

QUARTERLY ISSUES/PROGRAMS REPORT

Station: WZZM

Location: Grand Rapids, Michigan

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October 1, 2020

Attached hereto are descriptions of issue-responsive programming 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.

Date: December 31, 2020

Listed below are the problems and needs of the community that were most actively addressed on WZZM 13 Gannett Broadcasting. The items are not necessarily in order of importance. Other community problems and needs are noted on support documents attached in this report. Those documents also reflect local programs that address these needs.

1. Community Involvement
2. Crime
3. Diversity
4. Economic Development
5. Education
6. Family
7. Government
8. Health
9. Religion
10. Safety
11. Youth

PROGRAMS THAT ADDRESS LOCAL ISSUES

The following programs that aired during the relevant reporting period regularly 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.

Program Name	Schedule (Day/Time)	Description (Note whether local, syndicated or network)
CDC Covid 19 Airborne	10/6/2020 at 5:00am 1:25	The C-D-C is now publicly acknowledging people can be infected with the coronavirus through airborne transmission. It is also saying, risk of infection *is especially high* in enclosed spaces with *inadequate* ventilation. So, what does that mean in-regards to Covid-19 prevention? Well for starters... it could mean 6 feet... isn't enough. Let's connect the dots.
Verify Covid Diagnosis	10/6/2020 at 6:00am 2:15	Here at 13 On Your Side we're making it our mission to answer your questions about the coronavirus. One question we've been hearing a lot, Can someone with Covid-19 test positive months later? If so, is that patient still contagious? Our verify team joins us now with the answer.
Comfy at Home Learning	10/8/2020 at 5:00am 1:45	School is in full swing -- and for some -- that means remote learning. But being hunched over a computer all day-- could lead to some serious back problems for your kids. So, this morning -- we're offering some solutions from the experts, take a look.
19 Plasma Needed Covid	10/8/2020 at 5:00am 1:45	As we've entered the fall season, there's been an increase in confirmed coronavirus cases here in Michigan. That means an increase in efforts to treat people with it. 13 On Your Side's, Shanna Grove, explains how you can help
KCHD on Surges in Cases	10/12/2020 at 5:00pm 3:00	COVID-19 cases continue to climb across the state. With Michigan now reporting an average, of just over 1,000 cases a day. 13 On Your Side's, Kylie Ambu talked to Dr. Adam London from the Kent County Health Department ... about the recent surge.
MBC Awareness	10/13/2020 at 6:00am 3:30	October is Breast Cancer Awareness month...and it has been for years. But a much more recent effort is bringing awareness to the deadliest form of breast cancer... Today is metastatic breast cancer awareness day. I spoke with Donna Waters of Grandville, who is currently living with MBC, about why this day is so important and how you can get involved in a special event tonight.
Covid and Flu Shots	10/15/2020 at 5:00am 1:45	As COVID-19 continues to spread in our community, and across the country, we are also headed into flu season. 13 On Your Side's Shanna Grove spoke with

		the Health Department about the biggest concerns this year, and how to protect your family.
Eating Disorder Study	10/15/2020 at 5:00pm :40	Our eating habits during the pandemic range from over-eating to not eating. Many of us will get back on track but for others it won't be that easy. Nearly 29 million Americans live with an eating disorder. If you're one of them then you might want to consider participating in a new study. It's being conducted by researchers at the University of North Carolina. They're looking for more than 6,000 participants, age 18 and older... with first-hand experience of eating disorders to enroll in a genetic research study. The "Eating Disorders Genetics Initiative" hopes to identify genes that influence a person's risk of developing anorexia... bulimia... and binge-eating. If you're interested in enrolling visit www.dot-e-d-g-i-dot-org .
Pandemic & Babies	10/20/2020 at 6:00am 1:30	There has been a lot of talk about how the coronavirus pandemic is affecting kids. But what about babies and toddlers? Let's connect the dots. (LESS PLAY LESS SOCIAL SKILLS) A lot of parents have suspended normal activities for children of all ages.... And for babies and toddlers that means no more playgrounds... playgroups and other fun activities that serve a larger purpose... mainly getting them ready for pre-school. Now experts who study development in younger children worry these kids will be behind when it comes to the academic and social skills that help them navigate a classroom. (DELAYS LESS LIKELY NOTICED) Group settings for babies and toddlers can be important. It is often when a young child is interactive with peers that adults will notice developmental delays. The co-director of the institute for Brain and learning sciences told the New York times settings like day cares and playgrounds are where adults see a child struggling with sensory... cognitive and motor skills. (ONLINE PROGRAMS LANGUAGE SKILLS) But there are options for parents. Many programs for toddlers have moved online. And the experts say these learning through play programs... even online... can be beneficial for children. While they may not be getting enough time with their peer's experts say there is one benefit from small children staying home... they believe all this extra time with their primary caregivers will boost language skills.
Pandemic Parenting	10/22/2020 at 6:00am 2:35	We're 8 months into this pandemic and the struggle is real for many. Parents are exasperated with their kids and kids are exasperated with their parents. I spoke with holistic child psychologist, Dr Nicole Beurkens for some help.
MDHHS on Thanksgiving	10/22/2020 at 6:00am :51	Are you making plans for the holidays? The "Michigan Department of Health and Human Services" is offering guidance on how to travel and gather safely. The health department said traveling... and in-person gatherings, increase the chances of getting "and" spreading COVID-19. Staying home is the best way to protect yourself and others. However, officials say if you decide to travel you should follow these measures... Wear a mask that covers your nose and mouth. Avoid close contact, by staying at least 6 feet apart... from anyone who is not from your household. Wash your hands.

		<p>Avoid touching your face. Avoid contact with anyone who is sick. The state is also urging families to host "virtual" holiday gatherings... or host or attend events "outdoors" if possible.</p>
Covid 19 Latest & Schools	10/26/2020 at 5:00am 1:45	<p>Now to the latest on the Coronavirus and what Michigan health officials are calling an "alarming increase in cases". this -- as Michigan breaks the single day record for new cases. 13 On Your Side's Angela Cunningham is following this story and joins us live with more.</p>
GVSU Mental Health Petition	10/26/2020 at 5:00pm 1:52	<p>2020 has proven to be a difficult year for college students, as they navigate through online classes and stay at home orders. Now those at G-V-S-U are asking for a break. 13 On Your Side's, Kylie Ambu shows us an online petition aimed at prioritizing mental health.</p>
Christmas Vaccine	10/27/2020 at 6:00am 1:10	<p>It sounds like scientists in England will have a Christmas present for some of us, a working coronavirus vaccine. Let's connect the dots.</p>
Local Michigan Covid Latest	11/2/2020 at 6:00am 1:15	<p>Now to the latest on the coronavirus in our state and the continued upward trend of new cases. Today, we expect new numbers from the state after another record-breaking weekend....</p>
Political Stress	11/3/2020 at 5:00pm 1:15	<p>If you're feeling stressed between the outcome of the election and the rising COVID-19 numbers, you're not alone. Here are a few things you can do to try and manage how your feeling.</p>
MDHHS on Covid Surge	11/6/2020 at 6:00am 2:25	<p>State and local health officials are sounding the alarm, once again, as Michigan continues to shatter records for COVID cases. 13 On Your Side's Angela Cunningham is live this morning with those words of warning and what those rising numbers mean for you.</p>
Open Enrollment	11/9/2020 at 5:00pm 3:27	<p>Open Enrollment for Health Insurance is underway. And as you probably know there can be big differences in policies. Here's something you should look for... one that practices "value-based care" where doctors are financially rewarded for the quality of care they give. Not their *quantity of patients. This model of care was developed by "The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services" nearly 10 years ago. Priority Health is one of the health insurers using this system.....</p>
Hospital Newser	11/12/2020 at 5:00pm 1:50	<p>As Covid-19 numbers continue to rise, so do hospitalizations. Just yesterday we told you spectrum health was deferring in patient surgeries when it required an overnight stay... in order to care for record high numbers of covid-19 patients. Today Spectrum Health along with five other state health systems are sounding the alarm on just how crucial it is to control the spread. 13 On Your Side's, Emma Nicolas joins us now live from Spectrum Health.</p>
CTD Fastest Vaccine Ever	11/16/2020 at 5:00am 1:30	<p>I know it feels like we've ben waiting a long time for a Covid vaccine but imagine having to wait four years for one. That's how long it took to develop the mumps vaccine. Before the coronavirus, that was the quickest one to ever be developed. So, really we're lucky but researchers may have had a leg up on the virus. Lets connect the dots.</p>
		<p>With rising Covid cases in area hospitals more mothers in West Michigan are choosing a home birth.</p>

Home Births During Pandemic	11/16/2020 at 5:00pm 2:05	Now that choice has reached our minority communities. 13 On Your Side's Leona Dunn, introduces us to Grand Rapids first certified black midwife... who chose to open her practice just as some birthing centers are closing.
Hackley Reopens	11/17/2020 at 5:00pm 2:10	Mercy Health Muskegon is opening a COVID care unit at its closed Hackley Campus. That's expected to happen Thursday. It's the hospitals' response to a dramatic increase in COVID-19 cases in Muskegon County. 13 ON YOUR SIDE lakeshore reporter Jon Mills has more on the number of beds that will soon be available for COVID patients.
Michigan Gonorrhea Cases Up	11/18/2020 at 6:00am :31	Our state is seeing a significant increase in gonorrhea infections... and health officials are worried about the well-being of Michiganders. The Michigan Department of Health and Human Services says there's a shortage of testing supplies right now. They're encouraging health providers to clinically diagnose and treat suspected cases - to slow the spread. The C-D-C has also released guidance - on diagnosis and treatment of S-T-D's during the pandemic.
Other Vaccines Declining	11/19/2020 at 5:00pm 2:18	The coronavirus pandemic could have some "other" health effects that parents need to know about. More children are not getting their typical immunizations. And as the weather grows colder - health departments are worried about the spread of other diseases. 13 On Your Side's, Alana Holland takes a closer look.
Kent County Order	11/21/2020 at 6:00am 1:25	More than 500 of those new cases - are from Kent County. The positivity rate in the county - is now more than 15-percent. The director of Kent County's Health Department - Issued a "public health warning" yesterday. It includes recommendations for high schools, places of worship, and gatherings. 13 ON YOUR SIDE's Amir Abbas, has more on the decision.
3 Covid Vaccines Comparison	11/24/2020 at 5:00am 1:41	It now looks like there are three coronavirus vaccines that could be approved soon. So how are they different? Lets connect the dots,
Eat Your Genes	11/24/2020 at 6:00pm 4:00	It's that time of year when many of us start thinking about trying to lose weight in the new year. 13 On Your Side Health Reporter, Val Lego found one that goes a little deeper, than reducing calories. In fact, you could say, it's all in your genes.
Ambulance Response Amid Covid	11/25/2020 at 5:00pm 1:10	Although hospitals are hitting capacity, emergency response workers say - while they are busy - up to this point, they have not yet had to re-direct patients in the Grand Rapids area. 13 On Your Side's, Emma Nicolas explains.
Psychology of No Covid Rules	11/28/2020 at 7:00am 1:53	Since the beginning of the pandemic-- a large number of Americans have spoken out *against efforts to slow the spread. Despite the scientific evidence -- that shows wearing masks and social distancing are effective... some people still question whether the restrictions work. 13 on your side's Kylie Ambu... spoke with a Psychologist, about why some people simply refuse to believe in the danger.
Vaccine Priority	12/1/2020 at 5:00am	A vaccine for COVID-19 is on the horizon and the first doses could be available sometime this month. but as we've been reporting -- not everyone will get it at first. Today, an advisory committee to the CDC will

	1:20	meet to recommend who gets first priority. For a look at who that could be, let's connect the dots....
Kids and Covid Vaccine	12/2/2020 at 5:00am 1:00	As trials continue to test out covid-19 vaccines it seems though most of the trials happening right now are focused on adults. But kids can be affected too. So why aren't more children being included in the research?
Hackers Target Vaccines	12/4/2020 at 5:00am 1:25	There's a disturbing warning this morning. Hackers could disrupt delivery of highly anticipated covid-19 vaccines. In fact, the attacks have already started. Let's connect the dots.
Pandemic Weight Gain	12/7/2020 at 5:00pm 1:25	Stress-eating and less activity have fed some bad habits in many homes during the pandemic. That's according to one study which blames covid-19... for the "quarantine 15." Let's connect the dots.
Pfizer KZOO Vaccine	12/10/2020 at 6:00pm 1:15	Now to our other breaking story--the FDA advisory panel has just voted to approve Pfizer's Vaccine for Covid-19. The vote happened about 20 minutes ago. 17 voted in favor, one person abstained and 4 voted against it. Final approval from the FDA itself is said to be imminent. And once that happens, Pfizer says shipments from its facility in Portage near Kalamazoo will start within 48 hours. 13 On Your Side's Emma Nicolas starts us off there live tonight.
Michigan Vaccine Latest	12/11/2020 at 5:00pm 1:10	We are learning more now on who will receive the COVID-19 vaccine first here in Michigan. 13 On Your Side's, <u>Emma Nicolas</u> joins us live from portage, near Kalamazoo, --where millions of doses are ready to be shipped out across the country.
<u>Driver Safety Program</u>	<u>12/15/2020 at 6:00pm</u> <u>2:10</u>	<u>First responders in Muskegon County will now be looking for a "yellow dot" window decal when they arrive at a car crash. That "dot" signals the crash could be the result of a driver's medical condition. 13 ON YOUR SIDE, lakeshore reporter Jon Mills has more on the effort to enroll drivers in the new program... and how covid-19 is affecting it.</u>
<u>Blood Donation Explainer</u>	<u>12/17/2020 at 5:00am</u> <u>1:05</u>	<u>There are many people in West Michigan who give blood...But if you're a first-time donor you may be wondering what happens to your blood after you donate. 13 On Your Side Health Reporter Val Lego shows us the process.</u>
<u>Vaccines and Minorities</u>	<u>12/17/2020 at 6:00pm</u> <u>1:35</u>	<u>There is concern among health experts that "African Americans" may resist getting the vaccine. That's the reason for a special discussion tonight, aimed at easing their fears. 13 On Your Side's Amir Abbas has more on the event, and the reason for the distrust among minorities.</u>
<u>Covid Nurse Strain</u>	<u>12/18/2020 at 5:00am</u> <u>1:15</u>	<u>The pandemic has been especially trying on the frontline workers caring for patients, as hundreds of thousands of lives are lost to COVID-19. For over 20 years, the Grand Rapids chapter of the Black Nurses Association has worked to promote equity and serve as a support system. During the pandemic, that support has been even more crucial. 13 ON YOUR SIDE'S EMMA NICOLAS spoke with one of the founders about what this year has been like.</u>
<u>Blood Drive Today</u>	<u>12/22/2020 at 5:00am</u> <u>:45</u>	<u>In this season of giving-- we're asking you to give the gift of life. Versiti is hosting a Blood Drive from two to seven his afternoon at the Grand Celebration Center on 4 Mile in Grand Rapids. Hospitals are in dire need</u>

		<u>of blood right now... and one donation could save up to 3 lives.</u>
<u>Health Trends</u>	<u>12/28/2020 at 5:00pm</u> <u>2:00</u>	<u>At this point, most of us are pretty much over 2020... so let's look ahead to 2021 and some of the health trends. Leading wellness experts say we can expect to see two big themes... back to basics... and comfort. Number one on the list.....</u>

Issue-Responsive Programming

~~Local Issue: **Try It Before You Buy It:** A biweekly segment by our morning anchor, Lauren Stanton. Lauren tries new products being introduced into the market. She will try the product & give a full report to our viewers. This airs every other Thursday at 6pm. Here are some of our stories~~

Program	Date	Time	Duration	Description

Local Issue: Unfortunately, **crime** is in the news daily. Here's a list of some of the crime related stories we have covered:

Program	Date	Time	Duration	Description
Wyoming Stand Off	10/6/2020	6:00pm	1:30	A hostage situation that began this morning in Wyoming... continues at this hour. Police say a man is holding a woman against her will at a home in the 300 block of Abbie Street. 13 On Your Side's, Alana Holland is live at the scene with the latest.
				A disturbing plot has been

Whitmers Plot Nuts & Bolts	10/9/2020	5:00am	3:15	uncovered by the F-B-I that involved kidnapping Governor Whitmer and a planned assault on the State Capitol. This morning more than a dozen men are in police custody, all facing a series of federal charges. In fact, one of the men involve was living in the Wyoming - Godwin Heights area.
Sexual Predator	10/12/2020	6:00pm	1:50	It was a disturbing relationship that began in December. A 66-year-old Grand Rapids man using the internet to solicit sexually abusive images of a boy from Illinois. The activity came to the attention of the "National Center for Missing and Exploited Children". 13 On Your Side's, John Hogan has more on the online exchange, that now has convicted sex offender, James Van {loon-in} Luinen... heading back to prison.
Kidnapping Plot Hearings	10/13/2020	6:00pm	2:20	Five of the six men accused of plotting to kidnap Michigan Governor Gretchen Whitmer appeared in Grand Rapids federal court today. The hearing started this morning and continued well into the afternoon. 13 On Your Side's, John Hogan was there and has more... on what investigators call a "plot against state government".
Kent County Shooting Sounds	10/24/2020	6:00am	1:17	The latest technology -- designed to prevent gun violence, and

				catch criminals... is coming to Kent County. "Kent County Commissioners" have approved "half a million dollars" for what's called "shot spotter" technology. The decision is in response to the number of deadly shootings this year. 13 On Your Side's Amir Abbas has the story.
Guy Pretends to be Teen	11/6/2020	5:00pm	:40 & :20	A man accused of enticing girls to send him "sexually explicit" photos in Muskegon County... is facing similar charges in Kent County. 43-year-old Chad Derry faces six additional felony charges, including sexual assault and "aggravated child sexually abusive activity". Derry waived a hearing Friday in 63rd District Court, sending his case to trial.,,,,,,
MRLA Lawsuit	11/17/2020	5:00pm	1:00	Hours before it takes effect, a group is suing to stop it from happening. The Michigan Restaurant and Lodging Association announced the lawsuit today. That lawsuit asks a federal judge to grant an injunction to allow indoor dining to continue. 13 On Your Side's Emma Nicolas begins our coverage live from Grand Rapids.
Serial Flasher	11/19/2020	5:00pm	2:14	A Grandville man faces numerous charges for exposing himself to women, over a span of more than two

				<p>weeks. The crimes took place in Wyoming and Grandville - one outside a restaurant. Investigators say help from the victims and good police work, led to the arrest of 50-year-old Marcellino {vas-quez} Vasquez.</p> <p>13 On Your Side's, John Hogan has a look at the case and the charges {vas-quez} Vasquez is facing.</p>
2002 Cold Case	11/20/2020	6:00pm	2:45	<p>Police say this man is responsible for kidnapping and sexually assaulting a four-year old girl, 18 years ago. He was arrested recently, for an "unrelated" crime. But his D-N-A matched the sample, collected from the 2002 investigation. The child was taken from her Wyoming apartment, then left injured and alone in Northern Kent County. 13 On Your Side's, Alana Holland talked with police about how the investigation unfolded.</p>
Grand Rapids Homicide Suspect	11/25/2020	6:00am	:30	<p>Police are asking for the public's help to find *two* homicide suspects. 29-year-old Darrias Hardges of Kentwood is wanted in connection to a shooting back in September. He is considered armed and dangerous.....</p>
Holland Slaughterhouse	12/1/2020	5:00am	1:15	<p>THE U-S-D-A has suspended a slaughterhouse following *repeat* failures to follow</p>

				<p>protocol...and now the animal rights organization, P-E-T-A is getting involved. Fillmore Beef Company is located just outside of Holland, at the intersection of "1-hundred-42nd" avenue and "58th" street. Investigation conducted by the USDA, states slaughterhouse used inhumane methods to kill cows. The report describes a violent scene... in which a cow suffered... while being stunned multiple times... during a botched slaughter.....</p>
GR Homicide Record	12/7/2020	6:00pm12/7/2020	2:006:00pm	<p>Turning our attention to other news and a new record in Grand Rapids but it's not one worth bragging about. A man -- whose car crashed into a building near South Division and Burton street, Sunday, became the city's 35th homicide victim. That breaks the previous record set in 1993. 13 On Your Side's, John Hogan has a look at what might be driving the numbers and efforts to bring those responsible to justice.</p>
Stranger Danger	12/10/2020	5:00pm	2:05	<p>Parents, be aware of a new scam targeting your kids. Scammers are using the same platform many students use for virtual schooling – to sexually exploit and request money from the children. As 13 ON YOUR SIDE'S, Alana</p>

				Holland tells us – it's been happening here in West Michigan.
<u>Grand Rapids Assault</u>	<u>12/15/2020</u>	<u>6:00pm</u>	<u>1:45</u>	<u>Tonight, Grand Rapids Police are looking for the people responsible for this violent attack that happened late last month. The Grand Rapids police chief calls it the kind of behavior the city will not stand for. The attack happened around four in the morning on November 24th, near Division Avenue and Cutler Street. And detectives are still trying to find these four people believed to be involved. 13 On Your Side's, Nate Belt is live in Grand Rapids with more on the investigation.</u>
<u>Grand Rapids Violence Update</u>	<u>12/28/2020</u>	<u>5:00pm</u>	<u>1:15</u>	<u>Grand Rapids has hit an all-time high in murders this year. That includes one from last night. 13 On Your Side's Nate Belt joins us now with more. Nate, where are we at?</u>

Local Issue: Michigan continues to deal with rising prices, as well as continuing economic slowdown. Much of it still due to the auto industry & their cuts, along with the rising cost of fuel. Here's a look at some business issues for the 4th quarter of 2020.

Program	Date	Time	Duration	Description
Small Biz Skype	10/5/2020	6:00am	2:45	We continue to follow how pandemic developments are impacting Michigan's economy. And we're

				joined by Brian Calley, President of Michigan's Small Business Association. Good Morning, Brian.
GR West Side Water Concerns	10/6/2020	6:00pm	2:08	Governor Whitmer released a statewide 500-million-dollar water infrastructure plan last week. Water specialists here in Grand Rapids say it's needed and people on Grand Rapids West Side agree. 13 On Your Sides, Leona Dunn has the story.
Whitmer Expungement Bill	10/12/2020	6:00pm	2:11	The governor signs a package of bills into law, focused on criminal justice reform. It's being called the "clean slate" legislation. One of the bills would allow people with misdemeanor marijuana convictions be able to clear their offenses sooner. The governor signed the bills into law this afternoon. 13 ON YOUR SIDE'S, Alana Holland gives us more details about the new laws and who they will impact the most.
Electoral College Explainer	10/20/2020	5:00pm	2:05	On election night, you'll hear political analysts talk about the magic number... "270 electoral votes" that a presidential candidate needs to win... to declare a victory. 13 On Your Side's, Sarah Makuta explains "when" the electoral college began, and "where" those 270 electoral votes come from.
				The Economy is the most important

<p>The Economy and the Election</p>	<p>10/24/2020</p>	<p>6:00am</p>	<p>2:43</p>	<p>issue to Americans, when choosing a Presidential Candidate. A gall-up poll released earlier this month... shows 89 percent say the candidate's economic policies are either Extremely or Very important. Terrorism-national security and 'the response to the coronavirus' are two and three. As we head into the election we are relying on a team of six experts, to help you have a better understanding of what's happening. Their expertise, ranges from policy to politics to the effort to get out the vote. 13 On Your Side's, Kirk Montgomery is talking with an economist from Public Sector Consultants in Lansing. He has a closer look at the economy and the election in Michigan.</p>
<p>Perrigo to GR</p>	<p>10/27/2020</p>	<p>6:00pm</p>	<p>2:05</p>	<p>Perrigo~ the drug-company based in Allegan for more than a century~ is opening its new North American Corporate Headquarters in Downtown Grand Rapids. The company says that will bring in more than 170 jobs... along with an investment of nearly 45 million dollars. 13 On Your Side's Kylie Ambu tells us about the plans and how Grand Rapids landed the deal.</p>
	<p>11/2/2020</p>	<p>5:00pm</p>	<p>1:45</p>	<p>Just like he did four years ago, President Trump will hold his</p>

Trump Rally Preview				final campaign rally in West Michigan tonight. The President will be speaking at a private hanger near Ford international Airport. We begin our coverage with 13 On Your Side's Amir Abbas, who joins us now live with a preview.
Certifying Results	11/9/2020	6:00pm	1:50	It's "day three" for the board of canvassers in Kent County. Over the next two weeks, the board will certify election results. it's a process that the clerk says has gained increased interest this election. 13 On Your Side's, Emma Nicolas explains "how" it works.
NOCH Birthing Closes	11/11/2020	6:00pm	1:50	Expectant mothers will no longer be able to go to "North Ottawa Community Hospital" to give birth. The Grand Haven hospital closed the doors of its birthing center for good, today. 13 On Your Side Lakeshore Reporter, Kylie Ambu gives us a look at why it closed and what this means for other hospitals and families in the area.
Michigan Votes Next Step	11/24/2020	6:00am	1:30	So, with the vote certified, what comes next in Michigan's election process? 13 On Your Side's, Angela Cunningham joins us live with the answer.
Cyber Security Warnings	11/28/2020	7:00am	1:55	For those planning shop during Cyber Monday -- or do more online shopping, in general -- there are some things to look out for. Before you break out the credit

				card... here are some tips to keep in mind.....
Covid Relief Funds	12/1/2020	5:00pm	1:56	A COVID-19 Relief Package could be on its way. A group of bi-partisan lawmakers unveiled a 908-billion-dollar proposal today, aimed at providing Americans with emergency financial assistance. At this point, it does *NOT* include stimulus checks to individuals. 13 On Your Side's, Kylie Ambu joins us with a breakdown of the plan.
Takeout Challenge	12/4/2020	5:00pm	2:15	Meanwhile, Kent County leaders are trying to help locally owned restaurants by issuing a "takeout challenge." 13 On Your Side's, Alana Holland takes a closer look at the effort to help these businesses through some very tough times.
<u>Rockford Shopping Zone</u>	<u>12/15/2020</u>	<u>6:00pm</u>	<u>2:15</u>	<u>Rockford is the latest West Michigan City to create an outdoor area aimed at supporting local restaurants and businesses during the pandemic. It opens Thursday. 13 On Your Side's, Leona Dunn tells us more about the project.</u>
<u>Tent City Eviction</u>	<u>12/21/2020</u>	<u>5:00pm</u>	<u>2:00</u>	<u>For weeks-- people unable to find a place to stay, have been living in a tent city in Heartside Park, blocks from downtown Grand Rapids. Today-- the city said people can no longer sleep there... now that an emergency center has opened nearby.</u>

				13 On Your Side's, Emma Nicolas is live at the park with details.
Chamber of Commerce Relief Reax	12/22/2020	5:00pm	1:21	Today – the United States Chamber of Commerce – virtually met with businesses across the country. The topic – how the new federal financial package – could help businesses. 13 On Your Side's, Alana Holland has details.

Local Issue: Our viewers tell us that education is important to them. WZZM provides information regarding education, may it be; budget cuts, students involvement, teachers, special programs, etc. We provide our viewers with the information they need.

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Wyoming Football Covid	10/6/2020	6:00pm	1:20	We start with developing news, another high school football program is cancelling games because of covid-19. 13 On Your Side Sports Director, Jamal Spencer tells us about the games being postponed this week, and next.
Count Day Follow-up	10/8/2020	5:00am	2:00	It is one of the most important days of the year for Michigan school districts. This morning, Grand Rapids Public School leaders are cautiously optimistic about how well it went. 13 On Your Side's Angela Cunningham is live this morning with what we know about GRPS' Count Day results.
School Cases	10/13/2020	5:00am	:50	As of Monday, 26 new outbreaks have been reported at

				schools... across the state. Three of them are in Kent County... at "Breton Downs Elementary", "Lowell Middle School"... and "Wyoming High School". In Ottawa County... new outbreaks were reported at "Harbor Lights Middle School" in the West Ottawa district... and at "both" "Jenison" and "Hudsonville" High Schools.
GRPS Hybrid Conflict	10/19/2020	6:00am	3:00	G-R-P-S is set to begin its hybrid model, where some students will split time, learning in person and virtually. But with positive coronavirus cases -- consistently on the rise -- the plan is causing conflict between many teachers and G-R-P-S. 13 On Your Side's Angela Cunningham joins us live this morning with a closer look at those problems.
HS Cease and Desist	10/24/2020	7:00am	2:40	Let's break down the latest COVID-19 headlines here in Michigan. Ottawa County's department of public health is closing a private school in in Hudsonville. The department claims "Libertas Christian school" was not following COVID-19 *state mandated* safety protocols. 13 On Your Side's, Alana Holland has the response from the school's lawyer.
GVSU Covid Update	11/4/2020	5:00pm	2:00	Grand Valley State University is now on a "level three" alert... because of a steady increase in COVID-19 cases. 13 On Your Side's,

				Kylie Ambu.. tells us "what" it means... and "how" campus life will be impacted.
Teacher of the Week	11/9/2020	6:00am	:30, :25, :30	Finally, this morning, we want to reveal our next 13 On Your Side Teacher of the Week. We are happy to give4 the award this week to Josh Duram, a Social Studies teacher and assistant football coach at Coopersville High School. Duram was nominated by a parent who said their child had recently been in quarantine and Duram went above and beyond to make sure they didn't fall behind. Duram says getting creative has been key,
Schools Dealing with Covid	11/11/2020	5:00pm	1:44	As cases mount here in West Michigan - and more teachers and students end up in quarantine - schools are making temporary switches to remote learning to stop the spread. 13 On Your Side's, Emma Nicolas reports.
High School Covid Cases	11/16/2020	5:00am	:40	Under the State's new restrictions, high schools are required to move to remote learning bur middle and elementary are not. According to Chief Medical Executive Dr. Joneigh Khaldun -- THIS IS BECAUSE -- high school students make up an overwhelming portion of positive cases. SHE SAYS, Out of 200 outbreaks currently being

				investigated in the state... high schoolers make up 49 PERCENT of those positive cases.....
College Thanksgiving	11/17/2020	5:00pm	1:05	If they haven't returned home already, college students will soon reunite with their families for Thanksgiving break. There are some obvious Covid concerns there. but the trip home can be much safer if students have a plan. Let's connect the dots.
Teacher of the Week, Pranger	11/30/2020	6:00am	1:00	We want to recognize another West Michigan Educator, as our Teacher of the week. And this week that goes to Ashton Pranger, a third-grade teacher at Oherli (Early) elementary in Montague. The parent who nominated Pranger said she has been comforting, caring and reassuring during the difficult transition to Covid measures.
Covid Impact on Learning	12/2/2020	5:00am	2:15	New data is giving us a glimpse at how the Coronavirus pandemic is impacting student learning. Test scores show students, nationwide, are falling behind in key subjects like math. 13 On Your Side's, Angela Cunningham is live this morning with a closer look at the numbers.
	12/4/2020	5:00am	1:45	A new COVID-19 rapid-test program is now in place at some West Michigan Schools.

School Rapid Test Pilot Program				The Kent County Health Department rolled the pilot program out this week, and it's already making a difference. 13 On Your Side's Shanna Grove explains how it works, and what might come next.
Education Roundtable	12/10/2020	5:00pm	2:10	Michigan public schools need short- and long-term commitments from the state and federal government. That was the message shared by K-through-12 school leaders during a "State of Michigan Schools" roundtable. That event, done virtually on ZOOM. The same way many Michigan teachers are trying to teach. Here's 13 ON YOUR SIDE lakeshore reporter Jon Mills with school leaders concerns that go beyond funding.
Stranger Danger	12/10/2020	5:00pm	2:05	Parents, be aware of a new scam targeting your kids. Scammers are using the same platform many students use for virtual schooling – to sexually exploit and request money from the children. As 13 ON YOUR SIDE'S, Alana Holland tells
<u>Grandville Teacher on The View</u>	<u>12/15/2020</u>	<u>5:00pm</u>	<u>3:25</u>	<u>"Virtual learning" has been difficult for both students and teachers. A West Michigan music teacher was honored.. on today's episode of "The View"... that airs here on 13 on your side. Our Alana Holland spoke with her shortly after the appearance.</u>

<p><u>GVSU Student Vigil</u></p>	<p><u>12/16/2020</u></p>	<p><u>5:00pm</u></p>	<p><u>1:15</u></p>	<p><u>A vigil will be held tonight at Grand Valley State University for a student who was found dead over the weekend. 13 On Your Side's Amir Abbas joins us now live from Allendale with more.</u></p>
<p><u>Snow Days</u></p>	<p><u>12/18/2020</u></p>	<p><u>5:00pm</u></p>	<p><u>3:00</u></p>	<p><u>Students in West Michigan could always count on a handful of snow days throughout the school year. But in the pandemic, many districts have adapted to remote learning. And once the pandemic's over... those districts could continue remote learning, on days when it's too dangerous to go to school. 13 On Your side's Michael Beheren's joins us now to tell us if the snow day is a thing of the past</u></p>