

# KNXV-TV Community Problems and Needs List

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Scripps Howard Broadcasting Company, licensee of Station KNXV-TV, Phoenix, Arizona has found the following problems and needs to be of particular concern to the Phoenix Community. The list was determined after evaluation of information attained through the station's ascertainment process including KNXV's, the website, letters, emails, phone calls and community contacts.

1. Economic
2. Employment/Jobs
3. Immigration
4. Crime/Violence
5. Education
6. Housing
7. Health & Medical Care
8. Child Abuse / Parenting
9. Safety

**Economic:** Positive Outlook for Phoenix in 2014. The Phoenix economy has turned the corner after suffering a devastating collapse in real estate values. Metro area economic growth is outpacing the national average and is expected to remain strong in 2014.

**Arizona House, Senate stuck on budget, must confer.** The Arizona House and Senate don't like each other's budget plans, and a rare conference committee could be called to work out a compromise. On the sidelines -- but apparently cheering on the House version -- is Gov. Jan Brewer. The Senate passed a version of the budget two weeks ago that set state spending for the coming budget year at \$9.18 billion and included a retroactive ban on school district charter-school conversions. It also shorted Brewer's planned child welfare overhaul plan. The House made changes last week that boosted spending by about \$54 million. It extended charter-school funding for another year, added money for universities and child welfare and included a promise to do more when a Child Protective Services overhaul plan is released in the coming weeks.  
(4pm newscast on 4/02, 1:30 in length)

**2015 Pro Bowl to be played in Arizona.** The NFL announced on Wednesday the 2015 Pro Bowl will be played in Arizona. The Pro Bowl will be played on Sunday, January 25 at University of Phoenix Stadium in Glendale. The game will be played a week before the Super Bowl on Sunday, February 1. The first tickets will be available to Arizona Cardinals season ticket holders and Pro Bowl season ticket holders.  
(11am newscast on 4/9, 1: 30 in length)

**Tax Day 2014: Tax burden higher for same-sex couples in Arizona.** Couples must file as single in Arizona. While some people are filing taxes on this Tax Day, others could be considering filing suit. With more states recognizing same sex marriage, Valley couples getting married in other states are facing heavier tax burdens here in Arizona. The biggest issue that creates burdensome returns is knowing how to divide up who claims what, when the couple owns property together. For Mangone, she is unable to

get the state deductions on their house because her partner owns it, even though Mangone pays the mortgage bill.  
(6am newscast on 4/15, 1:30 in length)

Citizens attend Phoenix City Council hearing on proposed pay cuts for city employees. Emotions ran high at a Phoenix City Council meeting Wednesday night during a heated debate about cutting pay for the first people to help us when we're in trouble. The City of Phoenix is proposing a 1.6% pay cut, not just for our public servants but for all city employees. Dozens of people spoke out at the meeting against the proposed cuts. "Please look around the room, you'll see people with their children, their wives, the families. You're not just asking the officers and union members to do this on their backs, you're asking it on the little four-year-old girl over here, you're asking of the first speaker's six-year-old son," said Monica Pimentel. Some people are questioning why the city decided to cut the food tax in half last year, saying that money could have helped fix the budget crisis.  
(10pm newscast on 4/30, 1:30 in length)

Gas prices rising but glut coming. While violence in Iraq may squeeze drivers' wallets this summer, the U.S. is headed for a gas glut over the next few years as demand slows. Despite rising slightly last year, U.S. gas demand will decline by about 1% a year for the rest of the decade, according to the International Energy Agency. "Tightening fuel efficiency standards for automobiles, and changing consumer preferences look set to send U.S. gasoline demand back on the declining course on which it embarked in 2007," the Paris-based agency said in its latest forecast published Tuesday. U.S. demand for gas alone accounts for about 10% of world oil consumption, and the decline will coincide with more ample supply, according to the IEA. The U.S. energy boom is boosting output of oil that is rich in gasoline at a time when refineries are under pressure to produce more diesel and jet fuel amid an increase in industrial activity and air travel.  
(6am newscast on 6/17, 1:30 in length)

**Employment/Jobs:** Phoenix year-over-year payroll employment growth has consistently outpaced the national average over the past two years. Annual job growth for the region is expected to maintain its positive trend at around 2.2 percent for 2014 and 2015. Arizona will add 59,000 jobs in 2014, with the growth rate increasing from 2 percent in the two years prior to 2.3 percent, according to a report by the state's Office of Employment and Population Statistics.

Rental car shuttle workers at Sky Harbor airport go on strike. Shuttle drivers and ambassadors with the Rental Car Center at Sky Harbor airport announced they are going on strike Tuesday after rejecting their contractor's offer, according to officials. Veolia Transportation is contracted and operates the shuttles for the Phoenix Sky Harbor Rental Car Center and the airport's Inter-Terminal shuttles. Valerie Michael, spokesman for Veolia, said the company had a contingency in place in case workers went on strike and said all shuttles are up and running.  
(4pm newscast on 4/9, 1:30 in length)

Class of 2014 to deal with tough job market. It's been about five years since the recession officially ended, but there is still a sizable group of young high school and college grads who are idle. Known as "disconnected youth," these under 25-year-olds are neither working, nor enrolled in college. Roughly 1 in 5 young high school graduates and 1 in 10 recent college graduates fell into these ranks last year, according to a new report by the Economic Policy Institute, a liberal think tank. The researchers used government census data to come to some rather depressing conclusions for the class of 2014. Young people graduating from high school or college in the next few months will "join a sizable backlog of unemployed college graduates

from the last five graduating classes in an extremely difficult job market," they say. The growing ranks of "disconnected youth" make for a worrisome trend, confirmed by earlier studies conducted by the Brookings Institution and the Social Science Research Council.

(6am newscast on 4/30, 1:30 in length)

Starbucks to offer workers program to earn discounted online degree at Arizona State University. Starbucks is rolling out a program that would allow its workers to earn an online college degree at Arizona State University at a steeply discounted rate. The coffee chain is partnering with the school to offer the option to 135,000 U.S. employees who work at least 20 hours a week. The Seattle-based company says it will phase out its existing tuition reimbursement program, which gave workers up to \$1,000 a year for education at certain schools. The company says the program doesn't require workers to stay at Starbucks after they earn their degrees. They can also pick from a wide range of educational programs that aren't related to their Starbucks work.

(10pm newscast on 6/16, 1:30 in length)

Immigration: High levels of illegal immigration and crimes committed by unauthorized immigrants are among the key rationales cited by some supporters of a tough new immigration law in Arizona. According to our Governor, Jan Brewer; border violence and crime due to illegal immigration are critically important issues to the people of our state.

SB 1070 update: Court rejects Arizona's appeal in immigration case. The U.S. Supreme Court on Monday refused to hear an appeal of a blocked provision of Arizona's 2010 immigration enforcement law, dealing another blow to Gov. Jan Brewer in her effort to defend the law. The court declined to review the ruling that barred police from arresting people who harbor those living in the United States illegally. The 9th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals blocked police from enforcing the prohibition, concluding last year that it was vague and trumped by federal law, which already forbids harboring people in the country unlawfully. The harboring ban is among a handful of provisions in the law known as Senate Bill 1070 that the courts have struck down. "It's another indicator that Arizona is fighting a losing battle legally and politically," Karen Tumlin, an attorney representing civil rights groups challenging the law, said of Monday's denial.

(11am newscast on 4/21, 1:30 in length)

National Immigration enforcement changes could be coming soon. The Obama Administration says changes are coming "pretty soon" on immigration enforcement. No exact date was given. The changes involve remodeling current enforcement of national immigration laws and possibly re-assessing deportation policies. In an interview with ABC News' "This Week," Homeland Security Secretary Jeh Johnson said, "We have an immigration system in this country that is not working." He also hit back at his critics. "I don't understand those who say we aren't enforcing the law. We are enforcing the law every day," Johnson said. He went on to say new laws need to consider families who are often separated because of deportation.

(6pm newscast on 4/28, 1:30 in length)

Feds consider dropping immigration law challenge. PHOENIX - The Obama administration has signaled a willingness to drop its legal fight against a section of Arizona's 2010 immigration law that critics say opens the door to racial profiling. A deal between the Justice Department and Republican Gov. Jan Brewer would end the court challenge asking a judge to strike down a requirement that police question the immigration status of people suspected of being in the country illegally, according to court records. In exchange, Arizona would permanently do away with a provision requiring immigrants to carry registration papers, lawyers on both sides of the case

wrote. Courts have blocked that section on a preliminary basis. The attorneys cautioned in Thursday's filing that they haven't yet come up with a proposed court order that would carry out their agreement in principle. If such a deal is approved by a judge, all that would remain of the Obama administration's case would be a challenge to a 2005 immigrant smuggling law.  
(4pm newscast on 5/30, 1:30 in length)

Influx of immigrant children expected to last through summer. A tide of border crossings by children mostly from Central America is not expected to end soon, and some in Congress blame President Barack Obama for policies they claim opened the floodgate. Holding centers in Texas can no longer accommodate large numbers of children and mothers traveling alone with their kids, forcing the federal government to open additional facilities. One is in Nogales, Arizona, where pictures of unaccompanied children lying on the floor of a large barren facility raised concerns of a humanitarian crisis. But Nogales Mayor Arturo Garina said the site, which serves as an overflow center for up to 1,000, is addressing the immediate need for shelter. "I'm very comfortable with what I saw," he said on CNN's "New Day." He said there are makeshift cafeterias and medical centers and that telephone banks and computers have been set up to process people and contact relatives.  
(11am newscast on 6/10, 1:30 in length)

US opens hotline for migrant kids' parents. The federal government has started a bilingual hotline for parents trying to find out if their children were detained trying to migrate to the United States. The Office of Refugee Resettlement started the hotline Thursday amid a surge in the number of Central American children arriving at the border in Texas. The hotline is open daily from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. EST. Migrant children detained at the border are transferred to shelters until they can be reunited with a relative or other sponsor. The children will also be put into deportation proceedings in immigration court. The office is trying to expedite the release of children to parents to free up bed space. Officials decided, however, to resume requiring fingerprint checks from non-parental sponsors amid advocates' concerns about the children's safety.  
(6am newscast on 6/19, 1:30 in length)

**Crime/Drugs:** Arizona crime statistics indicate a total downward trend in crime based on data from 10 years when violent crime was increasing and property crime was decreasing. The crime rate in Arizona for 2014 is expected to be lower than in 2010 when the state violent crime rate was higher than the national violent crime rate average by 31.73% and the state property crime rate was higher than the national property crime rate average by 80.08%.

PD: Arrests made after shots fired at Cesar Chavez High School basketball game in January. Detectives have identified and arrested individuals involved in a shooting that occurred at Cesar Chavez High School in January. Numerous shots were fired in the incident, but no one was injured. Police have not released the identities of the suspects at this time. Chief of Police Daniel V. Garcia and Maricopa County Attorney Bill Montgomery will hold a briefing Thursday at 2 p.m. with updated information about the investigation, said Sgt. Steve Martos of the Phoenix Police Department. Cesar Chavez was playing Betty H. Fairfax in a rivalry boys' varsity basketball game when the shooting occurred. Police said the shooting happened in the 2nd quarter of the game. No one was injured. The Phoenix Police Department's Gang Enforcement Unit began investigating the crime immediately after the incident.  
(11am newscast on 4/3, 1:30 in length)

PD: 16-year-old male assaults woman walking along Phoenix canal. A 16-year-old male is in custody after allegedly assaulting a 19-year-old woman on Thursday afternoon in Phoenix. Phoenix police Sgt. Tommy Thompson said the woman was walking on a

canal bank at 1:00 p.m. near 20th Street and Baseline Road when the teenager came behind her and grabbed her. The suspect pulled her to a semi-secluded area of landscape, strangled her until she became unconscious and sexually assaulted her, Thompson said. Witnesses in the area called authorities thinking two males were fighting. When officers arrived on the scene they found the suspect running along the canal bank near 16th Street and Baseline Road and detained him. According to Thompson, the suspect admitted to officers his involvement in the assault.  
(11am newscast on 4/11, 1:30 in length)

Police, DPS serve 16 drug warrants in Phoenix, Avondale. The Arizona Department of Public Safety and Phoenix-area law enforcement agencies have conducted numerous raids following a months-long investigation into illegal drug sales by criminal street gangs. The Phoenix Police Department said in advance of a scheduled Wednesday afternoon news conference that participating agencies served search warrants on 16 locations in Phoenix and one in Avondale. According to a police statement on the investigation dubbed "Operation Southland," the trafficking involved PCP, crack cocaine, marijuana and methamphetamine in Phoenix and other parts of Arizona. Agencies participating included in the raids included the Phoenix police, the DPS, the Maricopa County Sheriff's Office and the Scottsdale, Mesa, Gilbert and Chandler police departments.  
(11am newscast on 4/16, 1:30 in length)

PD: 5 Chandler schools off lockdown after report of armed man in area. Chandler High School and four other schools were on lockdown on Monday after authorities received a call of an armed man in the area. Chandler police said the situation started at 8:30 a.m. when they received a phone call about an adult female with an arrest warrant. An Officer was en route to the home when they saw the suspect(s) leave the area. The officer followed the van and attempted a traffic stop. The van fled, the officer did not follow the van and was unable to locate the individuals inside, police said. Shortly after, two witnesses called police and reported a man with rifle or shotgun in a van at a trailer park near Erie and Hamilton Streets. The SWAT team was called to scene, the individuals were not found in the van or in the area. Chandler police are still investigating, but said the suspect does not pose a threat to the public. There is no description of the male suspect, there is no word if the female with the alleged arrest warrant has been arrested. Police locked down Chandler High School, Galveston Elementary, Frye Elementary, St. Mary Basha Catholic, and Chandler Christian Academy for precautionary reasons as they searched for the individuals.  
(11am newscast on 5/5, 1:30 in length)

Police conduct crime sweep at Phoenix motel. Phoenix police announced a crime sweep at a motel in downtown Phoenix Wednesday morning. Called Operation Hurricane, a number of search warrants were served at the motel near 7th and Grand avenues around 6:30 a.m. Police say individuals staying at the motel had been committing crimes in the area for some time, including weapons violations and drug sales. Officers from the Phoenix Police Department South Mountain Precinct and the Gang Enforcement Unit were joined by the Arizona Department of Public Safety GITEM Team and the Maricopa County Attorney's Office to stop the crime.  
(6am newscast on 5/21, 1:30 in length)

A new trial date has been set for an Oklahoma man charged with mailing an inoperable homemade bomb to Maricopa County Sheriff Joe Arpaio. Gregory Lynn Shrader of Jay had been scheduled for a June 23 trial, but it was reset for Sept. 2 after he said he needed more time to undergo medical treatment. Investigators say the bomb was discovered in April 2013 at mail collection-box unit in Flagstaff. Authorities eventually determined the bomb was inoperable, though black powder inside the parcel could have exploded or ignited in a flash fire. Investigators say a woman who drove

with Shrader to northern Arizona saw him place the parcel into the mail box wearing surgical-type gloves. Shrader has pleaded not guilty to the charges against him. (11am newscast on 6/2, 1:30 in length)

Families looking for answers after dogs die at Gilbert boarding facility. A family whose dog was one of the 17 that died at a Gilbert boarding facility was hoping to get independent confirmation of when their pet perished. Heather Bennett wanted a veterinarian to perform a necropsy, an animal autopsy, on her dog Remington. But the vet said that Remington was too badly decomposed, Bennett said. Bennett said she asked Todd Hughes, an owner of the Green Acre boarding facility, early Saturday about her dog's whereabouts. Hughes told her that the dog had run away, Bennett said. Hughes confirmed to ABC 15 that he initially misled some dog owners. In fact a local crematorium told ABC15 they wouldn't go into the shed to retrieve the dogs' bodies, saying it's a bio-hazard. (6pm newscast on 6/22, 1:30 in length)

**Education:** Arizona parents have more choices for educating their young children than ever before. Choice, quality education – that's what Valley residents have learned to expect from Phoenix area schools. The success of our students impacts us all. A skilled, well-educated workforce contributes to a strong economy and the overall quality of life for all Arizonans. As other states and nations become more competitive and successful at producing highly skilled individuals, it's more critical than ever to expect more of our own education system and the results it delivers. This begins with making education a top priority for Arizona.

New federal guidelines ban schools from conducting immigration checks on kids. The Obama administration issued guidelines Thursday to ensure children can enroll in public schools even if they or their parents are living illegally in the United States. The legal guidance from the Justice and Education departments allow school districts and states to ask for proof of students' age or that they are residents in the jurisdictions where they attend school. But schools can't require proof of citizenship or block students if parents can't prove their legal residency. Attorney General Eric Holder said the legal guidance is in reaction to reports from around the country that some school districts have identification requirements that create hurdles for undocumented children to enroll in public schools, in violation of federal law. Holder cited a 1982 Supreme Court decision that ordered states to provide education to any child living in their jurisdiction. "Public school districts have an obligation to enroll students regardless of immigration status and without discrimination on the basis of race, color, or national origin," the attorney general said. (11am newscast on 5/8, 1:30 in length)

Some University of Arizona students complain about overcrowding, lack of water at grad ceremony. TUCSON, AZ - Some University of Arizona graduates are complaining about overcrowding, long waits and lack of water at the school's 150th Commencement Ceremony. Grads were told to arrive at Arizona Stadium at 5:30 p.m. Sunday for the ceremony that began two hours later and had to wait in an outdoor holding area under the football facility in 99-degree heat. Some students told The Arizona Daily Star they were crammed into a small place and felt like cattle. They also say water was unavailable after drinking cups ran out. A university spokeswoman says about 4,000 graduates RSVP'd for the event. That's about 1,000 more students than RSVP'd for last year's ceremony. Some grads say after the field seats were filled, students were told to sit in the stadium behind a video screen. (11am newscast on 5/19, 1:30 in length)

Schools gearing up for summer meals program. PHOENIX - As school wraps up in the next two weeks, the focus for districts is making sure children get the right nutrition during the summer and this year one district is going the extra mile. Funding from the USDA allows districts to provide free meals to anyone under 18 during summer break. This year the Roosevelt School District is using a mobile feeding station. The district was able to purchase a van to deliver meals to areas where kids otherwise would go without eating. "The heat and transportation are the biggest challenges for many kids," said Jennifer Gordon, a nutritionist with the district. "This allows us to get to the kids where they are." The majority of kids in the district receive free or reduced lunch so the push is on for school officials to get families connected with the right resources and information. The van is equipped to deliver hundreds of meals at a time and can even provide hot meals. The district has about a dozen meal sites for kids. They expect to serve 250,000 meals throughout the summer break. Some sites will serve breakfast, lunch and dinner. Other school districts also participate in a meal program, see Mesa's program here. Contact your school for more information.  
(11am newscast on 5/19, 1:30 in length)

Northern Arizona University president: Growth is slowing. Northern Arizona University's president says he expects growth of the university's main campus in Flagstaff to slow. NAU President John Haeger says the university's enrollment grew by about 7,000 over the past decade to around 19,000 today, with an average annual growth rate of more than 700 students. However, Haeger says he doesn't expect the university to continue to grow at that rate and would be doing well to grow at 150 to 175 students a year. The Arizona Daily Sun reports that Haeger told a joint meeting of Flagstaff and Coconino County on Monday that a projected goal for 25,000 students is outdated.  
(11am newscast on 6/03, 1:30 in length)

Arizona PBS will be part of Walter Cronkite School of Journalism and Mass Communication. Arizona PBS will officially become part of Arizona State University's journalism school in downtown Phoenix next week. The public television station has a 53-year history with ASU, mostly on the school's Tempe campus. It will be moving from the university's Office of Public Affairs to the Walter Cronkite School of Journalism and Mass Communication. Arizona PBS operates three television channels along with a website. It will become part of the Cronkite school on Tuesday. University officials say Arizona PBS will begin to serve as a "teaching hospital" for journalism students.  
(11am newscast on 6/27, 1:30 in length)

Housing: The metro Phoenix housing market has been in recovery mode for two years, and it's been a roller coaster every step of the way. Local real estate experts are confident the rebound will continue in 2014, but at a much slower, and even more "normal," pace than we've been experiencing lately. Experts say the 25 to 30 percent year-over-year price spikes Phoenix saw consistently throughout 2013 will look more like 6 or 8 percent in 2014. According to Arizona State University October's median price — \$200,000 — was 27 percent higher than a year earlier, but up by only one-half percent, or \$1,000, from September. Last year, the median price climbed 4.6 percent between September and October.

Arizona housing market stabilizing, says Valley real estate agent. The Valley's housing market has seen a steady increase over the last two years. The median price for a single family home has increase 14 percent since last year. "Homeowners managed to get into the position to where they can get some equity," said Michael Orr, Real Estate Center WP Carey school of Business. But how much was recovered depends on where you live. "The lower they went the more they recovered. So usually it's the

cheapest part of town, which is often the oldest least attractive, collapsed the most. So they will have the most to come back," said Orr. Which is good news for sellers. But to make your home stand out to buyers, there are inexpensive upgrades that will make sure your house makes a good impression. While some believe prices are expected to stabilize, buyers might see a slight drop in the summer.  
(5pm newscast on 4/17, 1:30 in length)

Veterans housing summit in Phoenix to help personnel buy a home. Veterans and military personnel will get an opportunity to learn the "ins and outs" of buying a home. A Veterans Housing Summit will take place at the Phoenix Sheraton. G. Verrato is a realtor and represents the Veterans Association of Real Estate Professionals. "The first thing vets and military personnel should look at are the veterans loans," he said. "Sometimes agents think the veteran loans and products out there muddle up the sale and that is not true. They are the best out there." There are federal and local programs that help families learn about the process and even offer down payment money.  
(7am newscast on 5/16, 1:30 in length)

Local vets, active military get tips on housing programs Justin and Heather Hart took notes like they were in a classroom, getting important tips from speakers on what they should know before talking with a realtor about buying a home. "The myth is they tend to undervalue homes, which isn't true," said Justin Hart. Justin is on active duty with the Air Force. He knows he's eligible for VA loans that will help him buy his dream home -- a five bedroom house with enough room for him, his wife and three kids. "Very excited to mess with the backyard, paint the kids' rooms and have pets," said his wife Heather. They joined veterans, active duty military, lenders, and realtors at a veterans housing summit at the Sheraton in downtown Phoenix. The event was put together by the Veterans Association of Real Estate Professionals. The goal was to educate veterans on their housing options and connect them with professionals who understand VA loans. They're a little different than conventional loans. They can include no down payments and cash to take care of closing costs.  
(4pm newscast on 5/17, 1:30 in length)

Home values rise; underwater housing problem dissipating. Rising home prices helped many homeowners get right-side up on their mortgages. But more than 12 percent of U.S. homes remain "underwater" a term used to indicate the owner owes more on the house than its worth. Underwater homes make it difficult for owners to sell their houses because the owners might have to cough up cash to make the sale happen. As homeowners pay off more and more of the principal for the mortgage, the combination of decreases in the amount owed with rising values should clear out the glut. (6pm newscast on 6/10, 1:30 in length)

Health & Medical Care: Phoenix is the nation's fifth largest city and has a wide range of hospitals to serve the growing population. To keep up with the Valley's amazing growth, health care institutions continue to add services and facilities. We have excellent health care institutions in the Valley, a list that includes the world-renowned Mayo Clinic and Barrow Neurological Institute.

Arizona bill would regulate health care navigators. The Arizona Senate has approved a measure that would require extra licensing and background checks for health exchange navigators who help people buy coverage. The Senate approved House Bill 2508 with a 19-10 vote on Wednesday. The bill that would require navigators to get a license through the state Department of Insurance and to pass a criminal background check. Proponents say the requirements protect consumers who share private from identity theft. But Democrats say the bill is an attempt to slow down enrollment and that it's unnecessary because navigators already have contracts with the federal



government. Navigators assist people in picking insurance plans through the Affordable Care Act health exchange.  
(11am newscast on 4/16, 1:30 in length)

VA OKs more private care for veterans. More veterans are being allowed to obtain health care at private hospitals and clinics in an effort to improve their treatment following allegations of falsified records and delays in treatment. In a statement issued Saturday, Veterans Affairs Secretary Eric Shinseki also said VA facilities are enhancing capacity of their clinics so veterans can get care sooner. In cases where officials cannot expand capacity at VA centers, the Department of Veterans Affairs is "increasing the care we acquire in the community through non-VA care," Shinseki said. Lawmakers from both parties have pressed for this policy change as the VA confronts allegations about treatment delays and falsified records at VA centers nationwide. The department's inspector general says 26 VA facilities are under investigation, including the Phoenix VA hospital, where a former clinic director says as many as 40 veterans may have died while awaiting treatment. Officials also are investigating claims that VA employees have falsified appointment records to cover up delays in care. An initial review of 17 people who died while awaiting appointments in Phoenix found that none of their deaths appeared to have been caused by delays in treatment.  
(6pm newscast on 5/24, 1:30 in length)

Arizona child welfare overhaul passes Senate. The Arizona Senate has approved Gov. Jan Brewer's overhaul of the state's child welfare agency after stripping out an extra \$3 million added by Democrats for prevention services. Bills creating a new child welfare agency called the Department of Child Safety and giving the agency an extra \$60 million passed nearly unanimously Thursday morning. The Senate first stripped out the extra cash tacked on a day earlier over concerns the House would not pass the bill. The House will debate and vote on the bills later in the day. Brewer proposed the overhaul after revelations late last year that more than 6,500 abuse and neglect reports were closed without investigation. Brewer called lawmakers into a special session to enact the overhaul. The department will have \$827 million in total funding.  
(6am newscast on 5/29, 1:30 in length)

Free HIV testing offered in honor of National HIV Testing Day. Friday is National HIV Testing Day and organizations across the country are offering free and accelerated testing. HIV is still a major concern in the U.S., particularly among young people and in specific communities. Planned Parenthood is offering free testing at participating locations during regular business hours. "In the United States, more than 1.1 million people are living with HIV, and almost one in six doesn't know it. The new rapid HIV tests can provide results in as fast as 20 minutes from just a swab inside the mouth  
(11am newscast on 6/27, 1: 30 in length).

Study: Kids with ADHD more likely to abuse drugs. Children with attention deficit hyperactivity disorder are more than twice as likely to abuse drugs, according to a new study. Researchers don't know what causes this link but note those with ADHD and those with substance abuse problems tend to have some behaviors in common.  
(6am newscast on 6/30, 1:30 in length)

Child Abuse/Parenting: Arizona promotes healthy parenting among individuals and in communities raising children. Two reports set the stage for the daunting work facing the state task force charged with reinventing the state's child-welfare agency. They confirm in numbers and trend lines the continued issues confronting child safety in Arizona: an increasing number of reports of child abuse and neglect, a growing number of kids in foster care and a revolving door for a quarter of the children caught up in the child-welfare system.

Woman who left baby on car roof gets probation. An Arizona woman who left her 5-week-old baby in a car seat on the roof of her car when she drove off has been sentenced to 16 years of supervised probation. Catalina Clouser pleaded guilty to child abuse and misdemeanor DUI in February. She was sentenced Wednesday by Cynthia Bailey of Maricopa County Superior Court. Phoenix police arrested Clouser last year after an infant strapped in a safety seat was found in an intersection. The baby was in good condition. According to police, Clouser forgot the boy was on the roof her car when she left the home of friends where she had smoked marijuana. Clouser was sentenced to three months of deferred time in jail, but she won't have to serve that time if she successfully completes probation.  
(11am newscast on 4/9, 1:30 in length)

Tempe PD: Valley mom arrested for leaving 1-year-old in hot car. A woman is accused of child abuse after going grocery shopping in Tempe and allegedly leaving her infant son inside a hot car for nearly 41 minutes. Tempe police spokeswoman Molly Enright says 39-year-old Maria-Theresa Pio was booked into jail. Authorities say an off-duty Tempe first responder discovered the 1-year-old child crying and sweating profusely inside the Cadillac Escalade SUV. The boy was transported to a Tempe hospital, treated by medical personnel and released to his father. Authorities said the boy is expected to make a full recovery.  
(10pm newscast on 4/14, 1:30 in length)

Police: Nicole Candelaria forced 3-year-old to eat own feces after bathtub accident. TEMPE, AZ - A Valley woman is facing child abuse charges for allegedly forcing a 3-year-old girl to eat her own feces after having an accident in the bathtub. According to court documents, the victim told her mother that she had defecated in the tub while spending the week at her father's house in Tempe. The young girl said her father's girlfriend, 27-year-old Nicole Candelaria, became upset and forced the girl to eat her own feces. The victim also alleged that Candelaria forcefully held her down on the toilet seat. According to the report, the victim's siblings -- a 3-year-old twin and a 5-year-old -- also reported that Candelaria made the victim eat her own feces. The victim was taken to a local hospital where she had a forensic medical exam. The exam showed bruising to the girl's sides, back, chest and legs, court documents stated. Candelaria reportedly told authorities the victim "lies often" and denied injuring the child or making her eat her own feces.  
(11am newscast on 5/19, 1:30 in length)

Daniel Bryant Gray pleads guilty in death of son left in hot car. An Arizona man whose infant son died after being left in a parked car for several hours without air conditioning in the summertime heat has pleaded guilty to manslaughter. Daniel Bryant Gray pleaded Wednesday to manslaughter and child abuse in the Aug. 28 death of 3-month-old James Gray outside a Scottsdale sports bar where he worked as a manager. Investigators say Gray smoked marijuana with an employee shortly before realizing he left his son inside his sedan for about three hours. Police say Gray inadvertently left the infant inside his car when he stopped off at the bar on his day off to perform duties that couldn't wait until his next shift. He faces four to 16 years in prison.  
(11am newscast on 5/21, 1:30 in length)

FD: Child dies after bathtub drowning. A 3-month-old has reportedly died after drowning in a bathtub. According to Phoenix Fire, the child was transported in extremely critical condition and has died. Reports determine that the father put three children in the bathtub with the water running and fell asleep. The mother and grandmother are said to have been home at the time, but were also asleep. When police arrived on scene, water was reportedly flowing out of the house from the bathtub faucet. The 3-month-old's 1- and 3-year-old siblings are not reported to have been

injured in the incident. The father was arrested on the scene for an outstanding misdemeanor warrant and is being questioned by police.  
(11am newscast on 6/10, 1:30 in length)

**Safety:** As a television station we try and report on how Arizona works with the citizens to assure a degree of safety in our community. The success of our students impacts us all. A skilled, well-educated workforce contributes to a strong economy and the overall quality of life for all Arizonans.

FD: Man injured in fall from Phoenix balcony. PHOENIX - Fire Department officials say a 30-year-old man is in extremely critical condition after falling from a 4th story balcony in Phoenix Wednesday afternoon. Phoenix Fire officials say the accident happened around 4 p.m. near 16th Street and Thomas Road. Authorities say the man was transported to a local trauma center to be treated for their injuries. The victim has not yet been identified.  
(11am newscast on 4/2, 1:30 in length)

Rescue mission launching "Code Red Campaign" to help homeless during summer. As temperatures rise so does the danger for the Valley's homeless. That is why the Phoenix Rescue Mission is launching its "Code Red Campaign." The campaign is a summer heat relief campaign and they are in need of donations. Volunteers are packing up survival kits to deliver to people living on the streets. The kits contain various personal hygiene items along with a bottle of water. The outreach happens all year long but efforts are increased during the summer months when homeless people may have little escape from the elements. "Sometimes we contact them and that is it," said Nicole Pena with the Phoenix Rescue Mission. "Sometimes after a few contacts we're able to get them to come in and take part in programs that can help them." Arizona ranks 4th worst in the nation when it comes to homelessness. The Phoenix Rescue Mission needs donations to be able to provide water and emergency kits.  
(11am newscast on 4/30, 1:30 in length)

Phoenix to discuss police department restructuring plan. Phoenix police and city officials will meet Monday to discuss the police departments restructuring plan. Police union officials said the restructuring will redraw precinct boundaries. Eliminating squads, moving officers and making precincts bigger. Phoenix Law Enforcement Association treasurer Will Buividas said it's a move that will give police more resources. "I think you're going to see response times getting better because we will have more officers there to get to calls faster," said Buividas. Critics of the plan aren't so sure though. Phoenix city councilman Sal DiCiccio said the math doesn't add up. "We've lost 500 officers since 2008. Now you're going to have less officers covering a bigger areas which means less protection for neighborhoods," said DiCiccio. Full details of the plan have not been released but so far the restructuring would eliminate 24 squads and sergeant positions and move them into other areas.  
(10pm newscast 5/1, 1:30 in length)

Slide Fire: 850 acres burned, 0% contained; expected to hit up to 2,000 acres by nightfall. A wildfire that erupted in northern Arizona Tuesday afternoon has doubled in size today, so far burning 850 acres and continuing to threaten private homes and vacation cabins. Coconino National Forest spokesman Brady Smith said the Slide Fire could reach up to 2,000 acres by nightfall, as it continues to be fueled by winds in Oak Creek Canyon and gusts of 30 mph above the rim  
(11am newscast on 5/21, 1:30 in length)

Push underway to prevent drownings this weekend. As we near the Memorial Day weekend, a push is underway to prevent drownings. A safety fair will take place this morning at 9 a.m. at Bass Pro Shop in Mesa at Mesa Riverview Mall. Several fire

agencies from around the Valley are joining forces along with the Drowning Prevention Coalition of Arizona to get the message out. Drownings are the second leading cause of unintentional death and injury for teens and adults. Those drownings often happen in lakes and rivers when people are not wearing life jackets. Officials warn the holidays present more distractions and often it is too late once someone notices that someone else may be in trouble in the water. "They sometimes aren't panicked and splashing around," said Capt. Forrest Smith, with the Mesa Fire Department. "Sometimes they may appear to be trying to climb a ladder or trying to swim in no specific direction. You need to be aware of subtle signs." So far this year there have been 18 drowning fatalities total in Maricopa and Pinal Counties in pools and waterways. Eight were children.  
(11am newscast on 5/22, 1:30 in length)

What are the signs, symptoms of heat stroke, heat exhaustion? It's approaching that time in Arizona where the thermometer tends to stay above the 100-degree mark and the sun stays in the sky a little bit longer. What heat-related warnings can the National Weather Service issue? The National Weather Service can issue two heat-related warnings: Excessive Heat Watch means that extreme heat could hit the valley within the next two to three days. Excessive Heat Warning means extreme heat will occur today or tomorrow. The National Weather Service issues these warnings when unusually hot weather, noting Arizona's hot standards, will be making its way into the Valley.  
(6am newscast on 6/02, 1:30 in length)

## **KNXV-TV Investigative & Consumer Pieces**

Second Quarter 2014

### **Consignment Sale, Daphne Munro aired 4/1 at 5pm TRT: 1:52**

Our Smart Shopper lets you know how to save money on children's clothing. Kid's Closet Connection is having its semi-annual storewide sale.

### **Fake FAFSA, Joe Ducey aired 4/1 at 6pm TRT: 1:27**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey shows you how easily people are tricked into using a bogus website for federal student loans. It is a simple case of .gov versus .com.

### **Spa Week, Daphne Munro aired 4/2 at 5pm TRT: 1:29**

It is Spa Week which means our Smart Shopper knows where to get the best deals on facials, massages and pedicures.

### **Last Call/Landscaper Folo, Joe Ducey aired 4/2 at 6pm TRT: 1:49**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey takes the next step with homeowners who are trying to get their landscaping company to fix the flooding damage they created in their yard. The Registrar of Contractors ruled in the homeowners' favor, but the company still has not fixed the problem. Now they are going to court.

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**Dangerous Guardrail Folo, Dave Biscobing aired 4/2 at 10pm TRT: 2:33**

The ABC15 Investigators continue their coverage into possible defective guardrails on the nation's highways. Now, other states are taking action and pulling the guardrail in question out of use. And a watchdog group is suing the government in federal court to compel them to hand over public records regarding the questionable approval of the guardrail.

**Party in the Tub, Daphne Munro aired 4/3 at 5pm TRT: 1:57**

In this, "Try It Before You Buy It", our Smart Shopper tries Party in the Tub. The kit includes two lights and tablets that fizz when they hit the water. The tablets didn't work correctly. They only dirtied the water. The lights worked, but the kids lost interest right away. Daphne Munro gave it a thumbs-down.

**Fake Airbags, Joe Ducey aired 4/3 at 6pm TRT: 2:14**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey shows you how to double check your car to see if you have a fake airbag or no airbag at all. Statistically, one percent of vehicles don't have an airbag at all.

**Freebie Friday, Daphne Munro aired 4/4 at 5pm TRT: 1:43**

Our Smart Shopper lets you know how to have fun this weekend without sending a dime.

**Tax Fraud/IRS, Joe Ducey aired 4/4 at 6pm TRT: 1:03**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey warns tax filers of a new scheme. Scammers are filing income tax returns in your name and social security, but redirecting the refunds to themselves.

**Tax Fraud Victims, Joe Ducey aired 4/4 at 10pm TRT: 2:33**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey introduces you to a couple who were tricked in the latest income tax scam.

**EstateSales.net, Daphne Munro aired 4/7 at 5pm TRT: 1:59**

Our Smart Shopper shows you a cool new website that shows you where all the estate sales, auctions and liquidations sales are in your area.

**Fake Notices, Joe Ducey aired 4/7 at 6pm TRT: 1:50**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey shows you an official-looking letter that is actually a business trying to make a quick buck. They claim they will provide you with an official deed to your home. They even put a state administration code on the front to make you think it is from the state. But, it isn't. You can go online and get a copy for free.

**Library Food for Fines, Daphne Munro aired 4/8 at 5pm TRT:56**

Our Smart Shopper lets you know how you can pay off your overdue book fines at your library and help feed the hungry at the same time.

**MCCCD Breach/Lawyer, Joe Ducey aired 4/8 at 6pm TRT: 2:05**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey explains there is another legal firm to join the growing issues concerning the security breach at the Maricopa County Community Colleges.

**Checkout 51, Daphne Munro aired 4/9 at 5pm TRT: 1:19**

Our Smart Shopper shows you a new app that lets you make money on the grocery items you buy. After you go to the store and get your groceries, upload the receipt and the app does the rest. You get a check in the mail every time your total reaches \$20.

**Home Inspection Check, Joe Ducey aired 4/10 at 5pm TRT:57**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey has advice when inspecting a home you plan to buy. There is a new service that is similar to CarFax, but it's for your house.

**No Spill Easter Coloring Kit, Daphne Munro aired 4/10 at 5pm TRT: 1:49**

In this, "Try It Before You Buy It", our Smart Shopper tries, No Spill Easter Coloring Kit. It worked just fine, but didn't wow us. We did the same and more with a one dollar coloring kit.

**Toyota Settlement Disappointment, Joe Ducey aired 4/10 at 6pm TRT: 2:11**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey talks with some car owners injured in the Toyota bad brakes' recall. The company may have been fined a great deal of money, but none of it goes to the actual victims. The class action settlement is less than \$200 for each claim.

**Freebie Friday, Daphne Munro aired 4/11 at 5pm TRT: 1:17**

Our Smart Shopper lets you know how to have fun this weekend without sending a dime.

**Scam or No Scam, Joe Ducey aired 4/11 at 6pm TRT: 1:37**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey tests you on the latest scams tricking many consumers around the country. Test your skills- scam or no scam?

**AZ State Hospital Folo, Dave Biscobing aired 4/11 at 10pm TRT: 2:15**

The ABC15 Investigators continue their investigation into the state mental hospital with new, troubling allegations coming from a patient advocacy group formed through the state legislature. The group claims their concerns are not being met by the hospital staff and little to nothing is being done. This comes at the expense of patients' care, and recently, one patient's life.

**Dollar Day at Buffalo Exchange, Daphne Munro aired 4/14 at 5pm TRT: 1:02**

Our Smart Shopper lets you know about a \$1 sale at both of its resell shops in the Valley. Buffalo Exchange sells used clothing, shoes and accessories. They will be having a \$1 sale in honor of Earth Day.

**Tax Extensions Day Before, Joe Ducey aired 4/14 at 6pm TRT: 1:37**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey reviews how filing an extension on your taxes can save you a great deal of money instead of missing the deadline.

**Lose It App, Daphne Munro aired 4/15 at 5pm TRT: 1:27**

Our Smart Shopper tells you about an app that helps you lose weight. It lets you know how many calories you can have in order to reach your goal. It takes into consideration your food intake and exercise.

**Tax Phone Scam, Joe Ducey aired 4/15 at 6pm TRT: 1:45**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey warns tax payers of a scam involving your tax returns. In this scam, someone calls by phone and threatens that you have to pay back taxes immediately or risk major fines.

**Free Music, Daphne Munro aired 4/16 at 5pm TRT: 1:46**

Music can really change our Smart Shopper's mood; especially when it is free. Daphne Munro reviews four website/apps that let you listen to the music you want for free.

**Ruggies, Daphne Munro aired 4/17 at 5pm TRT: 1:52**

In this, "Try It Before You Buy It", our Smart Shopper tries, Ruggies. The product is supposed to help keep area rugs in place. It only worked for about 24 hours. The

product would not continuously adhere to the rug. Daphne Munro gave it a thumbs-down.

**Fake WiFi, Joe Ducey aired 4/17 at 6pm TRT: 1:51**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey warns viewers about fake WiFi setup at hotels and similar free WiFi spots. Joe explains how easy it is to trick you in the hope of stealing your personal information.

**Freebie Friday, Daphne Munro aired 4/18 at 5pm TRT: 1:26**

Our Smart Shopper lets you know how to have fun this weekend without sending a dime.

**Michael's ID Theft Protection, Joe Ducey aired 4/18 at 6pm TRT: 1:42**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey shows you the best way to protect yourself from identity thefts caused from store security breaches.

**CamelCamelCamel.com, Daphne Munro aired 4/21 at 5pm TRT: 2:01**

CamelCamelCamel.com is a price tracking website. Our Smart Shopper reviewed how the website worked and was very impressed. It lets you know the lowest and highest price the item actually sold for on Amazon and its partnering sites.

**Magazine Subscription Scam, Joe Ducey aired 4/21 at 6pm TRT: 1:51**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey shows you how to get around automatic magazine subscription renewals. He also warns that some renewals come very early or several times a year. Don't get fooled; each renewal signs you up for another year.

**Tradesy, Daphne Munro aired 4/22 at 5pm TRT: 2:01**

Our Smart Shopper shows you how to trade your used clothing into cash.

**Assistance League/Bus Story, Joe Ducey aired 4/22 at 6pm TRT: 1:54**

Joe Ducey reports on the Assistance League and how their bus tour goes into communities to help provide school uniforms and supplies to people in need.

**First Day of the Assistance League, Joe Ducey aired 4/23 during the newscasts at 4pm/5pm/6pm**

Joe Ducey introduces viewers to the Assistance League, and their new partnership with ABC15. Viewers can call the Assistance League for help with consumer matters, and if it is a story that can benefit many viewers, we will do a story on it. While you can call anytime of the week, today we had a dedicated phone bank of operators for viewers to call in for help.

**Flipp App, Daphne Munro aired 4/23 at 5pm TRT: 1:34**

Our Smart Shopper found an app that lets you take the Sunday shopping ads on the go.

**Solar Contracts, Joe Ducey aired 4/24 at 6pm TRT: 2:24**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey helps a home owner who didn't get the loan he signed for after getting a new solar-powered air conditioner and a water heater.

**FDA on E-Cigs Today, Lauren Gilger aired 4/24 at 6pm TRT: 2:02**

The ABC15 Investigators continue their coverage on the health and safety of electronic cigarettes. The Food and Drug Administration announced plans to regulate e-cigs similar to tobacco.

**Freebie Friday, Daphne Munro aired 4/25 at 5pm TRT: 1:05**

Our Smart Shopper lets you know how to have fun this weekend without sending a dime.

**Medical Billing Mistakes, Joe Ducey aired 4/25 at 6pm TRT: 1:21**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey shows you how to spot a medical billing error and how to fight it.

**Surgery Needle, Joe Ducey aired 4/25 at 10pm TRT: 2:00**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey tells you about a mother who experienced a surgical mishap and then ending up getting billed for it by the hospital.

**Dwindling Police Force, Dave Biscobing aired 4/28 at 6pm TRT: 3:59**

The ABC15 Investigators takes you inside Phoenix's shrinking police force. They have not hired a new police officer in five years. Experts say this unprecedented gap is affecting public safety.

**Cheap Website Deals, Joe Ducey aired 4/28 at 6pm TRT 1:46**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey warns consumers to be careful when ordering prom dresses online. You don't want to get stuck with a poor quality dress for the big night.

**Sam vs. Costco, Daphne Munro aired 4/28 at 5pm/10pm TRT: 3:14**

Our Smart Shopper puts the two big warehouse stores to the test to find out which one has the best deals. We also set up a polling question to find out which store you prefer.

**H & R Fabrics, Daphne Munro aired 4/29 at 5pm TRT: 1:37**

Our Smart Shopper found an upholstery store in the Valley where you can reupholster your couch, car or patio furniture for very little cost.

**Promoting Calls/Assistance League, Joe Ducey aired 4/29 at 6pm TRT: 2:06**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey takes viewers to the Assistance League's headquarters to show you how they are set up to take calls for help on consumer matters.

**Adidas Sale, Daphne Munro aired 4/30 at 5pm TRT: 1:11**

Our Smart Shopper lets you know about the huge Adidas and Reebok tent sale going on this weekend. Stock up on sport clothing and sneakers.

**Camelback Consignment, Joe Ducey aired 4/30 at 6pm TRT: 2:35**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey shows you how some people trying to sell items on consignment are getting the run-around. For many, it's been a long process. The consignment shop has not paid some sellers their money while for others, they have lost the merchandise.

**Pipeline Investigation, Lauren Gilger aired 4/30 at 6pm TRT: 4:21**

The ABC15 Investigators uncover issues with the type of pipe that led to a gas explosion near a man's home which burned 80 percent of his body. The gas company says they have "bubbling" on this type of pipe all over the state.

**Donut Maker, Daphne Munro aired 5/1 at 5pm TRT: 1:57**

In this, "Try It Before You Buy It", our Smart Shopper tries, the Nostalgia Electrics Donut Hole Maker. The appliance worked perfectly even using ordinary cake mix. It lived up to its claim, so Daphne Munro and the guest baker gave it a thumbs-up. But, both agree they could have easily just used the oven and would have been able to bake more per batch.



**Bad Cop, Dave Biscobing aired 5/1 at 6am TRT: 1:05**

The ABC15 Investigators confirm a top-level Phoenix police officer is under investigation for sleeping on the job. His own department calls it, "unacceptable".

**Call Block App, Joe Ducey aired 5/1 at 6pm TRT: 1:48**

Hate spam phone calls? There's an app for that. In this "Let Joe Know", Joe shows you new technology that claims to help stop spam phone calls. But, beware you have to give up some private information to make it work.

**MCCCD Breach Update, Joe Ducey aired 5/1 at 6pm TRT: 1:27**

Joe Ducey continues his coverage on the security breach at Maricopa County Community Schools. Now, there is a class-action lawsuit that could cost billions.

**Freebie Friday, Daphne Munro aired 5/2 at 5pm TRT: 1:25**

Our Smart Shopper lets you know how to have fun this weekend without sending a dime.

**Protect Yourself from Fake Rentals, Joe Ducey aired 5/2 at 6pm TRT: 54**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey shows you how easy it is to fall for a fake rental home scam. We show you red flags that will help you spot a housing rental scam before you get tricked.

**Fake Rentals, Joe Ducey aired 5/2 at 10pm TRT: 1:43**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey introduces you to a woman who hoped to be a renter by now. She paid money to whom she thought was the landlord, only to find out that person didn't really exist.

**Long Term Mental Healthcare, Lauren Gilger aired 5/3 at 6pm TRT: 3:33**

The ABC15 Investigators uncover more holes in the mental healthcare system in Arizona. Lauren Gilger shows the lack of long term housing and care for the seriously mentally ill.

**Pipeline State Investigation, Lauren Gilger aired 5/3 at 6pm TRT: 2:08**

The ABC15 Investigators undercover the state agency investigative reports involving possible defective pipes used underground throughout the state by the gas company.

**White Dove Thrift Shop, Daphne Munro aired 5/5 at 5pm TRT: 1:44**

Our Smart Shopper takes you to one of three thrift shops in town that are owned by Hospice of the Valley. All proceeds go to raise money for Hospice.

**Extreme Car Repairs, Joe Ducey aired 5/5 at 6pm TRT: 2:18**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey helps a Valley woman get her car out of a repair shop. It is been there for months, but hasn't had any work done. She put money down, but can't get the mechanic to do the repairs. Turns out this mechanic had multiple problems.

**Free Mall Kids' Clubs, Daphne Munro aired 5/6 at 5pm TRT: 1:25**

Our Smart Shopper takes you to one of the five Valley malls that have teamed up with National Geographic Kids for some free summer time entertainment.

**Fake Phone Apps, Joe Ducey aired 5/6 at 6pm TRT: 1:43**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey warns consumers to make sure the next app they download to their phone is legit. Fake apps are on the rise stealing your money and personal information.

**Mayo Clinic Solve, Joe Ducey aired 5/7 at 6pm TRT: 1:55**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey introduces you to a cancer survivor who was stuck with her hospital bill after her insurance company went belly-up.

**Ammonium Nitrate, Lauren Gilger aired 5/7 at 6pm TRT: 5:06**

The ABC15 Investigators take a closer look to see if the same type of deadly explosion that happened in West, Texas a year ago could happen here. We investigate to find out if there are facilities in the state that house ammonium nitrate and whether it is properly regulated. We checked to see if there has been any changes put in place to make sure there are no future tragedies; there has not.

**Apache Nitrogen Products, Lauren Gilger aired 5/7 at 10pm TRT: 2:50**

The ABC15 Investigators uncover one of the largest fertilizer plants in the state which sits on the outskirts of a small town that never notified the local fire department that they use and house ammonium nitrate which is the same chemical involved in the deadly explosion in West, Texas a year ago.

**Egg & Omelet Wave, Daphne Munro aired 5/8 at 5pm TRT: 1:48**

In this, "Try It Before You Buy It", our Smart Shopper tries, Egg & Omelet Wave. It is supposed to let you cook eggs in the microwave. Both the eggs and omelet came out great. The only problem is that the directions call for you to pierce the yolk before you put it in the microwave otherwise it will explode. Well, I like my yolks liquid. But, it does what it claims. So, Daphne Munro gave it a thumbs-up.

**Save Money, Joe Ducey aired 5/8 at 6pm TRT: 1:36**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey shows you some ways to save money on cable, insurance and phone service.

**Freebie Friday, Daphne Munro aired 5/9 at 5pm TRT: 1:12**

Our Smart Shopper lets you know how to have fun this weekend without sending a dime.

**ID Theft Protection, Joe Ducey aired 5/9 at 6pm TRT: 1:29**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey shows you how identity thieves use your personal information for non-financial scams. They include: applying for jobs, renting homes, and getting medical treatments.

**Social Security Numbers on Government Website, Joe Ducey aired 5/9 at 10pm TRT: 1:38**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey shows you how to find out if your social security number is one of the numbers on a government website for all to see.

**Last Longer, Daphne Munro aired 5/12 at 5pm TRT: 2:05**

Our Smart Shopper shows you a couple of tricks to make butter, cereal and cilantro last longer.

**Premium Gas Prices, Joe Ducey aired 5/12 at 6pm TRT: 1:59**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey reviews the difference between regular and premium gas as the cost difference widens. Do you really need the more expensive gas?

**Class Action Settlement, Joe Ducey aired 5/12 at 10pm TRT: 1:37**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey reviews recent class action settlements with companies not living up to its claims. These include: bagged ice price fixing, Fitflop Footwear, Trader Joe's and Costco dog foods, Banana Boat sunscreen and Bank of America.

**Uses for Lemon, Daphne Munro aired 5/13 at 5pm TRT: 1:07**

Our Smart Shopper shows you how to use lemons to help get the nasty smells out of your refrigerator, microwave, and garbage disposal.

**Postal Service Solve, Joe Ducey aired 5/13 at 6pm TRT: 2:04**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey reviews how mail is delivered through a story about a woman who waited far too long to receive an important document in the mail.

**Extreme ID Theft, Dave Biscobing aired 5/13 at 6pm TRT: 3:38**

Arizona is still one of the worst states for identity theft, and for one woman, it was extreme. ABC15 Investigator Dave Biscobing brings you her terrifying story and why it took years to get justice.

**Free Tree Program, Daphne Munro aired 5/14 at 5pm TRT: 1:58**

Our Smart Shopper shows you how to get a free five gallon tree by showing your electric bill. They will even show you how to plant it. The project is sponsored by the Valley Permaculture Alliance. They are giving away thousands of shade trees to help reduce energy bills.

**DES Unemployment, Joe Ducey aired 5/14 at 6pm TRT: 1:56**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey tells the story about how one Valley man who received unemployment years ago was recently asked to return the money. He's not alone. Thousands of previous recipients were asked to give it back to DES.

**Scams, Joe Ducey aired 5/15 at 6pm TRT: 1:51**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey reviews the latest scams plaguing our community. They include: free government grants, unknown charges on your credit cards and a bank requesting you change your password.

**Freebie Friday, Daphne Munro aired 5/16 at 5pm TRT: 1:04**

Our Smart Shopper lets you know how to have fun this weekend without sending a dime.

**Code Enforcement How-to, Joe Ducey aired 5/16 at 6pm TRT: 1:31**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey shows you how to address your neighbor's lack of pride in home ownership. What to do when your neighbor doesn't pull their weeds or clean up their yard.

**Dirty Neighbor, Joe Ducey aired 5/16 at 10pm TRT: 1:55**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey tells the story of a homeowner who forced a neighbor to clean up his yard. How you can take the same steps if you have a bad neighbor.

**Target vs. Walmart, Daphne Munro aired 5/18 at 10pm TRT: 1:58**

Our Smart Shopper held a taste test comparing generic store brand items from Walmart and Target. Our Taste testers voted Target overall winner by a landslide.

**Guardrail Folo/911 Call, Dave Biscobing aired 5/18 at 10pm TRT: 2:21**

The ABC15 Investigators continue their investigation into a possibly defective highway guardrail that may be contributing to the death or severe injury of drivers and passengers in vehicle accidents. The driver in this latest accident lived. But, as you can hear in his 911 call to emergency services, he didn't think he would make it. Both of his legs were severed.

**Restaurant Week, Daphne Munro aired 5/19 at 5pm TRT: 1:16**

Our Smart Shopper tells you about Restaurant Week and how you can get a top notch meal without the top dollar price tag. Most meals will run you about \$30-\$40.

**\$50K Phone Bill, Joe Ducey aired 5/19 at 6pm TRT: 2:12**

What would you do if hackers got into your long distance phone service and made hundreds of international calls on your dime? In this "Let Joe Know", Joe shows you what happened to one small school district, and how they had to deal with it.

**Free Seeds, Daphne Munro aired 5/20 at 5pm TRT: 1:34**

Our Smart Shopper tells you how to use the free seed exchange program at the Valley Permaculture Alliance. They carry a full library of seeds for you to use for free.

**iOS7 Phone Tracking, Joe Ducey aired 5/20 at 6pm TRT: 1:35**

Where did you go last night? Last week? Last month? You may not remember, but your phone does. In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey shows you how iOS7 keeps track of every move you make.

**Exploding Targets, Dave Biscobing aired 5/20 at 10pm TRT: 2:25**

The ABC15 Investigators take a look at some of the hazards people are experiencing with targets sold to the public for shooting practice. They are made of explosive materials and have no limits and no restrictions. After some have accidentally exploded causing severe injuries, they have local police departments on edge.

**Consign and Design Closes, Joe Ducey aired 5/21 at 6pm TRT: 2:44**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey meets with a consignment shop owner who sent some of our viewers bad checks and never paid clients who had items for sale.

**Wildfire Insurance Claim, Joe Ducey aired 5/22 at 6pm TRT: 1:27**

Wildfires are a big part of life in Arizona. In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey reviews insurance policies so you can make sure that if you lose your home to a wildfire, you can file a claim without any problems.

**Stronger Oversight of Ammonium Nitrate, Lauren Gilger aired 5/22 at 6pm TRT: 1:15**

The ABC15 Investigators review a report out by leading Democrats and the Governmental Accountability Office calling for stronger oversight of ammonium nitrate use especially at fertilizer plants throughout the country.

**Freebie Friday, Daphne Munro aired 5/23 at 5pm TRT:57**

Our Smart Shopper lets you know how to have fun this weekend without sending a dime.

**Consumer Quiz, Joe Ducey aired 5/23 at 6pm TRT: 1:44**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey tests your knowledge of credit cards with advice on how to keep your finances safe.

**Clean Shower Head, Daphne Munro aired 5/26 at 5pm TRT: 1:04**

Our Smart Shopper shows you a simple way to prolong the use of your shower head by cleaning it with distilled vinegar.

**Free Summer Breakfast and Lunch, Daphne Munro aired 5/27 at 5pm TRT: 1:32**

Our Smart Shopper tells you about a summer program that helps feed children breakfast and lunch. Meals they would normally get at school throughout the rest of the year.

**Reverend Tillman Interview, Dave Biscobing aired 5/28 at 10pm TRT: 2:21**

The ABC15 Investigators go one-on-one with the head of the NAACP on problems ignored at the veteran affairs hospital. He says he has proof the VA is being mismanaged.

**Freebie Friday, Daphne Munro aired 5/30 at 5pm TRT: 1:22**

Our Smart Shopper lets you know how to have fun this weekend without sending a dime.

**Gas Pipeline Explosion Folo, Lauren Gilger aired 5/30 at 6pm TRT: 2:12**

The ABC15 Investigators found additional evidence that the state knew about a possible defect in the gas pipelines used throughout the state. This is the same type of pipeline that led to the explosion that seriously burned 80 percent of a person who lived nearby.

**Gray Matter Bike Shop, Daphne Munro aired 6/2 at m TRT: 1:17**

Our Smart Shopper brings you to the opening of a new bike shop that is a non-profit. They sell donated used bikes to raise money for brain tumor research. The project was started by a Valley young man who recently lost his fight with cancer. His family is now running the shop.

**Danger Zones, Lauren Gilger aired 6/2 at 6pm TRT: 4:24**

The ABC15 Investigators spent three months compiling federally required "worst case scenario plans" filed with the government. Companies with high risk hazardous materials are required by law to file these plans. We gathered all the data and created a database to map the locations of the danger zones in each of these plans. The information included the type of chemical, type of spill and distance the spill would cover, the number of people who would be affected, and whether or not there are schools and hospitals in its tracks.

**Prepaying Scams, Joe Ducey aired 6/2 at 6pm TRT: 1:43**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey warns you about paying in full for a service or item only to have the company go out of business.

**Free Summer Bowling, Daphne Munro aired 6/3 at 5pm TRT:54**

Our Smart Shopper tells you how your kids can bowl for free throughout the summer at any AMF Bowling Alley.

**Scanner Errors, Joe Ducey aired 6/3 at 6pm TRT: 1:32**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey warns consumers to watch the prices as you ring up at the cash register. Some prices ring up higher than listed.

**MVD Scam, Joe Ducey aired 6/4 at 6pm TRT: 1:44**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey warns you about a scam involving a fake motor vehicle company. While they promise motor vehicle services, they are really stealing your personal information and credit card numbers.

**Bigspot.com, Joe Ducey aired 6/5 at 6pm TRT: 2:18**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey reviews websites that claim to pay you for your opinion.

**Census Scam?, Joe Ducey aired 6/6 at 6pm TRT: 1:53**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey answers a viewer's concern that the survey she received in the mail from the Census Bureau is legitimate or a scam. The American Community Survey is legit. These forms are sent to homes throughout the ten year period in-between the regular census. The forms are much more comprehensive and

ask for a great deal of personal information. So much so, that it feels like a scam. But it's not. The receiver is required by law to complete them.

**RMP Loopholes, Lauren Gilger aired 6/8 at 5:30pm TRT: 3:21**

The ABC15 Investigators uncover holes in the federally required reporting system for Risk Management Plans that include "worst case scenarios" for a high risk chemical spill, leak or explosion.

**PD Staffing Vote, Dave Biscobing aired 6/8 at 8pm TRT: 1:36**

The Phoenix Police Department is shrinking in size. They have lost more than 500 officers mostly to retirement. Precincts could be closing making response times slower. Critics say the low level of staffing is putting public safety at risk. ABC15 Investigator Dave Biscobing learned the police union is about to bring the issue straight to the voters.

**EPCOR Water Rates, Joe Ducey aired 6/8 at 10pm TRT: 2:25**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey explains why wastewater rates went up so high for one community after half the people opted out.

**Air Ticket Travel Fares, Joe Ducey aired 6/9 at 6pm TRT: 1:59**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey explains how sometimes the price you are charged for airlines tickets can go up without notice. For example, if you need 4 seats and only three are available at the cheaper price, the fourth seat will change the price for all of them -- automatically.

**Squeezy Freezy, Daphne Munro aired 6/10 at 5pm TRT: 1:46**

In this, "Try It Before You Buy It", our Smart Shopper tries, Squeezy Freezy. It claims to be able to make slushes out of most any drink without ice or a blender. You just pour the drink into the frozen cup and squeeze after a minute. It worked as promise, but the downside is that it takes three hours for the cup to freeze and you can only make one at a time. The upside is that you can use any ingredients you want. But, you can do that with a blender too.

**Dry Cleaners, Joe Ducey aired 6/10 at 6pm TRT: 2:50**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey tells the story of one viewer who won a judgment against her dry cleaner only to have him not pay. She let Joe know. But, after trying to get the dry cleaner to pay up, he turned around and sued us. But, it may have backfired since it will be in the same court the dry cleaner lost and violated the original judgment.

**Free Apps for Kids, Daphne Munro aired 6/11 at 5pm TRT: 1:29**

Our Smart Shopper shows you some free educational apps for kids. Ebooks offers a free book every day, Popcorn Flix streams movies and Sushi Monster helps kids learn math.

**New Show Studios, Joe Ducey aired 6/11 at 6pm TRT:1:51**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey reports on a Valley woman who lost \$500 to a company who promised to write a book on her life. In this update, she received her money back.

**Essure Investigation Folo, Lauren Gilger aired 6/12 at 6pm TRT: 2:05**

The ABC15 Investigators continue their look into possible defects into the permanent contraceptive device, Essure, for women. Members from an organized group of injured patients and a physician testified against the product at a Senate briefing on Capitol Hill.

**Freebie Friday, Daphne Munro aired 6/13 at 5pm TRT:55**

Our Smart Shopper lets you know how to have fun this weekend without sending a dime.

**Consumer Quiz, Joe Ducey aired 6/13 at 6pm TRT: 1:47**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey tests your knowledge of Arizona's Lemon Law.

**Lodge Checkup, Dave Biscobing aired 6/15 at 8pm TRT: 2:32**

Bed bugs, mold and filth were discovered by the state health department at an assisted living home for vulnerable and disabled adults. That state inspection was triggered by an undercover ABC15 Investigation which showed the extent of the poor living conditions. Dave Biscobing makes an unannounced follow-up visit to the home to make sure the changes are being made.

**Dollar Shave Club, Daphne Munro aired 6/16 at 5pm TRT: 2:01**

Our Smart Shopper tells you about the \$1 Shave Club and has someone test the products to see if it is a good deal. You pick the plan that you want and pay the monthly fee and the razors are shipped directly to your house.

**Consignment, Joe Ducey aired 6/16 at 6pm TRT: 2:28**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey updates the story regarding Consign and Design. We asked the landlord of the closed consignment shop to open its doors so that customers could get their merchandise back.

**Liquidation Sale, Daphne Munro aired 6/17 at 5pm TRT: 1:35**

Our Smart Shopper takes you on a tour of one of her favorite liquidation stores, Liquidators Discount Center.

**No A/C Mesa, Joe Ducey aired 6/17 at 6pm TRT: 2:02**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey helps residents at a Valley apartment complex get new air conditioning after they tried for weeks to get the landlord to replace them.

**Horne/Colorado City, Dave Biscobing aired 6/17 at 6pm TRT: 1:45**

People who live in Colorado City say the Marshall's Office is under the control of the FLDS Church. Now, the Arizona Attorney General says he has proof. That's why he is disbanding the office.

**Pick a Trip, Daphne Munro aired 6/18 at 5pm TRT: 1:29**

Our Smart Shopper introduces you to a new way to make travel plans. Usually you pick where you want to go and plan your trip according to your budget. There are websites that let you do the reverse. Enter how much you want to spend and the website lists places to travel for the money.

**Automatic Renewal Contracts, Joe Ducey aired 6/18 at 6pm TRT: 1:43**

You expect automatic renewals with magazine subscriptions. But in this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey reports on how one Valley homeowner fought a landscaper who snuck an automatic renewal clause in the contract. As usual, you have to read the fine print.

**Pizza Cutter, Daphne Munro aired 6/19 at 5pm TRT: 1:40**

In this, "Try it Before You Buy It", our Smart Shopper tries Scizza, scissors for pizza. The Scizza cuts through the pizza easily. They work just like a pair of scissors so our Smart Shopper tried a pair of scissors. They worked just the same. Scizza lived up to its claim, so it gets a thumbs-up. But, a regular pizza is cheaper and cuts just as easily.

**Class Action Settlement, Joe Ducey aired 6/19 at 6pm TRT: 2:08**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey reviews this month's class-action settlements. If you have a computer, a gaming system or a cell phone, you could be getting some money back.

**Freebie Friday, Daphne Munro aired 6/20 at 5pm TRT: 1:22**

Our Smart Shopper lets you know how to have fun this weekend without sending a dime.

**Scam Emails, Joe Ducey aired 6/20 at 6pm TRT: 1:24**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey warns you that the Microsoft security scam is coming back around in a new form. These scammers are targeting people who fell for it the first time. Now, they call and say they owe you a refund from the first scam. If they ask for personal information, just say, "No".

**Alley Trash Solution, Joe Ducey aired 6/20 at 10pm TRT: 2:11**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey lets you know how to fight city hall after one viewer gets fined by her HOA for something she didn't do.

**Habitat for Humanity, Daphne Munro aired 5/23 at 5pm TRT: 1:58**

Our Smart Shopper takes you to Habitat for Humanity Restores. It is a shop that sells used donated construction and home remodeling items for a fraction of the cost. Plus, the proceeds go to help Habitat for Humanity. There are five Valley locations.

**Sex Abuse State Hospital, Dave Biscobing aired 6/23 at 5:30pm TRT: 2:59**

An insider came forward to talk about the sexual abuse and misbehavior that goes on at the state mental hospital. The employee says the staff not only doesn't respond to incidences, but also doesn't do anything to prevent them.

**Moving Scams, Joe Ducey aired 6/23 at 6pm TRT: 2:15**

We've all heard the horror stories involving bad moving companies. In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey lets you know how to make sure your moving company is legit.

**Mesa Book Sale, Daphne Munro aired 6/24 at 5pm TRT: 1:12**

Our Smart Shopper tells you about a giant book sale going on at the main library in Mesa. You don't have to be a Mesa resident to purchase any of the books, audio tapes or magazines they have for sale.

**Sex Abuse Folo, Dave Biscobing aired 6/24 at 6pm TRT: 2:16**

The Arizona State Hospital is supposed to be a secure facility for our state's severely mentally ill and criminally insane. So, how are patients getting their hands on dangerous synthetic drugs like bath salts and spice? An insider tells ABC15 Investigator Dave Biscobing how it's happening and who's to blame.

**Caller ID Scam, Joe Ducey aired 6/24 at 6pm TRT: 1:51**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey warns of a new scam that changes the identity on Caller I.D.

**Invisible Hand, Daphne Munro aired 6/25 at 5pm TRT: 1:33**

Our Smart Shopper tries Invisible Hand. It is a web-based tool that lets you know if you are getting the best deal on the item you are about to buy. Daphne Munro installed it on her computer. When trying to buy an item, the app appeared letting her know about a better deal. It lets you know when items are cheaper, available for free shipping or can be bought with coupons. It worked on merchandise and rental cars.



**Yarnell Struggle, Elizabeth Erwin aired 6/25 at 5pm TRT: 2:03**

Many residents who lost their homes in the Yarnell fire are still without a permanent place to live. ABC15 Reporter, Elizabeth Erwin visits with families one year after the deadly fire.

**Sensible Home Warranty, Joe Ducey aired 6/25 at 10pm TRT: 1:53**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey helps a homeowner get her home warranty company to pay for the air conditioning compressor that is supposed to be covered in the contract.

**Grant McKee's Mom, Katie Connor aired 6/26 at 4pm TRT: 1:50**

Grant McKee was his parents' only son. ABC15 Reporter, Katie Connor talks with his mother about Grant's short life, and what life is like now without her son.

**19 Acts of Service, Navideh Forghani aired 6/26 at 5pm TRT: 1:50**

The Yarnell community came together to remember the 19 Granite Mountain Hotshot Firefighters killed in the Yarnell Hill Fire one year ago. ABC15 Reporter, Navideh Forghani talks with close friends of the fallen heroes who have found 19 ways to remember the 19 men.

**Potato Express, Daphne Munro aired 6/26 at 5pm TRT: 1:21**

In this, "Try It Before You Buy It", our Smart Shopper tries the Potato Express. It claims to be able to cook a potato in just four minutes. You place one potato in the bag and seal it. Place it in the microwave for four minutes. The potato was thoroughly cooked. But, then Daphne Munro poked a few holes in a potato and cooked it without the bag in the microwave for four minutes and had the same results. The product lived up to its claim but is not necessary.

**Stingy Rewards Program, Joe Ducey aired 6/26 at 6pm TRT: 1:51**

In this "Let Joe Know", Joe Ducey reviews some of the changes airline rewards points are going through with all of the mergers currently happening. Now, getting tickets from points is much more difficult than ever before.

**Freebie Friday, Daphne Munro aired 6/27 at 5pm TRT: 1:13**

Our Smart Shopper lets you know how to have fun this weekend without sending a dime.

**Rebuilding Yarnell, Elizabeth Erwin aired 6/27 at 5pm TRT: 1:39**

ABC15 Reporter, Elizabeth Erwin traveled to Yarnell to see how those who lost everything are doing. She brings us this story of new beginnings.

**Andrew Ashcraft's Mom, Navideh Forghani aired 6/27 at 6pm TRT: 2:26**

The unnatural feeling of visiting your child at a burial site has become an everyday reality for the families of the 19 Granite Mountain Hotshots. ABC15 Reporter, Navideh Forghani visited the cemetery with the mother of one of the fallen firefighters.

**Wade Parker's Family, Navideh Forghani aired 6/27 at 10pm TRT: 2:30**

It's been one year since the tragic death of the 19 Granite Mountain Hotshot Firefighters. ABC15 Reporter, Navideh Forghani sat down with the parents of firefighter, Wade Parker to find out how they've managed to cope with the loss of their son.

**Memorial Wall, Navideh Forghani aired 6/27 at 10pm TRT: 2:09**

ABC15 Reporter, Navideh Forghani shows you the virtual memorial created to honor the 19 Granite Mountain Hotshot Firefighters who perished in the Yarnell Hill Fire a

year ago. The memorial includes the 8,000 items that were left at the make-shift memorial days and weeks after the tragic day.

**Yarnell: One Year Later, Elizabeth Erwin aired 6/28 at 5pm TRT: 1:42**

It is the one year anniversary of the tragic deaths of the 19 Granite Mountain Hotshot Firefighters. The Yarnell community has spent the past year grieving, healing and rebuilding. Today, on the anniversary they spent the day reflecting.

**Brendon McDonough I, Navideh Forghani aired 6/29 at 10pm TRT: 2:15**

Brendon McDonough was the sole survivor of the Granite Mountain Hotshots. He was the official lookout and the only man to make it out in time. Now, he tells how he has dealt with the past year.

**Caldwell Family, Steve Irvin aired 6/30 at 4pm TRT: 2:58**

It has been a year of heartbreak and healing for the widow of Robert Caldwell, one of the 19 Granite Mountain Hotshots who died tragically while fighting the Yarnell Hill Fire.

**Yarnell Family Rebuilds Follow-Up, Elizabeth Erwin aired 6/30 at 5pm TRT: 2:16**

The Keehners lost everything in the Yarnell Hill Fire. With no insurance to rebuild, the community got together to help raise money for a new home.

**Ashcraft's Family Special, Navideh Forghani aired 6/30 at 6:30pm TRT: 2:28**

Juliann Ashcraft sat down with ABC15 Reporter, Navideh Forghani to discuss how difficult the past year has been as a single mom trying to help her children deal with the loss of their father.

**Woyjeck Family, Katie Conner aired 6/30 at 6:30pm TRT: 2:41**

One of the youngest firefighters to die, Kevin Woyjeck realized his dream. He came from seven generations of firefighters.

**Brendon McDonough II, Steve Irvin aired 6/30 at 6:30pm TRT: 1:47**

Brendon McDonough was the sole survivor of the Granite Mountain Hotshots. He was the official lookout and the only man to make it out in time. He talks about how he feels that he has been given a second chance in life and how he hopes to make a difference.

**Firefighting Improvements, Katie Raml aired 6/30 at 6:30pm TRT: 2:20**

There is new technology that shows real-time information of firefighters on a scene. The Arizona State Forestry crews are testing the technology on military personnel overseas.

**Recovery Team, Lauren Gilger aired 6/30 at 6:30pm TRT: 2:55**

The men who secured the tragic site of the 19 fallen Hotshot Firefighters faced a sobering and solemn task of recovering the bodies of their fallen comrades. ABC15 Investigator Lauren Gilger talked with one of the men who helped lead the effort to "leave no man behind".

**Where's the Money, Dave Biscobing aired 6/30 at 6:30pm TRT: 2:22**

After the tragic deaths of 19 Hotshot Firefighters, our community stepped up on a big way. Donations came from all across the state and even around the country. So, what ever happened to the money? More than \$12 Million was raised. The ABC15 Investigators have the breakdown.

# KNXV-TV Public Service Announcements

Second Quarter 2014 (April/May/June)

*(see attached for schedule/date/time/length)*

**ADOT Move Over AZ.** This ad aims to inform Arizona drivers that they must pull over to the side of the road when they see a vehicle with flashing lights, such as a police car, ambulance, fire truck, etc. The ad pushes viewers to the website [MoveOverAZ.org](http://MoveOverAZ.org).

**Arizona National Guard (AZNG2011FIRE30).** This ad seeks to inform the public about the impact the Arizona National Guard has on the community by protecting others to keep our state and country safe on the home front. The campaign serves to encourage others to join the Arizona National Guard and directs the audience to visit [www.nationalguard.com](http://www.nationalguard.com) for more information.

**Arizona National Guard (AZNG2011FLOOD30).** This ad seeks to inform the public about the impact the Arizona National Guard has on the community by protecting others to keep our state and country safe on the home front. The campaign serves to encourage others to join the Arizona National Guard and directs the audience to visit [www.nationalguard.com](http://www.nationalguard.com) for more information.

**Arizona National Guard (AZNG2011STORM30).** This ad seeks to inform the public about the impact the Arizona National Guard has on the community by protecting others to keep our state and country safe on the home front. The campaign serves to encourage others to join the Arizona National Guard and directs the audience to visit [www.nationalguard.com](http://www.nationalguard.com) for more information.

**Dust Storm 2012.** This ad informs the public about the hazards of dust storms on the road. Created by ADOT, the campaign tells drivers to "Pull aside, stay alive."

**Dust Storm 2014.** This ad informs the public about the hazards of dust storms on the road. Created by ADOT, the campaign tells drivers to "Pull aside, stay alive."

**EEO - Equal Employment Opportunity.** This locally produced spot expresses to ABC15 viewers that KNXV-TV is an equal opportunity employer. The EEO Public File Report complies with Section 73.2080(c)(6) of the FCC's 2002 EEO Rule. A copy of the station EEO public file report is kept in the station's public inspection file and can also be found on [ABC15.com](http://ABC15.com).

**FCC.** This locally produced spot tells ABC15 viewers that the licensee; KNXV-TV certifies that it publicizes the existence and location of the station's Children's Television Programming Reports

**FCC Pre and Post Filing Renewal Announcement.** This pre-filing spot informs the public that KNXV has filed an application for renewal with the FCC and a copy of this application is available for public inspection and contains information concerning the station's performance. The post-filing spot airs after the renewal application has been filed and visually presents the station's and the FCC's addresses during the audio presentation of the text as an opportunity for the viewers to file comments and petitions with the Commission.

**United States Coast Guard Reserve (ZCG00013).** This campaign aims to recruit new members of the United States Coast Guard. The ad features a young man who says he loves the challenge the job presents, and that it has great pay and benefits. The ad is sponsored by United States Coast Guard in cooperation with Arizona Broadcasters Association.

**United States Coast Guard Reserve (ZCGD005).** This campaign features women in the United States Coast Guard and aims to show that women can do the job too. The ad is sponsored by United States Coast Guard in cooperation with Arizona Broadcasters Association.

# Log Summary [KNXV - 2014 PSA Report - April] : 04/01/14 - 04/30/14

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# KNXV-TV Community Service

Second Quarter 2014

## April Community Outreach:

- **Rally for Red** - The station's heart health program. On the 15<sup>th</sup> of every month, ABC15 will remind viewers to do something heart healthy for themselves during all newscasts. The station supports the program with a story on the newscasts and Facebook mentions. The station also produces a heart healthy newsletter that is sent to viewers who sign up to receive it.
- **ABC15 Telethon Benefitting Phoenix Children's Hospital:** ABC15 produced an all-day telethon from 4:30am – 11:00pm asking viewers and clients to make donations. Top station talent broadcast live throughout the day. ABC15 produced three specials that air at 1:30pm, 4:30pm and 6:30pm. They highlight patient stories and encouraged people to donate. ABC15 \$355,841 to help the kids at Phoenix Children's Hospital.
- **Hispanic Leadership Institute (Valle del Sol)** - As part of the stations Hispanic initiative, ABC15 hosted the media session of the Hispanic Leadership Institute. The panel included Allison Rodriguez, Multi Media Journalist, Andy Ramirez, Managing Editor and Rudy Rivas, Web Producer. The panel answered questions about media and gave information on how to get a news story covered.

## April Public Appearances:

- **4/2 Steve Irvin** emceed the American Heart Association's 2014 Red Dress Cocktail Party. The event raised funds for heart disease awareness and 200 people were in attendance.
- **4/2 Katie Raml** appeared on a panel at ASU's Cronkite School to talk to 100 students about what to expect from a career in the media.
- **4/5 Brittany Noble** put together a gift basket for Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Festival.
- **4/6 Terri Ouellette** emceed Happily Ever After League's Fairytale Tea at Scottsdale Conference Resort. The proceeds for the event went towards supporting Arizona mothers dealing with cancer recovery. There were more than 350 people in attendance.
- **4/7 Anita Helt** was a mentor at the first annual BizWomen Mentoring Monday event. There were more than 250 people in attendance at the American Express Headquarters in Phoenix. Anita served as a mentor to young women interested in business.
- **4/13 Terri Ouellette** emceed Scottsdale League for the Arts' Wine Country Brunch at the Scottsdale Culinary Festival at the Scottsdale Resort and Conference Center. There were 300 people in attendance.
- **4/17 Susan Casper and Terri Ouellette** emceed House of Heroes' Hero Fest charity concert at Higley Center for the Arts. The night aimed to honor members of the armed forces and public responders, police and fire fighters. There were 1200 people in attendance.
- **4/19 Susan Casper** emceed Phoenix Chapter of the Links' 32<sup>nd</sup> annual Biennial Cotillion where 15 young African American ladies were presented to society as debutantes. The event was held at the Fairmont Princess Hotel in Scottsdale and 400 people attended.
- **4/21 Lauren Gilger** emceed the City of Tempe's Courage Awards and Tempe Top Teens Recognition at Tempe Mission Palms Hotel. The event honored youth in the community who demonstrate courage and achievements despite difficult life circumstances. There were 350 people in attendance.

- **4/21 Dan Spindle** attended Desert Edge High School's Career Fair in Goodyear. There were 100 students in attendance. Dan spoke with them about the television news industry.
- **4/23 Brittany Noble** gave a tour of the station to 10 girls scouts and three leaders.
- **4/24 Terri Ouellette** hosted Stardust Building Supplies' Design For Hope fundraiser and competition at Stardust Building Supplies in Phoenix. The event challenged local interior designers and contractors to design kitchens using recycled materials. Proceeds from the event went to assisting local landfills. There were 500 people in attendance.
- **4/24 Susan Casper** emceed The State of Black Arizona's 2014 Community Luminary Ceremony. The event honored individuals who devoted much time and service to their communities. The event was held at Salvation Army Kroc Center in Phoenix and there were 200 people in attendance.
- **4/25 Susan Casper** hosted Maricopa county NAACP's annual fundraiser dinner where unsung workers from the community were honored. The event took place at the Hyatt Regency Hotel in Phoenix and 400 people attended.

#### May Community Outreach:

- **Rally for Red** - The station's heart health program. On the 15<sup>th</sup> of every month, ABC15 will remind viewers to do something heart healthy for themselves during all newscasts. The station supports the program with a story on the newscasts and Facebook mentions. The station also produces a heart healthy newsletter that is sent to viewers who sign up to receive it.
- **Mom of the Year (Valle del Sol)** – As part of the station's Hispanic initiative, ABC15 partnered with Valle del Sol for the *Mom of the Year* breakfast. *Sonoran Living Live* host Susan Casper produced four vignettes of the honorees which aired on *Sonoran Living Live* and at the breakfast. *Sonoran Living Live* Host Susan Casper emceed the event. Station aired a segment during *ABC15 News at 4pm*.
- **Go Red for Women Luncheon** - In conjunction with the American Heart Association, the station sponsored Go Red for Women luncheon as part of the heart health commitment. The Production department produced a Go Red video to help spread the heart health message. ABC15 anchor Katie Raml hosted the luncheon. Station aired a segment during *ABC15 News at 5pm*.
- **100 Club phone bank on May 11:** A wrong-way driver hit and killed Officer Brandon Medoza, a well-known City of Mesa police officer. ABC15 hosted a phone bank on May 12 benefitting the 100 Club to raise money to help families of fallen police officers and fire fighters. Phone bank was staffed by the Mesa Police Department and raised \$16,243.
- **100 Club phone bank on May 29:** Arizona lost a police officer from the Salt River Indian Community over Memorial Day weekend. Officer Jair Cabrera was the first officer who died on the job in the department's 45 year history. ABC15 took action and held a phone bank benefitting the 100 Club of Arizona. Phone bank was staffed by members of the Salt River Indian Community and raised \$12,875.

#### May Public Appearances:

- **5/1 Dan Spindle** attended the Scottsdale Community College Film School mock interview and job fair to help students with interview tactics. There were 50 students in attendance.
- **5/2 Iris Hermosillo** the Cronkite Students Awards Ceremony with Assistant Dean Mark Lodato. There were 100 students in attendance.



- **5/4 Katie Raml** emceed the Angel Mamas Wings of Love Luncheon. The event aimed to assist local mothers and families with children facing life threatening illnesses and diseases. There were 200 people in attendance.
- **5/5 Brittany Noble** gave a tour of the station to 12 Cub Scouts and their leaders.
- **5/6 Dan Spindle** was live on 93.3 KDKB Radio Rocks Arizona to talk about ABC15 Salutes Arizona Veterans Brought To You By Sanderson Ford.
- **5/8 Stephanie Hockridge** hosted Mother's Grace annual luncheon. The event celebrated the work of the organization to assist Valley women. The event was held at a private residence in Paradise Valley. There were 300 people in attendance.
- **5/21 Courtney Holmes** spoke at The Organization for Nonprofit Executives event about how nonprofit organizations can work more effectively with the media. The event was held at Burton Barr Library and there were 70 people in attendance.
- **5/22 Dan Spindle** called into Hot 97.5/103.9 (Valley's largest adult contemporary music stations) to discuss the Slide Fire in Sedona.
- **5/28 Brittany Noble** gave a tour of the station to 10 girl scouts and their leaders

#### June Community Outreach:

- **Rally for Red** - The station's heart health program. On the 15<sup>th</sup> of every month, ABC15 will remind viewers to do something heart healthy for themselves during all newscasts. The station supports the program with a story on the newscasts and Facebook mentions. The station also produces a heart healthy newsletter that is sent to viewers who sign up to receive it.
- **Monsoon Special:** Arizona's summer monsoon season presents the most dangerous weather of the year in the state. To help our audience prepare for the summer storm season and forecast what we expect to see from mother nature this season, ABC15 aired a 30-minute news program, *ABC15 Monsoon Special: Destruction in the Desert*, which aired on Friday, June 13 at 6:30pm and Sunday, June 29 at 4:00pm.
- **Walter Cronkite School of Journalism and Mass Communication Summer Journalism Institute:** This specifically for high school students interested in journalism. They took a field trip to the station on June 19 to learn more about television. The station had a question and answering time with news department employees and gave tours at the end of the afternoon.
- **Internal Blood Drive:** ABC15 and Clear Channel Radio held a Blood Drive with United Blood Services on June 4. The event generated 19 pints of blood which will help medically needy people in Arizona.
- **Yarnell Special:** ABC15 commemorated the one-year anniversary of the Yarnell Hill Fire tragedy with a special called Yarnell: One Year Later. Anchors Katie Raml and Steve Irvin were live in Prescott covering all of the days activities. Also talked about what happened and what is happening because of the 19 Hotshot deaths.

#### June Public Appearances:

- **6/7 Connie Colla** emceed the Ronald McDonald House Charities of Phoenix Scholarship Breakfast. At the event scholarships were awarded to graduating high school seniors. The event also served as a primary fundraiser supporting next year's scholarships. The event was held at the Sheraton Downtown Phoenix and there were 350 people in attendance.
- **6/7 Terri Ouellette** emceed the Maricopa County Superior Court/National Reunification Day Committee event. It was held at Pilgrim Rest Church in Phoenix. There were 200 people in attendance. The event aimed to raise

awareness for the child welfare program and the efforts that parents have made to reunite with their children.

- **6/9 Kevin Curran** spoke ASU's Institute for High School Journalism. He spoke to students about the television news industry.
- **6/10 Dan Spindle** sang the National Anthem at the Diamondbacks game at Chase Field.
- **6/15 Susan Casper** emceed Yamaha Corporation of America-Yamaha Music Education's 2014 U.S. National Junior Original Concert at Mesa Arts Center. There were 550 people in attendance.
- **6/19 Andy Ramirez, Steve Irvin and Josh Frigerio** participated in the question and answer session of the Walter Cronkite School of Journalism and Mass Communication Summer Journalism Institute broadcast session at ABC15.
- **6/20 Susan Casper** hosted the Triad West Inc. Positively Powerful Women Awards at the Ritz Carlton in Phoenix. The event honored influential women in the Valley who have made a difference. There were 350 people in attendance.

# KNXV-TV News Programs

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## ABC15 Mornings

Weekdays 4:30AM-7:00 AM

Provides viewers with a comprehensive smart start to their day with local, national and international news and updates to stories that developed overnight and stories that are happening now from the breaking news desk. Weather and traffic updates help viewers plan their day and route to work. Besides providing news, viewers get financial updates from the floor of the New York Stock Exchange and how this news impacts jobs and economic development in the Phoenix area. In addition each day the latest medical, consumer and parenting stories help improve people's lives.

## ABC15 News at 11am

Weekdays 11:00AM-12Noon

Updates on local and national news headlines.

## ABC15 News at 4

Weekdays 4:00-4:30 PM

This newscast provides viewers a first look at the news of the day. It gives viewers a snapshot of some of the stories the ABC15 News team is working on for later newscasts, along with a look at the big national stories of the day. Viewers are also provided with a look at interesting websites and video that people across the nation are talking about. This newscast also includes entertainment news along with regular health segments. The 4:00 newscast also provides the first weather forecast of the afternoon for viewers in the Phoenix metro area.

## ABC15 News at 5

Weekdays 5:00-5:30 PM

For those just getting home from work, this newscast follows stories developing during the day with an emphasis on the newest and freshest details. Besides an update on stories going on here, viewers are updated on stories going on around the state and nation. Daily pieces from our Smart Shopper team help viewers save money and participate in exclusive offers. Also the latest breakthroughs in health help viewers lead healthier, smarter lives.

## ABC15 News at 6

Weekdays 6:00-6:30 PM

The 6pm newscast highlights important Valley and Statewide issues such as the economy, housing, and growth. An updated weather forecast and Sports highlights, with a focus on local sporting events are a daily portion of the newscast. This newscast focuses on fresh angles to stories still being worked on from the 5pm newscast. A daily consumer feature called "Let Joe Know" highlights consumer problems and takes action to help viewers who have been wronged.

## ABC15 News at 10

Daily 10:00-10:30 PM

Provides a fast paced wrap-up of the day's top stories including the latest weather information and highlights from sports. Most 10pm newscasts feature a promotable story from our investigative unit highlighting current issues, uncovering information on the latest scams, or exposing consumer fraud. Smart Shopper segments are regularly featured to help viewers stretch their budget and get the most for their money.

## ABC15 Weekends Saturday

Saturday 5:00-7:00AM

Saturday 8:00-9:00AM

Saturday 6:00-7:00 PM

Updates local and national news headlines from overnight and during the day.

## ABC15 Weekends Sunday

Sunday 5:00-7:00AM

Sunday 5:00-5:30 PM

Update local and national news headlines from overnight and during the day.