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Supplemental Issues and
Programming Report

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ISSUES REPORT

KBSL-DT is a CBS Network Affiliates in their service area. In carrying out their responsibilities as a public trustee, the stations deal with and are responsive to the principal issues arising in its community on a continuing basis. Our most significant programming that has dealt with current community activities and issues during the preceding three-month period is set forth below.

SPECIFIC TREATMENT OF COMMUNITY ISSUES

KBSL-DT is a primary satellite of KWCH-DT and carries local programming listed in the primary Issues and Programs filing. News stories carried in any of five daily newscasts, Monday through Friday, and on three per day newscasts on Saturday, and on two per day newscasts on Sunday, ranging in length of 45 seconds or more, address community issues. In addition, KBSL-DT broadcast locally produced segments listed on the following pages.

**DESCRIPTION OF LOCAL PROGRAMS PROVIDING
SIGNIFICANT TREATMENT OF COMMUNITY ISSUES**

PROGRAM

DAY

TIME

Eye on Kansas

Monday – Friday 6:10AM

Monday – Friday 12:25PM

News and weather focused on western Kansas.

Public Services Announcements

Various

KBSL broadcasts local and national public service announcements of varying lengths throughout the broadcast schedule. PSAs are listed in the primary Issues and Programs file.

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FOURTH QUARTER REPORT
2017

10/01/17

FORT HAYS STATE UNIVERSITY IS SETTING RECORDS WITH AN ALL TIME HIGH ENROLLMENT OF STUDENTS COMING IN THIS FALL. fhsu says 15-thousand-100 students are enrolled... up three percent from last year. and the new freshman on-campus class set a record at just shy of 1,000 students. school officials say the growth means they are building halls, while other universities are reducing staff. the college continues a 17th record year of record fall enrollment.

10/02/17

ON ELECTION DAY, GARDEN CITY WILL ELECT THREE COMMISSIONERS. ONLY ONE PERSON CURRENTLY SERVING IN THAT POSITION... FILED FOR RE-ELECTION. Melvin Dale is the current mayor of Garden City. He won't continue that role much longer, but hopes to make a difference on the commission. Janet Doll and Chris Law's seats are up for grabs.

10/03/17

PEOPLE IN GOVE COUNTY ARE CLEANING UP AFTER SEVERE WEATHER ROLLED THROUGH MONDAY NIGHT. the storm left significant damage in quinter. the wind also knocked over a semi on 1-70. but the gove county emergency manager says nobody was hurt during the storm.

10/04/17

Garden City warns people about a possible scam you don't want to fall for.....A RESIDENT TOLD CITY EMPLOYEES, A MAN WENT DOOR TO DOOR FOR 20 MINUTES AFTER A FALL CLEAN-UP.... COLLECTING FEES FROM PEOPLE. BUT THE CITY SAYS... THERE IS NO CHARGE RELATED TO THE ANNUAL FALL CLEAN-UP, UNLESS PREVIOUSLY DISCUSSED WITH CITY EMPLOYEES. THOSE CHARGES WOULD APPEAR ON YOUR UTILITY BILLS. IF YOU THINK THIS MAN TOOK YOUR MONEY, CALL GARDEN CITY POLICE.

10/05/17

A MAN DIES IN AN OFFICER-INVOLVED SHOOTING IN RURAL FINNEY COUNTY. Garden City leaders say a 29-year-old man died from his injuries. Police say he was a suspect wanted for disorderly conduct and criminal damage to property, connected to an incident early Thursday morning. Police did not identify the man, but say sheriff's deputies responded to reports of a suspicious person in rural Finney County just after noon Thursday. The city says a sheriff's deputy "encountered a hostile subject armed with a knife." After a standoff with law enforcement, investigators say he got aggressive, and threatened an officer - that's when officers shot and killed the suspect. The K-B-I is investigating, and G-C-P-D and Finney County Sheriff's Office conduct internal investigations.

10/08/17

THE K-B-I HAS IDENTIFIED A MAN WHO WAS KILLED IN AN OFFICER INVOLVED SHOOTING IN FINNEY COUNTY AS 29 YEAR OLD CRISTINO UMANA-GARCIA OF GARDEN CITY. Officers say they got a call about a man behaving eratically near Garden City. When they arrived on scene they found Umana-Garcia with a knife to his throat. He went back to his vehicle and officers tried to talk him down until he emerged again and charged at the officers. That's when they say two officers shot and killed the man. The K-B-I and the Garden City Police Department along with the Finney County Sheriff's office are conducting separate investigations.

10/09/17

WITH COOLING TEMPERATURES, SOME CAN EXPECT TO SEE THEIR FIRST FREEZE OF THE SEASON. right now.... farmers are harvesting their fall crops, like milo, soy beans, and some corn. some are preparing to plant next seasons crops...like wheat. Farmers tell us... the cold weather will not affect the yield now - a wheat expert told us temperatures would have to be below zero to do any serious damage to crops.

10/10/17

Sheriff's deputies from *three counties get involved in a high speed chase...police in great bend tried to stop a driver around 9-45 last night, but ended that chase. sheriff's deputies in barton county found the car shortly thereafter, and re-started the chase for about 20 minutes. investigators say the driver lost control in Rush County, and three people inside tried to run away. THE DRIVER WAS AN 18-YEAR-OLD FROM DURHAM...THE BARTON COUNTY SHERIFF SAYS BOTH PASSENGERS WERE RUNAWAYS FROM JUVENILE FACILITIES IN WICHITA.

10/11/17

And sad news out of the lee richardson zoo in garden city - where zookeepers euthanized a red panda. the decision to euthanize the animal - the smallest of three born at the zoo august 12-th - after staff noticed the cub's condition declining. sarah colman - general curator at the zoo - said the "littlest red panda gave all he had ...as did staff - but it wasn't enough." colman says the other two cubs are doing well.

10/12/17

The three-eye show is underway in dodge city. it's a salute to all thing agriculture...including how to protect your livestock from theft. experts say you should check your livestock and count them weekly. they also recommend closing all your gates whenever you or your crew aren't around. if someone *still* steals your livestock, call the livestock and brand investigation unit of your local police department. the state attorney general's office will have a booth at the show through saturday to give you more tips on preventing livestock theft.

10/15/17

POLICE AT FORT HAYS STATE UNIVERSITY ARE INVESTIGATING TWO VEHICLE BURGLARIES THAT HAPPENED LAST WEEK ON CAMPUS... ANOTHER VEHICLE BURGLARY TOOK PLACE NEAR CAMPUS, AND WAS REFERRED TO THE HAYS POLICE DEPARTMENT. HAYS P-D HAS TAKEN 32 VEHICLE BURGLARY REPORTS SINCE OCTOBER 1-ST. THE UNIVERSITY POLICE DEPARTMENT SAYS TO CALL 911 IF YOU SEE ANYONE LOOKING IN YOUR VEHICLE.

10/16/17

THE HAYS POLICE CHIEF SAYS... THERE HAVE BEEN MORE VEHICLE BURGLARIES IN THE FIRST TWO WEEKS OF OCTOBER.... THAN IN THE LAST THREE YEARS. over the weekend... police responded to 16 calls of vehicle break-ins. that makes 48 break-ins so far... just this month. officers say... all of these burglaries were preventable... with one simple step - locking your car. police say... thieves take everything from loose change to firearms. the chief wants to remind you *never* leave valuables in your car, and to always double check your doors are locked.

10/17/17

YOU CAN HELP A ROOKS COUNTY K-9 WIN A GRANT...the "aftermath k-9 grant"... would help the office with maintenance... safety equipment, or officer training with the k-9. the office posted on facebook saying ...'koda'... it's current k-9... is stressed with all this voting talk! we have a link at k-w-c-h dot com where you can vote.

10/18/17

OCTOBER IS BREAST CANCER AWARENESS MONTH. WOMEN ARE ENCOURAGED TO CHECK THEMSELVES FOR BREAST CANCER. BUT SOMETIMES, MONEY CAN BE A FACTOR OF NOT GETTING A SCREENING. That's why clinics like "genesis family health" in garden city.... offer free breast cancer screenings to low-income women between 45 and 64 years old. the regional nurse who oversees all the clinics in western kansas says... the program saves lives.

10/19/17

The dodge city animal shelter hopes you know where this german shepherd belongs. it was found and brought to the shelter. they are hoping to contact the owner to find out if there are any medical issues they need to be aware of. the dog was rated as being in very poor condition. on the body condition scale for animal cruelty... a vet rated the dog as a one. one is considered emaciated.

10/22/17

A liberal man pleads not guilty to vehicular homicide charges for a wreck that left four people dead in Nebraska jesser cisneros- hernandez of liberal entered the plea this week in a court in keith county, nebraska. hernandez also faces reckless driving charges along with charges for driving left of the center. he's scheduled to appear in court again on december 8th.

10/23/17

A HEAD-ON ACCIDENT INVOLVING A SEMI... ENDS UP KILLING A WOMAN IN HAYS. The kansas highway patrol says.... luverna schneider... was driving the wrong way on the exit ramp from eye-70 when she hit a semi. the 87-year-old was killed, but the driver of the semi was not hurt. k-h-p says... it isn't clear why she was driving the wrong way.

10/24/17

LAST MONTH, WE TOLD YOU LIBERAL POLICE PARTNERED WITH THE SCHOOL DISTRICT TO PUT OFFICERS ON SCHOOL BUSES, LOOKING FOR DRIVERS IGNORING THE BUSES' STOP SIGNS. NOW, POLICE SAY THEY'RE GETTING RESULTS. since announcing the partnership, police say they're written five tickets for people passing a school bus when its stop sign is out and lights on. officers say that's a major decline compared to a month ago. police say they will continue watching the school buses but are satisfied with the results so far.

10/25/17

"BEEF PRODUCTS INCORPORATED"... WANTS TO HEAR FROM YOU IF YOU'RE A FORMER EMPLOYEE WHO LOST YOUR JOB IN 20-12. b-p-i closed three of its plants, including the one in finney county... after critics of one of their products negatively dubbed it "pink slime". now... b-p-i HAS established a ten million dollar fund for former employees. b-p-i corporate manager says.... about 750 people lost their jobs. as of wednesday at noon, about 220 former employees have reached out for their cut of the settlement. we have a link at kwch.com.... where former employees of b-p-i can apply FOR THEIR PORTION.

10/29/17

A NINETEEN YEAR OLD FROM IOWA IS DEAD AFTER AN ACCIDENT NEAR PHILLIPSBURG EARLY FRIDAY MORNING THAT OCCURED WHILE HE WAS TRAVELING TO PICKUP CATTLE IN STOCKTON. The Highway Patrol says Jacob Roos was traveling on U-S 36 when he left the road and hit a guardrail in a ditch. The vehicle continued rolling and hit a creek embankment before it finally stopped at the bottom of a creek. Roos was the only person that was killed.

10/30/17

"I see this office as a way to give back to those people and serve this community that's done so much for me." the city council suspended great bend's chief of police cliff couch, who has since resigned from the position...creating a major disconnect between the city council and the community. so why would a nineteen year old want to get involved after all the chaos? andrew erb says he wanted to be involved before the suspension happened...and believes he can make a difference. erb faces off against jim gordee, a write-in candidate gunning for the fourth ward spot on the city council.

10/31/17

A SNOWY START TO HALLOWEEN IN SEVERAL AREAS OF KANSAS INCLUDING IN HAYS. here is a look at the snow they got. the city saw about a half an inch...while it may not sound like much... many woke up to their cars covered in it WE TALKED TO ONE MAN WHO TELLS US... IT WOULDN'T SURPRISE HIM IF the snowy weather is followed by a heat wave.

11/01/17

The Phillips County Sheriff's Office is looking FOR A MAN SO YOU DON'T FALL FOR A SCAM THAT HE'S TRYING TO PULL. They say this man goes into businesses and complains about an employee that was very argumentative. He'll even try to return merchandise but he says he doesn't have a receipt.

The Sheriff's office says he had contact with two businesses in Phillipsburg last week. They're encouraging anyone who sees him to contact the sheriff's office and if he drives off - try to get a vehicle description.

11/02/17

The city of Greensburg is set to break ground on a new airport. There will be a ceremony today at 11. The Kansas Department of Transportation Aviation Division's airport improvement grants.... helped make the new airport possible. Planning for the project first started in 20-11.

11/05/17

AUTHORITIES IN HAYS SAY they've arrested a man accused of robbing a gas station ON FRIDAY. They say this man walked into the Tiger Mart on Eighth Street, pulled out a handgun and demanded money before fleeing. No one was hurt during the altercation. The suspect was taken into custody early SATURDAY morning along with another person that was arrested on charges related to the incident.

11/06/17

ACTIONS FROM A GARDEN CITY COMMUNITY COLLEGE STUDENT CAUSES DEBATE WITHIN THE SCHOOL. During last Wednesday's game... Garden City Community College basketball player Rasool Samir kept shooting baskets during the national anthem. The college says Samir entered the court without his uniform. A fan then confronted the student. A campus police officer got involved and escorted the student from the gym.

11/07/17

Firefighters in Seward County will soon have some new equipment. Commissioners approved moving ahead with the purchase of a new fire engine and two new tanks. It will replace a unit at the department's Kismet fire station.

11/08/17

VOTERS IN SCOTT CITY APPROVE A 25-MILLION DOLLAR SCHOOL BOND ISSUE. IT WILL GO TOWARDS IMPROVEMENTS AT THE ELEMENTARY AND MIDDLE SCHOOL. IT ALSO FUNDS A NEW GYM AND IMPROVEMENTS TO THE FOOTBALL COMPLEX. IT PASSED BY A NARROW MARGIN WITH 745 VOTING IN FAVOR.... 710 OPPOSED. THE VOTE WON'T BE OFFICIAL UNTIL NEXT WEEK'S CANVAS.

11/09/17

VETERANS DAY IS TOMORROW AND MANY COMMUNITIES WILL BE HONORING THOSE WHO HAVE SERVED. Fort Hays State has an event going on today where veterans are being honored. It's taking place from 10 to 2 in the Memorial Union's sunset lounge. Veterans are being featured on a wall display... World War Two veterans will tell their stories in recordings made for the university's veterans history project.

11/12/17

KANSAS HIGHWAY PATROL SAYS A CRASH IN MEADE COUNTY INJURED TWO PEOPLE AND KILLED A 2-YEAR-OLD BOY. The accident happened early this afternoon.. authorities say a suburban was going westbound on a rural road when the vehicle control and rolled. K-H-P has not identified a driver of the vehicle. 2 passengers in the car suffered minor injuries and were taken to a nearby hospital. The 2-year-old boy ... Felipe Tomas... died at the hospital. authorities say neither the adult passengers nor the child were wearing seat belts.

11/13/17

MORE JOBS COULD BE COMING TO GARDEN CITY. A new powdered dairy plant is promising growth in the area. The Dairy Farmers of America plant opened last week. It produces whole and skim milk powder. Construction on the facility began two years ago. The first load of milk was delivered in late September. The plant has brought 66 new jobs to the area...the city expects the number to continue to grow.

11/14/17

HERE'S SOMETHING TO KEEP IN MIND IF YOU'RE TRAVELING FOR THE THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY. GAS PRICES ARE UP. THE AVERAGE PRICE IN KANSAS TODAY IS TWO DOLLARS AND 40 CENTS. YOU CAN SEE IT'S UP SLIGHTLY IN GARDEN CITY AND HAYS. COMPARED TO THE FIRST HALF OF NOVEMBER LAST YEAR...U-S AVERAGE GAS PRICES THIS NOVEMBER ARE 39 CENTS MORE EXPENSIVE.

11/15/17

HAYS WILL BE HOME TO THE FIRST EVER CO-WORKING SPACE IN WESTERN KANSAS. it's coming in 20-18. it's designed to be a membership based workplace for starter companies...and telecommunicators...for those who are tired of working from home and people who just need an office for a day.

11/16/17

THE BARTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE INVESTIGATES TWO ACCIDENTAL SHOOTINGS IN THE PAST WEEK. both occurred while people were hunting. both victims received minor injuries resulting from birdshot. the sheriff's office is reminding everyone to PRACTICE safe hunting practices. this includes knowing what's beyond your target.

11/19/17

A LIBERAL MAN HAS BEEN FOUND DEAD IN TEXAS - AND DEPUTIES ARE INVESTIGATING IT AS A HOMICIDE. luis eduardo moreno was found dead on wednesday in sherman county. a television station reports he went missing earlier this month. an autopsy is being performed.

11/20/17

THE TOWN OF VICTORIA IS SEEING AN INCREASE IN CAR BREAK-INS. the chief of police says thieves are targeting unlocked cars...looking for loose change and cash. all these break-ins were preventable.

11/21/17

Skywest airlines announces air service from liberal to denver beginning in february. the new united express flights...operated by skywest... will take off starting february sixth. tickets are available now.

11/22/17

The hype continues in northwest kansas as the fort hays state football team looks to continue its perfect season. they will play ferris state on saturday in hays. it's the greatest year in program history...the team won it's first m-i-a-a championship since joining the conference 11 years ago. kickoff is set for one...a reminder...fort hays students get in for free.

11/23/17

A TRAFFIC ALERT FOR THOSE OF YOU RETURNING TO WORK NEXT WEEK IN DODGE CITY. beginning on tuesday, second avenue will be closed to traffic from wyatt earp boulevard to trail street. it's to do work on a railroad crossing. this work is expected to take 14 days depending on the weather.

11/26/17

A new report from the U-S Department of Agriculture SHOWS RURAL AREAS ARE LOSING POPULATION AT AN UNPRECEDENTED RATE AS PEOPLE AND INDUSTRIES START TO CONCENTRATE ON URBAN AREAS. A GEOGRAPHER WHO HELPED WORK ON THE REPORT SAYS STATES LIKE KANSAS HAVE SEEN RURAL POPULATION DECLINES FOR DECADES. HE SAYS WHAT'S NEW IS THAT PEOPLE ARE ALSO STARTING TO SEE POPULATION DECLINES AS WELL.

11/27/17

AUTHORITIES MAKE AN ARREST FOLLOWING A CHASE IN BARTON COUNTY. jason ickler of americus, kansas was booked on charges of fleeing...possession of methamphetamine...possession of marijuana...numerous traffic charges and four outstanding warrants. last friday ellinwood police were

investigating a minor accident when one of the vehicles fled. they were able to get a tag number and found that the vehicle was stolen out of wichita. a chase began with speeds reaching 100 miles per hour at times. sheriff's officers in the area located the vehicle and deployed stop sticks...that did slow it down. it came to a stop...a taser was used to pull the driver from the vehicle. during a search sheriff officers discovered drugs. ickler is being held on a 10-thousand dollar bond.

11/28/17

Barton county sheriff's deputies arrests a man for drug possession. early tuesday morning.... a deputy stopped a car in great bend for a seat belt violation. the driver was not able to show a driver's license. deputies say... they found 59 grams of methamphetamine...marijuana and drug paraphernalia. deputies say randall long of garden city was the driver. his bond is set at 100-thousand dollars.

11/29/17

MORE THAN 50 PERCENT OF THE STUDENTS IN DODGE CITY COME FROM DIFFERENT COUNTRIES AND THE DISTRICT SAYS IT'S HAVING A HARD TIME RETAINING THE TEACHERS THAT HELP SERVE THEM. the school board is looking at incentives to recruit and retain english as a second language...or e-s-l teachers. the district has seen a decrease in teachers who are endorsed.

11/30/17

POLICE IN GREAT BEND CONTINUE TO INVESTIGATE A DEADLY HIT AND RUN. it happened wednesday night. officers say.... james zander of missouri was crossing tenth stree...t when he was hit by a pick-up truck. he was taken to the hospital where he died. investigators are still trying to find the vehicle that hit zander.

12/03/17

KANSAS CONGRESSMAN ROGER MARSHALL APPEARS TO SHOW SUPPORT FOR A REPUBLICAN BACKED TAX PLAN THAT WAS APPROVED EARLY SATURDAY MORNING IN THE SENATE. In a Facebook video posted Saturday, He says the new bill repeals the death tax, and Allows farmers to write off interest on capital purchases. He says one of the biggest benefits for the agricultural industries is that it allows cash basis accounting practices - which could save money for farmers who inherit land. If you interited land from your grandparents, you gave it to your grandchildren and they decided to sell some of that land, they'd be taxed based on the value of the land when they inherited it, not the value of the land that your grandparents paid for it. Congressional Republicans will now work with members from both houses to try to come up with a comprmise.

12/04/17

RIDERSHIP ON PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION IS UP MORE THAN 20 PERCENT IN DODGE CITY. for the past 20 years...public transportation services have been available. the director of the city's park and rec department says during the last four years...ridership has increased drastically.

12/05/17

The u-s supreme court allows president donald trump's travel ban to take effect...impacting some people living in southwest kansas. somalia is one of the countries included in the ban. we spoke with a man from somalia living in dodge city who says he's concerned about his family who had applied for visas to come to the u-s.

12/06/17

SENATOR JERRY MORAN MEETS WITH THE U-S SECRETARY OF COMMERCE TO DISCUSS TRADE IMPACTING FARMERS, RANCHERS AND MANUFACTURERS. Moran's office released this photo of the senator meeting with wilbur ross over NAFTA...or the north american free trade agreement which allows free trade between the u-s, canada and mexico. the three nations are negotiating whether to eliminate the 24-year-old agreement. moran says the economy in kansas depends on the ability of farmers, ranchers and manufacturers to trade...and that NAFTA is needed for our state's economy.

12/07/17

A district judge sentences a scott county man to more than 22 years in prison for sexually assaulting a child. 44-year-old Kelly Farr was sentenced this week for the sexual assault of a 12-year-old girl. the victim says... the abuse started when she was in 6th grade in wichita, and continued for two years. farr was a registered sex offender at the time.

12/10/17

TWO MEN ARE IN CUSTODY AFTER SHOOTING A MAN IN THE FACE DURING AN ARMED ROBBERY IN HAYS. Police say they got a call about a twenty year old that walked into the emergency room with a gunshot wound in the face. Investigators later determined two men forced their way into his hotel room near 34th and vine. Afterwards they took the man's wallet and a handgun before the proceeded him with a handgun powered by CO2. Hays police later served a search warrant at the suspects home on east 33rd street. THE SUSPECTS HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED AS DEAN MANNING AND PASCUAL GUZMAN. THE FACE CHARGES OF AGGRAVATED BATTERY AND AGGRAVATED ROBBERY.

12/11/17

An adult and four children are hurt in a crash in scott county over the weekend. the kansas highway patrol says sunday evening, a truck pulled out and hit the driver's side of a suburban in scott city. a 73-year-old passenger and four children between 9 and 14 years old in the suburban were all taken to the scott county hospital for treatment. neither driver was hurt.

12/12/17

Hays wants to lure visitors away from cities like great bend and russell... with a new hotel and convention center. if the project gets approved, the hotel will be connected to an eight-thousand square foot convention center. it will be located behind walmart.. making it easy to get to from eye-70. the director of the hays convention and visitors bureau says... having a convention center would help hays compete with nearby cities that can accommodate large groups.

12/13/17

SAINT CATHERINE HOSPITAL IN GARDEN CITY RECEIVES SPECIAL RECOGNITION AS A BABY-FRIENDLY DESIGNATED BIRTH FACILITY. THE NEW YORK-BASED "BABY-FRIENDLY U-S-A" SAYS.... IT'S ONLY THE SECOND HOSPITAL IN KANSAS TO RECEIVE THE AWARD.. WHICH GOES TO FACILITIES WITH HIGHER LEVELS OF CARE FOR BREAST-FEEDING MOTHERS AND THEIR BABIES.

12/14/17

Dodge city police are warning you to be on the look-out for counterfeit bills. the department posted these pictures on facebook wednesday... asking businesses and banks to be mindful of bills like these. the fake one-hundred-dollar bills feature the words "for motion picture use only." dodge city police say... there has been a recent increase of counterfeit bills in town.

12/17/17

SMITH CENTER GRADE SCHOOL - PUT ON LOCKOUT MOST OF THE DAY LAST FRIDAY BECAUSE OF ANTI-GOVERNMENT MESSAGE POSTED ONLINE. School officials implemented extra security measures at the elementary school to keep students safe. A county spokesperson says the message was posted online and the moves were made because it had them concerned. Nothing ended up happening.

12/18/17

A fire destroys a barn in rural barton county monday morning. the sheriff's office released this photo of the fire west of the town of Odin. by the time crews arrived on scene, the barn was already engulfed. crews from the claffin and beaver fire departments were able to get the fire under control. no injures were reported. the building is a total loss. the cause is still under investigation, but the sheriff's office says electrical problems may be to blame.

12/19/17

AN ENDOWMENT FUND FOR A MAN SHOT AND KILLED BY AN OFFICER... WILL HELP PEOPLE WITH INTELLECTUAL AND DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES. the ellis county attorney says 36-year-old joseph weber failed to pull over for a traffic stop last year. after a chase, the county attorney says the incident escalated and weber was shot. tuesday morning, weber's parents and developmental services of northwest kansas announced the joey weber endowment. the permanent fund will support services for those with intellectual and developmental disabilities.

12/20/17

A LIBERAL HIGH SCHOOL TEACHER BONDS OUT OF JAIL... AFTER BEING BOOKED ON RAPE AND SEXUAL BATTERY CHARGES. track coach tyson mcguire.... was arrested earlier this month after two students reported he touched them inappropriately. two female athletes last month told a school administrator mcguire touched them separate times while treating sports-related injuries. the district placed him on administrative leave and liberal police began an investigation. the case was then presented to the seward county attorney's office.

12/21/17

THE K-B-I ARRESTED THE NESS COUNTY SHERIFF ON MULTIPLE CHARGES..sheriff BRYAN whipple is facing four charges which include perjury, making false information, official misconduct, and criminal distribution of firearms to a felon. He made his first court appearance Thursday afternoon before he was released on bail. Eyewitness News contacted The sheriff about the charges. He told us he did not have a comment. We also talked to the county commission chair and the district attorney about his future as the sheriff. They say there isn't a law forcing him to resign.

12/24/17

A Kansas appeals court has overturned the child-endangerment conviction of a man found guilty of locking his two toddlers in a room for 14 hours with their clothing and bedding soaked in their bodily waste. the court ordered a new trial for Samuel White of Garden City, citing an improper instruction to the jury from the judge. The case began when a Garden City police officer and a probation officer conducted a surprise inspection at White's home. Police say the children, ages 2 and 3, were inside a room chain-locked from the outside.

12/25/17

IF YOU'RE LOOKING FOR A NEW CAREER... THE STATE IS SHORT ON NURSES. starting next fall the salina area technical college will be offering a practical nursing program for up to 40 students. the college was approved for the program last week and it's already recieved at least 50 applications from potential students. program graduates receive a practical nurse technical certificate.

12/26/17

A two county chase overnight on i-70 ends with one person in custody near the colorado border. The Sherman County Sheriff posted this picture on facebook. They say someone was eluding law enforcement on I-70 and eventually ended up in Thomas County. The suspect ended up returning to Sherman County where they were taken into custody without incident.

12/27/17

A FORMER CORRECTIONAL EMPLOYEE WHO CLAIMED SELF-DEFENSE IN A SHOOTING MAY NOT AVOID PROSECUTION AFTER ALL. THE KANSAS COURT OF APPEALS REVERES A BARTON COUNTY JUDGE'S RULING EARLIER THIS MONTH SAYING FREDDIE ALEC HOMAS COULDN'T BE TRIED FOR THE MURDER OF JEREMY SALDANA. THOMAS WAS DATING SALDANA'S EX-GIRLFRIEND AT THE TIME OF THE 20-15 SHOOTING. THOMAS WENT TO VISIT THE WOMAN'S DAUGHTER AND HER HUSBAND... NOT KNOWING SALDANA WAS LIVING WITH THE COUPLE. SALDANA... WHO WASN'T ARMED... WAS SHOT DURING A PUSHING MATCH. THOMAS WORKED FOR THE ELLSWORTH CORRECTIONAL FACILITY. Thomas told a detective he'd heard Saldana was known to carry a weapon and could be violent.