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

## QUARTERLY ISSUES /PROGRAMS LIST FOR STATION: KVMV – McAllen, Tx 1<sup>ST</sup> 2<sup>ND</sup> (3<sup>RD</sup>) 4<sup>TH</sup> Quarter of year: 2023

Issue Description	Program Segment	Date & Times	Duration	Description of Segment
Issue Description Current local and national news		Date & Times 7-11-2023 6:40AM, 7:40AM, 5:50PM	<b>Duration</b> Varies	AM news: The Texas Senate and House reached an agreement on a historic \$18 billion property tax cut. Texas Lt. Gov. Dan Patrick and House Speaker Dade Phelan issued a joint statement to announce the agreement on the proposed legislation that will be the biggest property tax cut in Texas history. Over \$12 billion will be spent on reducing the school property tax rate for all homeowners and business properties. And every homeowner who homesteads their home (approximately 5.7 million homeowners) will get a \$100,000 homestead exemption. Gov. Greg Abbott has named a second interim attorney general to stand in for Ken Paxton who was automatically suspended in May after the Texas House voted to impeach him over allegations of misconduct and crimes. The governor appointed Angela Colmenero as the state next interim attorney general after announcing his first pick, Fort Worth attorney John Scott, was leaving the position. The city of Roma hopes to get water test results by tomorrow
				In the meantime, the boil water notice remains in effect. The notice was first put into place on July 5 when two pumps failed, causing pressure issues. According to an annual report issued by the Environment Texas Research and Policy Center, South Padre Island beache were found to be one of the safest beaches for swimming in Texas. They looked at data taken at beaches across the state
				PM News: In a surprising change of tune Monday, Turkish President Recep Tayyip Erdogan has apparently agreed to advance Sweden bid for NATO membership. The agreement also allows Turkey into the European Union. The U.S. Marine Corps does not have a confirmed leader for the first time in 164 years, following Marine Corps Commandant Gen. David Berger's relinquish-of-command
				<ul> <li>ceremony held Monday and Berger's private retirement</li> <li>ceremony. Gen. Eric Smith is the acting Commandant.</li> <li>Around 84,000 Woom bicycles for children are being recalled</li> <li>because the handlebars could come off while riding, posing a</li> <li>risk that children using them could be unable to steer and fa</li> <li>19 injuries have been reported from this happening.</li> <li>User traffic on Twitter has slowed since the launch of Meta</li> <li>text-based platform Threads, which has already surpassed</li> <li>100 million sign-ups since its debut last week.</li> </ul>

News: financial, consumer affairs & various	96.9 KVMV Consumer News	7-11-2023 1:40PM	60 Seconds	Just when home prices showed signs of actually going down a bit in some overheated markets, the cost of buying a home has gone up again. Not the purchase price but the monthly payment. Freddie Mac reports the average 30-year fixed-rate mortgage has risen to 6.8%, but even borrowers with good credit scores are paying north of 7%. Inflation has come down in recent months but many prices haven't. Consumer watchdog agency Accountable. Us recently issued a new analysis that found Kimblerly-Clark, Pepsi, and others admit to have benefited from increased prices as their net profits increased. Kids might not want to hear this but back to school sales are already starting. Both Walmart and Target have announced new back-to-school sales with discounts for both students and teachers. Walmart says that shoppers can stock up on 14 popular school supplies for under \$13.
L.B. Lyon shares and prays for various issues	96.9 KVMV Prayer Points	7-11-2023 6:20AM	60 Seconds	Severe storms in the north-eastern US left 13 million Americans are under flood watches and warnings. One woman was killed and nearly 12,000 homes were left withou power in the state of New York. Flash-flood warnings remain in effect for parts of New England. Flood waters closed and damaged roads, left vehicles under water, and flooded homes. Lord, we pray for protection for everyone in the northeast facing these floods. Health officials are reporting a deadly outbreak of cholera in the South African province of Gauteng. Authorities say nearly 50 people have died, with most of the deaths concentrated i one area, however, cases have been reported in other areas as well. Medical officials have urged residents to be vigilant about what they consume and to practice good hygiene, like hand washing. Lord, we pray steps are taken to prevent contaminated water or food from being used.
L.B. Lyon shares an encouraging or positive news	96.9 KVMV An Encouraging Word	7-11-2023 8:40AM	60 Seconds	James Porter runs a small lawn maintenance business in North Tonawanda, New York. Because he is legally blind, he cannot get a driver's license and has to walk to all of his customers and transport his heavy equipment with a hand- pulled trailer. But when his trailer broke, a stranger stepped in to help. Paul Koenig said, "What really stuck out to me with James was he's doing this pretty hard job towing a lawnmower and weedwhacker and everything on it so he must be a pretty hard worker". Paul bought James a new trailer and a new lawnmower to reward him for his hard work. James said, "If it wasn't for Paul, I'd be fighting, scrambling t try and find a way to get transportation to pull my stuff around." Paul also shared a photo of James to Facebook in the hope of getting him more customers. And it worked as James picked up more business from the Facebook post.

					That's what the Facebook community is great about is this person's in need, I can't help him right now, but can the community help him out?" Paul said. "I really appreciate Paul for helping me," said James. "He has no idea how much I appreciate him."
	L.B. Lyon shares the rest of the news	96.9 KVMV The Rest of the News	7-11-2023 10:40AM	60 Seconds	City leaders in Nashville, Tennessee, are mourning the death of a 49-year-old Nashville pastor who is widely known for helping lead at-risk teenagers and former gang members away from a life of crime. Bishop Marcus Campbell, pastor of The Church at Mt. Carmel in North Nashville, died from heart problems. Campbell was also the founder of a nonprofit program called Gentleman and not Gangsters (GANG), which partnered with the court system to help troubled youth. Davidson County Register of Deeds Karen Johnson said Campbell's death will be very hard because the city has lost a true impact servant leader. The vast majority of Americans — 96 percent — do not hold to a biblical worldview following the COVID-19 lockdowns, according to a new survey. Calling it a "significant change" in Americans' worldview, the Cultural Research Center of Arizona Christian University led by researcher George Barna found in its survey that the lockdowns impacted the already- dwindling number of people who claim to hold a biblical worldview. A biblical worldview, the survey said, is one in which the entirety of a person's "ideas about all dimensions of life and eternity are based on biblical principles and commands.
5	Current local and national news	96.9 KVMV News	8-16-2023 6:40AM, 7:40AM, 5:50PM	Varies	AM News: A student at Donna High School was taken into custody yesterday after school security discovered he had a gun with him on campus. A security guard spotted a vehicle without the proper clearance coming into the school parking lot. When he checked further he found one of the occupants was a student who came into the school with a gun. School officials say there will be increased law enforcement at the school this week. A San Benito family says they still have no answers as to their daughter being abandoned at a school bus barn. The little girl apparently got on the wrong busfell asleepand ended up back at the bus barn without being detected until another driver spotted her and safely got her home. This all happened on the first day of school. Cameron County commissioners approved a pay boost for themselves and other elected county officials at yesterday's commissioner's court meeting. Cameron County elected officials will be getting an extra \$6,000 a year starting in October. The pay bump does not apply to county department heads or employees. However, commissioners are considering a 5% pay hike for all county employees. Lawyers for Gov. Greg Abbott and the state of Texas have invoked the invasion clause of the U.S. Constitution in court documents seeking to keep the buoy barriers in the Rio Grande while the Justice Department's lawsuit plays itself out.

				<ul> <li>PM News:</li> <li>The cause of the wildfires in Hawaii is still under investigation but there is suspicion that the strong winds knocked down power lines that may have started the fire. One resident has home video footage showing a power line coming down and sparking a grass fire.</li> <li>Retail sales rose a better-than-expected 0.7% in July from June, according to the Commerce Department's report Tuesday. It's an indication that consumers are continuing to spend freely.</li> <li>North Korea claims that a U.S. soldier who bolted into the North across the heavily armed Korean border last month did so after being disillusioned at the inequality of American society.</li> <li>Congressional leaders' top prospect to avert a government shutdown when Congress returns from its month-long break appears a bit clearer this week as reports indicate the top leaders in both chambers are open to a short-term funding</li> </ul>
News: financial, consumer affairs & various	96.9 KVMV Consumer News	8-16-2023 1:40PM	60 Seconds	<ul> <li>measure.</li> <li>If you're in the habit of pouring a glass of orange juice for breakfast each morning, then breakfast is about to get more expensive. The U.S. Department of Agriculture reports</li> <li>Florida's orange crop this year is even smaller than forecast.</li> <li>Prices could start rising later this fall.</li> <li>Homebuyers continue to face challenges. Last week mortgage rates ticked higher, getting closer to 7%. Freddie Mac reported the average 30-year fixed-rate mortgage rate increased to 6.96%. That's 1.74% higher than a year ago.</li> <li>Want to live longer? A new study from the European Society of Cardiology finds you can reduce your risk of death by walking just four thousand steps a day. Conventional wisdom suggests you need to walk 10 thousand steps, but the researchers say it's not necessary.</li> </ul>

L.B. Lyon shares and prays for various issues	96.9 KVMV Prayer Points	8-16-2023 6:20AM	60 Seconds	The death toll in Hawaii's wildfires rose to 99 and could double over the next 10 days, the state's governor said, as emergency personnel painstakingly scoured the incinerated landscape for more human remains. Last week's inferno on the island of Maui is already the deadliest U.S. wildfire in a century, with only a quarter of the ruins of the devastated town of Lahaina searched for victims so far. Lord, we pray for all affected by these fires, your comfort on grieving families, and we pray more of the missing will be found alive. Four months into the war in Sudan, humanitarian leaders are highlighting the devastating impact the brutal conflict has had on millions of people whose lives have been destroyed and whose basic human rights have been violated. More than 4000 have been killed in the war and thousands displaced. Lord, we pray for an immediate end to this war in Sudan.
L.B. Lyon shares an encouraging or positive news	96.9 KVMV An Encouraging Word	8-16-2023 8:40AM	60 Seconds	<ul> <li>Kevin Ford is a cook and cashier at Burger King in the Las</li> <li>Vegas McCarran International Airport. He went viral last June when he posted a video to TikTok sharing that he has not called out of work in nearly three decades. In the viral video, the 55-year-old grandfather shows off the gifts he received from Burger King's hiring company, HMSHost, in honor of the feat. The gifts included a movie ticket, a Starbucks cup, various candy, pens, and keychains. Still, Ford appeared very grateful in the video.</li> <li>His daughter decided his dedication deserved more and she set up a Go Fund me page where she praised him as a dad and a hard-working person. She said "In no way are we asking for money or is he expecting any money but if anyone feels like blessing him, he would love to visit his grandchildren."</li> <li>As of August 14th, Ford has received more than \$416 thousand from nearly 14,000 donors.</li> <li>"You exemplify the best in family and fatherhood and dedication to your mission in life and work May you go from strength to strength," one donor wrote. Another donor wrote: "This is how REAL men handle their business. I hope you get to see your grand babies every day, and I am happy to give at least a little help to make that happen,"</li> </ul>
L.B. Lyon shares the rest of the news	96.9 KVMV The Rest of the News	8-16-2023 10:40AM	60 Seconds	A new song, "God Is With Us" is available from The Afters. Their newest single addresses a hard question that most people ask at some point in their lives. Putting words to the moments when you can't see, feel, or fully understand God comes not only from the band's personal stories but from the hope that can be found in God's promise that He will never leave us. As movies like "Jesus Revolution" and "Sound of Freedom" continue to surprise at the box office, the outlook for faith and family-friendly entertainment is on an upward swing. While Hollywood today mostly seems to focus on franchises, reboots, and R-rated content to reinvigorate audience numbers, the faith and family-friendly genre is reaching new heights. The recent box office successes combined with projects like "Journey to Bethlehem" and & "Unsung Hero" — a new biopic about Christian band for KING + COUNTRY and

				singer Rebecca St. James — on the way, we're likely to see a further expansion into new types of faith content.
Current local and national news	96.9 KVMV News	9-20-2023 6:40AM, 7:40AM, 5:50PM	Varies	A Mexican cargo train with hundreds of migrants who hopped onboard in Monterrey was stopped nearly 150 miles from its final destination of Piedras Negras, not too far from where thousands of illegal crossings occur daily in Eagle Pass, Texas. A concern of some is if the train reaches its destination, the migrants will attempt to cross into the U.S. through Eagle Pass.
				Gov. Greg Abbott said his long-awaited special session on "school choice" will start next month while promising political consequences for lawmakers who stand in the way of his priority legislation. "There's an easy way to get it done, and there's a hard way," Abbott said on a tele- town hall about the issue. "We will take it either way — in a special session or after an election."
				Two environmental groups and an Indigenous tribe today will present appeals in their lawsuit against the State of Texas for closing a popular border beach for SpaceX tests. Arguments will be heard in the 13th Court of Appeals in Edinburg this morning. The groups are suing to keep Boca Chica Beach from repeated closures for test flights and SpaceX activity.
				Amazon said that it will hire 250,000 full- and part-time workers for the holiday season, a 67% jump compared to last year. Target announced it will add nearly 100,000 seasonal roles during the holidays, the same number as it did last year. Macy's said they will add about 38 thousand seasonal workers.
				PM News:
				U.S. House Speaker Kevin McCarthy said that he has delayed a key procedural vote for a 30- day stopgap funding measure intended to avert a government shutdown after current funding for federal agencies expires on Sept. 30. He said he first wants a lawmaker's vote on whether to open debate on a defense appropriations bill.
				Ukraine's efforts to break through Russia's defensive lines could soon benefit from some long- awaited firepower — some 31 U.Smade M1 Abrams tanks first promised in January. The tanks should be delivered to Ukraine soon.
				House Republicans plan to hold their first hearing next week in their impeachment inquiry into President Joe Biden. The hearing — scheduled for Sept. 28 — is expected to focus on "constitutional and legal questions" that surround the allegations of Biden's involvement in his son Hunter's overseas businesses.
				The United Auto Workers union is stepping up pressure on Detroit's Big Three by threatening to expand its strike unless it sees major progress in contract negotiations by Friday.
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News: financial, consumer affairs &	96.9 KVMV Consumer	9-20-2023 1:40PM	60 Seconds	Planning to relocate during retirement? A new Consumer Affairs study ranks the best and worst U.S. Cities for

					retirement destinations are in the Midwest. Lincoln, Nebraska was number one, credited with a low cost of living.
					Auto industry experts say the United Auto Workers Union strike against the Big Three U.S. Automakers will make news cars more expensive if it extends just a couple of weeks. There's currently a 60-day inventory of cars that would fall 25 percent after a two-week strike.
					The holiday shopping season is still weeks away, but major retailers are already starting their sales. Walmart is cutting prices on more than 1,000 items in its stores that have reached the clearance cycle and is knocking up to 70% off those items' prices.
	L.B. Lyon shares and prays for various issues	96.9 KVMV Prayer Points	9-20-2023 6:20AM	60 Seconds	Libyan authorities have split the city of Derna into four sections creating buffers amid growing concerns of disease spreading through the city, creating a "second devastating crisis." The eastern Libyan city was hit with a destructive flood last week, as heavy rainfall from Mediterranean storm Daniel caused two dams to burst, letting water rush into the city, destroying entire neighborhoods. Lord, we pray for the ability to control diseases resulting from the flood.
					Three Christians were gunned down by motorcyclists in Kurdistan, a semi-autonomous federal region of northern Iraq. All three were known in the community for their work sharing the Gospel and discipling new believers – both on the Iraq side and the Persian side of Kurdistan. However, there are questions as to whether this was a religious or political assassination. The investigation is ongoing. Lord, we pray for protection for Christians in Iraq.
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3	L.B. Lyon shares an encouraging or positive news	96.9 KVMV An Encouraging Word	9-20-2023 8:40AM	60 Seconds	A couple visiting Pensacola Beach in Florida had an unexpected close encounter with a massive shark. Tina and Josh Fey were both relaxing on the beach when the 10-foot Mako shark made a beeline for the shore. The couple said they contacted authorities to let them know the shark had washed ashore and appeared to be grounded. Then Josh took matters into his own hands once he realized the shark may have just needed a nudge back into the water. Following a couple of unsuccessful attempts on his own, three additional beachgoers opted to lend a hand. The agitated mako shark struggled and thrashed. At one point, it threw the rescuers aside. Eventually, they managed to pull it to deeper water.
4					After a few moments to recuperate, the shark swam away, and the eyewitnesses gave the three men a standing ovation. Josh told reporters he was thankful for the guys who stepped in to help. He said, if it wasn't for them, I would not be able to move her. She was every bit of 5 to 600 pounds, I would think. I couldn't budge her; it took four of us to enter into the water. I hope everybody else that comes to beaches and sees a distressed animal like that, you know, with sea turtles or anything like that, that they help them out"
5	L.B. Lyon shares the rest of the news	96.9 KVMV The Rest of the News	9-20-2023 10:40AM	60 Seconds	Gloo, the leading technology platform dedicated to connecting the faith ecosystem and releasing its collective might, announced its partnership with the Christian music band Casting Crowns to provide concertgoers who are looking

for prayer, resources or community the option of connecting with a local church or ministry. The group's partnership with Gloo now connects concert attendees to a growing network of local churches and ministries across the U.S. that are equipped to help people with next steps on their journey.
Samaritan's purse has announced that volunteer registration to work with Operation Christmas Child this year will open up on October 3rd through 6th. They need volunteers in their processing center to handle all the shoeboxes filled with gifts for Operation Christmas Child. Before shoebox gifts can make their way to children in need, they must be carefully inspected and prepared for international shipment. National collection week for shoeboxes is November 13th through 20th.