

The following is a list of some of the more significant community issues addressed by this/these station(s) for the quarter specified. This listing is by no means complete, nor is the order in which these issues appear, intended to imply any degree of priority or significance of the issues.

QUARTERLY ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST FOR STATIONS

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ISSUE DESCRIPTION	PROGRAM SEGMENT	DATE/TIME	DURATION	DESCRIPTION OF SEGMENT
1. Arizona Illustrated	The Psychedelic Reset	1/5/2020 @ 6:30pm	00:09:32	With mental health disorders on the rise, major universities like Johns Hopkins have launched groundbreaking research focused on psychedelic substances and their potential impacts on mental health. The University of Arizona in Tucson is in the midst of a major study involving psilocybin or magic mushrooms and obsessive compulsive disorder—and their findings are raising eyebrows. The Psilocybin study is ongoing and still actively recruiting participants. Produced by David Fenster and Gisela Telis.
2. Arizona 360	Arizona Addicted	1/10/2020 @ 8:30pm	00:05:57	Since Arizona began collecting more data about opioid-related overdoses, it has tracked a rise in the use of fentanyl. Last year in Arizona fentanyl factored into more overdoses than any other drug. Reporter Judy Alley learned more about how federal agencies like <i>Customs and Border Protection</i> and the <i>Drug Enforcement Administration</i> are working together to keep fentanyl from entering the state through its ports of entry. Despite these efforts to prevent fentanyl from entering Arizona, the state’s third largest county saw a nearly 75% increase in fentanyl seizures. Nearly 90% of fentanyl entering the U.S. comes through our ports of entry.

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3. Arizona Illustrated	Santa Cruz Church	1/12/2020 @ 6:30pm	00:10:27	The Santa Cruz Catholic Church on 6th Ave and 22nd Street in Tucson celebrated its 100th anniversary in 2019. The Spanish colonial revival building and its distinctive 90-foot bell tower were designed by Bishop Henri Granjon, who reportedly chose the location because he liked to hunt rabbits in the area. When construction began the church was on the southern edge of Tucson's city limits and was meant to serve the growing Hispanic population on the south side. The church has a deep architectural, spiritual and cultural history that charts Tucson's growth over the last century. Producer/Editor: Andrew Brown
4. Arizona Illustrated	Just Najima	1/19/2020 @ 6:30pm	00:07:02	Najima Rainey has a powerful and beautiful voice but never really considered herself a musician. She thought she was just good at karaoke and could lend her voice to other people's projects. After her last band broke up she decided to try writing her own songs with the help of a looper. Now, she just recorded her first album and has teamed up with musician, Tadj Roi Arvizu Hodges, to form the band Just Najima. The duo plays what Rainey calls southwestern gothic soul, where she is trying to make the soul music of today. Producer/Editor: Andrew Brown
5. Arizona Illustrated	I Love You, Bye.	2/2/2020 @ 6:30pm	00:11:20	Vanessa Barchfield shares the story of her father's life, his lifelong illness and his opioid dependence.

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6. Arizona Illustrated	A Mother's Story	1/26/2020 @ 6:30pm	00:09:25	Five years ago, Tawni Terman was in the throes of opioid addiction when she found out she was pregnant with her third child. She had lost her house, her marriage, and custody of her two other children to her addiction, but it was this pregnancy that prompted her to seek treatment. Today, she works at The Haven, an addiction treatment center for women, helping others find their way to recovery, and has regained custody of her children and found a new sense of purpose. This story documents her journey. Producer/Videographer/Editor: David Fenster
7. Arizona 360	Affordable Housing	1/31/2020 @ 8:30pm	00:04:49	As the Tucson metro population has grown, so has demand for affordable housing. Marco Ysmael, housing program manager with Pima County, explained some of the challenges with access. "There's a lot of similarities with the economy prior to the Great Recession, and how we were seeing land prices and home prices start to skyrocket out of control," Ysmael said. "It's good on one hand, that values are being resorted to pre-recession levels. It's good for homeowners and property owners. But it presents challenges for those that are moderate-, lower-income families." Ysmael also described ways deregulation could create more inventory and help meet demands. "I think there is an effort right now to look at what things can be done to reduce regulatory barriers and make it easier for not only homebuilders, but the average person that wants to build their own home," Ysmael said. Lorraine Rivera reports.

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8. Arizona 360	Operation Stonegarden Denied	2/7/2020 @ 8:30pm	00:05:16	<p>This week the <i>Pima County Board of Supervisors</i> voted along party lines to reject funding from <i>Operation Stonegarden</i>. The federal grant program typically covers equipment and overtime pay associated with work done by law enforcement agencies in cooperation with Border Patrol. The Pima County Sheriff's Department would have received nearly \$2 million. <i>Tucson Sentinel</i> reporter Paul Ingram joined Lorraine Rivera in studio to explain why Operation Stonegarden has become a controversial issue, reasons for its most recent rejection and what it means for taxpayers.</p> <p>"For the last 12 years, up until 2018, this was part of the consent agenda. It was something they would pass with a voice vote among a bunch of other things," Ingram said. "What's changed is, to a large degree, I think the Trump administration. The Trump administration has really poisoned the politics, soured the politics about Operation Stonegarden."</p>

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9. Arizona Illustrated	La Vaquita	2/16/2020 @ 6:30pm	00:26:35	The United Nations says that a million species across the planet are at risk of going extinct, including one-third of the world's marine mammals. The vaquita, a small porpoise that lives in our backyard in the salty waters of the Upper Gulf of California, is poised to lead the way. Its total population is currently estimated at 12. We take you to San Felipe, Mexico and onto the waters of the Upper Gulf to see firsthand the efforts being made to save this creature and explore why, despite years of warnings about its fate, the vaquita population continues to decline. Produced by Vanessa Barchfield
10. Arizona 360	Phoenix Emerging as Hot-Spot for 2020 Political Activity	2/21/2020 @ 8:30pm	00:05:15	The political fight for Arizona voters has so far taken place in Phoenix. Less than a month after the president's rally, Democratic candidates will debate in the city. For insight into some of the reasons Phoenix is being thrust into the national spotlight, Lorraine Rivera spoke to Steve Goldstein, host of <i>KJZZ's The Show</i> . "Maricopa County is where a lot of the new businesses are coming from. The point of emphasis, whether it's Phoenix or the surrounding suburbs, [is that] it's a pretty safe bet that many people are doing very well," Goldstein said.
11. Arizona 360	Decriminalizing Needle Exchanges	2/28/2020 @ 8:30pm		Arizona lawmakers are considering a bill that would decriminalize clean needle exchanges. While a number of states have already done so, not everyone in Arizona is sold on the idea. Arizona Republic health reporter Stephanie Innes discusses her reporting on the issue and why supporters say it could help prevent opioid-related deaths.

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12. Arizona 360	Super Tuesday Roundtable	3/6/2020 @ 8:30pm	00:10:40	After Super Tuesday, what are some key takeaways voters in Arizona should consider ahead of the state's own Democratic Presidential Preference Election on March 17? Lorraine Rivera gets analysis from Arizona Daily Star opinion writer Edward Celaya, The Yellow Sheet Report editor Hank Stephenson and KVOI radio's "The Tipping Point" host Zach Yentzer.