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KDFW FOX 4 News is uniquely equipped and staffed to cover the most important issues facing North Texas. With more airtime, KDFW FOX 4 News can provide more coverage of the issues our viewers care about most. This report will highlight the issues that were of greatest importance in the months of October, November, and December 2023.

In summary, the top issues of community concern this quarter were:

1. Major crimes and public safety
2. Politics, border security, and election reports
3. Significant weather events
4. FOX 4 consumer reports and investigative stories
5. Community affairs and volunteer outreach

On the charts that follow, we share the nature of the stories we have covered in these topic areas, along with the date, time (which newscast), and format in which these stories appeared. Here is a key to estimate how much time we allocated to a story on a particular date:

RDR = reader

Anchor reads script with no video. Usually, 20 seconds long.

VO = anchor voice-over

Anchor reads script with video. Usually, 30 seconds long.

VO/SOT or VO/SVO = anchor voice-over plus "sound on tape"

Anchor reads script, plus one or more soundbites from people we interviewed. Usually 1-minute long.

PKG = reporter package

A PKG is a reporter-narrated, self-contained story.
An anchor usually introduces the story.
Including anchor introductions, these stories generally run 2 minutes.
Investigative stories generally run 5-7 minutes in length.

Live PKG or Live VO/SOT

Same as PKG or VO/SOT above, except a reporter is LIVE on scene.
Reporter introduces or narrates the elements on tape.
Live PKG is usually 2-3 minutes long. Live VO/SOT is usually 1-2 minutes long.

Major Crimes & Public Safety Issues

Coverage summary of major crime events and public safety matters.

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| 10/2 10/3 | 9p, 10p 10:30p 4a 5a, 6a, 7a, 8a, 9a | Live PKG PKG PKG Live VO/SVO Live VO/SVO | Suspect is charged with drug distribution in connection with four fentanyl overdose deaths. The case highlights the challenge for police and prosecutors trying to curb the fentanyl abuse epidemic |
| 10/2 10/3 | 5p, 6p 9p 10p 4a, 6a, 7a, 8a | Live PKG PKG VO/SVO VO/SVO | A new anti-gang, anti-violence initiative launches in Tarrant County with an emphasis on reaching young people in at-risk communities |
| 10/9 10/10 | 5p 9p 10p 4a 5a, 6a, 7a, 8a, 9a 12p | Live VO/SVO Live PKG PKG PKG Live VO/SVO Live VO/SVO VO/SVO | Arlington police release dashboard camera and body-worn camera video from a September officer-involved shooting at a local car dealership |
| 10/9 10/10 | 5p, 6p 9p 10p 4a 5a, 6a, 8a | Live PKG PKG VO/SVO PKG VO/SVO | Local high school senior partners with a movie director on a new documentary highlighting the dangers of fentanyl. The student's friend was victim of a fatal fentanyl overdose |
| 10/11 10/12 | 5p 6p 9p, 10p, 10:30p 4a, 5a 6a, 7a, 8a, 9a | VO VO/SVO Live PKG Live PKG VO/SVO Live VO/SVO | An elementary worker is murdered at the school campus before the start of classes. Police determine she was a victim of domestic violence from an abusive relationship |
| 10/14 10/15 | 9p 6a, 7a 9p | Live VO/SVO VO/SVO PKG | Breaking news at the State Fair of Texas. Three people are injured in a shooting. The fairgrounds are evacuated and a suspect arrested |
| 10/16 10/17 | 9p 10p 4a, 5a, 12p 6a, 7a, 8a, 9a | PKG VO/SVO VO/SVO Live VO/SVO | Shooting at the State Fair prompts a review of security and questions about how the suspect got a handgun onto the fairgrounds |
| 10/18 10/19 | 9p, 10p 10:30p 4a 5a, 6a, 7a, 8a | Live PKG PKG PKG Live VO/SVO | The head of the security company contracted to screen visitors at the State Fair addresses the concerns about the recent shooting incident |
| 10/20 10/21 | 5p, 6p 9p, 10p 7a, 8a | Live PKG VO/SVO VO/SVO | The head of the Dallas FBI discusses a spike in recent hate crimes tied to violence in the Middle East, despite an overall drop in violent crime |

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| 10/23 | 5p, 6p | PKG | Gun crimes and fentanyl abuse top the list of concerns in our area for the FBI. The Dallas FBI agent in charge discusses his office's role in combatting these problems |
| 10/24 | 5p, 6p 9p 10p | Live PKG PKG VO/SVO | The victim of a robbery and shooting in a Dallas neighborhood talks about his recovery. The case highlights frustration over the city's property crime rate |
| 10/25 | 4a, 6a, 8a, 12p | VO/SVO | |
| 10/27 | 5p 9p | Live PKG VO/SVO | Mansfield ISD installs a new weapons detection system on high school campuses after a high-profile shooting incident in a classroom |
| 10/28 | 7a, 8a | VO/SVO | |
| 10/30 | 5p 9p 4a | VO Live PKG PKG | A Tarrant County woman is indicted for capital murder in absentia for the death of her disabled child. Police say the mother fled to India and the child's body has not been found |
| 10/31 | 5a, 6a, 7a, 8a, 9a | Live VO/SVO Live VO/SVO | |
| 11/4 | 9p | PKG | A guilty plea by a man charged with selling fentanyl that led to the overdose deaths of three North Texas teenagers |
| 11/5 | 6a | PKG | |
| 11/6 | 5p, 6p 9p | Live PKG PKG | The U.S. Supreme Court takes up a Second Amendment case out of North Texas involving a domestic abuser accused of committing repeated acts of gun violence |
| 11/7 | 4a, 6a, 7a, 8a 12p 5p, 6p 9p, 10p | VO/SVO VO/SVO Live PKG VO/SVO | |
| 11/13 | 6p 9p, 10p 10:30p | VO Live PKG PKG | White Settlement police say they narrowly prevented a domestic homicide by responding quickly to an emergency call about a heavily armed suspect |
| 11/14 | 4a, 5a 6a, 7a, 8a | VO/SVO Live VO/SVO | |
| 11/13 | 5p, 6p 9p 10p | Live PKG PKG VO/SVO | Dallas police administrators discuss strategies for officer recruitment and retention as the retirement rate increases |
| 11/14 | 4a, 5a, 6a, 8a | VO/SVO | |
| 11/16 | 6a, 7a, 8a, 9a 12p 5p, 6p 9p, 10p | Live VO VO Live PKG VO/SVO | A Dallas police task force member is shot in the leg during a warrant operation to arrest a violent crime suspect. The suspect also was shot |
| 11/17 | 12p, 5p, 6p 9p, 10p 10:30p | VO Live PKG PKG | Wilmer police say a missing little boy, who is the subject of an Amber Alert, was taken by his father after the father murdered the child's mother |
| 11/18 | 7a 8a | PKG VO/SVO | |
| 11/20 | 5p, 6p 9p 10p | Live PKG PKG VO/SVO | Dallas police release body-worn camera video from a violent crime task force operation, during which an officer and the suspect were shot |
| 11/21 | 4a, 5a, 6a, 8a | VO/SVO | |

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| 11/26 | 5p 9p | Live PKG PKG | The Amber Alert for a missing child from Wilmer is cancelled after the child turns up safe with relatives in Mexico |
| 11/27 | 4a 5a, 6a, 12p 7a, 8a, 9a | PKG VO/SVO Live VO/SVO | |
| 11/27 | 5p, 6p 9p, 10p, 10:30p | Live Live VO/SVO Live VO/SVO | A Tarrant County deputy is rushed to surgery after being shot at a Fort Worth credit union where he was working off-duty security |
| 11/28 | 4a, 5a, 12p 6a, 7a, 8a, 9a | VO/SVO Live VO/SVO | |
| 11/28 | 5p, 6p, 9p, 10p 10:30p | Live PKG PKG | There is a dispute over the bond amount for the suspect charged with shooting a Tarrant County deputy. After review, the bond is raised to \$500,000 |
| 11/29 | 4a 5a, 6a, 7a, 8a | PKG Live VO/SVO | |
| 11/29 | 5p, 6p 9p, 10p | Live VO/SVO VO/SVO | Arlington police release body-worn camera video from a recent officer-involved shooting |
| 11/30 | 4a, 5a, 6a, 8a 12p | VO/SVO VO/SVO | |
| 12/3 | 9p | Live PKG | A mass shooting at a family's home in Dallas leaves three adults and one child dead. A teenager is injured but survives |
| 12/4 | 4a 5a, 6a, 7a, 8a, 9a 12p | PKG Live VO/SVO Live VO/SVO VO/SVO | |
| 12/4 | 5p, 6p, 9p, 10p, 10:30p | Live PKG Live PKG | Fort Worth police release surveillance and body-cam video of a shooting at a credit union that wounded a Tarrant County deputy |
| 12/5 | 4a, 5a, 12p 6a, 7a, 8a, 9a | VO/SVO Live VO/SVO | |
| 12/4 | 5p, 6p, 9p, 10p | Live PKG | The suspect in a mass shooting at a Dallas home was ordered not to be near the victims, but lived next door to them |
| 12/5 | 4a 5a, 6a, 12p 7a, 8a, 9a | PKG VO/SVO Live VO/SVO | |
| 12/5 | 12p, 5p, 6p 9p, 10p 10p | VO Live PKG PKG | State child abuse investigators search for the mother of a child abandoned at a Dallas hospital's emergency room |
| 12/6 | 4a, 5a 6a, 7a, 8a, 9a | VO/SVO Live VO/SVO | |
| 12/8 | 5p, 6p 9p, 10p 10:30p | VO Live PKG PKG | Plano police believe robbery was the motive for the murder of a ride share driver whose body was found in the middle of the street |
| 12/9 | 7a 8a | PKG VO/SVO | |
| 12/11 | 9p 10p | Live PKG PKG | New report shows violent crime overall is down in Dallas, but the murder rate has increased, and property crimes are also a concern |
| 12/12 | 4a, 6a, 8a | VO/SVO | |

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| 12/14 | 4a 5a, 6a, 7a, 8a, 9a 12p 5p, 6p 9p 10:30p | VO Live VO Live VO PKG Live PKG PKG VO/SVO | A man is dead from a police-involved shooting in Mesquite. Police say the encounter started with police investigating a reportedly stolen car |
| 12/14 12/15 | 5p, 6p, 9p, 10p 10:30p 4a 5a, 6a, 7a, 8a | Live PKG PKG PKG VO/SVO | Separate criminal cases in Denton and Tarrant counties lead to the first murder charges in the state for deadly overdoses related to fentanyl distribution |
| 12/21 12/22 | 5p, 6p 9p 10p 4a 5a, 6a, 7a, 8a 12p | Live PKG PKG VO/SVO PKG Live VO/SVO VO/SVO | A woman who shot and killed a teenager she says was breaking into her rental home is now facing eviction over claims that she violated property restrictions involving gun possession |
| 12/26 12/27 | 5p, 6p 9p 4a 5a, 6a, 7a, 8a 12p | Live PKG PKG PKG VO/SVO VO/SVO | An update to the murders of three teenagers at a Garland convenience store two years ago. The 14-year-old suspect is believed to be hiding with help from family in Mexico |

Politics and Election Issues

Coverage summary of high-profile political topics, border security matters, and election-related issues.

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| 10/4 10/5 | 5p, 6p 9p 4a, 6a, 7a, 9a | Live PKG VO/SVO VO/SVO | The Dallas Police and Fire Pension could be in financial trouble again. The current city proposal puts about \$400 million of its bond capacity towards the pension |
| 10/5 | 5p | PKG | As lawmakers get ready to return to Austin for a special session on school choice legislation, analysts expect the standoff in the Republican party to continue |
| 10/5 | 5p, 6p | Live PKG | A legal challenge to Gov. Abbott's floating border barrier goes to court. The barrier is allowed to remain in place pending further review |
| 10/5 10/6 | 9p 5a, 6a, 9a | VO VO | State lawmakers return to Austin for the third special legislative session, with private school vouchers again at the top of the agenda |
| 10/7 | 7a, 8a | VO | Texas House Speaker Dade Phelan says he will fight calls to remove him from his leadership position |
| 10/8 | 9p | PKG | Weekly political segment called Texas: The Issue Is... Sen. Ted Cruz discusses his re-election effort, border security concerns and the divide among House Republicans |
| 10/9 | 5a | VO/SVO | Protesters gather in Austin to oppose school vouchers. Some Texas school district superintendents join the opposition |
| 10/9 10/10 | 5p 4a | VO VO | Texas Attorney General Ken Paxton says he'll file criminal complaints against the state representatives who led the effort to remove him from office |
| 10/10 | 7a, 8a, 9a 12p, 5p | VO VO | Today is the deadline to register to vote for the November 7th elections, with mayoral, city council, and school board races on several ballots, along with state constitutional amendments |
| 10/9 10/10 | 5p, 6p, 9p, 10p 10:30p 4a 5a, 6a, 7a, 8a | Live PKG PKG PKG VO/SVO | Texas Senate gives initial approval to a school voucher bill. The legislation faces much more scrutiny as it heads to the state house |
| 10/13 | 9p | VO/SVO | U.S. Sen. John Cornyn visits Dallas to promote cold case legislation based on a local man's effort to solve his sister's murder |
| 10/13 | 5p, 10p | VO/SVO | Texas Senate approves school funding bills that include education savings accounts. The legislation faces long odds in the state house |

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| 10/16 10/17 | 9p 4a, 6a, 7a | VO/SVO VO/SVO | The Texas Department of Public Safety says four Iranians on a security watch list were caught at the Texas-Mexico border this month |
| 10/17 | 5p 10p | PKG VO/SVO | Texas Senate gives initial approval to a bill that would create a state-level crime for entering the country illegally. Gov. Abbott made border security a priority in what is now the third special session |
| 10/19 10/20 | 5p 4a 6a, 7a | PKG PKG VO/SVO | A Texas House committee reviews senate legislation that would make illegal border crossings a state crime |
| 10/20 | 4a 5a, 6a, 7a, 8a 12p | VO VO/SVO VO/SVO | Critics and several law enforcement representatives believe legislation that would make illegal border crossings a state crime will put a financial burden on county budgets and jails |
| 10/22 | 9p | VO | Texas House Democrats introduce legislation to boost per-pupil spending in public school districts |
| 10/22 | 9p | PKG | Weekly political segment called Texas: The Issue Is... While school choice legislation draws the most attention, lawmakers are also working on a bill that would ban vaccine mandates |
| 10/23 | 4a, 7a 12p, 5p, 9p | VO VO | Early voting is underway for the November 7th elections. Statewide, there are 14 constitutional amendments on the ballot |
| 10/24 | 4a, 6a, 7a | VO/SVO | Bill to strengthen border security moves out of committee. It also includes additional funding for more border barriers |
| 10/24 10/25 | 5p, 6p 4a | VO VO | Texas Attorney General Ken Paxton sues the Biden administration over damage to razor wire fencing along the border |
| 10/25 | 9p | VO | Texas House stalls again on the topic of school choice with time running out in the third special session |
| 10/25 10/26 | 9p, 10p 5a, 7a | Live PKG VO/SVO | Texas is one step closer to banning COVID-19 vaccine mandates by private employers. State House approves bill that would fine violators \$50 thousand |
| 10/27 10/28 | 5p 9p 8a 9p | Live PKG PKG PKG VO | Travis County judge blocks state education agency from releasing A-F public school ratings |
| 10/31 | 6a, 7a, 8a 12p 5p, 6p | VO VO VO | Federal judge issues temporary order to stop border patrol agents from cutting razor wire along the Rio Grande |
| 10/31 | 4a, 5a, 8a, 9a 12p 5p, 6p | VO VO VO | Eight years after his indictment on security fraud charges, a trial date is now set against Texas Attorney General Ken Paxton |

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| 11/7 | 12p, 5p, 6p 9p, 10p | VO Live | November 7 th general election. Highlights include local bond issues and state constitutional amendment proposals |
| 11/8 | 4a, 5a, 6a, 7a, 8a | VO | |
| 11/8 | 9a, 12p 5p, 6p | VO/SVO VO/SVO | Gov. Abbott calls a fourth special session to pursue school choice legislation again |
| 11/10 | 5a, 6a, 7a, 8a 9a 12p | VO VO/SVO VO | Texas Senate approves school voucher plan again, along with bills to increase funding for border security |
| 11/11 | 6p 9p, 10p 10:30p | VO Live PKG PKG | New law prevents Texas business from requiring employees to get COVID-19 vaccinations |
| 11/12 | 7a, 8a | VO | |
| 11/14 | 5p, 6p, 9p, 10p | VO | Longtime Denton County Republican Michael Burgess announces he will not seek reelection to Congress |
| 11/15 | 4a, 5a, 6a, 7a, 8a, 9a | VO VO | |
| 11/14 | 5p, 6p 9p, 10p | Live PKG PKG | Texas House approves Senate plan for more border security funding and now debates the more divisive proposal to make illegal border crossings a state crime |
| 11/15 | 4a, 5a, 6a, 8a | VO/SVO | |
| 11/15 | 12p, 5p, 6p 9p, 10p | VO VO | A district court judge rules a lawsuit brought by former employees of Ken Paxton can proceed against the attorney general |
| 11/17 | 6p, 9p | VO/SVO | Sheriffs of the biggest Texas counties are split on enforcement of a new Texas law making illegal border crossings a state crime |
| 11/18 | 7a, 8a | VO/SVO | |
| 11/17 | 5p, 6p 9p 10p | Live PKG PKG VO/SVO | Texas House once again rejects Gov. Abbott's priority plan to create a voucher-style program for parents of public-school children |
| 11/18 | 7a, 8a | VO/SVO | |
| 11/23 | 9p | PKG | Weekly political segment called Texas: The Issue Is... Texas congressman Michael McCaul discusses his recent trip to Israel and his perspective on funding for Israel's war against Hamas |
| 11/26 | 9p | VO | Texas lawmakers return from Thanksgiving break with no clear path forward on Gov. Abbott's priority legislation for a school voucher program |
| 11/27 | 5a, 6a, 7a, 8a | VO | |
| 12/8 | 9p, 10p | VO | Texas Supreme Court stays a lower court injunction pending review of a case where a Texas woman sought pre-clearance through the courts to receive an abortion |
| 12/9 | 7a, 8a 9p | VO PKG | |
| 12/11 | 5p, 6p, 9p, 10p 10:30p 4a | Live PKG PKG PKG | Texas Supreme Court sides with the state in blocking a lower court decision that gave clearance for a Texas woman to receive an abortion |
| 12/12 | 5a, 6a, 7a, 8a | VO/SVO | |
| 12/13 | 9p, 10p | VO | A new report says the impeachment and state senate trial of Texas Attorney General Ken Paxton cost taxpayers more than \$4 million |
| 12/14 | 4a, 5a, 8a, 9a | VO | |

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| 12/17 | 9p | PKG | Weekly political segment called Texas: The Issue Is... Texas Senator John Cornyn explains his support for a U.S. border security package to be attached to a funding bill for Israel and Ukraine |
| 12/18 | 12p | VO | Gov. Abbott signs new law allowing state and local police agencies to arrest illegal border crossers on state charges |
| 12/19 | 5p, 6p, 9p 4a, 5a, 6a, 7a, 8a, 9a | VO/SVO VO/SVO VO/SVO | |
| 12/19 | 5p, 9p | VO | A federal appeals court blocks border patrol agents from cutting down razor wire installed under orders from Gov. Abbott |
| 12/19 | 5p, 6p | Live PKG | Civil rights groups sue Texas over new law that makes it a state crime to cross the border into Texas illegally |
| 12/20 | 9p 4a, 6a, 7a, 8a | PKG VO/SVO | |
| 12/21 | 5p, 6p, 9p 10p | VO/SVO VO | Tarrant County's former elections administrator is sworn in for the same position in Dallas County |
| 12/21 | 9p | VO/SVO | As former president Donald Trump faces challenges to his ballot eligibility in other states, the Republican Lt. Governor of Texas proposes removing President Biden from the state ballot ahead of the Democratic primary election |

Weather Coverage

Coverage summary of notable weather events

OCTOBER

10/4 – New daily record high of 96° reported at D/FW Airport. Live coverage at 12p, 5p, 6p.

10/4 – Hail, heavy rain event coincides with record high temperature. Street flooding and isolated roof damage reported. Live coverage at 5p, 6p, 9p, 10p, and 10:30p.

10/24 – First significant rainfall in several weeks. Live coverage 4a-10a, 12p, 5p, 6p, 9p, 10p, and 10:30p.

10/25 – 10/26 – Next round of rain moves through, with street flooding and traffic disruptions. Live coverage at 5p, 6p, 9p, 10p, 10:30p and on 10/26 from 4a-10a.

10/27-10/28 – Heavy, localized flood event in Kaufman County, with drowning-related fatalities reported. Live coverage at 5p and 9p, and follow-up reporting in Kaufman County at 9p on 10/28.

NOVEMBER

11/1 – First significant frost event of the season. Reminders to protect tender vegetation. Live coverage from 4a-10a, 12p, 5p, 6p, 9p, 10p, 10:30p.

11/9 – Heavy rain event with cold conditions, primarily in the morning. Annual Veterans Day parade in Dallas cancelled. Live coverage from 4a-10a and 12p.

11/26-11/27 – First freeze of the season reported at D/FW Airport. Reminder to protect plants and pets. Live coverage at 9p, 10p, 10:30p and on 11/27 from 4a-10a and 12p.

DECEMBER

12/9 – Record daily high of 80° recorded at D/FW Airport. Live coverage from 4a-10a, 12p, 5p, 6p, 9p, 10p, and 10:30p.

12/15 – Rain measured at D/FW Airport. Some locally heavy downpours. Live coverage from 4a-10a, 12p, 5p, 6p, 9p, 10p, 10:30p.

12/21 – Periods of heavy rainfall reported. More than an inch of rain recorded at D/FW Airport. Morning and early afternoon event, with live coverage from 4a-10a, 12p, 5p and 6p.

12/23-12/24 – Heavy rain event. Locally recorded totals of 1"-2" of rain overnight and into the morning hours. Some street flooding reported. Live coverage at 5p, 9p and on 12-24 from 6a-7:30a.

12/26 – Freezing temperatures reported. Light freeze across much of the area. Live coverage with reminders to protect plants and pets. 5a-10a, 12p, 5p, 6p, 9p, 10p and 10:30p.

FOX 4 Consumer Reports & Investigative Stories

Summary of FOX 4 investigative stories and consumer reports

- **Investigative:** FOX 4 investigates why the Social Security Administration is just now seeking repayment from a North Texas man for an alleged overpayment from 1978.

Date/Format/Newscasts:

10/1 – PKG – 6a

- **Consumer Report:** The State Fair of Texas is in full swing, and there are discount opportunities every day of the week.

Date/Format/Newscasts:

10/1 – PKG – 7a

10/6 – PKG – 4a, 7a, 9a, 12p

- **Investigative:** Dallas police are looking for leads in a murder investigation. The victim was killed by a passenger in his car. This case is featured in a FOX 4 series called “Trackdown” that highlights unsolved major crimes.

Date/Format/Newscasts:

10/4 – PKG – 5p, 9p

10/8 – PKG – 6a

- **Investigative:** FOX 4 updates three investigations into the Social Security Administration’s handling of administrative mistakes or questionable repayment demands.

Date/Format/Newscasts:

10/17 – PKG – 5p, 9p

10/18 – PKG – 4a

10/22 – PKG – 6a

- **Consumer Report:** A look at highlights from 20 years of FOX 4 consumer reports that helped viewers save money and resolve conflicts.

Date/Format/Newscasts:

10/18 – PKG – 7a, 9a

- **Investigative:** Dallas police detectives are looking for a fugitive who ran over a woman and left her for dead. This case is featured in a FOX 4 series called “Trackdown” that highlights unsolved major crimes.

Date/Format/Newscasts:

10/18 – PKG – 5p, 9p

10/22 – PKG – 6a

- **Consumer Report:** A shooting at the State Fair of Texas prompted operations to close early. This report looked at the steps for inconvenienced fair goers to request refunds.

Date/Format/Newscasts:

10/18 – PKG – 12p, 5p

10/21 – PKG – 8a

- **Investigative:** An autonomous vehicle company that is testing operations in Dallas responds to FOX 4's inquiries about safety amid a federal investigation.

Date/Format/Newscasts:

10/20 – PKG – 5p, 6p, 9p

- **Investigative:** Fort Worth police are looking for the suspect in a deadly hit-and-run collision. This case is featured in a FOX 4 series called "Trackdown" that highlights unsolved major crimes.

Date/Format/Newscasts:

10/25 – PKG – 5p, 9p

10/29 – PKG – 6a

- **Consumer Report:** The kick-off of the annual Holiday Gift Guide series begins with our picks for affordable gifts from small businesses.

Date/Format/Newscasts:

11/1 – Live Segment – 7a, 9a

11/1 – PKG – 12p

11/4 – PKG – 8a

- **Investigative:** Dallas police need help solving an assault on a homeless man that police describe as cruel and unprovoked. This case is featured in a FOX 4 series called "Trackdown" that highlights unsolved major crimes.

Date/Format/Newscasts:

11/1 – PKG – 5p

11/5 – PKG – 6a

- **Consumer Report:** The Holiday Gift Guide series continues with creative and affordable gift ideas for men.

Date/Format/Newscasts:

11/8 – Live Segment – 7a

11/8 – PKG – 9a, 12p

11/11 – PKG – 7a

- **Investigative:** Dallas police are looking for two men who shot and killed Good Samaritan who stepped in to stop a robbery. This case is featured in a FOX 4 series called “Trackdown” that highlights unsolved major crimes.

Date/Format/Newscasts:

11/8 – PKG – 5p, 9p

11/12 – PKG – 6a

- **Investigative:** More financial setbacks for the Dallas Police & Fire Pension System. Analysts believe it will be harder for the city to recruit and retain first responders.

Date/Format/Newscasts:

11/10 – PKG – 5p, 9p

- **Consumer Report:** The Holiday Gift Guide series continues with affordable ideas for hosting holiday events at home.

Date/Format/Newscasts:

11/15 – Live Segment – 7a

11/15 – PKG – 9a, 12p

- **Consumer Report:** Black Friday bargains can be tempting, but we have advice for deals you should skip.

Date/Format/Newscasts:

11/22 – Live Segment – 7a

11/22 – PKG – 9a, 12p, 5p

- **Consumer Report:** Thanksgiving leftovers can be dangerous or even deadly for pets. We have advice for what not to feed your pets.

Date/Format/Newscasts:

11/23 – PKG – 9p

11/24 – PKG – 5a, 6a, 8a, 9a

- **Consumer Report:** The Holiday Gift Guide series continues with creative ideas for hard-to-shop-for “tweens.”

Date/Format/Newscasts:

11/29 – Live Segment – 7a

11/29 – PKG – 9a, 12p

- **Investigative:** White Settlement police are looking for a fugitive who shot a man and stole his truck. This case is featured in a FOX 4 series called “Trackdown” that highlights unsolved major crimes.

Date/Format/Newscasts:

11/29 – PKG – 5p, 9p

12/3 – PKG – 6a

- **Investigative:** The Texas Department of Family and Protective Services faces tough questioning from a judge about alleged mistreatment of children in foster care. FOX 4 examines the complaints.

Date/Format/Newscasts:

12/4 – Live VO/SVO – 5p, 6p

12/4 – VO/SVO – 9p, 10p

- **Consumer Report:** The Holiday Gift Guide series continues with our top four gift ideas for all ages.

Date/Format/Newscasts:

12/6 – PKG – 6a, 7a, 9a

12/10 – PKG – 6a

- **Investigative:** Dallas homeowners win a court victory in their efforts to block the city from enforcing new restrictions on short term rental properties. FOX 4 has reported extensively on the legal battle over this property rights issue.

Date/Format/Newscasts:

12/7 – Live PKG – 5p, 6p

- **Investigative:** FOX 4 investigates a viewer's overpayment dispute with the Texas Workforce Commission that is unresolved despite several rulings in the recipient's favor.

Date/Format/Newscasts:

12/8 – Live PKG – 5p, 6p

12/8 – PKG – 9p

12/10 – PKG – 7a

- **Investigative:** Texas Workforce Commission responds to our questions about an ongoing overpayment dispute.

Date/Format/Newscasts:

12/12 – Live PKG – 5p

- **Consumer Report:** The Holiday Gift Guide series continues with gifts ideas for people who say they have everything or want nothing.

Date/Format/Newscasts:

12/13 – Live Segment – 7a, 9a

- **Investigative:** A FOX 4 investigation into an organization critical to fighting crime in North Texas found red flags about its operations.

Date/Format/Newscasts:

12/14 – Live PKG – 5p, 9p

Community Affairs and Volunteer Outreach

FOX 4 News is committed to profiling volunteers and organizations that support underserved communities, and to examining social issues affecting those communities. FOX 4 sponsored events in this review period with the Komen Foundation and the Marine Corps Reserves Toys for Tots campaign.

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| 10/6 10/8 | 9p 7a | PKG PKG | Interview with the largest masonry construction companies in Texas. The company aims to give 'second chances' by hiring people who want to work regardless of their experience. |
| 10/11 10/12 10/14 | 5p, 9p 5p, 9p 8a | | Flower Mound resident discusses fight with breast cancer for Susan G. Komen breast cancer awareness month |
| 10/12 | 9p | PKG | Bishop Arts Theater Center celebrates its 13th anniversary with a newly adapted play |
| 10/18 | 9a, 10a 12p, 5p, 9p | Live VO VO/SVO | Local artists and Students at Booker T. Washington High School design and paint guitars to purchase. Donations go to school art program |
| 10/19 10/22 | 9p 9p | PKG PKG | Interview with a non-profit that works to empower children and families in underserved areas, specifically Southern Dallas County to become self-sufficient through STEM |
| 10/19 10/20 | 6p, 9p 4a, 5a, 9a | VO VO/SVO | Toys for Tots begins accepting donations for Christmas 2023 in Mansfield |
| 10/22 | 6a | VO | More than Pink walk begins in Las Colinas with 10,000 participants |
| 10/25 10/26 10/27 | 5p 4a, 5a, 6a, 8a, 9a 4a, 6a, 7a, 8a 9a 12p, 5p | PKG VO/SVO VO/SVO VO VO VO/SVO | More than Pink Walk preview: Cancer survivors discuss their fight with breast cancer and the importance the walk brings to raising money to find a cure |
| 10/26 | 9p | PKG | A new local mental health initiative created by the Ad Council in conjunction with the Huntsman Mental Health institute at the University of Utah |
| 10/30 | 5p, 9p | VO | 2023 DFW Susan G. Komen Walk raises more than \$2 million dollars for breast cancer awareness |
| 10/31 | 4p, 10p 12p, 5p | VO/SVO VO | Child welfare organization holds sensory friendly event held for kids to celebrate Halloween |
| 10/31 | 4p | VO/SVO | A Fort Worth food pantry pledges donations to winning team of the world series |
| 10/31 | 6a 12p 5p, 9p | VO VO/SVO | Texas Baptist Men organization helps residents clean up and recover from major flood damage |

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| 11/1 | 5p | VO/SVO | Grand Prairie police officers bring hundreds of donated new shoes to children at a local elementary school |
| 11/2 11/5 | 9p 9p | PKG PKG | An official from the National Council of Mental Well Being discusses a new nationwide campaign addressing substance use disorders |
| 11/10 | 5p, 6p | Live PKG | Military families get free groceries at food distribution event in Dallas |
| 11/10 | 9p, 10p | VO/SVO | Food distribution held for veterans and active military members |
| 11/9 11/12 | 9p 9p | PKG PKG | Interview with the pastor of a Garland church about an upcoming seminar around mental health in the community and workplace |
| 11/15 11/16 | 5p, 6p 4a 7a, 8a | Live PKG PKG VO/SVO | Urgent stem cell donor event held to find match for North Texas patient |
| 11/16 | 9p | PKG | Philanthropic foundation works to build homes in Dallas and surrounding North Texas areas for people in need |
| 11/17 | 7a, 8a, 9a, 12p | VO/SVO | Tarrant Area Food Bank gives Thanksgiving meals out to people in-need at AT&T Stadium |
| 11/27 | 12p 5p | VO VO/SVO | Shopping spree held at Academy sporting goods store for Toys for Tots program |
| 11/28 11/29 | 9p, 10p 4a, 5a, 6a, 7a 8a, 9a | VO/SVO VO/SVO VO/SVO | Toys for Tots drive held at Red Oak high school |
| 11/29 11/30 | 6a, 12p, 6p 12p | VO VO | Burleson ISD student buys dozens of toy drive gifts |
| 11/29 11/30 | 5p, 6p 10p 5a 6a, 8a, 9a, 12p | VO/SVO PKG PKG VO/SVO | Dallas-Fire Rescue welcomes back inspections officer with a surprise party after he suffered a stroke on the job |
| 11/29 11/30 | 9p, 10p 4a, 5a | VO/SVO VO/SVO | Arlington residents donate new, unwrapped toys for the Toys for Tots drive |
| 12/1 12/3 | 9p 7a | PKG PKG | Interview with a caregiver coach for people taking care of others with Alzheimer's disease. Discussions about training and available resources |
| 12/1 | 12p, 5p, 9p | VO/SVO | North Texans and local radio show hosts help "stuff a bus" with Toys for Tots in Frisco |
| 12/2 | 9p | Live PKG | Tree lighting in Kaufman celebrates Christmas with toy drive |
| 12/2 | 9p | VO | Donation event for Toys for Tots in Flower Mound |
| 12/2 12/3 | 7a 9p 7a, 8a | Live VO VO/SVO VO | Live coverage from Mesquite donation event for Toys for Tots |

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| 12/4 12/5 | 5p, 9p 4a, 5a, 6a, 7a, 9a | VO/SVO VO/SVO | Arlington students deliver Christmas toys and gifts to children in foster care |
| 12/5 12/6 | 9p 4a, 5a, 8a | VO/SVO VO/SVO | UNT Health Science Center in Fort Worth holds donation event for Toys for Tots |
| 12/6 | 5p | VO | Tarrant area food bank gives meal and food donations at Dickies Arena |
| 12/6 | 9a 5p, 6p | VO/SVO VO | Donation event for Toys for Tots at AT&T Plaza in Dallas |
| 12/7 12/8 | 9p 5a, 6a, 7a, 9a | VO VO/SVO | Donation event for Toys for Tots in Rockwall County |
| 12/7 12/8 | 9p, 10p 5a, 6a 7a | VO/SVO VO VO/SVO | Donation event held for Toys for Tots in Cedar Hill |
| 12/7 12/10 | 9p 7a, 9p | PKG PKG | Interview with radio host about an upcoming 'community bash' that supports a foundation giving back to the youth, single mothers and others in need |
| 12/8 | 5p | VO/SVO | Lockheed Martin teams up with Soldiers' Angels organization to distribute thousands of pounds of fresh food and meals to veterans and active military for the holidays |
| 12/8 | 9p | VO/SVO | Grand Prairie ISD holds donation event for Toys for Tots |
| 12/9 | 9p | VO/SVO | Dallas biker shop holds Toys for Tots donation drop off event with live music and food |
| 12/10 | 7a | VO | Community gathers for Toys for Tots shopping in Plano |
| 12/11 | 12p 5p 10p | PKG VO/SVO VO | Plano apartment association does Toys for Tots shopping and donations for community |
| 12/11 | 9p | VO | Miss Texas teen contestants host Toys for Tots toy drive |
| 12/13 | 9p | VO/SVO | Apartment association of greater Dallas" held its annual Toys for Tots event in Addison |
| 12/14 | 9p | VO/SVO | FOX 4 and the U.S. Marine Corps Reserves team up to support Toys for Tots in Ennis in Ellis County |
| 12/15 12/17 | 9p 7a, 9p | PKG PKG | Interview with a woman nationally recognized for her work helping women through a national non-profit organization |
| 12/15 | 7a, 8a 5p 9p | Live PKG PKG VO/SVO | A school in Arlington holds a "Christmas around the world" event to teach students about how people in eight different countries celebrate the holiday |

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| 12/18 | 5p 6p | PKG VO/SVO | Center table's winter harvest hosted with Mark Cuban's foundation along with the Dirk Nowitzki non-profit and Heroes Foundation with food for 500 people from the North Texas Food Bank |
| 12/19 | 5p | VO | Dallas-based marketing group donates more than 20,000 stuffed animals, toys, games and books to Children's Hospital in Dallas. |
| 12/19 | 5p | PKG | "Giving Machine' sets up in McKinney allowing people to swipe their card and receive an item ranging from 5 to 150 dollars |
| 12/19 | 5a, 6a, 7a | VO | Tarrant Area Food Bank feed thousands with two food giveaways at UNT Campus |
| 12/20 | 4a, 5a, 7a | VO/SVO | Dallas police hand out Christmas gifts to children as part of their "Blue Santa" operation |
| 12/20 | 5p | VO | Dallas College system celebrates 'community pantry day' with grocery giveaway |
| 12/20 12/21 | 5p 5a, 6a, 7a, 6p, 9p | PKG VO/SVO VO/SVO | Dallas ISD communications department team spend their own money to get gifts for the Spanish speaking students |