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**QUARTERLY DESCRIPTION OF WACH TV PROGRAMS PROVIDING
THE MOST SIGNIFICANT TREATMENT OF COMMUNITY ISSUES**

PROGRAM	DAY	TIME
Local News WACH Fox News at 10 pm	Monday through Friday	10:00-10:35 pm

The above program is a locally produced news program presenting a mix of news, weather, sports, including some issue-responsive segments and multi-part series, which are normally of 30-second to three minutes in duration.

News Series	Any Day	within Local News
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Multi-part mini-documentary news series, usually dealing with one issue or a series of related issues, are aired during the 10 pm newscast. The duration of each program is usually two to three minutes, unless otherwise indicated.

Fox News Sunday	Sundays	10:00-11:00 am
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This Fox News interview program usually has one or more guests being questioned about subjects in the news. Moderator, Chris Wallace, and other reporters conduct the interviews.

America's Most Wanted	Saturdays	9:00-10:00 pm
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This network program features criminals wanted for various charges. The program has been responsible for capture of suspects wanted by the FBI, including the FBI's Most Wanted list.

Public Service Announcements	Any Day	Any Time
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Varying length announcements (:10, :15, :20, :30, and :60) that air throughout the station's broadcast day about issues of community interest.

PROGRAMS PROVIDING THE MOST SIGNIFICANT TREATMENT OF COMMUNITY ISSUES

Public Safety and Crime

(including homeland security, crime rate, youth violence, gun control, increased presence of law enforcement, antiquated prison system, tougher sentencing, school safety, neighborhood crime watch)

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN

1/1/07

There are dozens of people in Richland County leading "double lives". Reserve Deputies answer the call of duty every day helping to support full-time deputies. These men and women answered more than 430 calls last year and logged 1081 hours last month alone. By day, they're dry cleaners, fitness instructors -- even school principals . . .

When dispatch calls, this Richland County Reserve Deputy answers, never knowing what danger lies ahead - but Marie Waldrop says uncertainty is just part of the job - "When I'm out on the road. It's a different feeling - I have never been in one situation to make me 2nd guess my decision." At 44 years old, Waldrop says she's living out a life long dream - to protect and serve. "The more I learned, the more I became enamored with it and thought this is what I want to do." Waldrop joined a force of more than 60 other Reserve Deputies in November. Just like full-time deputies she has a uniform, a badge, a gun, and a partner. Waldrop doesn't get one cent for putting her life on the line, so to pay the bills, she turns-in her badge -for a desk at Irmo Middle School - and the role of school principal. Waldrop has been in education for 19 years. She says a lot of skills used during school hours are also used on patrol - "my natural skills are people skills; I'm happiest when I am working with people." - something Waldrop gets to do in both her jobs. Sheriff Leon Lott started the Reserve Deputy program in 2001. There are qualifications to becoming a Reserve Deputy including you must be at least 21 years old, with a high school diploma and no criminal background. If you're interested in the program call Lieutenant Ron Thompson at 754-7926

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN

1/2/07

Here in the Midlands, Richland County residents and business owners could see additional protection on their streets. Ten new Richland County Sheriff's deputy recruits are picking up uniforms and equipment. But before they report for duty, some will have to go to the criminal justice Academy. Recruits say they're anxious to get started - "I feel good. It's an opportunity to continue to serve the community and the state. I'm motivated and ready for the next challenge." - "It's a good day. I'm happy to be with the RCSD. It's something I've always wanted to do is be a deputy." This is the second group of new recruits to join the Sheriff's Department. Richland County Council approved funding for 20 new deputies last year.

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN

1/6/07

In tonight's Consumer WACH -- your infant's car seat may not protect your child in a car accident. Consumer Reports tested 12 popular "rear-facing" car seats - nine did not pass. Among them - the Evenflo Discovery, Eddie Bauer's comfort seat, Graco's Safeseat, and Britax Companion. As an example, the test shows Evenflo's Discovery flew off its base at 38-miles per hour during a front end crash test. Right now infant car seats cannot be sold unless they can withstand a 30 mile per hour frontal crash. The seats we mention here pass federal inspections. To see if your infant's car seat has been recalled call the manufacturer. Also - the Graco Snugride with EPS and the Baby Trend Flexloc. All get consumer reports approval.

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN**1/6/07**

The campaign to prevent drunk driving has gone high tech. A Japanese newspaper says Toyota is creating a system to detect if a driver is intoxicated. If it does, the car will automatically shut down. Sweat sensors on the steering wheel can check the alcohol blood level. Reports say Toyota could put the cars on the market by the end of 2009.

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN**2/5/07**

There are efforts to drastically change the parole system in South Carolina. The top law enforcement officer in the state wants to do away with parole completely. According to the Department of Probation, Parole and Pardon Services (PPPS), the parole rate last year for non-violent crimes in the state, was 24 percent, violent crimes -- 18 percent. One Midlands family doesn't want those numbers to increase. They want to make sure their loved one's killer never walks as a free man again. They feel there's a problem with parole - "When you lose the dearest person in the world to you and she was a wonderful mother, you don't ever get over that loss." The light of Jennie Ziegler's life faded to black with the pull of a trigger - a nightmare still for Cleo Jolly's great granddaughter, Kim Goodwin, almost 31 ears later - "I went to the bathroom and I got down on my knees and prayed, and said Lord, whoever's hurt my mama I forgive them". But Goodwin still thinks the man who shot and killed 72-year-old Cleo Jolly should do his time. Walter Moultrie was convicted in 1977 of Jolly's murder. He's now serving life at Kershaw Correctional Institution in Lancaster County. But he wants out. He's been asking for a second chance since 1986. Each request- denied. PPPS says Moultrie's crime was violent and the board isn't convinced he's been rehabilitated. For crimes committed before 1996, state law allows for parole if the prisoner has served at least 10-years. Moultrie meets that criteria, but Jolly's family travels from Barnwell County and Swansea, whenever necessary, to make sure Moultrie stays put. Parole is a hot button issue in this state. Local defense lawyer Joe McCulloch says it's necessary because it eases prison over crowding and rewards modified behavior. Attorney General Henry McMaster wants to do away with parole - and the Parole Board, saying it's not accountable. McMaster says the system "re-victimizes" the victim - "it makes a mockery of the criminal justice system and when the average citizen loses confidence in the C.J. system, then society comes unglued."

AMERICA'S MOST WANTED**2-17-07**

"ADAM WALSH CHILD PROTECTION BILL SPECIAL EDITION) The special edition takes an in-depth look at laws that harm victims, champions the cause of lawmakers fighting to protect victims' rights and presents news of recent captures, convictions and missing children cases.

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN**2-28-07**

"Be nose" – that was the message tonight at an internet workshop for local parents. The safety session, held at Keenan High School, comes after a Greenville family says two of their teen children were drugged and raped by a man they met on MySpace. The family is suing the social networking site saying more safety measures need to be in place. However, authorities want you to take matters into your own hands. They say be involved in your child's online activity. Families from New York, Texas and Pennsylvania are also suing MySpace saying the site isn't putting their users' safety first.

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN**3-8-07**

Many people around the country are coming forward with stories of church-based sex abuse. Tonight Ashley Norris reports on a survivor's network, now engaged in a campaign to "out" Southern Baptist ministers suspected of abusing people. When it comes to the safety of Todd Carne's congregation, he's not taking any chances – "I believe my church is the safest in society. It's up to each church to

determine how they hire employees. Here at Lexington Baptist they require SLED background checks on all their employees and their volunteers.” Eve Wilson is with Sexual Trauma Services of the Midlands. She says predators prey on churches because of their open door policies. Wilson says sexual abuse can happen anywhere - -“Sexual abuse in our society is somewhat epidemic – it’s permeating schools, churches and other institutions and it’s just a reflection on society.”

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN

3-13-07

South Carolina has a serious problem that could affect the safety of your children. Many school buses here are among the oldest and most unsafe in the country. State lawmakers re working on allocating money in the budget to change that, in addition to 600 buses bought last year, the state is now ready to add another 400. The news buses will equipped with digital cameras, more safety exits, and anti-lock brakes.

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN

3/19/07

Several gang-related crimes in recent weeks may give the impression the Midlands gang problem is getting worse, not better. A recent report by USC Criminal Justice Researchers shows of the 174 law enforcement agencies in the South Carolina surveyed, 90 report gang activity in their communities. In response to recent gang violence, Pastor Darrell Jackson, with Bible Way Church, initiated the “B-Wright Project” in memory of Brian Wright, who was killed in a gang shooting in February. Law enforcement, school officials and parents, were among those attending a meeting to remember Wright, and combat violence-related issues facing young people. Motivational speaker Coach Ken Carter told the crowd every one of them can make a positive difference.

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN

4-1-07

Senators have given preliminary approval to a Bill extending protection to people using ATM or making night deposits at banks. The bill would make it a felony to use intimidation, force, or threat to steal from a person at or in the vicinity of an ATM, bank depository or other banking device. The Bill also makes it a misdemeanor for a person to panhandle, beg, or otherwise solicit money from people who are conducting transactions at such locations. Topics include neighborhood disaster preparedness, low impact development, and affordable housing. Many residents attending the meeting are also interested in breathing New Life into their communities.

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN

3-13-07

We’ve told you about shooting deaths in Richland County – and students accused of bring pot to school in Lexington County. There’s a program in Lexington aimed at stopping this type of activity – and it starts trying to reach kids at an early age. The Hands On program saves lives. Gina Samuels is working hard to make sure she finishes her assignment before school starts tomorrow morning. At ten years old she wants good grades – and gets tutored after school. She comes here three days a week with other children to this program called KEYS, which stands for “Keeping Every Youth Safe”. Corporal Doug Lee helps kids like Gina and others with their homework. He says the idea is to make sure the kids know Cops don’t just fight crime – “When they see us, they don’t run the other way. It’s important for us to extend our hands to these kids and show them that police do more than write tickets and put people in jail”

South Carolina lawmakers are considering a new bill that would require people arrested for felonies to give a DNA sample. Lawmakers supporting the bill say DNA testing saves lives by providing early identification for repeat offenders. Those opposing the bill say it compromises freedom. The Richland County Sheriff's Department has the only DNA lab in the state. Lab technicians say it could prevent criminals from fleeing to other states. DNA stored in Richland County's database has already helped catch criminals from Florida, Texas, Georgia and North Carolina.

Public service Announcements

The station aired Public Service Announcements that pertained to Public Safety and Crime issues. Announcements were in varying length (:10, :15, :20, :30, and :60); each PSA aired multiple times between January 1 and March 31, 2007:

1/21-3/2	"Justice For Victims-60"	:60
SC Victim Assistance – Providing assistance to victims of crime		
2/10-3/31	"Justice For Victims-30"	:30
SC Victim Assistance – Providing assistance to victims of crime		
1/6-3/31	"Four Nine – 30"	:30
Ad Council – Need booster seats for kids		
1/6-3/31	"Precious Cargo-15"	:15
Ad Council – Need booster seats for kids		
3/18	"Victim Rights 60"	:60
SC Victim Assistance – Providing assistance to victims of crime		
1/1-3/31	"Victim Rights20"	:20
SC Victim Assistance – Providing assistance to victims of crime		
3/10-31	"Weapons"	:15
Sistercare – Violence Against Women		

PROGRAMS PROVIDING MOST SIGNIFICANT TREATMENT OF COMMUNITY ISSUES

Minority Issues,

(Including urban neighborhood revitalization, affordable education, minority representation in government, Confederate flag, discrimination in the workplace, television coverage of African- American community events, race relations)

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN

3-20-07

The state NAACP hopes to draw a big crowd to its annual Freedom Fund dinner this year. Conference President Lonnie Randolph announced its big fundraiser will take place in Columbia this Spring – at Bible Way Church of Atlas Road. The featured speaker – former President Bill Clinton. Bishop Frederick James, who knows Clinton personally, calls the upcoming appearance an extension of the former President’s commitment to the cause. In addition to President Clinton, the event will include a ceremony marking the 53rd anniversary of Clarendon County’s “Brigs vs. Elliot Cast” that eventually led to the US Supreme Court’s Brown vs. Board of Education decision.

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN

3-20-07

Another local civil rights organization is doing what it can to help fight gang and youth violence. It’s the Columbia Urban League. President and CEO J.T. McLawhorn is announcing the annual Summer Work Program. It’s a way to help children establish goals in life. The Urban League is sponsoring several programs this summer. One is the “Violence Prevention Camp” geared towards 10 to 13 years-olds who’ve been involved with violence. There’s also the Summer Work Experience Leadership program which targets 14 to 19 year-olds. They work with local businesses to help them make career choices.

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN

3-25-07

Today at the First Calvary Baptist Church on Pine Street pictures were shared and memories sorted. The University of South Carolina Research Library is in the early stages of building a historical archive. The new building will represent the lives of Black South Carolinians from the Waverly community. A USC library member says the archives will benefit Waverly and give them a reason to be proud of their rich heritage.

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN

4-1-07

Members of the State Legislative Black Caucus are leading the call to re-open the investigation of the Orangeburg Massacre. In February 1968, three S. C. State Students were killed, 27 others injured, while protesting an all-white bowling alley near campus. Cleveland Sellers was the only person to serve prison time as a result of the incident. State Representative Bakari Sellers this afternoon says they’re not looking for new prosecutions...just the truth.

Public service Announcements

The station aired Public Service Announcements that pertained to Minority issues. Announcements were in varying length (:10, :15, :20, :30, and :60); each PSA aired multiple times between January 1 and March 31, 2007:

1/7-3/31

“Build a Dream – 10”

:10

Martin Luther King Jr. National Memorial Project Fund – Fundraising

3/18 “Build a Dream – 20” :20
Martin Luther King Jr. National Memorial Project Fund – Fundraising

1/12-3/31 “Build a Dream – 30” :30
Martin Luther King Jr. National Memorial Project Fund – Fundraising

1/6 “Schedule” :30
Ad Council – Supporting minority education

3/24-31 “NBA Legends – 30” :30
Martin Luther King Jr. National Memorial Project Fund – Fundraising

3/2-4 “NBA Legends - 60” :60
Martin Luther King Jr. National Memorial Project Fund – Fundraising

PROGRAMS PROVIDING MOST SIGNIFICANT TREATMENT OF COMMUNITY ISSUES

Education

(Including literacy, and S.C. national placement, more internship for youth, parental involvement, needs to clean up school curriculum, funding for various programs.)

WACH NEWS AT TEN

2-7-07

16 schools across South Carolina face possible "state takeover" due to poor academic performance and nearly a third of them are in Richland One School District. The Midlands' largest district has five schools on the list, all of them receiving "unsatisfactory" ratings on school report cards, under the Education Accountability Act. The five schools are Alcorn, Gibbes and W.A. Perry Middle Schools, C.A. Johnson Preparatory Academy, and Eau Claire High School. Since 2003, each has been rated "unsatisfactory" with Gibbes improving to "below average" in 2005, but falling back to "unsatisfactory" in 2006. A state takeover of the schools would be a drastic move. That could include extending the school day, extending the school year and creating new programs for reading and writing.

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN

3-23-07

White Knoll High School is breaking new ground and in the process honoring a fallen soldier. The school's new football stadium will pay tribute to Lance Corporal Joshua L. Torrence, a US Marine killed in Iraq two years ago. Torrence is the school's first graduate to die in combat. Earlier this year the school board approved more than 4 million dollars to build the on-campus stadium.

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN

3-23-07

South Carolina's future scientists showed off their stuff today at the 51st Annual Region Two Science and Engineering Fair. The student competed in categories like "Best In Botany and Environmental Science" and were judged by University of South Carolina professors. More than 500 projects were entered in the competition. Last year one of the projects went on to win "Third Best in the World" at the International Science and Engineering Fair.

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN

3-23-07

Some Middle School students were able to learn more about their career interests this afternoon. Hopkins Middle School students made their way around the gym visiting with representatives from various Midlands businesses. They asked questions and took notes about what could one day be their career.

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN

3-23-07

William Jeffers is finishing his class work but it wasn't always this easy. William couldn't concentrate in regular high school because of classmates – "I was always serious – it was like the environment – it makes me be like they was". William is one of nearly 75 students enrolled in Richland One's evening high school. The program allows 16-to-20 year-olds, dealing with life circumstances during the day, to get a high school diploma at night. The State Education Department funds this program because each person is a recovered Richland One student. The Curriculum at night is the same as days.

South Carolina Lawmakers are saying “NO” to a proposal that would help parents pay for private school tuition with public money. Captain James Smithy flew home from Army National Guard Training to argue against the proposal. Smith told colleagues that voters decided in November they did not want school vouchers when they elected a Democrat to head the Education Department. According the spokesperson for South Carolinians for Responsible Government., advocates of private school choice thought they had the votes Wednesday night, but Smith’s presence likely renewed Democrats’ efforts. Today’s vote marks the third consecutive year school vouchers have failed.

Public Service Announcements

The station aired Public Service Announcements that pertained to Education and Literacy. Announcements were in varying length (:10, :15, :20, :30, and :60); each PSA aired multiple times between January 1 and March 31, 2007:

3/19	“ER-15”	:15
Communities In Schools In SC – Need for parents’ involvement in schools		
1/6-3/31	“Teen Boost”	:30
Ad Council – High school drop-out prevention		
1/6-3/31	“For Your Classroom”	:30
Classic Arts Showcase – Free art for the classroom		
1/6-2/3	“Friends-15”	:15
US Army – Encourage teens to stay in school		
10/22-12/30	“Friends-30”	:30
US Army – Encourage teens to stay in school		
2/4-17	“Airplane-30”	:30
Ad Council – Help HS students get into college		
1/28	“Airplane-60”	:60
Ad Council – Help HS students get into college		
1/5-3/28	“Palmetto Robotics-30”	:30
Partners For Science & Technology – Robotics competition 3/29-31		
1/9-3/25	“Palmetto Robotics-60”	:60
Partners For Science & Technology – Robotics competition 3/29-31		
1/7-2/18	“Palmetto Robotics-15”	:15
Partners For Science & Technology – Robotics competition 3/29-31		

PROGRAMS PROVIDING MOST SIGNIFICANT TREATMENT OF COMMUNITY ISSUES

Health Services and Medical Care,

(Including affordable health care, parenting and family issues, teen drug use, teen pregnancy, child abuse, health care for elderly, funding for disaster relief, safety issues, effects of budget cuts on mental health community)

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN

1-2-07

2007 may mean more No Smoking signs for Lexington residents. County Council plans to discuss a possible ban in smoking this year. Several Council members say they would support the ban. No word on any public meetings or when the Council may take a vote on this issue.

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN

1-3-07

It's still "lighters out" for smokers in Greenville County. A judge says the county's smoking ban will remain in place for the time being. While fighting the issue in court, several restaurant and bar owners wanted the ban suspended but the judge won't delay enforcement. He'll rule on the business owners' case in the next ten days.

FOX NEWS SUNDAY

2-25-07

Wallace: Joining us now, Republican Rick Perry of Texas. Gov. Perry, you are in the middle of a storm of controversy right now in Texas after ordering that all schoolgirls entering the sixth grade must be vaccinated against the virus that causes cervical cancer. Question: Why make it mandatory?

Perry: Well, there's two reasons. One's a compassionate reason. I can't look a young lady in the eye and tell her that I had the ability to prevent a cancer that's going to kill her and I didn't do it - I didn't have the courage to do that. The second reason is a good Republican fiscal reason. We spend about \$350 million every two years, our buy-in and budgets, on Medicaid costs to deal with cervical cancer. This vaccine will cost us \$35 million every two years. So there's a real fiscal reason. There's a real compassionate reason.

Wallace: But parents say, and I don't have to tell you this, you're hearing a lot about it — that one, you're taking away their rights, and two, you are promoting in an indirect way sexual activity. Here's what one parent had to say –

Annie Markham: I'm appalled. I can't even believe this is happening, quite frankly, that these children — and these are children; these are being forced by the government...

Wallace: Governor, how do you respond to that?

Perry: Well, first and foremost, that is the reason that we put the opt-out in. We gave every parent, whether they had a scientific reason, a philosophical reason, a religious reason, to opt out. That makes great and good common sense. We gave them a choice. But the bottom line is if we had a vaccine that would do away with lung cancer, I don't think that would tell people that — you know, go out and start smoking, no more than this vaccine is going to deal with the sexual side of this.

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN**3/7/07**

The Centers for Disease Control estimates 60% of all women will contract a certain virus, which can sometimes turn deadly. It's the Human Pappiloma Virus (H-P-V) known to cause cervical cancer. Simone Provence is a typical high school senior – while most girls think about the prom this time of year, most likely they don't think about H-P-V. Dr. Brandt is with the Cancer Control and Prevention Program – she agrees teens don't think about H-P-V and don't realize they are at risk. That's why it is so important when we are vaccinating these young girls that they understand exactly what they are being vaccinated for."

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN**3-21-07**

A highly contagious disease affecting millions around the world and hundreds of thousands in South Carolina is in the spotlight. World Tuberculosis Day is this weekend – a time to focus on efforts to fight that disease. South Carolina ranks 6th in the nation for the number of TB cases – in fact, more than 4 million cases were reported statewide last year. There are 150,300 news cases a year. Roe-Mel Jackson has a designed a website called TB-Photo Voices to bring awareness to the disease. His wife, Dr. Claudia Lacson died three years ago from TB. Tuberculosis is airborne – symptoms include a cough lasting more than two weeks, coughing with blood, chest pain and weakness.

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN**3-21-07**

From the Statehouse tonight, headlines include approval of a bill that, if enacted, would be the first law of its kind in the nation. The House passed a bill requiring women seeking abortions in South Carolina to first view ultrasound images of their fetus.

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN**3-27-07**

On the Health WACH tonight – fighting colon cancer. It is a growth in the lining of the large intestine or colon. Doctor John Popp, a Columbia Gastroenterologist, shows us a colonoscope – it's used to examine the inside of a colon and search for polyps. The American Cancer Society estimates about 2300 people in South Carolina were diagnosed with colon cancer last year – 800 of those died. Early detection is the key to survival.

Public Service Announcements

The station aired Public Service Announcements that pertained to Health Care and Education, child health and teen drug abuse, child safety, and other miscellaneous topics. Announcements were in varying length (:10, :15, :20, :30, and :60); each PSA aired multiple times between January 1 and March 31, 2007:

1/6-3/31	"Dudley"	:30
American Dental Association – Benefits of brushing and flossing teeth		
1/20-3/24	"Kids Need Vaccine-60"	:60
National Foundation for Infectious Diseases – Kids need flu vaccine		
2/5	"Neurofibromatosis-60"	:60
Children Tumor Foundation – Education and fundraising		
2/4-3/24	"Phone Booth"	:10
Narcotics Anonymous – Drug Abuse		

1/20-3/31	“Baseball”	:30
Ad Council – Child autism awareness		
1/9	“Darkroom”	:30
Ad Council – Drug prevention		
1/1-21	“Holiday-30”	:30
NARCONON – Dangers of drinking and driving		
1/5-2/28	“First Meeting”	:10
Narcotics Anonymous – Drug abuse		
1/18-2/17	“Goals-10”	:10
Leukemia & Lymphoma Society – Fundraising		
3/31	“Goals-15”	:15
Leukemia & Lymphoma Society – Fundraising		
3/20	“Talking Hand”	:30
Kids Count – Anti-smoking message aimed at kids		
1/3-3/3	“The Works”	:10
PFDFC – Dangers of drugs (aimed at kids 6-10)		
3/25	“Be A Player-15”	:15
Ad Council – Preventing childhood obesity		
3/11-25	“Be A Player-30	:30
Ad Council – Preventing childhood obesity		
3/31	“Brandon”	:30
Ad Council – Drunk driving prevention		
1/12	“House Party”	:30
Ad Council – Drunk driving prevention		
1/1	“Pool”	:30
Ad Council – Drug abuse prevention		
1/20-3/4	“Still Time For Shot-60”	:60
National Foundation for Infectious Diseases – Kids need flu vaccine		
1/1	“Still Time For Shot-30”	:30
National Foundation for Infectious Diseases – Kids need flu vaccine		
1/2	“Still Time For Shot-15”	:15
National Foundation for Infectious Diseases – Kids need flu vaccine		
3/31	“Tracey”	:30
Donate Life – Promoting organ donation		

PROGRAMS PROVIDING MOST SIGNIFICANT TREATMENT OF COMMUNITY ISSUES

Civic Responsibilities

(including need for volunteerism, lack of trust in elected officials, need for recreational facilities for families, safer streets and highways, increased pride in the community, littering, homelessness, welfare reform, role modeling for youth, church involvement in charities, accountability for charities,)

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN

1-1-07

Those higher gas prices are a type of roadblock for an Orangeburg group that helps feed the elderly. A typical lunch of black-eyed peas and collard greens is served with the help of the Wheels on Wheels program. Feeding the folks here costs \$1,000 per year per recipient – not counting weekends. Chester Tomson is with the County's Council on Aging. He says while the General Assembly has given the group financial help – it was only for a one-time deal – “We're asking the legislators this year to make that reoccurring funds, not one time money so we can have that each year and if there is sufficient state funds we'd like an increase as well. No, we can't live without it because there would be people that would fall through the cracks and not be able to get out to get a good meal and we need it. Orangeburg's Council on Aging is accepting donations to help the Meals On Wheels program there. If you would like to help call 531-4663.

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN

1-2-07

A new state law that's in effect tonight, is designed to stop school bullying. Schools will be required to define “bullying” and outline a way to identify and punish students who bully their classmates. Breaking the bullying rule will go on a student's record.

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN

1-13-07

Approving a state budget is always one of the most import things lawmakers do each year. As expected, Governor Mark Sanford is talking money at the State Capitol. He released his budget proposal today. It limits government growth, cuts taxes, and saves more that 92 million dollars. It does include major spending projects – among them 100million for a port access road at the North Charleston Naval Base and the hiring of 100 new State Troopers.

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN

3-20-07

At the State Capitol, House members have passed landmark legislation dealing with the Transportation Department. Lawmakers and members of the D-O-T Reform Coalition gathered to discuss the bill. The reforms address the use of tax dollars and maintenance of roads. The Coalition feels the Transportation Department needs to be held more financially accountable. Governor Mark Sanford agrees.

FOX NEWS SUNDAY

3-25-07

Wallace: With the Justice Department already under fire for the dismissal of eight U.S. attorneys, there were new allegations this week that top officials there interfered in a 2005 lawsuit against big tobacco, pressuring the lead prosecutor for the government to go easy on the companies. Joining us now, the former government attorney in the case who's making the charges, Sharon Eubanks. Ms. Eubanks, you say that your bosses at Justice forced you to do three things - that they asked you to get the witnesses to change their testimony, that they wanted you to drop a demand that some of these corporate executives, big tobacco executives, be removed from their jobs, and also to cut the

damages that you were seeking from \$130 billion to \$10 billion. And you say this was as the result of political interference. Explain.

Eubanks: Yes. I mean, the fact is that we had put on substantial evidence to support the government's case, and when it became clear to all that we were going to win, that we had enough evidence to win the case, then that's when the heavy-duty interference began and we were asked to do things like lower the remedy, interfere with the witnesses' testimony and cut back on some of the...

Wallace: Why? Why would they interfere in a case at the last minute?

Eubanks:: Because if you just let it go on to decision and it's looking like maybe it wouldn't be so bad, you could let justice run its course. But instead, they interfered and wanted to make it clear that the government was asking for something less than what it was entitled to under the law.

Wallace: But again, if I may, why? I mean, why would they basically ask you to go easy on big tobacco?

Eubanks: Well, they wanted to make sure, I believe, that any number that the court came out with was just pocket change for the companies. You'd have to ask them why that was important to them. But that's clear.

Wallace: Now, when you say heavy-duty pressure, how heavy duty? Again, I understand they forced you to rewrite your closing argument.

Eubanks: No, they didn't force me to rewrite it. They wrote it. They actually sat down and on the position that we had to take, lowering the remedy — they wrote that. They drafted it and they required me to say it verbatim.

Public Service Announcements

The station aired Public Service Announcements that pertained to Civic Responsibilities, including need for volunteerism, community pride, combating littering, and other miscellaneous topics. Announcements were varying in length (:10, :15, :20, :30, and :60); each PSA aired multiple times January 1 through March 31, 2007:

1/6-3/25	"The Wall"	:30
Bonnevillle Communications- Helping others		
1/6-3/31	"Splash – 20"	:20
Bonnevillle Communications – Try Your Best		
1/6-3/25	"Splash – 30"	:30
Bonnevillle Communications – Try Your Best		
1/6-3/31	"Splash – 60"	:60
Bonnevillle Communications – Try Your Best		
1/6-3/31	"Cupcake Girls – 30"	:30
Bonnevillle Communications - Sharing		
1/6-3/17	"Cupcake Girls – 60"	:60
Bonnevillle Communications – Sharing		
1/9-12	"Own Words Trevino"	:30
SCBA/SC Army National Guard – Recruitment		

3/11-25 Carolina Ballet – Performances 3/23-25	“Cinderella	:30
1/5-26 SCBA/SC Army National Guard – Recruitment	“Own Words-Parents-30”	:30
1/8-12 SCBA/SC Army National Guard – Recruitment	“Own Words-Parents-15”	:15
3/4-9 Columbia City Ballet – Performances 3/9-10	“Swan Lake”	:30
2/17-3/27 SCBA/SC Army National Guard – Recruitment	“Reflection of Honor-15”	:15
3/2 SCBA/SC Army National Guard – Recruitment	“Reflection of Honor-30”	:30
1/21-2/3 Columbia City Ballet – Performances 2/2-3	“Where The Wild Things Live”	:30

PROGRAMS PROVIDING MOST SIGNIFICANT TREATMENT OF COMMUNITY ISSUES

Business and Economic Development

(including need for high tech companies in the state, poor labor market for economic development)

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN

3/7/07

The downtown Columbia landscape continues to change – with a major focus on the Vista. Developers are trying to bring more people to the area with new combination work and living spaces, not to mention stores and restaurants. The University of South Carolina is a major partner – thanks to the vision of its President Dr. Andrew Sorensen. A year ago, the University and City announced the Innovista – a major development focused on what Dr. Sorensen calls the 5 Rs – Residential, Research, Retail, Recreation, Reflection.

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN

3/8/07

The news is mixed tonight concerning South Carolina's unemployment rate. The good news – the jobless rate dropped slightly in January to 6.4% - that's down from 6.5% in December. The bad news – the Bureau of Labor Statistics ranks South Carolina as having the second worst unemployment rate in the nation. The SC Employment Security Commission says job growth in the state still outpaces the national rate and the state's recovery should strengthen through the rest of the year.

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN

3/23/07

Some good financial news for South Carolina tonight. The state's credit rating has been upgraded. State Treasurer Thomas Ravenel says major credit rating agency Moody's Investors Services has moved the state from a "Negative" to a "Triple-A Stable" rating. Ravenel says this is good news for taxpayers because it keeps borrowing costs down.

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN

3/27/07

The Governor made a trip to the Low Country to help open a new Daimler Chrysler plant. The plant is in Ladsen, near Charleston. It will produce Chrysler's commercial Sprinter vans.

WACH FOX NEWS AT TEN

3/27/07

The Central Midlands Regional Transit Authority has good news for some of its customers. The CMRTA board has approved new routes that extend out to the Village at Sandhill Shopping Center in Northeast Richland County. New service will also be provided along Faraway Drive and Alpine Road. Numerous requests had been made by individuals who would like to seek employment in the Village of Sandhills; also from those who would like to get there to access the good retail shopping. The new test routes should begin running by June.