Tornado Victims in Western Kentucky. Gave them information on how to donate to that drive or the many others happening in the state. (0:21)

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## **Politics 2021**

### **FOX19 Now (Morning)**

10/4/21 – Voter Registration: This story reminded Ohioans of the deadline to register to vote in the November election. Voters can register online as well as at the Board of Elections. (0:24)

10/5/21 – Wrong Ballot Wording: This story reported the effort of a City Councilwoman to alert voters about incorrect wording on a ballot issue has been shut down. (0:45)

10/28/21 – Ohio Transgender Bill: This story reported on a new bill in the Ohio Legislature prohibiting hormone and surgical treatments for transgender youth. LGBTQ advocates are speaking out against the bill, claiming it sets a dangerous precedent. (0:25)

10/29/21 – Naturalization Ceremony: This story reported on a naturalization ceremony for new citizens held at Mercy McAuley High School. The school decided to host the program as part of a full day program for the students to learn about immigration. (0:20)

11/3/21 – Election Results: This story reported on the results for Cincinnati City Council. Six new candidates were added to the slate. (0:32) A related story discussed the results for the parks levy and the charter amendment. (0:59)

11/4/21 – Pureval Gets to Work: This story featured an interview with Mayor-Elect Aftab Pureval. The story discussed his plans for tackling issues impacting the city such as gun violence, corruption, and the economy. (0:47)

11/5/21 – OH-KY-IN Sue: This story reported the three states in the local area are suing the Biden Administration over the federal vaccine mandate. (0:26)

11/8/21 – Border Reopens: This story reported the border with Canada has reopened for fully vaccinated visitors. Canadians can now drive across the border for non-essential travel. (0:25)

11/10/21 – Vaccine Pushback: This story reported Ohio Representative Wenstrup has introduced legislation pushing back against the Biden Administration's vaccine mandate. (0:28)

11/18/21 – Ohio Gun Bills: This story reported Ohio Lawmakers have passed two controversial gun bills. One allows teachers and staff to carry guns in school with a minimum of training and the other eliminates the need for a concealed carry permit. (0:43)

11/22/21 – Mason Petition: This story reported a group of Mason residents are leading a referendum effort to make Mason City Council repeal their abortion ban. They have been collecting signatures since the measure passed. (1:50)

12/10/21 – Debt Limit Measure Passed: This story reported the US Senate passed a measure to avert a default on the national debt. The new bill would allow passage of a debt limit increase with only 51 votes, averting a filibuster. (0:22)

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12/16/21 – Ohio Concealed Carry Bill: This story reported the Ohio Legislature has passed a new bill that would make carrying a concealed weapon easier in the state. It removes the licensing and minimum training requirements. (0:30)

12/16/21 – Westwood DORA: This story reported Cincinnati City Council has voted to approve a DORA district in Westwood. The Designated Area will include Westwood Town Hall and most of the business district. (0:24)

12/23/21 – Jordan January 6: This story reported Ohio Congressman Jim Jordan has been requested for an interview with the January 6 Congressional committee. He is the second lawmaker to receive this request. (0:41)

### **FOX19 Now (Afternoon)**

10/14/21 – Poll Workers Needed: This story informed viewers of the need for poll workers across the state. Hamilton County has one of the highest needs. It is a chance to serve the community and be a more informed voter. (0:32)

10/18/21 – Brown Endorses Whaley: This story reported Senator Sherrod Brown has endorsed Dayton Mayor Nan Whaley for Governor. (0:21)

10/26/21 – Election Preview: This story discussed issues leading up to election day next week. Highlighted the biggest races in the area, the deadlines for early voting, and the continued need for poll workers in Hamilton County. (0:46)

10/29/21 – Poll Workers Still Needed: This story reported the Hamilton County Board of Elections is still looking for Republican and non-affiliated workers to staff the polls. Applications are accepted through Saturday. (0:44)

11/2/21 – Voter Turnout: This story reported Hamilton County is expected roughly 30% voter turnout for this off year election. Last year's Presidential race saw more than double that. (1:26)

11/2/21 – Brain Garry Trouble: This story reported one of the candidates for Cincinnati City Council is in trouble. His supporters were handing out information at the polls which indicated Garry had been endorsed by the Cincinnati Democratic Committee when he was not. (2:10)

11/15/21 – Aftab Transition: This story reported the mayor-elect of Cincinnati is forming a transition team to meld the campaign's goals into actionable plans. Business leaders and activists are included on the team. (0:56)

11/17/21 – Federal Marijuana Bill: This story reported a South Carolina Congresswoman has introduced a bill to federally decriminalize marijuana. The bill would allow states to make their own law regarding the drug without fear of federal interference. (1:06)

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11/23/21 – AG’s Sue Biden: This story reported all three local Attorneys General in the tri-state have signed on to the lawsuit challenging the Biden Administration’s mandate for healthcare workers to be vaccinated. (0:35)

12/14/21 – Abortion Ban Repeal: This story reported Mason City Council voted 6-1 to repeal the Abortion ban in the town which was enacted in October. Since then, a new council has been seated, replacing two members and one returning member changed their vote after public comment on the measure. (1:12)

### **FOX19 Now (Evening)**

10/12/21 – Council Turnover: This story reported there are a record number of candidates for the nine seats on City Council. Given how people have voted in the past, the voter turnout will prove crucial in who gets elected. (1:25)

10/13/21 – BMV Kiosk: This story reported Ohio is testing self-service BMV Kiosks. The machines would allow residents to renew their vehicle registration without making a trip to a BMV office. The test kiosk is in Fairfield. (1:16)

10/18/21 – Colin Powell Reaction: This story reported on reactions from around the political world to the death of former Secretary of State Colin Powell. Powell was the first African American Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff and first African American Secretary of State. (1:50)

10/26/21 – Official Resigns: This story reported a Butler County official has resigned from the zoning board amid a criminal investigation and a federal lawsuit. Group of Madison Township residents have sued over an alleged corrupt land deal. (1:31)

10/27/21 – City Council Ethics: This story reported City Council has passed two anti-corruption reforms. The move comes after three former councilmembers were indicted on bribery charges. (1:10)

11/1/21 – Election Day Preview: This story reported on the record number of candidates running for Cincinnati City Council. Discussed how hard it can be for candidates to attract attention in such a crowded field. (0:46)

11/15/21 – Infrastructure Signing: This story reported on local leaders who were invited guests at the signing of the infrastructure bills. The bill is expected to include funding for the Brent Spence Bridge. (1:34)

12/8/21 – Sports Betting Bill: This story reported a bill allowing sports betting in the state has been passed by the Ohio Senate. It now goes to the state house for consideration. (0:57)

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## **FOX19 Now (Late)**

10/2/21 – Reproductive Rights Rally: This story reported on nationwide rallies supporting reproductive rights for women. Pro-Choice supporters marched in downtown Cincinnati, saying women will not be silenced. (1:32)

10/11/21 – Sanctuary City: This story reported on the contentious public hearing in Mason. The city is considering an ordinance to become a “sanctuary city” for the unborn. (1:01)

10/12/21 – Marijuana Legalization: This story reported a state representative has introduced a bill legalizing recreational use of marijuana in Ohio. The bill would build on the state’s current medical program. Sales taxes would benefit law enforcement and mental health addiction treatment. (0:38)

10/29/21 – Mayoral Race: This story previewed the race for Cincinnati mayor. It highlighted the different tactics the two candidates are using. (1:39)

12/1/21 Wendell Young Fine: This story reported one of the city councilmembers accused in the Gang of Five scandal has agreed to plead no contest and pay a fine. Young will serve out the remainder of his term. He did not run for reelection due to term limits. (0:33)

12/8/21 – Ohio Abortion Bill: This story reported on a new Ohio Legislation that could close the Planned Parenthood Clinic in Cincinnati. This bill limits abortion and expands the state’s current “abortion manslaughter” charge. (0:36)

12/22/21 – Ohio Bills Signed: This series of stories highlighted bills signed into law by Ohio’s Governor. One allows sports betting on any sport, another limits access to abortion, another allows families to put cameras in their loved ones’ rooms in nursing homes. (2:01)

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## Employment

### **FOX19 Now (Morning)**

10/1/21 – Minimum Wage Bump: This story reported Ohio’s minimum wage will go up on January 1. The new rate will be \$9.30 per hour for non-tipped employees and \$4.65 for tipped employees.

10/6/21 – Kroger Hiring Event: This story reported Kroger is looking to hire 20,000 employees nationwide across a broad spectrum of positions. The hiring event will be on October 13. New hires can start almost at once. (1:26)

10/11/21 – EMS Shortage: This story reported the American Ambulance Association is asking Congress for help with worker shortages and underfunding. These issues in the already high turnover industry have been made worse by the pandemic. (0:26)

10/12/21 – CPD Recruitment: This story reported the Cincinnati Police Department is holding a recruitment event. The department is down 100 officers. Applications are accepted through October 31. (0:16)

10/26/21 – Sub Hiring Fair: This story reported both Hamilton and Clermont counties will be holding hiring fairs. Districts in both counties have a number of jobs open, including teachers, substitutes, secretaries and more. (0:48)

11/5/21 – Zoo Hiring Seasonal: This story reported the Cincinnati Zoo is hiring for several departments to help through the holiday season. Those who work through the end of the Festival of Lights will be eligible for a bonus. (0:21)

11/10/21 – Macy’s Wages: This story reported Macy’s is increasing their minimum pay to \$15 per hour by next May. They are also increasing incentive programs like tuition benefits to attract and retain employees. (0:27)

11/12/21 – Metro Pay Increase: This story informed viewers Cincinnati Metro is increasing wages to recruit more drivers. New drivers will receive training at \$18 an hour, which will increase to \$19 an hour once they are trained. (0:27)

11/17/21 – Unemployment Update: This story reported about 5,000 applicants who were denied access to the federal PUA funds have been contacted. Due to updated guidelines from the Department of Labor, they could now be eligible for retroactive benefits. (0:33)

11/29/21 – Weeklong Job Fair: This story reported the USPS will hold a job fair all week long to fill immediate openings for mail handler assistants and city carrier assistant. Interested parties can apply in person at the main post office. (0:51)

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### **FOX19 News Morning Xtra**

11/12/21 – Santa Shortage: This story reported on the shortage of actors available to play Santa for shopping centers and events. Most Santas are already booked solid for the entire season.(1:45).

12/2/21 – Negotiating Salary: This segment discussed the importance and strategies for negotiating compensation with a new employer. Encouraged new hires to do their research on the right salary range for their position and area. (1:13)

### **FOX19 Now (Afternoon)**

10/20/21 – Snowplow Drivers Needed: This story reported ODOT is seeking seasonal employees to drive snowplows. A CDL license is needed. The state needs about 500 more drivers to keep up with expected operations. (1:35)

12/2/21 – Kellogg’s Deal: This story reported Kellogg has reached a deal with union workers at cereal plants around the region. The new contract brings more money and better benefits for workers. (0:35)

12/7/21 – SOURCE Update: This story reported the state of Ohio is moving its unemployment system to a cloud-based system. The first part, the tax system for employers, is up and running. The rest is expected to go live in 2022. (0:39)

12/14/21 – Kroger Ending Benefits: This story reported Kroger is ending some covid-19 benefits for unvaccinated workers. Starting in January, unvaccinated employees will no longer get the two weeks of paid Covid leave and will have to pay a health insurance surcharge. (0:28)

### **FOX19 Now (Evening)**

10/11/21 – Resume Update: This story reported on the number of people who are adding vaccination information to their resumes. Many companies are requiring this, and the information could help people get hired. (1:24)

12/23/21 – OSHP Hiring: This story informed viewers the Ohio State Highway Patrol is accepting applications for people who want to be troopers. Applicants must be Ohio residents with at least a high school diploma. (0:29)

### **FOX19 Now (Late)**

10/11/21 – Staffing Shortages: This story reported on the staffing shortages many local fire departments are facing. Sycamore Township had to call in help from other departments on a three-alarm fire as only 9 of their firefighters were available. (0:58)

10/19/21 – Driver Bonuses: This story reported Northwest Local School District is offering a hiring bonus for anyone signing up to be a bus driver. The district has four open positions and starting pay is \$20/hour. (0:20)

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**Public Service Announcements**

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## Environment/Animals

### **FOX19 Now (Morning)**

10/6/21 – McDonald’s Net Zero: This story reported McDonald’s is announcing plans to have net zero emissions by 2050. Their first goal is to lower emissions by about a third before the end of this decade. (0:23)

10/7/21 – Waiving Adoption Fees: The story reported the CARE Animal Shelter is waiving adoption fees for all animals older than six months. The shelter has been at “Code Red” capacity for months and needs to get more animals into forever homes. (0:23)

10/13/21 – SPCA Animals: This story informed viewers the SPCA of Cincinnati has received 120 animals from Louisiana. Shelters there are struggling following hurricane Ida. The animals will be eligible for adoption once they are given medical clearance. (0:20)

10/14/21 – Flooding Risk: This story reported Cincinnati is at two times higher risk for flooding damage to infrastructure than the rest of the country. A recent study by a non-profit group showed that police and fire stations and water treatment plants are at greater risk. Kentucky’s risk is the 4<sup>th</sup> highest in the country. (0:32)

10/15/21 – Animal Abuse Bill: This story reported on a proposed bill in Kentucky that would require animal abusers to pay for their pets’ bill while their cases move through the courts. Currently agencies that confiscate animal from suspected abusers are on the hook for their care. (0:28)

10/21/21 – Ocean Rover: This story reported two Xavier students are working on an autonomous ocean rover. The rover will collect trash from the ocean and data about water quality to protect marine life. The “Clean the Earth” rover can collect up to 100 pounds at a time. (0:27)

11/15/21 – Climate Agreement: This story reported on the United Nations agreement to fight climate change. The agreement sets a goal of capping warming at 1.5 degrees Celsius and acknowledges fossil fuels as the main contributor. (0:16)

12/14/21 – Dropping Solar Costs: This story reported the Build Back Better program would drop the cost of rooftop solar panels for homeowners by about 30%. Installation could save the average family hundreds per year on their electric bills. (0:33)

12/21/21 – Tornado Update: This story reported that everyone missing during the December 10 tornado outbreak has been accounted for. The death toll has been adjusted to 76. More than 900 people are being temporarily housed in state park accommodations. (0:17)

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### **FOX19 News Morning Xtra**

12/13/21 – Tornado Coverage: This series of stories focused on the destruction caused by the tornado outbreak over the weekend. Kentucky is the hardest hit of the state's involved with more than 50 deaths. Coverage also included the search for victims and survivors in a collapsed business in Mayfield where more than 100 people were working. (2:22)

12/16/21 – Search and Rescue: This story reported Ohio Task Force One is assisting with the search and rescue efforts in the Kentucky Tornado Zone. The group is working around Dawson Springs, which has residents still unaccounted for, and which was 75% destroyed. The group is currently on a 16-day deployment. (2:04) A related story updated viewers on the storm's statistics. Death toll is holding at 74, but 100 people are still listed as missing. Clean up efforts are intensifying. (0:36)

### **FOX19 Now (Afternoon)**

10/6/21 – Great Parks Grant: This story reported Great Parks of Hamilton County is getting a grant from the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency. The grant will nearly triple the number of recycling bins in local parks. The goal is to have a recycling bin with every trash can. (0:29)

10/12/21 – Weather Disasters: This story reported the US is on track to beat last year's record for the amount of money lost due to weather disasters. Total cost so far this year from flooding, wildfires, droughts, etc. is more than \$104 Billion. (0:40)

10/19/21 – Prepping Your Home for Winter: This story informed viewers about steps to take before it gets cold to prepare their homes and furnaces for winter. (1:02)

12/1/21 – Holiday Light Recycling: This story reported Great Parks of Cincinnati is working with Cohen recycling to collect broken or unwanted Christmas lights. The collections keeps the lights out of landfills and lets them be reused for a new purpose. (0:28)

12/8/21 – Kentucky Roads a Mess: This story reported on why the roads in Kentucky were not pre-treated before the snowfall, causing numerous traffic problems. The Kentucky Department of Transportation stated officials did not expect as much snow as was received. (0:42)

12/9/21 – Clear the Shelter: This story reported the Kenton County Animal Shelter is holding a "Clear the Shelter" adoption event. Adoption fees will be waived during the event on December 18. Staff will still be screening and evaluating potential families for suitability. (0:27)

12/23/21 – Searching for Pets: This story reported on a drone operator who is volunteering to search for pets lost in the tornado zone. He uses infrared technology to search for pets caught in the rubble. (1:37)

12/27/21 – Recycling Lights: This story reminded viewers that Great Parks of Hamilton County is working with Cohen Recycling to collect broken or unwanted Christmas lights. This will keep them from going into landfills and allow them to be made into something new. (0:22)

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### **FOX19 Now (Evening)**

10/25/21 – Animal Code Red: This story reported Cincinnati Animal Care is hosting a Halloween themed Adopt-a-Thon because the shelter is so full. Adoption fees are reduced to \$10.31. (2:07)

### **FOX19 Now (Late)**

10/8/21 – First Responders Training: This story reported first responders for the Covington Fire Department are receiving training for treating emergencies in animals. Med-Vet also donated pet CPR masks in various sizes to be kept in ambulances. (1:50)

10/24/21 – Winter Forecasts: This story reported the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration is forecasting a warmer winter overall due to La Nina weather patterns. The Cincinnati area is predicted for above normal temperatures and precipitation. (1:07)

11/26/21 – Black Friday Adoptions: This story reported Cincinnati Animal Care is holding a Black Friday adoption event. The shelter has taken in more than 1,200 animals since October 1 and is critically over capacity. (1:04)

11/29/21 – Oil and Gas Increase: This story reported the Department of the Interior has recommended oil and gas companies pay more to drill on public land. Lease rates have not increased since 1987. Some environmental groups are pushing for an outright ban on drilling on those lands. (0:38)

12/15/21 – Storm Details: This story reported the National Weather Service has confirmed the storm which devastated Western Kentucky was an EF4 with sustained winds of 190 MPH. The storm was on the ground for over 200 miles and will likely be the longest and deadliest tornado event in the state's history. (2:20)

12/15/21 – Helping Animals: This story informed viewers Hart Rescue Cincinnati is in need of boarding facilities and fostering homes for at least 35 animals displaced by the tornadoes. The animals, some injured, need homes until their families can reclaim them. (1:24)

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## **Healthy Living**

### **FOX19 Now (Morning)**

10/1/21 – New Mental Health Program: This story reported UC Health and the Cincinnati Police are teaming up to provide better support for those in a mental health crisis. The Telehealth Mobile Crisis program will connect virtually with a social worker who can assess the situation and provide resources. (0:28)

10/4/21 – Mammogram Van: As part of breast cancer awareness month, this story informed viewers where the mobile mammography van will be over the next several days. The van takes both appointments and walk-ins. (0:26)

10/11/21 – Anniversary of the Pink Ribbon: This story reported the Cris Collinsworth Foundation is hosting a celebration marking the 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Pink Ribbon supporting breast cancer research and treatment. (0:27)

10/28/21 – Cheap Antidepressant: This story reported scientists are studying whether an inexpensive antidepressant called Luvox can effectively treat Covid-19. Early research shows covid patients taking the pill were less likely to be hospitalized.

11/29/21 – Kids Covid and Flu Vaccines: With flu season coming, doctors are recommending anyone over 6 months should get a flu shot. They also stated it is safe for children to get flu and Covid vaccines together or close together. (0:42)

12/3/21 – Cell and Gene Therapy: This story reported Cincinnati Children's is partnering with the research group CTL to research new gene therapies. They are planning to build a new facility in the Cincinnati Region to host this research. (0:33)

12/29/21 – Fewer Medical Bills: This story reported on the "No Surprises" Act. The new law bans most unexpected medical bills from out of network providers and should apply to about ten million bills per year. The healthcare industry sued to have the bill stopped. (0:30)

### **FOX19 News Morning Xtra**

12/1/21 – Health Divide: Robertson County: This Bridging the Great Health Divide segment focused on the rural Kentucky County. Smallest in population and second smallest in landmass, the county does not have a single doctor. (3:08)

12/23/21 – Fitness and Travel: This segment talked with a personal trainer about the best ways to keep health and fitness intact while traveling for the holidays. (4:01)

### **FOX19 Now (Afternoon)**

10/6/21 – Cincinnati Children's Grant: This story reported Cincinnati Children's is one of 25 institutions across the country receiving a grant from the National Institutes of Health. The study funded will look at the long-term effect of opioid exposure in infants and children. (1:49)

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11/17/21 – Overdoses Up: This story reported on a study showing Americans are dying from overdoses at a record rate. An estimated 100,000 people died from May 2020-April 2021. That is up 30% from the prior year. (0:27)

11/19/21 – 19 For a Cure: This story reported on good news regarding lung cancer screenings. A majority of the patients screened who have lung cancer are now more likely to have it caught in the earlier, more treatable stages. (1:47)

12/20/21 – 19 For a Cure: This story profiled a woman's journey with breast cancer from her diagnosis in August 2015. Discussed the factors that can alter the degree of risk for developing cancer and steps to take for prevention and early diagnosis. (2:56)

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10/27/21 – Breast Cancer Vaccine: This story reported the Cleveland Clinic is studying a vaccine to combat the most aggressive forms of breast cancer. Researchers hope their work could pave the way for a vaccine to prevent all types of breast cancer. (0:49)

10/27/21 – Dental Help: This story reported on the number of counties across the country which do not have access to dental care. There are 229 across the nation without a single practicing dentist. Robertson County Kentucky has not had one since the 1970's. (2:15)

11/12/21 – Marijuana Expansion: This story reported a bill has been introduced to expand Ohio's medical marijuana program. The bill would expand the number of conditions eligible and would put regulation under the Department of Commerce rather than the pharmacy board. (0:25)

11/17/21 – Vaccine Trial: This story reported on the beginning of human trials for a vaccine to fight Alzheimer's. 16 people aged 60-85 with early Alzheimer's symptoms will be enrolled. (0:19)

11/19/21 – Flu Cases: This story reported on an uptick of flu cases at Miami University. There are currently 174 confirmed cases on campus. This is in line with CDC warnings for a severe flu season. (0:42)

11/22/21 – Patient Privacy: This segment reported on the increase in healthcare data breaches since the start of the pandemic. From 2019 to date in 2021 about 52 million people have had their medical data compromised. (3:13)

12/13/21 – Hospital Mess: This story reported on real-time data from the Cincinnati Health Collaborative. The graph tracks the number of available ICU beds in the area and shows they are already at capacity and have been since the end of November. (2:08)

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### **FOX19 Now (Late)**

10/12/21 – Poison Hemlock: This story alerted viewers that poison hemlock is spreading through Ohio. The plant is toxic to animals and humans and can cause serious respiratory problems. (0:27)

11/28/21 – Working Outdoors Benefit: This story reported on a study showing women who work outdoors are less likely to develop breast cancer as they get older. Exposure to Vitamin D can help ward off infection and cancer. (0:19)

11/29/21 – Hospital Bills Rising: This story reported with the Covid-19 vaccine available, major health insurance providers are hitting patients with big hospital bills. Even those with Covid-19 waivers are being charged hundreds of dollars extra. (0:40)

12/24/21 – Mental Health at Christmas: This story reported on the stresses of the holidays on mental health, especially among those experiencing homelessness. With the pandemic, hospital beds are not available and there are not mental health facilities available. (1:44)

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## **Corona Virus Pandemic**

### **FOX19 Now (Morning)**

10/1/21 – Vaccine Deadlines: This story reported on the deadline for employees at five major health systems in the area to either comply with vaccine mandates or face termination. (0:26)

10/1/21 – Automated Covid Testing: This story reported on a new type of contactless testing for Covid-19 being launched in California. A clinician helps guide people through the process and results are available in about 10 minutes. (0:56)

10/4/21 – Vax Mandate Enforced: This story reported the US Office of Personnel Management says officials can enforce the President's vaccine mandate beginning next month. Agencies are advised to provide counseling and education first. (0:31)

10/5/21 – Venue Requirements: This story reminded viewers the mandate for a vaccination or proof of negative Covid test is now in effect at the area's major concert venues. The requirement applies to all concerts until further notice. (0:34)

10/8/21 – Kentucky Numbers: This story reported Covid statistics in Kentucky are trending downward. Hospitalizations and ICU admissions are down 17% in the past 7 days. However, the state has passed 9,000 Covid related deaths since the start of the pandemic. (0:24)

10/11/21 – Vaccine Tailgate: This story reported the University of Cincinnati is holding a vaccine tailgate to get more of the campus vaccinated. UC is requiring all faculty, staff, and students to be vaccinated. Deadline for the first shot is October 15. (1:13)

10/11/21 – Breakthrough Indicators: This story reported on a study from Case Western University showing that people with substance abuse issues, including cigarettes and alcohol, are more likely to develop breakthrough cases of Covid. (0:26)

10/14/21 – Vaccine Mixing: This story reported the FDA is discussing booster shots for Moderna and Johnson & Johnson vaccines, as well as mixing and matching vaccines for boosters. (0:34)

10/19/21 - Kentucky Covid Numbers: This story reported Kentucky has seen four weeks of declining Covid statistics. Numbers have dropped below the 2020 winter surge levels. The Governor asks schools to keep the universal mask mandates going. (0:41)

11/4/21 – Vax to School Expansion: This story reported Ohio's Vax 2 School lottery is expanding to include children 5-11 years of age, now that they are eligible to receive the Covid vaccine. (0:26)

11/8/21 – Children's Vaccine Appointments: This story reported Cincinnati Children's Hospital is adding more appointments for 5-11-year-old children to get vaccinated. The move is in

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response to high demand. At the first vaccine clinic, nurses administered 528 shots in a single day. (0:35)

11/17/21 – Boosters for All: This story reported the FDA is considering a request from Pfizer to make Covid boosters available to all adults. Some areas with rising caseloads have already opened up eligibility to all adults. (0:27)

11/26/21 – Xavier Mandate Lifted: This story reported Xavier University is lifting their mask mandate. The school has experienced low transmission rates and fewer than 10 positive tests per day. (0:16)

12/7/21 – Miami Mandate: This story reported 58 students registered for the spring semester will have their schedules canceled for non-compliance with the university's vaccine mandate. Non-compliant employees will be required to complete an educational program. (0:54)

12/15/21 – Omicron Less Severe: This story reported that while the Omicron variant is spreading faster than other strains of the diseases, it appears to cause less severe illness. The risk of hospital admission is about 29% lower than the original wave in March 2020. (0:29)

12/21/21 – Museum Center Clinic: This story reported Cincinnati Children's Hospital is teaming with the Cincinnati Museum Center for a vaccine clinic. Anyone 5 and older can get vaccinated and get free admission to the museum for the day. (0:28)

12/21/21 – Sleep Disorders: This story informed viewers that people with sleep-related breathing problems such as sleep apnea may face an increased risk of hospitalization and death from Covid-19. Researchers say the data could lead to new treatment strategies. (0:30)

12/22/21 – Delta Wants Shorter Quarantines: This story reported Delta Airlines is asking the CDC to reduce the recommended isolation period for vaccinated employees who test positive for Covid. The company says the current ten-day isolation period could negatively impact operations. (0:22)

12/23/21 – Ohio Surge: This story informed viewers that Ohio saw their highest single day number of Covid cases since the start of the pandemic. Data from the Cincinnati Health Collaborative shows that local hospitals and ICU's are running at critical capacity. (0:31)

### **FOX19 News Morning Xtra**

10/21/21 – Kids and Vaccines: This story reported there are enough vaccine supplies to vaccinate 28 million kids 5-11 as soon as the FDA grants approval for the age group. (0:30)

12/21/21 – DeWine Interview: This story featured an interview with Ohio's Governor. Discussed the deployment of national guard troops to help in hospitals being overwhelmed with Covid cases. Also encouraged residents who have not yet received their boosters to do so. (0:49)

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### **Special Coverage**

12/21/21 – Omicron Updates: WXIX aired live local and national statements regarding the Omicron Variant of Covid and the upcoming holidays. The outgoing and incoming Cincinnati Mayors spoke at 2PM, encouraging masks for holiday events. President Biden Spoke at 2:30PM and encouraged people to get vaccinations and boosters, as well as announcing greater access to rapid tests.

### **FOX19 Now (Afternoon)**

10/4/21 – Pregnant Women Push: This story interviewed a doctor from the Ohio State Medical Association. Doctors are pushing for pregnant women to get vaccinated for Covid-19, assuring them there is no loss of fertility or increase in stillbirths. Vaccinated women can also protect their newborns through breast milk. (1:00)

10/7/21 – Pfizer for Kids: This story reported Pfizer is asking the FDA for emergency use authorization to administer the Covid vaccines to kids ages 5 to 11. Testing data was submitted to the agency last month. (0:18)

10/26/21 – Pfizer Vax Approved: This story reported FDA advisors have voted to recommend the Pfizer vaccine for kids 5-11. The FDA will take the up the recommendation on November 2. (1:13)

10/28/21- Vaccine Overcount: This story reported some data from Kroger vaccination clinics was reported twice, which led to an overcount of Kentuckians who have been vaccinated. Each age group dropped 5-8%. (1:47)

11/4/21 – Vaccine Mandate: This story reported the federal mandate for vaccination in companies with 100 or more employees will become active on January 4. OSHA will help enforce these regulations. (0:30)

12/2/21 – Biden on Omicron: This story reported on the President's plan to fight the Omicron variant as it makes its way into the US. The plan directs pharmacies to offer more booster appointments. All international travelers will have to show a negative test before they depart. (0:31)

12/9/21 – ODH Update: This story reported on the update on the Covid pandemic in Ohio. The state currently has the highest number of hospitalizations since January and the state has returned to a serious situation. (1:15)

12/16/21 – ODH Update: This story informed viewers the current spread of Covid in Ohio is very serious. At the current time one in five patients in Ohio hospitals is a Covid patient.

12/20/21 – Children's Hospital: This story alerted viewers that Children's Hospital is experiencing bed and staff shortages due to Covid and other seasonal illnesses. They instructed parents to reach out to their primary care physicians before coming to the Children's ER. (1:02)

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12/22/21 – Covid Pill Approved: This story informed viewers the FDA has approved the first pill to treat Covid-19. The medication is given to those with a positive covid test and a high risk of hospitalization. (0:18)

12/29/21 – Fire Department Emergency: This story reported the city of Cincinnati has issued a state of emergency for the fire department, due to Covid cases and quarantines. This allows the City Manager to take any necessary actions to cover staffing. (0:24)

12/29/21 – Holcomb on Covid: This story reported the Governor of Indiana has extended the state's health emergency declaration into the new year. Hospitalizations are up 700% since June and the hospital census is higher than last year's peak. (1:12)

### **FOX19 Now (Evening)**

10/20/21 – Booster Decision: This story reported US Regulators have approved of mixing Covid-19 shots for boosters. People can get booster shots of a different vaccine than the one they initially received. (0:56)

11/3/21 – Vax for Kids: This story reported on the first vaccine clinic for children 5-11 at Children's Hospital. Parents are encouraged to make appointments but are also taking walk ins. (1:37)

11/17/21 – Child Vaccine Trial: With more than 2,500 kids 5-11 already having been vaccinated, Children's Hospital is now enrolling kids ages 6 months to 4 years old in vaccine trials for both Moderna and Pfizer. (0:12)

12/17/21 – Guard Helping at Hospitals: This story reported Ohio National Guard personnel have been deployed to assist at hospitals struggling with Covid-19 cases. Representatives from the Cincinnati Health Collaborative say the help will be welcome as Cincinnati hospitals have been running at low staff levels. (2:03)

12/20/21 – CPS Clinic: This story informed viewers Cincinnati Public Schools is hosting a covid vaccine clinic. Those five and older can get a vaccine or a booster. Appointments are not required, and the school will give out holiday gift boxes to all who attend. (0:24)

### **FOX19 Now (Late)**

11/19/21 – Boosters for All: This story reported the CDC and FDA have agreed all adults should be eligible for Covid-19 boosters. (0:34)

11/30/21 – Mandate Injunction: This story reported a federal judge has ruled in favor of an injunction prohibiting the enforcement of the vaccine mandate for Government contractors in Ohio and Kentucky. (1:29)

12/27/21 – Long Lines for Testing: This story reported that local testing sites are seeing long waits and running out of at-home tests. Local drive-thru sites are seeing waits as long as two hours to get tested, (0:54)

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**PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS  
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## WXIX Public Service Announcement Summary – 4th Quarter 2021

The below listed campaigns aired on both WXIX's primary channel (19.1) and on the secondary channel Heroes and Icons (19.2)

- Alzheimer's Association: During the quarter, WXIX aired a :30 second public service message for this organization. The PSA encouraged viewers to get involved with their local fundraising walks.
- American Nurses' Association: During the quarter, WXIX aired a :30 second public service message for this organization. The PSA expressed appreciation to the nurses who have been working on the front lines of the Covid-19 pandemic and encouraged viewers to do the same.
- Autism: During the quarter, WXIX aired several :15 and :30 second and 1:00 minute public service announcements for several organizations supporting this issue. The PSA's reminds parents that early screening for autism can make a world of difference in their child's development. Also addressed children directly that it is OK to be who they are.
- Back in the Game/Back to Life – Covid: During the quarter, WXIX aired several :30 second public service announcements for the It's Up to You campaign. The PSA's reminded viewers that it is up to everyone to do what is necessary to get us past the pandemic.
- Best Friends Animal Shelters: During the quarter, WXIX aired several :30 and :60 second public service messages for this organization. The PSA focused on the group's mission to make every animal shelter around the country a 'no-kill' shelter.
- Boys and Girls Clubs: During the quarter, WXIX aired a :30 second public service message for this organization. The PSA reminded viewers about the services the clubs provide and their positive impact on kids.
- Cincy World Cup: During the quarter, WXIX aired a :15 second public service message for this campaign. The PSA from Cincy Soccer USA supported Cincinnati's bid to be one of the host cities for the 2026 World Cup Tournament.
- Dare to STEM/She Can STEM: During the quarter, WXIX aired several :15 second public service messages for this campaign. The PSA's encouraged children to get involved in STEM education and discussed the importance of female role models in these careers to keep girls interested.
- Discover the Forest: During the quarter, WXIX aired :15, :30 and :60 second public service messages for this campaign, such as Am I a Tree and Our Colors. The PSA's encouraged families to Discover the Forest and make spending time in nature part of their lives.
- Foundation for a Better Life: During the quarter, WXIX aired multiple public service messages in varying lengths from this organization. The PSA's, part of the Values – Pass it On Campaign, teach life lessons aimed at children and teens.
- Girl Scouts: During the quarter, WXIX aired :30 and :60 second public service messages for this organization. The PSA's encouraged girls to join the Girl Scouts to find their adventure and discover their spirit.
- Heal the Heartland: During the quarter, WXIX aired :15 and :30 second public service messages for this campaign. The PSA's encouraged viewers to donate to the Salvation Army and other organizations providing aid to the victims of the December 10 tornados in the Midwest.
- Kentucky Agriculture Fund: During the quarter, WXIX aired several :30 second public service messages for this cause. The PSA's informed viewers of goods produced by Kentucky farmers and encouraged them to shop local.

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- Kentucky Association of Broadcasters: During the quarter, WXIX aired a :30 second public service message for this organization. The PSA focused on the environmental damage of throwing trash in waterways by showing a fish throwing them in a swimming pool.
- Make That Change: During the quarter, WXIX aired a :30 second public service announcement for this campaign. The PSA focused on women in tech careers (Women Who Code) and the changes and opportunities they are making for themselves and others.
- Mental Health/Sound it Out: During the quarter, WXIX aired a :30 second public service message for this issue. The PSA, aimed at Middle School Aged Children and their parents, focused on the importance of mental health and how to find ways to start the conversation.
- NAB: During the quarter, WXIX aired several :30 second public service announcements from this organization. The spots focused on a number of issues – Corona Virus response, blood donation, small business support, and the importance of local broadcasting to keep communities informed.
- OAB: During the quarter, WXIX aired several :30 second public service messages from the Ohio Association of Broadcasters. Some PSAs focused on needs in the state, including recruitment for STEM careers and the National Guard. Additional PSA's focused on how the guard is responding to the pandemic. Another campaign focused on the importance of testing for Covid-19 among first responders and frontline workers.
- Pet Adoption: During the quarter, WXIX aired a :30 second public service message for this issue. The PSA, from the Shelter Pet Project, informed viewers about the benefits and rewards of adopting a pet in need.
- Power of Play: During the quarter, WXIX aired :30 second and 1:00 minute public service messages for this organization. The PSA's reminded children and parents about the importance of play in a child's learning and development.
- SAMHSA/We Do Hear You: During the quarter, WXIX aired a :30 second public service message for this campaign. The PSA reminded parents that their children do take in the messages they give about drinking and drug use.
- Shriners Hospitals: During the quarter, WXIX aired a :30 second public service message for this organization. The PSA focused on the work the hospitals do for burned and injured children.
- Stand Up 2 Cancer: During the quarter, WXIX aired a :30 second public service message for this organization. The PSA encouraged people to get screened for colon cancer.
- Take it From Me: During the quarter, WXIX aired several public service messages for this campaign. The PSA spots featured health care providers and community leaders encouraging viewers to overcome vaccine hesitancy and get the shot.
- Teen Adoption: During the quarter, WXIX aired a :30 public service message for this campaign. It encouraged families to adopt teens from foster care, stressing the positive difference it can make in a young life.

**COMMUNITY EVENTS  
&  
NON-BROADCAST ACTIVITIES**

## **Station Personnel Involvement in Community Events**

10/2/21 – WXIX Anchor/Meteorologist Frank Marzullo served as emcee for the Walk to End Alzheimer's at Sawyer Point.

10/9/21 - WXIX Anchor/Meteorologist Frank Marzullo served as emcee for the Lebanon Oktoberfest Celebration.

10/26/21 – WXIX Morning Meteorologist Catherine Bodak visited St. Vivian School for a weather safety program. She talked with third graders about staying safe in dangerous weather and what it takes to become a meteorologist.

12/4/21 - WXIX Morning Meteorologist Catherine Bodak hosted a job shadow student. The student is interested in pursuing a career in broadcast meteorology.

### **ONGOING ACTIVITIES**

Director of Technology Sonny Reschka/Engineering Manager Tom Talley

- Queensgate Safety Sector – Members, the group meets monthly discuss safety issues and working with Cincinnati Police to protect the employees and properties of businesses in the Queensgate neighborhood where FOX19's facility is located.

WXIX Multi-Media Journalist Trevor Peters

- Big Brother Mentoring Volunteer with Big Brothers, Big Sisters of Greater Cincinnati

WXIX TMP Supervisor Paul Southwick

- CCM Media Production Advisory Committee – The group meets monthly to advise current students on career paths and educational strategies. Also discuss encouraging alumni to give back to the community.

Anchor Reporter Chris Riva

- Sorg Opera House Board. Non-profit group working to renovate and revitalize the historic opera house

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