

Quarterly Issues Report

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Re: WQMY Quarterly Issues Report
Covering the period of October 1st, 2016
Through December 31st, 2016

WQMY 53
Fourth Quarter 2016 Quarterly Issues Report
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Through informal ascertainment by written and oral communication with community members, it was determined that among the concerns of the Scranton/Wilkes-Barre community at large was the following issues:

Financial News and Advice
National/Political News
Volunteerism
Health
Community

The Following pages reflect descriptions of programming broadcast on WQMY during Fourth Quarter 2016 that respond to the needs and concerns of the Scranton/Wilkes-Barre community.

WQMY 53 Quarterly Issues

Issues:	Volunteerism/Family Health Services
Program:	Various
Type of program:	Public Service Announcements
Airdate:	Monday-Sunday, Fourth Quarter 2016 October 1st through December 31st, 2016
Air time:	24 hours a day
Duration:	Various between :10 and :60 in length

Description:

WQMY aired several Public Service Announcement campaigns this past quarter. The campaigns addressed the following issues:

Girl Scouts

The station developed a partnership with the local chapter of the Girl Scouts. This yearlong campaign was developed to encourage volunteerism and enrollment in Girl Scouts. This campaign ran as a series of :30s.

Ronald McDonald House

Ronald McDonald Houses act as a place to stay for families with hospitalized children who are receiving treatment. Ronald McDonald's Houses provide over 7,200 bedrooms to families around the world each night, with an estimated value of \$257 million in lieu of hotel costs. This campaign directs viewers to our local Scranton, PA chapter for support and information. This campaign runs in a length of: 30.

CASA

Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) is a national association in the United States that supports and promotes court-appointed advocates for abused or neglected children in order to provide children with a safe and healthy environment in permanent homes.

The CASA is a volunteer who need not be an attorney, whose role is to gather information and make recommendations to the judge. According to National CASA Association, today there are more than 70,000 advocates serving in nearly 1,000 state and local program offices nationwide. Because of these volunteers, each year nearly a quarter of a million children are been assisted through CASA services. This campaign was developed through a partnership with CASA of Luzerne and Lackawanna Counties and MyTV WQMY. This campaign runs as a :30.

Local Charity Events

MyTV WQMY works closely to promote a variety of local charity events. These events have included or supported but are not limited to: Kathleen's Crusade, Coaches vs Cancer, Lacawac, Villa Capri Cruisers, Pittston Charity Train, S.A.F.E. Autism Group and the ARC of NEPA.

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Issues: National/Political News

Program: **Full Measure with Sharyl Attkisson**

Type of program: Half hour weekly discussion

Airdate: Sundays, Fourth Quarter 2016
October 1st through November 6th, 2016

Air time: 11:00 PM – 11:30 PM

Duration: 30 Minutes

Description:

Full Measure is a broadcast focusing on investigative, original and accountability reporting. The host is Sharyl Attkisson. The show format includes a major investigative piece each week on topics ranging from immigration issues at home and abroad, government waste, national security concerns and vulnerabilities, whistleblower reports on government abuse and misdeeds. Full Measure is produced by and airs nationally on stations of the Sinclair Broadcast Group. The program also streams live on all Sinclair websites on Sundays at 9:30 a.m. ET.

See attached exhibit "A" for a complete list of topics and guests featured throughout the quarter.

Exhibit A

Oct2	Mortgage Fraud Three women who warned of the fraud that brought down the industry	De-radical/Thuman In England one man's project to save radicals	Echo Chamber Congress questioned FBI Director Comey about giving five Hillary Clinton associates immunity from prosecution in her email investigation...	9/11 veto Of the Saudi suit
Oct9	Weird Science/Polling The science behind the math	Military/Jobs Program to employ veterans	First Lady for Hire Maine's first lady waiting tables	
Oct16	Climate Refugees Govt relocation of so called climate refugees	Body Cams Controversy over privacy and body cams	Boeing/LJ edit Cost overruns on missile pgm	FTM: Hatch Act/Mark
Oct23 (Thuman)	Robin Sage The training of Green Berets	Va Felons Felons registered to vote	Measure of Justice/ Documentary on the Rwanda genocide	Voting Fake&Fraud Concerns over hacking the vote
Oct30	Obamacare A look at latest enrollment	The Grid/Fletcher Potential hacking of electrical grid	Clinton Foundation Folo on questions of money ties	
Nov6	Campaign Finance Those who are paying for the election	Trump/Thuman Interviews with intimates of candidates	Clinton/Fletcher Interviews with intimates of candidates	Campaign Cartoons From politico