

QUARTERLY ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST

Station (call letters) KBMT

Location (city, state) Beaumont, Texas

For quarter beginning:

 January 1, 2017

 X April 1, 2017

 July 1, 2017

 October 1, 2017

Attached hereto are descriptions of issues-responsive programming broadcast by this station during the reporting period.

The listed programs aired on the station during the reporting period on the days and times indicated. Each program regularly provides information or addresses current local issues of concern to viewers in the area where the station is located.

ISSUES OF THE STATION COMMUNITY

1. **Education Funding**
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6. **Fuel Prices**
7. **Texas Economy**
8. **Drug Crime**
9. **Texas Politics**

PROGRAMS THAT ADDRESS LOCAL ISSUES

The following programs that aired during the relevant reporting period regularly address local issues and concerns in the station's city of license and within its service area. Specific episodes and segments of these programs and the issues they addressed are listed on the following pages.

Program Name	Schedule (Day/Time)	Description (Note whether local, syndicated or network)
12News Daybreak	M-F at 4:30–7 a.m.	Local, state and national news, weather and sports.
12News at Noon	M-F at 12–12:30 p.m.	Local and headline news, weather and live interviews relative to current issues and events.
KJAC News at 4 O'Clock	M-F at 4–4:30 p.m.	Local and headline news, weather and live interviews relative to current issues and events.
12News at 5P		

	M-F at 5-5:30 p.m.	Local and headline news and weather.
12News at 6P	M-F and SA at 6-6:30 p.m.	Local, state and national news, weather and sports.
12News at 6:30	M-F at 6:30-7 p.m.	Local, state and national news, weather and sports.
12News at 5:30	SU at 5:30-6 p.m.	Local, state and national news, weather and sports.
12News at 10P	M-F and SA/SU at 10-10:30 p.m.	Local, state and national news, weather and sports.
Southeast Texas Weekly	SA at 6 a.m. KJAC SA at 6:30a.m. KBMT	A 12News half-hour production which features community issues, events and projects throughout Southeast Texas.

Issue-Responsive Programming

Local Issue: **Education Funding**

Program	Date	Time	Duration	Description

Local Issue: **Air Quality**

Program	Date	Time	Duration	Description
12News Daybreak	4/19/2017	6:00 AM	:24	Upon a second fire in three months, German Pellet Texas official checked a silo after it caused poor air quality (KBMT/KJAC).
12News Daybreak	4/19/2017	5:00 AM	:20	Upon a second fire in three months, German Pellet Texas official checked a silo after it caused poor air quality (KBMT/KJAC).
12News at 6	4/25/2017	6:00 PM	:38	Air quality hasn't changed at the silos despite the Texas Commission on Environment Quality checking on it (KBMT).
12News at 6:30	4/25/2017	6:30 PM	:30	Air quality hasn't changed at the silos despite the Texas Commission on Environment Quality checking on it (KJAC).
12News at 6	6/3/2017	6:00 PM	1:34	Air quality levels continue to be healthy near the Port Arthur silo (KBMT).

12News Daybreak	6/5/2017	5:00 AM	:46	Air quality levels will still be monitored despite the Port Arthur silo collapsing (KBMT).
12News at 10	6/27/2017	10:00 PM	2:02	Air quality levels continue to be healthy a few weeks after the German pellets silo collapse (KBMT).
12News Daybreak	6/28/2017	4:30 AM	2:02	Air quality levels continue to be healthy a few weeks after the German pellets silo collapse (KBMT/KJAC).
12News Daybreak	6/28/2017	5:00 AM	2:02	Air quality levels continue to be healthy a few weeks after the German pellets silo collapse (KBMT/KJAC).

Local Issue: **Texas Employment**

Program	Date	Time	Duration	Description
12News at 6	4/12/2017	6:00 PM	:28	HEB announced that there are over 100,000 employees on their payroll between their stores in Texas and Mexico (KBMT).
12News Daybreak	4/13/2017	4:30 PM	:28	HEB announced that there are over 100,000 employees on their payroll between their stores in Texas and Mexico (KBMT/KJAC).
12News at 6	5/11/2017	6:00 PM	:22	An award was given out in Downtown Beaumont recognizing accomplishments of long time businesses (KBMT).

Local Issue: **Consumer Fraud**

Program	Date	Time	Duration	Description

Local Issue: **Agriculture**

Program	Date	Time	Duration	Description

Local Issue: **Drug Crime**

Program	Date	Time	Duration	Description
12News at 6	4/17/2017	6:00 PM	:25	A 23 year old man was arrested in Orange upon having marijuana on himself, as well as stolen guns (KBMT).
12News at 6	5/17/2017	6:00 PM	:31	A 30 year old Sour Lake man was indicted on intoxication manslaughter charges upon killing a man last September (KBMT).
12News Daybreak	5/18/2017	6:00 AM	:31	A 30 year old Sour Lake man was indicted on intoxication manslaughter charges upon killing

				a man last September (KBMT/KJAC).
12News at 6	5/19/2017	6:00 PM	:27	Three men were arrested upon police finding narcotics and loaded guns in their Port Neches apartment (KBMT).
12News at Noon	5/23/2017	12:00 PM	:26	A man was sentenced to 25 years in prison upon possessing cocaine, and telling a witness to give a false testimony (KJAC).
12News at Noon	5/23/2017	4:00 PM	:26	A man was sentenced to 25 years in prison upon possessing cocaine, and telling a witness to give a false testimony (KJAC).
12News at 6	6/7/2017	6:00 PM	:22	A Beaumont woman was arrested for felony possession of a controlled substance (KBMT).
12News at 10	6/7/2017	10:00 PM	:18	A Beaumont woman was arrested for felony possession of a controlled substance (KBMT).
12News Daybreak	6/8/2017	4:30 PM	:18	A Beaumont woman was arrested for felony possession of a controlled substance (KBMT/KJAC).
12News Daybreak	6/8/2017	6:00 AM	:22	A Beaumont woman was arrested for felony possession of a controlled substance (KBMT/KJAC).
12News Daybreak	6/14/2017	6:00 AM	:22	Beaumont police have recovered numerous guns and drugs upon disbanding numerous gang members (KBMT/KJAC).
12News Daybreak	6/14/2017	4:30 AM	:26	Beaumont police have recovered numerous guns and drugs upon

				disbanding numerous gang members (KBMT/KJAC).
12News at 4	6/26/2017	4:00 PM	:39	Two Beaumont police dogs were able to recover 26.8 pounds of marijuana and were led to \$90,000 in cash (KJAC).
12News at 5	6/28/2017	5:00 PM	:35	High potent opioids have been confirmed in illegal drugs in Houston (KBMT).
12News at 6	6/28/2017	6:00 PM	:20	Police found drugs and weapons during a traffic stop in Orange (KBMT).f
12News at 6	6/30/2017	6:00 PM	:30	Drugs were discovered on a Jefferson County Beach, including marijuana and cocaine (KBMT).
12News at 6:30	6/30/2017	6:30 PM	:27	Drugs were discovered on a Jefferson County Beach, including marijuana and cocaine (KJAC).
12News at 10:00	6/30/2017	10:00 PM	:23	Drugs were discovered on a Jefferson County Beach, including marijuana and cocaine (KBMT).

Local Issue: Gas Prices				
12News Daybreak	4/10/2017	5:00 AM	:23	Gas prices are going up as oil prices have gone up over the past few days/weeks (KBMT/KJAC).
12News Daybreak	5/8/2017	6:00 AM	:25	Gas prices have gone down 5 cents due to falling crude oil prices (KBMT/KJAC).

12News at 6:30	5/24/2017	6:30 PM	:17	For it being Memorial Day Weekend, gas prices are 22% lower than the annual average (KJAC).
12News at 4	6/21/2017	4:00 PM	:15	Gas prices are slightly cheaper than they were the week, month and year prior (KJAC).
12News at 4	6/22/2017	4:00 PM	:24	Low gas prices look to contribute to many people traveling for the 4 th of July (KJAC).
12News at 10	6/30/2017	10:00 PM	:21	Low gas prices look to result in many Americans driving for the 4 th of July (KBMT).

Local Issue: **Texas Politics**

Program	Date	Time	Duration	Description

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2nd Quarter 2017

The attached describes local programming that addressed other issues of interest and concern to KBMT viewers.

SETX Weekly

Show Date: Recorded on March 29th for show on April 1, 2017

Show Title: Southeast Texas Weekly

Host: Kevin Steele

Guests: Dr. Ramzi Dakour, Cynthia Urban, Jeff Lewis, Kent Batman, Nathan Reynolds, Michael Lindsay, Todd Hickman

Topics: Is scrapping climate change policies from the Obama years a policy disaster that will not be easily reversed? Is Trump serious that health care reform can be quickly revisited and passed even though it was soundly defeated? What's most egregious about Neil Gorsuch for the US Supreme Court? Is the Russia investigation worthy of investigative labor? Seriously, is CNN out to "get" Trump?



SETX Weekly

Show Date: Recorded on April 12th for show on April 15th, 2017

Show Title: Southeast Texas Weekly

Host: Kevin Steele

Guests: Kent Batman, Cynthia Urban, Ramzi Dakour, Jeff Lewis, Michael Lindsay, Todd Hickman, Shelby Smith

Topics - Summary: 6:30 for all segments:

Has White House press secretary Sean Spicer now lost all credibility with the press corps? Are we at our most dangerous geopolitical point in a generation? Tensions with Russia, North Korea, Iran. Has Trump developed too harsh a foreign policy? Should Trump get Congressional approval for potential future military action in Syria? Recent "flash protests" in SETX have been held critical of Reps Weber and Babin. Is it effective oversight of Congress? Will a health care bill pop up this year? What are your views on proposed policy that would prosecute a 3rd illegal entry (immigration) as a felony? A Rasmussen poll shows most Americans want the UN to handle military action overseas. Is that going to be possible with the Trump rhetoric as it is? Ahmadinejad is running for Iranian president. Can we expect a return to a hotter war of "words" with Iran? Will Republican insistence on funding for a border wall and language in the funding bill to cut federal money to sanctuary cities end up resulting in a government shutdown?



SETX Weekly

April 26th April 29th, 2017
Show Date: Recorded on ~~June 9th~~ for show on ~~June 11th, 2016~~

Show Title: Southeast Texas Weekly

Host: Kevin Steele

Guests: Dr. Ramzi Dakour, Godfrey Leggett, Jeff Lewis, Kent Batman, Michael Lindsay, Don Brown, Todd Hickman,

Topics for 4 Six and a half minute segments:

Is Obamacare alive and well again following a reported agreement over the so-called "McArthur amendment" that would allow states the power to repeal key provisions if they so choose? The Freedom Caucus is said to be behind it. Is a vote forthcoming?

Has Trump been dealt a lethal blow by the federal judiciary in the order on sanctuary cities? Can he carry through on his agenda without a measure like this? Is there going to be a government shutdown? Should Trump have stepped back from his former position of insisting on funding within the CR for the border wall? Has it been a successful 100 days for Donald Trump? What do Southeast Texans want the President to do about North Korea? What do you think is the correct course of action? Will the President's monument law be widely criticized? Were the former administrations "abusive" as Trump says regarding the use of public lands? The tax reform bill expected will cut taxes for corporations from 35 to 15%. Where is the nation going to get its revenues?



SETX Weekly

Show Date: Recorded on May 10th, for show on May 13th, 2017

Show Title: Southeast Texas Weekly

Host: Kevin Steele

Guests: WL Pate, ~~Sherrene Danks-Cook~~, Jeff Lewis, ~~Kent Batman~~,
~~Nathan Reynolds~~, Michael Lindsay, Cynthia Urban, Todd Hickman,
Shelby Smith, ~~Dr. Ramzi Dakour~~

Topics for 4 Six and a half minute segments:

Was Comey's firing a Nixonian catalyst for a constitutional crisis?
What was behind the firing? What's your view of the ACLU's travel
alert to stay out of Texas post SB4? Is Obama meddling? Is Trump
taking the US too close to war in hotspots? ~~What's relevance of~~
~~Rachel Maddow's show topping prime time ratings?~~ Can the
Senate pass meaningful health care reform? Are progressives
more intolerant of opposing political viewpoints than
conservatives? - see Middlebury College and UC Berkeley.

Amended



SETX Weekly

Show Date: Recorded on May 31st for show airing June 3rd, 2017

Show Title: Southeast Texas Weekly

Host: Kevin Steele

Guests: Godfrey Leggett, WL Pate, Kent Batman, Nathan Reynolds, Michael Lindsay, Todd Hickman, Cynthia Urban

Topics for 4 Six and a half minute segments:

Was the shoving match at the end of the 85th Tx. Legislative Session indicative of a new era of violence over the new Texas sanctuary cities bill? Do we expect violent protests as a result? Are the Russia investigations at this stage of the game really necessary? Any “there” there? How should Trump counter the North Koreans? Was Trump’s foreign trip a resounding success? Is the Kathy Griffin post with a bloody effigy of Donald Trump a career killer for her? What happened to prosecutions over threats to the President? ICE agents are confronted in Queens by residents who try to stop the federal agents from detaining subjects? What are the ways to solve these potentially violent incidents around America? 50,000 stories in the last four years on the Big Three TV networks. Why have only 25 covered the emerging crisis in Venezuela? And does that say anything about media coverage? Do Southeast Texans WANT Trump to pull out of the Paris climate deal involving 119 other countries?



SETX Weekly

Show Date: Recorded on June 14TH for show on June 17th, 2017

Show Title: Southeast Texas Weekly

Host: Kevin Steele

Guests: Todd Hickman, Dr. Ramzi Dakour, Michael Lindsay, Cynthia Urban, Godfrey Leggett, WL Pate, Jeff Lewis, Michael Lindsay

Topics for 4 Six and a half minute segments:

Will the GOP be savaged in the midterms without a more moderate healthcare bill? Has AG Jeff Sessions convincingly argued there is no Russian collusion with the President or campaign? Are Democrats making a mistake to push the Impeachment narrative? The President is sued by DC, Maryland – are his businesses not still in operation? Is this not an iron-clad lawsuit?



SETX Weekly

Show Date: Recorded on June 28TH for show on July 1st, 2017

Show Title: Southeast Texas Weekly

Host: Kevin Steele

Guests: Todd Hickman, Kent Batman, Michael Lindsay, Cynthia Urban, Godfrey Leggett, WL Pate, Jeff Lewis,

Topics for 4 Six and a half minute segments:

Senator Joe Manchin says he can put 8 of 10 other Democrats on a team to work with GOP to make the healthcare reform bill workable. What isn't that happening? Is the healthcare bill in current form a mean-spirited bill? A Project Veritas report apparently catches a CNN reporter producer admitting to the Russia story as "bull." Trump wins on in this battle? Or do people get tired of hearing, "fake news." Did Trump win or lose the Muslim ban fight? SCOTUS takes it up in the fall. Is it time for Republicans to propose a type of Medicare for all system like Bernie Sanders has proposed? Is there nothing in the current system that incentivizes reduced healthcare costs? How can THAT work?

