

FCC Issues/ Programs Reports and Related Requirements

QUARTERLY ISSUES/PROGRAMS REPORT

4TH QUARTER 2020

October 1 – December 31st, 2020

Station: KCWI-TV

Location: Ames/Des Moines, Iowa

For quarter beginning:

October 1, 2020

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

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

FCC Issues/Programs Reports and Related Requirements

PROGRAMS THAT ADDRESS LOCAL ISSUES

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

Programs	Schedule (Day/Time)	Brief Generic Description (Note whether local, syndicated or network)
Local 5 News @ 9	M-F 9pm	Local newscasts produced by KCWI-TV, which inform viewers on local issues.

FCC Issues/Programs Reports and Related Requirements

Local Issue/Concern	Brief description of local issue or concern
Agriculture	Threats to livestock, ag education, political impacts, and food insecurity.
Community	Local fundraising efforts, education, unemployment, and economic efforts.
Crime and Public Safety	Prevention efforts as well as notification of local impacts and awareness.
Elderly	Political impact and processes, local veterans highlighted, and the impacts of COVID along with vaccination information.
Government/Politics	Election/campaign efforts and progress.
Health	Coronavirus impacts on the community and efforts to combat and vaccine progress within the community.
Minority	Local activist organization holds march to demand equality. Political organization efforts in the community.
Youth	Education highlights including online learning, safety, and Coronavirus impact.

FCC Issues/Programs Reports and Related Requirements

ISSUE-RESPONSIVE PROGRAMING

Local Issue: Agriculture

DATE	TITLE OF PROGRAM	TIME	DURATION	NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION
22-Oct	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	1:50	FARMER'S LIVESTOCKS ARE GOING TO WASTE BECAUSE OF MEAT LOCKERS BEING COMPLETELY BOOKED UP.
24-Oct	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	1:20	EVERY IOWA COUNTY HAS AN AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION COUNCIL THAT EDUCATES PEOPLE ON AGRICULTURE, HOME ECONOMICS AND COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
30-Oct	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	1:58	SOME FARMERS ACROSS THE MIDWEST HAVE DECIDED TO VOTE FOR BIDEN AFTER SUFFERING FROM TRUMP'S TRADE DEALS AND INSENSITIVE REMARKS ABOUT FARMERS.
21-Nov	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	:49	THIS MORNING WAS THE FIRST DAY OF THE DRIVE THROUGH WINTER DOWNTOWN FARMERS MARKET.
9-Dec	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	3:06	A PART-TIME FARMER FROM HUMBOLDT VIEWS VILSACK RETURNING TO THE USDA OVERALL AS A GOOD THING.
9-Dec	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	:43	FAMILIES COULD GRAB MEALS AT WAUKEE COMMUNITY SCHOOLS FROM THEIR HARVEST OF THE MONTH PROGRAM.
10-Dec	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	2:28	THE FINAL DRIVE THROUGH WINTER FARMERS MARKET IS HAPPENING THIS SATURDAY.

FCC Issues/Programs Reports and Related Requirements

ISSUE-RESPONSIVE PROGRAMING

Local Issue: Community

14-Oct	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	1:36	A COMMUNITY CAME TOGETHER TO MAKE SURE AN AIR FORCE VETERAN WAS PROPERLY BURIED.
15-Oct	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	:37	THE IOWA STATE PATROL ARE BEHIND A UNIQUE FUNDRAISER FOR BREAST CANCER AWARENESS.
16-Oct	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	:56	NEXT WEEK IS THE IOWA SAFE SCHOOLS 2020 SPIRIT AWARDS. THEY'RE HAVING A SILENT AUCTION AND DINNER.
16-Oct	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	1:59	THE GILBERT FOOTBALL TEAM HAS FOUGHT THROUGH COVID AND A COMMUNITY TRAGEDY TO HAVE ONE OF THEIR BEST SEASONS IN YEARS.
27-Oct	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	1:39	WITH MANY IOWANS STILL UNEMPLOYED DUE TO THE PANDEMIC, FOOD PANTRY'S ARE SEEING THE HIGHEST AMOUNT OF PEOPLE USE THEIR RESOURCES THAN EVER BEFORE.
26-Nov	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	1:27	SOME LOCAL BUSINESSES ARE OPENING THEIR WALLETS TO HELP OTHERS THIS THANKSGIVING. THE HALL IN WEST DES MOINES DID A DRIVE THOUGH SERVICE FOR THE COMMUNITY.
28-Nov	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	:35	FOR THE FIRST YEAR EVER, CARL MOYER, THE OWNER OF KARL CHEVROLET HOSTED A HOLIDAY LIGHT DRIVE THROUGH COMPLETE WITH SANTA AND MRS. CLAUSE.
29-Nov	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	:33	KIDS WERE INVITED TO THE STEPS OF THE STATE HISTORICAL BUILDING TO SHARE THEIR CHRISTMAS WISHES WITH OL' SAINT NICK.

FCC Issues/Programs Reports and Related Requirements

ISSUE-RESPONSIVE PROGRAMING

Local Issue: Crime/Public Safety

8-Oct	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	:23	NEARLY 75,000 DOLLARS OF NEWLY POURED CONCRETE WILL NEED TO BE REPLACED ON A POPULAR TRAIL AFTER ANKENY POLICE SAID 2 VANDALS DESTROYED IT.
29-Oct	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	:29	AT LEAST TWO PEOPLE WERE SHOT AT THE ELKS CLUB ON THE EAST SIDE OF DES MOINES.
1-Nov	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	:26	A DES MOINES WOMAN IS BEHIND BARS AFTER POLICE SAY SHE KILLED A MAN. IT'S THE 21ST HOMICIDE IN DES MOINES THIS YEAR.
19-Nov	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	1:27	TYSON ALLEGEDLY MADE A HUGE PROFIT AS ITS WORKERS GOT SICK FROM COVID AND DIED.
10-Dec	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	:52	A SHOOTING IN EAST DES MOINES THIS AFTERNOON SENT 2 TEENS TO THE HOSPITAL.
13-Dec	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	:21	AN URBANDALE MAN IS BEING HELD IN THE POLK COUNTY JAIL TONIGHT ON A FIRST-DEGREE MURDER CHARGE. POLICE SAY THE HOMICIDE HAPPENED IN THE 4200 BLOCK OF 90TH STREET ON SATURDAY.
24-Dec	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	2:20	A CENTRAL IOWA SCHOOL EMPLOYEE IS ACCUSED OF LEAVING BRUISES ON A STUDENT.
25-Dec	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	:33	ON CHRISTMAS MORNING, THERE WAS A MASSIVE EXPLOSION IN DOWNTOWN NASHVILLE. OFFICIALS CALLED THE EXPLOSION AN INTENTIONAL ACT.

FCC Issues/Programs Reports and Related Requirements

ISSUE-RESPONSIVE PROGRAMING

Local Issue: Elderly

27-Oct	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	2:02	AN ELDERLY DES MOINES WOMAN LIVING IN A SENIOR LIVING FACILITY IS WONDERING WHAT HAPPENED TO HER ABSENTEE BALLOT SHE REQUESTED BUT NEVER RECEIVED.
4-Nov	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	2:23	ONE WOMAN JUST TOOK PART IN HER 26TH PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION. SHE VOTED ON HER 103RD BIRTHDAY.
11-Nov	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	1:18	A WWII NAVY VETERAN IS GOING THROUGH DECADES WORTH OF KEEP SAKES AS HE AND HIS WIFE ARE MOVING IN WITH THEIR DAUGHTER.
13-Nov	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	:38	A LOCAL IOWA NAVY VETERAN GOT A NEW ROOF FROM A GROUP CALLED REBUILDING TOGETHER. THE GROUP GETS MANY APPLICANTS WHO ARE ELDERLY AND SOME HAVE DISABILITIES.
18-Nov	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	2:15	MORE THAN 66,000 IOWANS ARE LIVING WITH ALZHEIMERS OR DEMENTIA. SOME OF THEM LIVE IN CARE FACILITIES. THE PANDEMIC HAS BEEN ESPECIALLY CHALLENGING FOR THEIR CAREGIVERS.
22-Nov	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	1:36	AN ELDERLY COUPLE SPENT THEIR 51ST ANNIVERSARY IN A HOSPITAL FIGHTING COVID 19.
23-Nov	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	2:08	AN ELDERLY MAN'S WIFE DIED IN AUGUST FROM ALZHEIMERS. THIS IS THE FIRST YEAR WITHOUT HIS WIFE DURING THE HOLIDAYS.
8-Dec	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	:51	A 90-YEAR-OLD WOMAN IN BRITAIN WAS THE FIRST PERSON IN THE WORLD INNOCULATED WITH PFIZER AND BIONTECH'S COVID VACCINE.

FCC Issues/Programs Reports and Related Requirements

ISSUE-RESPONSIVE PROGRAMING

Local Issue: Government

8-Oct	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	1:30	EVERY ELECTION CYCLE, CAMPAIGNS TRY THEIR BEST TO ENGAGE THE YOUNGEST BLOCK OF VOTERS. THEY ENCOURAGE YOUNG ADULTS AGED 18 TO 24 TO CAST THEIR BALLOT.
12-Oct	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	2:06	DAY ONE OF CONFIRMATION HEARING FOR PRESIDENT TRUMP'S SUPREME COURT NOMINEE JUST WRAPPED UP ON CAPITOL HILL.
13-Oct	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	1:30	ELECTION AUDITS ARE A VITAL STEP IN THE VOTING PROCESS HERE IN IOWA TO ENSURE VOTES WERE COUNTED CORRECTLY.
14-Oct	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	1:03	PRESIDENT TRUMP SPOKE AT A CAMPAIGN RALLY AT DES MOINES INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT TONIGHT.
19-Oct	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	2:08	THE FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ENSURING ADS ARE TRUE. POLITICAL ADS DON'T FALL UNDER THEIR TRUTH IN ADVERTISING LAW BECAUSE THEY'RE PROTECTED AS POLITICAL SPEECH UNDER THE FIRST AMENDMENT.
26-Oct	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	:39	THE U.S. SENATE WILL TAKE A FINAL VOTE THIS EVENING ON WHETHER JUDGE AMY CONEY BARRETT SHOULD BE THE NEXT ASSOCIATE JUSTICE ON THE U.S. SUPREME COURT.
29-Oct	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	1:42	WITH JUST FIVE DAYS UNTIL ELECTION DAY, PRESIDENT TRUMP IS PUTTING RESOURCES INTO IOWA. HE SENT MIKE PENCE TO CAMPAIGN TODAY.
30-Oct	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	1:25	DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE JOE BIDEN WANTS IOWA VOTERS TO HELP HIM CHANGE THE STATE FROM RED TO BLUE THIS ELECTION. HE HELD A DRIVE-IN RALLY IN DES MOINES.

FCC Issues/Programs Reports and Related Requirements

ISSUE-RESPONSIVE PROGRAMING

Local Issue: Health

23-Oct	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	2:41	A NEW STUDY FOUND EVIDENCE THAT MOUTHWASH COULD DESTROY THE CORONAVIRUS AND LOWER ITS CHANCE OF BEING SPREAD.
27-Oct	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	1:57	AN IOWA WOMAN IS ONE OF THE THOUSANDS OF AMERICANS PARTICIPATING IN A CORONAVIRUS VACCINE TRIAL.
28-Oct	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	1:44	EVERY DAY, LARGE CENTRAL IOWA HOSPITALS ARE INCHING CLOSER TO CAPACITY. IF THAT HAPPENS, RURAL CENTERS WON'T BE ABLE TO TRANSFER PATIENTS WHO NEED HIGHER LEVELS OF CARE.
29-Oct	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	:23	9 STAFF MEMBERS AT THE IOWA VETERANS HOME IN MARSHALLTOWN HAVE TESTED POSITIVE FOR CORONAVIRUS SINCE MONDAY. ALL RESIDENTS AT THE FACILITY HAVE BEEN TESTED THIS WEEK AS WELL.
20-Nov	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	:58	THE INCREASE OF COVID CASES IS ALSO LEADING TO A DECREASE IN OUR MOST NEEDED RESOURCE - MEDICAL STAFF. THAT'S ESPECIALLY TRUE IN POLK COUNTY.
25-Nov	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	2:08	GOVERNOR KIM REYNOLDS RECOGNIZED IOWANS WHO'VE RECOVERED FROM COVID 19 AND DONATED BLOOD.
27-Nov	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	1:52	AS WE TRAVEL THROUGH THE MOST UNIQUE HOLIDAY SEASON A VIRTUAL CONNECTION IS CRUCIAL. A PSYCHOLOGIST SAYS WE NEED TO RELY ON THAT TECH TO CONNECT WITH OTHERS.
28-Nov	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	:56	TODAY A DES MOINES WALK-IN CLINIC HELD A POP UP COVID-19 RAPID TEST SITE. ITS CALLED DOCTORS NOW.

FCC Issues/Programs Reports and Related Requirements

ISSUE-RESPONSIVE PROGRAMING

Local Issue: Minority

17-Oct	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	1:01	THIS MORNING, DES MOINES SELMA, AN ACTIVIST ORGANIZATION IN THE DES MOINES AREA, HELD WHAT WAS CALLED THE MILLION-ISH HUMAN MARCH. THE MARCH WAS A CONTINUATION OF WHAT BLACK PEOPLE IN THE COMMUNITY HAVE BEEN DOING THIS WHOLE TIME: A DEMAND FOR EQUALITY.
21-Oct	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	1:56	AS THE ELECTION GETS CLOSER, THE POLK COUNTY DEMOCRATS ARE REACHING OUT TO THE IMMIGRANT POPULATION TO MAKE SURE THEY ARE INVOLVED IN THE ELECTION.
29-Oct	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	:34	A WOMAN WHO MOVED TO DES MOINES FROM LIBERIA JUST BECAME A U.S. CITIZEN AND IS GOING TO VOTE FOR THE FIRST TIME IN THE UPCOMING ELECTION.
1-Nov	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	:34	AN IMMIGRANT FAMILY IN IOWA ARE CELEBRATING DIA DE LOS MUERTOS BY REMEMBERING THEIR GRANDPARENTS AND OTHER EXTENDED FAMILY MEMBERS WHO THEIR CHILDREN WEREN'T ABLE TO MEET.
7-Nov	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	1:29	THE NAACP RELEASED A VIDEO STATEMENT SAYING THAT A DISTURBING MESSAGE ABOUT WHITE NATIONALIST GROUPS KILLING BLACK MEN AND BOYS DID NOT COME FROM THEM.
15-Dec	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	1:55	ONE OF THE LEADERS OF THE MESKWAKI NATION IN IOWA SAYS SCHOOL DISTRICTS WHO HAVE MASCOTS THAT REFERENCE NATIVE AMERICAN CULTURE ARE DISRESPECTFUL AND NEED TO CHANGE.

FCC Issues/Programs Reports and Related Requirements

ISSUE-RESPONSIVE PROGRAMING

Local Issue: Youth

8-Oct	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	:31	FOR \$145/WEEK THE YMCA WILL HELP YOUR KIDS POWER ON THEIR COMPUTERS AND NAVIGATE THEIR NEW VIRTUAL WORLD AND MAKING SURE THEY HAVE WHAT'S NEEDED FOR THEIR VIRTUAL SCHOOLING.
8-Oct	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	1:55	A DOCTOR GAVE TIPS ON HOW FAMILIES CAN MAKE FACE COVERINGS EASY TO WEAR FOR YOUNGER CHILDREN.
15-Oct	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	1:48	ONLINE LEARNING MEANS CHILDREN ARE SPENDING MORE TIME IN FRONT OF SCREENS. MEDICAL EXPERTS SAID THAT HAS CAUSED AN INCREASE IN CHILDREN DEALING WITH VISUAL PROBLEMS.
30-Oct	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	:21	SOME WAYS TO MAKE TRICK OR TREATING SAFER FOR CHILDREN IS TO WEAR A MASK, GIVE TREATS OUTDOORS, AVOID DIRECT CONTACT WITH TRICK OR TREATERS, WASH YOUR HANDS BEFORE HANDLING TREATS, AND SET UP A STATION WITH INDIVIDUALLY BAGGED TREATS FOR KIDS TO TAKE.
12-Nov	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	1:48	PARENTS ARE TRYING TO GET SOME SEMBLANCE OF NORMALCY INTO THEIR KIDS' LIVES DURING THE TIME OF COVID. ONE PARENT IN THE IOWA CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT IS STEPPING UP TO TAKE SCHOOL PICTURES FOR STUDENTS RIGHT IN HIS GARAGE.
13-Nov	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	1:57	CHILDREN WHO HAVE HAD COVID-19 CAN HAVE DANGEROUS SIDE EFFECTS THAT CAN REMAIN EVEN AFTER THEY'VE RECOVERED.
16-Nov	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	2:16	THE IOWA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION HAS RESOURCES TO HELP PARENTS WITH REMOTE LEARNING. THERE IS A SECTION BREAKING DOWN HELP BY SUBJECT.
24-Nov	LOCAL 5 NEWS AT 9	9:00PM	1:36	WITH MORE STUDENTS STAYING HOME AND LEARNING ONLINE, THAT MEANS LESS ACCESS TO SCHOOL LIBRARIES. SO NEIGHBORS ARE MAKING SURE STUDENTS HAVE ACCESS TO BOOKS WITH A LITTLE FREE LIBRARY.