

**KQIS Kiss 105.3 FM & 1340 AM
Springdale, Arkansas
1st Quarterly Issues/Programming**

January/ February/March 2023

The following issues were identified as significant and addressed by KQIS radio to serve the community and act in the public interest as set forth by the Federal Communication Commission.

Description of Program Providing Most Significant Treatment of Community Issues

Program	Days	Times	Duration
The Day Party	Mondays	1pm-2pm	1 Hour

The above program is locally produced by the on-air talent in studio. Live in studio interviews are conducted with local people from the community talking about a host of issues and topics for our local listeners and residents.

Issues

The station has identified the following as significant issues facing the local community in this quarter:

1. Two local community programs with informative issues discussed. [L] [SEP]
2. Social Issues: Covered social issues and needs. [L] [SEP]
3. Politics: Covering local, state, and national politics.
4. Public Safety: Covered issues related to police, and crime. [L] [SEP]
5. Education: Covered issues related to education
6. Health: Provided information concerning health issues in the community.

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It is our endeavor to serve the public interest here on KQIS Kiss 105.3 &

1040. We continuously broadcast issues of concern to Springdale/Bethel Height and the surrounding listening to the public. The following is a brief description of these issues that were addressed during the 1st quarter.

Lindsey Leverett-Higgins came by and talked about NWA MLK Council and how people could get involved in the community for MLK day.

Xander Gold talked to D. Sewell about community health and ways to stay active through wrestling to stay healthy. He also discussed mental health and wellness for athletes.

Bernard Willaims discussed healthy lifestyles and how to use boxing to obtain health goals.

Raquel Thompson talked about how to support female djs in northwest Arkansas and the importance of community shows.

Reggie James and Anthony Ball spoke with DJ D. Sewell about the Arkansas Black Music and Film Expo. They also talked about their education initiative to help kids learn more about performing music.

Orson Weems and Greg Thompson talked about the Music Education Initiative and how they are helping kids learn the production side of putting events together. They are also doing educational exhibits about different genres of music in Arkansas.

Maria Salas talked about the ELL program at NWACC college and how it helps people who are struggling with the English language overcome that barrier and also build confidence.

Myron Jackson talked about the various programs UAPB has in place to help students with any types of needs. He also gave information to help parents with college students navigate through these tough times.

Ambrosia Johnson discussed the hardships of working in the music industry as a Black Woman. She talked about the support she has gotten in NWA and advice to help others break into the business.