

**Quarterly List of Programming Providing  
the Most Significant Treatment of  
Community Issues**

1st Quarter 2015  
WSPA-TV

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**Covering the period beginning January 1, 2015  
Ending March 31, 2015**

**Media General Communications Holdings, LLC  
WSPA-TV, SPARTANBURG, SOUTH CAROLINA**

**Station WSPA-TV is a CBS Network affiliate in its service area. In carrying out its responsibilities as a public trustee the station deals with and is responsive to the principal issues arising in its community on a continuing basis. A variety of specials, public service announcements, public affairs programs and broadcasts on matters of concern to our community are supplemented, in some cases, with in-community projects.**

**Our most significant programming which has dealt with current community issues during the preceding three-month period are set forth below.**

## ATTACHMENT A

## DESCRIPTION OF LOCAL PROGRAMS PROVIDING MOST SIGNIFICANT TREATMENT OF COMMUNITY ISSUES

The following programs are locally produced live programs that present a mix of news, weather, sports and issue-related stories and segments. The issue responsive program segments are usually two minutes in duration, unless otherwise noted

<u>PROGRAM</u>	<u>DAY</u>	<u>TIME</u>
<b>7 On Your Side DAYBREAK @ 5am, 5:30am &amp; 6am</b>	Monday - Friday	5:00 - 7:00am
<b>7 On Your Side @ NOON</b>	Monday - Friday	12:00-12:30pm
<b>7 On Your Side @ 5</b>	Monday -Friday	5:00 - 5:30pm
<b>7 On Your Side @ 5:30</b>	Monday-Friday	5:30 – 6:00pm
<b>7 On Your Side @ 6</b>	Monday- Sunday	6:00 - 6:30pm
<b>7 On Your Side @ 7</b>	Monday-Friday	7:00 – 7:30pm
<b>7 On Your Side @ 11</b>	Monday -Sunday	11:00 -11:35pm
<b>7 On Your Side Daybreak Saturday</b>	Saturday	6:00 - 8:00am
<b>7 On Your Side Daybreak Sunday</b>	Sunday	6:00 - 8:00am

**CARING FOR THE CAROLINAS -** Once a Month

WSPA News Channel 7 will highlight our community outreach events under one umbrella we call *Caring for the Carolinas*. Each month we highlight a new community service project.

**CRIME TRACKER:** - Monday-Friday

You can track crime in your neighborhood on our web page [www.wspa.com](http://www.wspa.com). There's a map where you can type in your address and pick the crime, you can then see how often it has occurred in your area.

**MEDICAL WATCH:** Monday-Friday 5:00 - 7:00 a.m., 5:00 - 5:30 p.m.

Medical information provided by area hospitals and medical centers that airs three times a week as a mini-feature in the 5 PM News program. Viewers can get additional information by logging on [www.wspa.com](http://www.wspa.com).

**PROBLEM SOLVER AND COMMUNITY WATCHDOG:** Monday – Friday All Newscasts

A program designed to help people in the community with problems they have tried to resolve on their own, but with little to no results, News Channel 7 identifies the problem and helps that person get resolution to their problem.

**PET OF THE WEEK:** Mondays 12:00 - 12:30 p.m.

Weekly news series focusing on pet healthcare and pet adoption.

**PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS** Daily Various Times

WSPA-TV broadcasts local and national public service announcements of varying lengths throughout its broadcast schedule. Some of the announcements are part of campaigns on one subject.

**VOICE OF THE VOTER:** During Elections

The Community is able to email [www.wspa.com](http://www.wspa.com) or call 1-800-207-6397, include their name, hometown and questions for the candidates and News Channel 7 will ask the candidate directly.

**CBS news programs** presenting a mix of news, weather, sports and issue-related stories and segments. The issue responsive program segments are usually two minutes in duration, unless otherwise noted

**60 MINUTES**

Sundays

7:00 -8:00pm

This is a CBS public affairs program featuring investigative reporting on issues facing the American public. The program usually has three segments, each approximately fifteen minutes in length.

**48 HOURS**

Saturday

10:00 - 11:00pm

This CBS public affairs program is an hour-long investigation of current issues with a different topic for each program.

**SUNDAY MORNING**

Sundays

9:00 - 10:30am

Produced by CBS News, this program presents news and current issue stories as well as human-interest features.

**FACE THE NATION**

Sundays

10:30 - 11:00am

Produced by CBS, this weekly half-hour program discusses a spectrum of national and international issues.

**CBS THIS MORNING**

Monday - Friday

7:00 - 9:00am

This daily, two-hour, CBS news program features news, weather, issue -oriented stories, health tips and general interest items.

**CBS NEWS**

Monday - Sunday

6:30 - 7:00pm

**Issues Addressed Using Public Service Announcements Include:**

*(Description of PSA's receiving most extensive airtime attached.)*

SOUTH CAROLINA SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF AND BLIND

SOUTH CAROLIAN BROADCASTERS ASSOCIATION (

FLOODS

FIRES

STORMS

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MOBILE MEALS

SPARTANBURG SOARING

## **1st Quarter 2014 Issue Summary**

**WSPA-TV has ascertained the following issues of importance to the viewing community.**

**Some examples of the ways WSPA-TV used news programs to address issues of concern to the public in its service area are included in this report. Duration of report is 30 seconds to 2:00 minutes.**

**GOVERNMENT  
CONSUMER AFFAIRS  
EDUCATION  
PUBLIC HEALTH  
PUBLIC SAFETY AND CRIME**

## **GOVERNMENT**

**PROGRAM: STATEHOUSE WATCH**

**7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK**

**DATES: JANUARY 02, 2014**

**PROGRAM SUMMARY:** BUSINESSES AND TAXPAYERS WILL GET A BIG BREAK THIS YEAR IN NORTH CAROLINA. A NEW LAW LOWERS CORPORATE TAXES FROM 6.9% TO 6% LAST YEAR. ON JANUARY 1<sup>ST</sup>, THEY WENT DOWN TO 5%, MAKING IT ONE OF THE LOWEST TAX RATES IN THE NATION. INDIVIDUAL TAXES WILL DROP FROM 5.8% TO 5.75%.

**PROGRAM: STATEHOUSE WATCH**

**7 ON YOUR SIDE AT 11PM**

**DATES: JANUARY 06, 2014**

**PROGRAM SUMMARY:** THERE'S A NEW PUSH TO CRACK DOWN ON CRIMINAL DOMESTIC VOILENCE IN SOUTH CAROLINA, AND IT COULD TAKE GUNS AWAY FROM ABUSERS. SOUTH CAROLINA LEADS THE NATION IN THE NUMBER OF WOMEN KILLED BY MEN. THAT'S ACCORDING TO THE VIOLENCE POLICY CENTER. SENATORY LARRY MARTING IS PROPOSING A BILL THAT WOULD PREVENT GUN OWNERS CONVICTED OF CRIMINAL DOMESTIC VIOLENCE OF A HIGH AND AGGRAVATED NATURE, TO HAND OVER THEIR GUNS FOR TEN YEARS. THAT INCLUDES NO ACCESS TO GUNS WHILE OUT ON BOND IF JUDGE ORDERED.

**PROGRAM: STATEHOUSE WATCH**

**7 ON YOUR SIDE AT 11PM**

**DATES: JANUARY 07, 2014**

**PROGRAM SUMMARY:** GOVERNOR NIKKI HALEY WILL TAKE THE OATH OF OFFICE FOR HER SECOND TERM TOMORROW MORNING AT 11. WE WILL LIVE STREAM IT AT WSPA.COM. HALEY'S INAUGURATION SPEECH FOUR YEARS AGO DID NOT CONTAIN ANY PROMISES, OR ANY SPECIFIC LAWS THAT SHE WANTED PASSED. SHE TALKED ABOUT OPPORTUNITIES THE STATE HAD TO CHANGE FOR THE BETTER.

**PROGRAM: STATEHOUSE WATCH**

**7 ON YOUR SIDE AT 11PM**

**DATES: JANUARY 19, 2014**

**PROGRAM SUMMARY:** SEVERAL NEW BILLS ARE COMING OUT OF THE UPSTATE TO CIRCUMVENT SOUTH CAROLINA'S LEGALIZATION OF SAME-SEX MARRIAGE. COUPLES STARTED GETTING MARRIAGE LICENSES IN THE STATE IN NOVEMBER. THE FOUR NEW ANTI-GAY MARRIAGE BILLS IN THE STATEHOUSE ARE SPONSORED BY LAWMAKERS OUT OF GREENVILLE, SPARTANBURG, AND LAURENS. ON BILL PROHIBITS TAX DOLLARS FROM BEING USED TO PAY SALARY OR BENEFITS TO A GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE WHO GRANTS A MARRIAGE LICENSE TO A SAME-SEX COUPLE. ANOTHER ALLOWS GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES TO REFUSE TO ISSUE A MARRIAGE LICENSE TO A SAME-SEX COUPLE IF THEY OBJECT BECAUSE OF RELIGIOUS BELIEFS. A THIRD BILL PREVENTS THE STATE FROM PUNISHING ANYONE WHO REFUSES TO PROVIDE GOODS OR SERVICES TO A SAME-SEX COUPLE. ANOTHER BILL CALLS FOR A CONVENTION OF THE STATES TO AMEND THE U.S. CONSTITUTION TO DEFINE MARRIAGE BETWEEN ONE MAN AND ONE WOMAN.

**PROGRAM: STATEHOUSE WATCH**

**7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK**

**DATES: JANUARY 28, 2014**

**PROGRAM SUMMARY:** SEVERAL PROPOSALS TO FIX UP SOUTH CAROLINA'S ROADS WILL MOVE ON IN THE HOUSE. A COMMITTEE APPROVED SOME RECOMMENDATIONS. ONE MEASURE DROPS THE STATE'S GAS TAX BY SIX CENTS AND THEN ADDS A 6% SALES TAX TO FUEL. THERE ARE ALSO PROPOSALS TO RESTRUCTURE THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, AND LET COUNTIES MAINTAIN AT LEAST 15,000 MILES OF SHORT, LIGHTLY-TRAVELED ROADS. LAWMAKERS WILL WRITE THE BILL AND SEND IT TO THE WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE.

PROGRAM: **STATEHOUSE WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATES: FEBRUARY 3, 2014

PROGRAM SUMMARY: SENATORS IN THE SOUTH CAROLINA LEGISLATURE ARE DECIDING WHETHER TO CONFIRM THE WOMAN THAT GOVERNOR NIKKI HALEY PICKED TO LEAD THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES. WE WERE THERE IN DECEMBER FOR THAT ANNOUNCEMENT. THE SENATE GENERAL COMMITTEE WILL MEET WITH SUSAN ALFORD FOR A SECOND TIME TODAY. LAST WEEK, ALFORD SAID SHE WANTS TO VISIT EACH COUNTY, ASSESS ITS NEEDS AND HEAR WHY CASEWORKERS LEAVE THE AGENCY.

PROGRAM: **STATEHOUSE WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT 6PM

DATES: FEBRUARY 10, 2014

PROGRAM SUMMARY: POLICE AND PROSECUTORS ARE CALLING ON STATE LAWMAKERS TO CHANGE SOUTH CAROLINA'S DUI LAW. THEY SAY A LOOPHOLE IN THE CURRENT LAW IS LETTING SOME DRUNKEN DRIVERS GO FREE. THE LAW REQUIRES POLICE TO VIDEOTAPE THE TRAFFIC STOP, BUT IF THE DRIVER GOES OUT OF THE PICTURE, OR YOU CAN'T SEE PART OF HIM, SOMETIMES THOSE CASES ARE BEING THROWN OUT. LAWMAKERS HAVE BILLS IN THE HOUSE AND SENATE TO CLOSE THAT LOOPHOLE. SOUTH CAROLINA RANKS WORST IN THE NATION FOR DRUNKEN-DRIVING DEATHS.

PROGRAM: **STATEHOUSE WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATES: FEBRUARY 18, 2014

PROGRAM SUMMARY: A SOUTH CAROLINA HOUSE COMMITTEE WILL TAKE UP A CONTROVERSIAL VOTE TO POSSIBLY CLOSE SOUTH CAROLINA UNIVERSITY. A SUBCOMMITTEE ALREADY APPROVED A PLAN TO FIRE THE PRESIDENT, BOARD OF TRUSTEES, AND CLOSE THE HISTORICALLY BLACK UNIVERSITY FOR TWO YEARS TO PAY OFF \$70 MILLION OF DEBT. A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES SAYS THE SCHOOL WILL WORK ITS WAY OUT OF TROUBLE, BUT JUST NEEDS SOME HELP.

PROGRAM: **STATEHOUSE WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATES: FEBRUARY 25, 2014

PROGRAM SUMMARY: STATE LAWMAKERS ARE BEING FORCED TO TAKE A DAY OFF BECAUSE OF ALL THE SNOW. BOTH THE HOUSE AND SENATE VOTED TO TAKE THURSDAY OFF. THE HOUSE WILL HOLD A JOINT SESSION TODAY THEN ADJOURN FOR THE WEEK. THE SENATE SAYS IT MAY MEET, BUT WANTS TO GIVE LEGISLATORS ENOUGH TIME TO GET HOME SAFELY.

PROGRAM: **STATEHOUSE WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATES: MARCH 2, 2014

PROGRAM SUMMARY: MORE THAN 17,000 CHILDREN HAVE BEEN POISONED BY DETERGENT PODS OVER THE PAST THREE YEARS. NOW LAWMAKERS ARE WORKING TO INTRODUCE SAFETY STANDARDS WITHIN THE NEXT 18 MONTHS TO HELP PROTECT KIDS. THE LEGISLATION REQUIRES THE PACKAGING TO BE CHILD RESISTANT, AND REQUIRES A SPECIAL DESIGN WITH LESS ATTRACTIVE COLORS SO THAT KIDS WILL NOT THINK IT IS CANDY. IT WOULD ALSO REQUIRE CLEAR WARNING LABELS.

PROGRAM: **STATEHOUSE WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATES: MARCH 10, 2014

PROGRAM SUMMARY: THE SOUTH CAROLINA BOARD OF EDUCATION IS EXPECTED TO APPROVE NEW MATH AND READING STANDARDS. IT REPLACES COMMON CORE STANDARDS STUDENTS ARE LEARNING RIGHT NOW. YESTERDAY, THE STATE'S EDUCATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE PASSED THE NEW GUIDELINES. NOW IT JUST NEEDS THE FINAL APPROVAL FROM THE BOARD. A LAW PASSED LAST SPRING REQUIRES NEW STATE-DEVELOPED GUIDELINES INSTEAD OF THE CONTROVERSIAL FEDERAL RULES.

PROGRAM: **STATEHOUSE WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT 6PM

DATE AIRED: MARCH 18, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: SOME MAJOR NEW DEVELOPMENTS WITH SOUTH CAROLINA STATE UNIVERSITY AND ITS FINANCIAL SITUATION. A NEW AUDIT JUST RELEASED SAYS THE FINANCIAL SITUATION IS EVEN WORSE THAN LAWMAKERS ALREADY KNEW. THE SCHOOL WILL BE \$23.5 MILLION IN DEBT BY THE END OF JUNE. THE HOUSE VOTED TODAY TO FIRE THE SCHOOL'S BOARD OF TRUSTEES. THE S.C. BOARD RECENTLY FIRED PRESIDENT THOMAS ELZEY. LAWMAKERS ARE HOPING TO GET AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE HOUSE AND SENATE BILLS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE, SO THEY CAN START FIXING THE PROBLEMS AT S.C. STATE. THE SCHOOL IS ALREADY ON PROBATION AND COULD LOSE ITS ACCREDITATION. THAT COULD EFFECTIVELY CLOSE THE SCHOOL, BECAUSE WITHOUT ACCREDITATION STUDENTS CANNOT GET FEDERAL FINANCIAL AID.

PROGRAM: **STATEHOUSE WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATE AIRED: MARCH 26, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: A NEW BILL TO PROTECT YOUR CHILDREN FROM BEING OVERMEDICATED BY NURSES IS ON ITS WAY TO THE FULL SENATE MEDICAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE. "SAMUEL'S LAW" WAS INTRODUCED YESTERDAY BY A LOCAL SENATOR AFTER AN ANDERSON COUPLE'S CHILD, NAMED SAMUEL, DIED BECAUSE THEY SAY A NURSE PRESCRIBED TOO MUCH MEDICATION. THE FAMILY SAYS THE NURSE WAS BARELY FURNISHED. THIS NEW BILL WOULD REVOKE THE LICENSE OF ANY NURSE WHO OVER OR UNDERMEDICATES A PATIENT. IF IT PASSES THROUGH THE SENATE MEDICAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE IT GOES TO THE FULL SENATE. THEN IT WOULD ALSO HAVE TO BE PASSED BY THE HOUSE.

PROGRAM: **ELECTION WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATE AIRED: MARCH 30, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: PEOPLE LIVING IN SPARTANBURG WILL GET THE OPPORTUNITY TO DECIDE WHO WILL FILL A VACANT SEAT ON CITY COUNCIL DURING A SPECIAL ELECTION. DISTRICT 4'S COUNCILWOMAN, CATE RYBA, RESIGNED IN DECEMBER. NOW THERE ARE THREE CANDIDATES WANTING TO FILL THAT SEAT. POLLS WILL BE OPEN FROM SEVEN IN THE MORNING TO SEVEN IN THE EVENING. WE'LL UPDATE YOU ON THE RESULTS ON-AIR, AND ONLINE AT WSPA.COM.

## **CONSUMER AFFAIRS**

PROGRAM: **CONSUMER WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT 6

DATES: JANUARY 01, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: THE NEW YEAR IS STARTING WITH RECORD-LOW GAS PRICES, AND THEY WILL CONTINUE TO DROP. AAA SAYS AMERICANS COULD SAVE \$50 TO \$75 BILLION ON GAS THIS YEAR. ECONOMISTS SAY THE MAIN REASON IS AN OVERABUNDANCE OF SUPPLY FROM THE MIDDLE EAST. TO FIND THE CHEAPEST GAS WHERE YOU LIVE GO TO WSPA.COM AND LOOK FOR THE BIG BLUE BOX ON OUR HOMEPAGE.



PROGRAM: **CONSUMER WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT 7

DATES: JANUARY 05, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: MICROSOFT IS LAUNCHING A NEW SMARTPHONE FOR \$29. THE NOKIA 215 HAS INTERNET CONNECTIVITY AND A CAMERA. IT GETS USERS ONLINE VIA THE OPERA MINI BROWSER, BING SEARCH, MSN WEATHER, TWITTER AND FACEBOOK. IT ALSO COMES WITH FACEBOOK'S MESSENGER SERVICE FOR INSTANT NOTIFICATIONS. THE PHONE WON'T BE SOLD IN AMERICA JUST YET. IT WILL BE RELEASED IN "SELECT MARKETS" IN THE MIDDLE EAST, AFRICA, ASIA, AND EUROPE.

PROGRAM: **CONSUMER WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT 11

DATES: JANUARY 14, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: THE FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION WANTS TO HEAR FROM CUSTOMERS COMPLAINING ABOUT CABLE, PHONE, OR INTERNET SERVICE. IT HAS A NEW ONLINE CONSUMER HELP CENTER TO GIVE INFORMATION ON COMMON ISSUES AND WAYS TO RESOLVE THEM. IT ALSO ALLOWS YOU TO FILE COMPLAINTS. THE SITE EVEN GIVES YOU A TRACKING NUMBER SO YOU CAN SEE JUST HOW QUICKLY YOUR CONCERNS ARE BEING ADDRESSED.

PROGRAM: **CONSUMER WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT 11

DATES: JANUARY 23, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: ANOTHER MAJOR COMPANY COULD BE EXPANDING INTO THE UPSTATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. THE "FINANCIAL TIMES" OF LONDON REPORTS THAT VOLVO IS LOOKING AT THE SOUTHEAST TO BUILD ANOTHER PLANT. THE SWEDISH CARMAKER ALREADY HAS ONE PLANT IN VIRGINIA THAT EMPLOYS MORE THAN 2,000 PEOPLE. ONE SPARTANBURG COUNTY COUNCILMAN SAYS VOLVO WOULD LIKELY DO BUSINESS WITH SOME OF SOUTH CAROLINA'S 200 AUTO SUPPLIERS.

PROGRAM: **JOB WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT 11

DATES: JANUARY 28, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: ANOTHER BIG BUSINESS IS MAKING THE UPSTATE HOME, AND BRINGING LOTS OF JOBS. RITE AID, A PHARMACY COMPANY, SAYS IT PLANS TO BUILD A DISTRIBUTION PLANT IN SPARTANBURG COUNTY NEAR HIGHWAY 221. THAT WILL MEAN 600 NEW JOBS. RITE AID IS TRYING TO CONSOLIDATE THREE OTHER PLANTS IN ALABAMA, NORTH CAROLINA, AND WEST VIRGINIA. RITE AID SAYS EASY ACCESS TO INTERSTATE 85 IS ONE OF THE BIG REASONS IT DECIDED TO COME TO THE UPSTATE. THE DISTRIBUTION CENTER IS EXPECTED TO OPEN NEXT YEAR.

PROGRAM: **CONSUMER WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT 11

DATES: FEBRUARY 3, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: THERE IS A NEW SCAM GOING AFTER YOUR SMARTPHONE AND YOUR BANK ACCOUNT. IT IS A VIRUS CALLED "RANSOM-WARE." IT HOLDS YOUR PHONE HOSTAGE. YOU WILL SEE A SCREEN THAT CLAIMS TO BE FROM A GOVERNMENT AGENCY. IT ASKS YOU TO PAY A FINE. IF YOU DON'T, IT LOCKS YOUR PHONE. RESTORING THE PHONE TO FACTORY SETTINGS IS AN EASY FIX, BUT YOU NEED TO HAVE BACKED UP YOUR DATA BEFORE GETTING THE VIRUS. EXPERTS SAY THE SCAM IS MORE COMMON ON ANDROIDS THAN I-PHONES.

PROGRAM: **JOB WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT 5:30

DATES: FEBRUARY 10, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: HOME DEPOT IS HIRING TENS OF THOUSANDS OF NEW EMPLOYEES. THE RETAILER IS LOOKING FOR AT LEAST 80,000 PART-TIME AND SEASONAL WORKERS AHEAD OF ITS BUSIEST TIME OF YEAR. THAT INCLUDES 270 OPENINGS IN THE UPSTATE. JOBS INCLUDE CASHIERS, SALES ASSOCIATES, AND FILLING ONLINE ORDERS. SOME OF THE JOBS COULD LEAD TO FULL-TIME WORK. TO FIND AN APPLICATION JUST HEAD TO WSPA.COM.

PROGRAM: **CONSUMER WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT 5:30

DATES: FEBRUARY 18, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: PIZZA MAKERS APPARENTLY CAN'T FIT ANYTHING ELSE INSIDE A CRUST, SO INSTEAD, LITTLE CAESAR'S IS WRAPPING THE CRUST IN BACON. THE PIZZA COMES WITH THREE-AND-A-HALF FEET OF BACON.

PROGRAM: **CONSUMER WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATES: FEBRUARY 25, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: A WARNING FOR PARENTS WHO HAVE CHILDREN WHO BRING FRIENDS HOME TO HAVE FUN IN THE SNOW. YOU COULD BE ON THE HOOK IF ANYONE GETS HURT. A PERSONAL INJURY ATTORNEY SAYS YOU HAVE A LEGAL RESPONSIBILITY TO WARN ANY GUEST OF POSSIBLE HAZARDS ON YOUR PROPERTY, AND ALSO TO FIX THOSE TROUBLE SPOTS. YOU ARE NOT AS RESPONSIBLE IF SOMEONE COMES OVER UNEXPECTEDLY OR UNINVITED AND GET HURT. YOU SHOULD CHECK THE LIABILITY PORTION OF YOUR INSURANCE TO MAKE SURE IT WILL HELP PAY FOR MEDICAL BILLS IF SOMEONE GETS HURT ON YOUR PROPERTY.

PROGRAM: **CONSUMER WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATES: MARCH 2, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: ACCORDING TO THE NATIONAL HIGHWAY TRAFFIC SAFETY ADMINISTRATION, HYUNDAI IS RECALLING MORE THAN 200,000 OF ITS VEHICLES. THE PROBLEM IS A POWER STEERING DEFECT THAT INCREASES THE RISK OF A CRASH. THE RECALL AFFECTS ELANTRA SEDANS MADE BETWEEN 2008 AND 2010, AS WELL AS ELANTRA TOURING HATCHBACKS FROM 2009 AND 2010. HYUNDAI SAYS ABOUT 3% OF THOSE VEHICLES HAVE THE DEFECT.

PROGRAM: **CONSUMER WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATES: MARCH 10, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: A MAJOR VICTORY TODAY FOR GUN OWNERS. THE OBAMA ADMINISTRATION IS TOSsing OUT A PROPOSAL TO BAN A POPULAR TYPE OF RIFLE AMMUNITION. THE DECISION COMES AFTER A FIRESTORM OF PUBLIC CRITICISM. THE A.T.F. HAD PROPOSED BANNING TWO TYPES OF AMMUNITION USED IN AR-15 STYLE RIFLES. OFFICIALS ARGUED IT COULD PENETRATE OFFICERS' PROTECTIVE VESTS IF USED IN A HANDGUN.

PROGRAM: **CONSUMER WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATES: MARCH 18, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: PARENTS NEED TO CHECK THE KITCHEN PANTRY. THERE IS A RECALL FOR MAC-AND-CHEESE. KRAFT FOODS IS RECALLING ABOUT 6.5 MILLION BOXES OF ITS ORIGINAL FLAVOR "KRAFT MACARONI AND CHEESE." THE BOXES MAY CONTAIN SMALL PIECES OF METAL. THEY ARE MARKED WITH "BEST WHEN USED BY" DATES RANGING FROM SEPTEMBER 18<sup>TH</sup> 2015 THROUGH OCTOBER 11<sup>TH</sup>. THERE IS ALSO A CODE, "C2" MARKED ON THE BOX. THE RECALL COVERS 7.25 OUNCE BOXES THAT WERE SOLD INDIVIDUALLY AND IN PACKS OF THREE, FOUR AND FIVE.

PROGRAM: **CONSUMER WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATES: MARCH 25, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: GRACO CHILDREN'S PRODUCTS IS RECALLING MORE CAR SEATS FOR PROBLEMS WITH THE HARNESS BUCKLES. IT IS THE LARGEST CAR SEAT RECALL EVER. THERE HAVE BEEN NO INJURIES. THE RECALL COVERS INFANT SEATS WITH BRANDS INCLUDING: THE SNUG RIDE, AND APRICA MODELS THAT WERE MADE BETWEEN JULY 2010 AND 2013. WE HAVE ALL THE INFORMATION YOU NEED ON OUR WEBSITE, WSPA.COM.

PROGRAM: **CONSUMER WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATES: MARCH 30, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: WHEN YOU NEED TO CHECK IF YOU HAVE SPOILED FOOD IN THE REFRIGERATOR YOU TAKE A LOOK TO SEE IF THE COLOR HAS CHANGED, OR YOU SMELL IT. BUT FOOD SAFETY EXPERTS SAY NOT ALL FOODBORNE GERMS CAN BE SEEN, SMELLED, OR EVEN TASTED. IN A YAHOO HEALTH REPORT, ONE EXPERT SAYS LEAVING THE FOOD OUT FOR A FEW HOURS AT ROOM TEMPERATURE CAN SHORTEN THE FOOD'S LIFE. SO DON'T LEAVE IT OUT ANY LONGER THAN FOUR HOURS. AFTER THAT, TOSS IT. ALSO, MAKE SURE THE TEMPERATURE IN YOUR REFRIGERATOR IS AT 41 DEGREES. LIMIT ITEMS IN THE REFRIGERATOR DOOR. IT IS USUALLY FIVE DEGREES WARMER THERE.

## **EDUCATION**

PROGRAM: **SCHOOL WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATE AIRED: JANUARY 02, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: PEOPLE IN FAVOR OF SCHOOL CHOICE WILL TRY TO EXPAND SOUTH CAROLINA'S SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM FOR STUDENTS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS. 266 PEOPLE USED SOME OF THE \$8 MILLION IN STATE INCOME TAX CREDITS THIS PAST YEAR. NOW, SENATOR LARRY GROOMS WANTS TO PUT MORE MONEY INTO THE SCHOLARSHIPS AND EXPAND ON WHO'S ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE THE MONEY THEY GIVE. GROOMS SAYS HE SEES IT AS TAKING STEPS TOWARD WIDE-OPEN SCHOOL CHOICE, IN WHICH ALL PARENTS COULD GET TUITION HELP.

PROGRAM: **SCHOOL WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATE AIRED: JANUARY 05, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: OFFICIALS FROM GREENVILLE COUNTY SCHOOLS SAY THEY HAVE BEEN DISINFECTING THE SCHOOLS; ESPECIALLY THE AREAS CHILDREN TEND TO TOUCH A LOT. THEY ARE WORRIED THE FLU WILL SPREAD QUICKLY SINCE STUDENTS ARE ABOUT TO RETURN TO CLASSES. DOCTORS SAY SCHOOL-AGED CHILDREN GET THE FLU MORE EASILY BECAUSE THEY HAVE MORE CONTACT WITH OTHER CHILDREN.

PROGRAM: **SCHOOL WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATE AIRED: JANUARY 15, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: TWO SCHOOLS IN SPARTANBURG COUNTY ARE BEING RECOGNIZED FOR THEIR HIGH PERFORMANCE, ACCORDING TO THE INDEPENDENT MAIL. LANDRUM MIDDLE SCHOOL AND MCCracken MIDDLE SCHOOL ARE ON THE "NATIONAL SCHOOLS TO WATCH" LIST BY THE ASSOCIATION FOR MIDDLE LEVEL EDUCATION. THE SCHOOLS DEMONSTRATE HIGH LEVELS OF ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE. LAST YEAR, TWO OTHER SCHOOLS IN SPARTANBURG COUNTY WERE RECOGNIZED.

PROGRAM: **SCHOOL WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATE AIRED: JANUARY 20, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: STUDENTS ARE STILL EXPECTED TO BE IN CLASS AT LAURENS MIDDLE SCHOOL AFTER A FIRE LAST NIGHT. IT HAPPENED IN A SECTION OF THE SCHOOL THAT WAS NOT CONNECTED TO THE MAIN BUILDING. THE FIRE ONLY DAMAGED ONE ROOM. THERE WAS SMOKE IN OTHER PARTS OF THE BUILDING. A DISTRICT SPOKESPERSON SAYS THE CAUSE OF THE FIRE SEEMS TO BE AN ELECTRICAL PROBLEM.

PROGRAM: **SCHOOL WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATE AIRED: JANUARY 28, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA WANTS \$7 MILLION MORE IN TAX MONEY. IT WOULD PAY FOR MORE FACULTY AND ADVISORS FOR A PROGRAM ALLOWING STUDENTS TO GRADUATE SOONER, AND FOR LESS MONEY. THE SCHOOL ALSO WANTS \$40 MILLION TO REDEVELOP THE CURRENT LAW SCHOOL.

PROGRAM: **SCHOOL WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATE AIRED: FEBRUARY 3, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: A VIDEO SHARING SERVICE CREATED FOR SMARTPHONES IS NOW TARGETING YOUNGER SCHOOL-AGE CHILDREN. VINE CREATED "VINE KIDS" AND IT HAS VIDEOS THAT HAVE BEEN FILTERED FOR APPROPRIATE CONTENT. THE APP WORKS LIKE THE REGULAR VERSION, BUT HAS CARTOON CHARACTERS, ANIMALS AND SOUND EFFECTS. IT IS CURRENTLY AVAILABLE FOR APPLE DEVICES.

PROGRAM: **SCHOOL WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATE AIRED: FEBRUARY 10, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: THE OCONEE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT IS LOOKING TO BALANCE ITS BUDGET AND THAT COULD MEAN FEWER EMPLOYEES. OUR COVERAGE PARTNERS AT THE INDEPENDENT MAIL REPORT THE DISTRICT WANTS TO CUT \$3.5 MILLION FROM THE BUDGET OVER THE NEXT TWO YEARS. BUT OFFICIALS SAY THEY ARE NOT PLANNING LAYOFFS. ONE WAY TO SAVE WOULD MEAN EMPLOYEES WHO LEAVE OR RETIRE WILL NOT BE REPLACED. THE DISTRICT BLAMES THE CUTS ON UNCERTAINTIES WITH FUNDING FROM THE STATE.

PROGRAM: **SCHOOL WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATE AIRED: FEBRUARY 20, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: CHILDREN WAITING FOR THE SCHOOL BUS ARE IN DANGER WHEN THE TEMPERATURE DROPS AS MUCH AS IT HAS. DOCTORS SAY SCHOOL CHILDREN CAN GET FROSTBITE IS AS LITTLE AS 30 MINUTES IF THE TEMPERATURE IS BETWEEN ZERO AND FIVE DEGREES WITH A FIVE MILE PER HOUR WIND. DOCTORS RECOMMEND SITTING IN THE CAR AT THE BUS STOP, OR LAYERING ON WARM CLOTHES. FINGERS, TOES, EAR LOBES AND THE TIP OF THE NOSE ARE THE MOST VULNERABLE TO FROSTBITE.

PROGRAM: **SCHOOL WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATE AIRED: MARCH 2, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: POLICE IN RALEIGH, NORTH CAROLINA ARE INVESTIGATING A REPORT OF A SEXUAL ASSAULT AT A FRATERNITY PARTY. INVESTIGATORS SAY IT HAPPENED EARLY SUNDAY MORNING. WE HAVE LEARNED THE VICTIM REPORTED BEING SEXUALLY ASSAULTED AT AN ALPHA TAU OMEGA PARTY. POLICE ARE ASKING STUDENTS WHO WERE THERE TO CALL THEM WITH INFORMATION ABOUT WHAT HAPPENED.

PROGRAM: **SCHOOL WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATE AIRED: MARCH 10, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: PRESIDENT BARACK OBAMA IS CALLING FOR CHANGE WHEN IT COMES TO HOW PEOPLE PAY BACK THEIR STUDENT LOANS. HE WAS ON THE CAMPUS OF GEROGIA TECH INTRODUCING THE "STUDENT AID BILL OF RIGHTS." IT REQUIRES PRIVATE LENDERS TO OFFER MORE REPAYMENT OPTIONS. THE PLAN ALSO CALLS FOR NEW WEBSITES WHERE BORROWERS CAN SEE ALL OF THEIR EDUCATION LOANS IN ONE PLACE, AND FILE COMPLAINTS ABOUT LOAN PROVIDERS.

PROGRAM: **SCHOOL WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT 11

DATE AIRED: MARCH 18, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: A UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA STUDENT IS DEAD AND HIS FRATERNITY IS UNDER SUSPENSION UNTIL AN INVESTIGATION INTO HIS DEATH IS FINISHED. AUTHORITIES SAY THE STUDENT WAS FOUND DEAD THIS MORNING AT A HOME ON LEE STREET. ACCORDING TO WLTX IN COLUMBIA, AUTHORITIES SAY THE STUDENT'S DEATH IS SUSPICIOUS, BUT THERE ARE NO SIGNS OF FOUL PLAY. AN AUTOPSY WILL BE PERFORMED TOMORROW TO FIGURE OUT HOW HE DIED. SO FAR, HIS NAME HASN'T BEEN RELEASED. THE STUDENT WAS A MEMBER OF THE PI KAPPA ALPHA FRATERNITY. OFFICIALS SAY THE USC CHAPTER IS NOT ON ADMINISTRATIVE SUSPENSION AND IS COOPERATING WITH INVESTIGATORS.

PROGRAM: **SCHOOL WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATE AIRED: MARCH 25, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: PARENTS WITH COLLEGE-AGED STUDENTS KNOW HOW EXPENSIVE BOOKS ARE. TODAY, THE SC SENATE EDUCATION COMMITTEE WILL TALK ABOUT MAKING COLLEGE TEXTBOOKS IN SOUTH CAROLINA MORE AFFORDABLE FOR STUDENTS AND FAMILIES. THE PROPOSED BILL WOULD CREATE A TEXTBOOK POLICY FOR PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS.

## **PUBLIC HEALTH**

PROGRAM: **MEDICAL WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATES: JANUARY 02, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: A NEW STUDY FINDS CHILDREN WITH AUTISM, WHO HAVE REGULAR INTERACTION WITH DOGS AND CATS, DEVELOP BETTER SOCIAL SKILLS. RESEARCHERS SAY PETS GIVE A CHILD WITH AUTISM TO EVENTUALLY INTERACT WITH OTHER PEOPLE AND NOT EVEN REALIZE IT.

PROGRAM: **MEDICAL WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATES: JANUARY 05, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: RESEARCH SHOWS THAT SIX-OUT-OF-TEN PEOPLE IN THE UNITED STATES ADMIT THEY GO TO WORK SICK. WITH THAT IN MIND, YOU NEED TO KNOW GERM "HOT SPOTS" TO HELP AVOID THE COLD AND FLU. IF YOU THINK TOILETS ARE NASTY, THEY'RE NOTHING COMPARED TO THE SURFACES IN THE BREAK ROOM. THAT'S ACCORDING TO U.S. NEWS AND WORLD REPORT. BE SURE TO WIPE DOWN PLACES LIKE MICROWAVE BUTTONS WITH DISINFECTANT WIPES. OTHER AREAS TO BE ON THE LOOKOUT FOR ARE BUTTONS ON THE COPY MACHINE AND DOOR HANDLES.

PROGRAM: **MEDICAL WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT 11

DATES: JANUARY 13, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: A NEW STUDY SHOWS ROUTINE BRAIN SCANS CAN HELP DOCTORS BETTER PREDICT YOUR BEHAVIOR. THE STUDY WAS PUBLISHED IN THE LATEST EDITION OF "NEURON." THE ARTICLE SUGGESTS DOCTORS MIGHT HAVE MORE SUCCESS TREATING SOME PATIENTS IF THEY EXAMINED THE WAY THE PERSON'S BRAIN FUNCTIONED FIRST. RESEARCHERS SAY THE RESULTS OF THE SCANS COULD TELL DOCTOR WHETHER PATIENTS WOULD RESPOND BETTER TO DRUGS, OR BEHAVIOR MODIFICATION, OR EVEN IF THEY WOULD HAVE AN ADVERSE REACTION TO CERTAIN MEDICATION.

PROGRAM: **MEDICAL WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATES: JANUARY 20, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: THE FLU IS STILL GOING STRONG WITH THOUSANDS OF NEW CASES REPORTED EVERY WEEK IN SOUTH CAROLINA. THE CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL SAYS THIS YEARS FLU SHOT IS ONLY 23% EFFECTIVE. TO PUT THAT NUMBER INTO PERSPECTIVE, REALLY GOOD VACCINES ARE 50% TO 60% EFFECTIVE. BUT EVEN THOUGH THIS YEARS STRAND IS LESS EFFECTIVE, DOCTORS SAY IT'S STILL IMPORTANT TO GET THE FLU SHOT. THE VACCINE ISN'T AS EFFECTIVE THIS YEAR BECAUSE THE VIRUS MUTATED MORE THAN EXPECTED.

PROGRAM: **MEDICAL WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATES: JANUARY 28, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: PARENTS PLAY A BIG PART IN HELPING CHILDREN DEVELOP HEALTHY EATING HABITS, AND NOW NEW RESEARCH IS BACKING UP THE IMPORTANCE OF COUNTING CALORIES. THE SURVEY LOOKED AT 1,000 PARENTS OF CHILDREN AGE 2-17. WHEN GIVEN MENUS WITH THE CALORIE COUNTY AND HOW MUCH EXERCISE IT WOULD TAKE TO WORK IT OFF, PARENTS USUALLY PICKED ITEMS FOR THEIR CHILDREN THAT WERE HEALTHIER.

PROGRAM: **MEDICAL WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATES: FEBRUARY 3, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: THERE ARE LESS THAN TWO WEEKS TO SIGN UP FOR HEALTH INSURANCE IF YOU HAVE NOT ALREADY DONE SO. THE ENROLLMENT PERIOD ENDS ON FEBRUARY 15<sup>TH</sup> FOR THE GOVERNMENT'S HEALTH CARE EXCHANGE. BLUE CROSS BLUE SHIELD WANTS ALL SOUTH CAROLINIANS TO GET INSURANCE. AGENTS ARE AVAILABLE TO HELP IN PERSON OR OVER THE PHONE. VISIT WSPA.COM FOR DETAILS ON HOW TO SIGN UP.

PROGRAM: **MEDICAL WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATES: FEBRUARY 10, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: NEW NUMBERS SHOW THE FIRST CASE OF MEASLES IS CONFIRMED IN GEORGIA. THE CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL SAYS THERE ARE NO CASES IN THE CAROLINAS. MEASLES HAS SPREAD TO 18 STATES, WITH MORE THAN 120 CASES. THE CASES ARE SPARKING A NEW DEBATE OVER VACCINATIONS. THE MEASLES, MUMPS AND RUBELLA, OR MMR VACCINE, IS A REQUIREMENT TO ATTEND DAY CARE OR SCHOOL IN SOUTH CAROLINA, UNLESS A CHILD HAS A RELIGIOUS OR MEDICAL EXEMPTION. SOUTH CAROLINA IS ONE OF 16 STATES WITH VACCINATION RATES BELOW 90%, WHICH IS THE NATIONAL BENCHMARK.

PROGRAM: **MEDICAL WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT 5PM

DATES: FEBRUARY 18, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: DOCTORS COULD BE CLOSER TO HAVING A VACCINE FOR HIV. SCIENTISTS AT THE SCRIPPS RESEARCH INSTITUTE SAY THEY HAVE CREATED A DRUG CANDIDATE THAT IS SO POTENT AND UNIVERSALLY EFFECTIVE IT MIGHT HELP THE BODY STOP HIV. SCIENTISTS SAY THE DRUG BLOCKS HIV IN MONKEYS AND COULD LEAD TO A HUMAN VACCINE. THE RESEARCH INVOLVES SCIENTISTS FROM MORE THAN A DOZEN RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS.

PROGRAM: **MEDICAL WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATES: FEBRUARY 25, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: HACKERS MAY HAVE INFORMATION BELONGING TO MILLIONS OF PEOPLE WHO WEREN'T EVEN CUSTOMERS OF HEALTH INSURER ANTHEM. WE TOLD YOU AT THE BEGINNING OF THE MONTH ABOUT THE CYBER ATTACK. NOW THE COMPANY SAYS IT MAY HAVE AFFECTED NEARLY 19 MILLION OTHER PEOPLE INSURED BY OTHER BLUE CROSS BLUE SHIELD PROVIDERS. THAT IS IN ADDITION TO THE 80 MILLION ALREADY AFFECTED. THE STOLEN INFORMATION INCLUDES NAMES, BIRTH DATES, AND SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS.

PROGRAM: **MEDICAL WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT 7PM

DATES: MARCH 2, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: THE AFFORDABLE CARE ACT WILL BE THE CENTER OF A U.S. SUPREME COURT DEBATE THIS WEEK. THE JUSTICES WILL HEAR ARGUMENTS ON THE TAX CREDITS MILLIONS OF PEOPLE USE TO PAY FOR COVERAGE. IF THE COURT OVERTURNS THAT PART OF THE HEALTHCARE LAW, SOME REPUBLICANS SAY THEY HAVE A PLAN TO HELP PEOPLE PAY FOR INSURANCE. A DECISION IS EXPECTED FROM THE JUSTICES IN JUNE.

PROGRAM: **MEDICAL WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATES: MARCH 10, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: COULD A NASAL SPRAY BE THE KEY TO LOSING WEIGHT? THE SO-CALLED "LOVE HORMONE" OXYTOCIN COULD TURN OUT TO BE THE KEY TO WEIGHT LOSS. "MEDSCAPE" REPORTS THE HORMONE HAS BEEN TESTED IN ANIMALS. HARVARD RESEARCHERS SAY IT COULD SOMEDAY REDUCE APPETITE AND IMPROVE THE WAY THE HUMAN BODY TAKES IN SUGAR.

PROGRAM: **MEDICAL WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATES: MARCH 18, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: RESEARCHERS IN NEW YORK ARE TESTING A DRUG THAT COULD BE THE FIRST NEW TREATMENT FOR ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE IN A DECADE. DOCTORS SAY THE DRUG, T817MA, IS DESIGNED TO PROTECT AGAINST LOSS OF NERVE CELLS IN THE BRAIN. RESEARCHERS ARE PLANNING TO ENROLL 450 PEOPLE WITH MILD TO MODERATE AZHEIMER'S DISEASE AT ABOUT 50 HOSPITALS ACROSS THE COUNTRY. THE DRUG IS BEING TESTED AT TWO LOCATIONS IN THE REGION. FIRST, WAKE FOREST UNIVERSITY IN NORTH CAROLINA IS LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS. JUST CALL 336-713-8520. ALSO, NEURO TRIALS RESEARCH NEEDS STUDY PARTICIPANTS. HERE'S THE NUMBER TO CALL. 813-877-8839. YOU CAN ALSO FIND INFORMATION ON HOW TO VOLUNTEER ON OUR WEBSITE, WSPA.COM.

PROGRAM: **MEDICAL WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATES: MARCH 24, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: AMY'S KITCHEN INCORPORATED IS RECALLING NEARLY 74,000 CASES OF FOOD SAYING IT COULD BE CONTAMINATED WITH LISTERIA. THE FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION SAYS IT GOES BACK TO A SPINACH SUPPLIER. THE RECALL IMPACTS ABOUT 19 PRODUCTS INCLUDING VEGETABLE LASAGNA, TOFU SCRAMBLES, SPINACH PIZZA, ENCHILADAS, BROWN RICE AND VEGETABLE BOWLS AND STUFFED PASTA SHELLS. FIND THE DETAILS AT WSPA.COM.

PROGRAM: **MEDICAL WATCH**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATES: MARCH 30, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: IF YOU HAVE EVER WONDERED WHAT THE TOP CONTAMINATION HAZARD IN YORU KITCHEN IS, IT'S YOUR HAND TOWEL. RESEARCHERS ASKED 123 PEOPLE TO PREPARE A RECIPE USING EITHER RAW GROUND BEEF OR CHICKEN. THE PARTICIPANTS DID THE FOOD PREPARATION IN A KITCHEN SET UP ON KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY'S CAMPUS. RESEARCHERS FOUND MANY PARTICIPANTS TOUCHED TOWELS BEFORE WASHING THEIR HANDS. HEALTH EXPERTS SAY YOU NEED TO WASH TOWELS AFTER USING THEM WHILE PREPARING A MEAL.

## **PUBLIC SAFETY AND CRIME**

PROGRAM: **CRIME TRACKER**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT 6

DATE AIRED: JANUARY 01, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: AN ESCAPED INMATE IS ON THE RUN IN THE UPSTATE. INVESTIGATORS IN SPARTANBURG COUNTY SAY DELTRICK DANDY WALKED AWAY FROM THE LIVESAY CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTE ON BROADCAST DRIVE. DETENTION OFFICERS TELL US HE WAS SENTENCED TO FOUR YEARS FOR MARIJUANA DISTRIBUTION. THE SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS IS OFFERING A REWARD FOR INFORMATION THAT LEADS TO HIS CAPTURE.

PROGRAM: **CRIME TRACKER**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATE AIRED: JANUARY 05, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: WE ARE LEARNING MORE ABOUT A DEATH INVESTIGATION IN GREENVILLE. IT HAPPENED ON SATURDAY ON ALLEN STREET. DEPUTIES SAY THEY SHOWED UP AT A HOME TO CHECK ON A PERSON WHO HAD BEEN MISSING FOR DAYS. WHEN THEY GOT THERE, THEY FOUND VANESSA PERRY WILLIAMS DEAD. INVESTIGATORS SAY HER HUSBAND, DAMIEN WILLIAMS, AND A CAR WERE MISSING.

PROGRAM: **CRIME TRACKER**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

DATE AIRED: JANUARY 15, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: DEPUTIES IN SPARTANBURG COUNTY ARE TRYING TO FIGURE OUT HOW A WOMAN FOUND AT THE END OF A DIRT ROAD DIED. HER BODY WAS FOUND ON JOY DRIVE. WE ARE TOLD SOMEONE MAY HAVE HIT HER AS SHE TRIED TO GET OUT AND GET HELP. WE WILL KEEP LOOKING INTO THIS STORY AND BRING YOU THE NEWEST INFORMATION ON AIR AND ONLINE AT WSPA.COM.

PROGRAM: **CRIME TRACKER**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT 11

DATE AIRED: JANUARY 19, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: A JUDGE DENIED BOND FOR THE MAN ACCUSED OF STABING A PREGNANT WOMAN AT A MOTEL IN THE UPSTATE. BERNARD GEORGE KEHOE IS CHARGED WITH ATTEMPTED MURDER IN GREENVILLE COUNTY. DEPUTIES SAY KEHOE STABBED THE WOMAN IN THE STOMACH AT THE QUALITY INN AND SUITES. INVESTIGATORS SAY THE WOMAN IS SEVEN-MONTHS PREGNANT. SHE AND HER BABY ARE RECOVERING.

PROGRAM: **CRIME TRACKER**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT 11

DATE AIRED: JANUARY 28, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: A FORMER LITTLE LEAGUE COACH IS UNDER ARREST. DEPUTIES IN HENDERSON COUNTY SAY JONATHAN RUSSELL TURNED HIMSELF IN TO THE MAGISTRATE'S OFFICE AFTER ALLEGATIONS HE SPANKED CHILDREN INAPPROPRIATELY AT HIS HOME DURING DIFFERENT EVENTS. HE FACES FOUR COUNTS OF MISDEMEANOR ASSAULT ON A CHILD UNDER 12. RUSSELL IS CURRENTLY FREE ON A \$4,000 BOND.

PROGRAM: **CRIME TRACKER**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT 11

DATE AIRED: FEBRUARY 3, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: DEPUTIES IN ANDERSON COUNTY ARE LOOKING FOR A MAN THEY SAY TRIED TO KILL TWO PEOPLE BY RUNNING THEM OFF THE ROAD. THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE PLANS TO RELEASE ARRESTS WARRANTS FOR JASON REID. REID IS ACCUSED OF CUASING HIS EX-GIRLFRIEND AND ANOTHER MAN TO HIT A TREE SATURDAY MORNING IN GREENVILLE COUNTY. THEY HAD MINOR INJURIES.



PROGRAM: **CRIME TRACKER**  
DATE AIRED: FEBRUARY 10, 2015

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT 11

PROGRAM SUMMARY: INVESTIGATORS SAY THERE'S BEEN A THIRD SUSPICIOUS FIRE AT A HOME IN ANDERSON. THE HOME IS CONNECTED TO A HOMICIDE INVESTIGATION. THE ANDERSON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE SAYS THE FIRE ON OLIVER STREET IS DEFINITELY THE WORK OF AN ARSONIST. WE ARE TOLD IS STARTED OUTSIDE THE HOME AND SPREAD INSIDE. IT COMES DAYS AFTER THE FIRST TWO SUSPICIOUS FIRES. INVESTIGATORS BELIEVE THEY ARE ALL CONNECTED. LAST WEEK, THE HOMEOWNER SHOT JEREMY BURNS SEVERAL TIMES. NO ONE HAS BEEN CHARGED SO FAR.

PROGRAM: **CRIME TRACKER**  
DATE AIRED: FEBRUARY 18, 2015

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT 11

PROGRAM SUMMARY: A FORMER PHYSICAL EDUCATION TEACHER AND SCOUT MASTER IS IN JAIL TONIGHT, ACCUSED OF MOLESTING A STUDENT. DEPUTIES ARE WORRIED THERE MAY BE MORE VICTIMS. DEPUTIES IN SPARTANBURG COUNTY ARRESTED HAROLD PROSSER. HE'S CHARGED WITH CRIMINAL SEXUAL CONDUCT ON A MINOR. THE VICTIM TOLD INVESTIGATORS THE ABUSE HAPPENED BETWEEN 1986 AND 1990 AT PROSSER'S HOME. THE VICTIM WAS IN THE 4<sup>TH</sup> GRADE AT THE TIME. INVESTIGATORS SAY PROSSER CONFESSED TO A SEX ACT IN FRONT OF THE CHILD.

PROGRAM: **CRIME TRACKER**  
DATE AIRED: FEBRUARY 25, 2015

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

PROGRAM SUMMARY: POLICE IN ASHEVILLE HAVE IDENTIFIED A SHOOTING SUSPECT. POLICE BELIEVE BRYANT SANDERS SHOT TWO PEOPLE IN THE FACE EARLIER THIS WEEK IN THE BILTMORE VILLAGE. INVESTIGATORS SAY THE TWO MEN WERE SITTING IN A CAR WHEN THEY WERE SHOT. BOTH VICTIMS WERE TAKEN TO THE HOSPITAL. POLICE SAY SANDERS SHOULD BE CONSIDERED ARMED AND DANGEROUS. CALL 911 IF YOU SEE HIM OR KNOW WHERE HE MAY BE.

PROGRAM: **CRIME TRACKER**  
DATE AIRED: MARCH 2, 2015

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT 6PM

PROGRAM SUMMARY: A LOCAL RAPE CASE THAT MADE NATIONAL HEADLINES IS ON HOLD AGAIN. A ROUTINE COURT HEARING SET FOR MARCH 2 IS RESCHEDULED FOR MAY. THE CASE STARTED BACK IN DECEMBER 2012. THAT IS WHEN INVESTIGATORS SAY FOUR EAST HENDERSON HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL PLAYERS RAPED A MENTALLY AND PHYSICALLY DISABLED CLASSMATE AT A HOUSE PARTY. THE CASE GAINED NATIONAL ATTENTION WHEN ONE OF THE MEN CHARGED APPEARED ON "DR. PHIL." INVESTIGATORS SAY THE MEN ADMITTED TO THE SEX ACT, BUT CLAIM IT WAS CONSENSUAL. PEOPLE IN THE COMMUNITY SAY THEY ARE TIRED OF ALL THE DELAYS AND ARE READY FOR AN ENDING.

PROGRAM: **CRIME TRACKER**  
DATE AIRED: MARCH 10, 2015

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

PROGRAM SUMMARY: POLICE IN GREENVILLE SAY KUNTA KIRKSEY IS WANTED IN CONNECTION TO THE DEADLY SHOOTING AT THE WEST COMMUNITY CENTER IN GREENVILLE ON SUNDAY. POLICE SAY KIRKSEY SHOT ALEXANDER PADEN SEVERAL TIMES IN THE COMMUNITY CENTER'S PARKING LOT ON SUNDAY NIGHT. KIRKSEY IS STILL ON THE LOOSE RIGHT NOW. POLICE WANT YOU TO CALL 911 IF YOU KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT WHAT HAPPENED, OR WHERE THEY CAN FIND KIRKSEY.

PROGRAM: **CRIME TRACKER**  
DATE AIRED: MARCH 18, 2015

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT DAYBREAK

PROGRAM SUMMARY: A MAN IN PICKENS COUNTY IS CHARGED WITH CRIMINAL SEXUAL CONDUCT WITH A CHILD. SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES SAY DONNIE WAYNE HAMILTON WAS ARRESTED EARLIER THIS WEEK, BUT WE'VE LEARNED THE INCIDENT HAPPENED LAST AUGUST. HAMILTON IS 22 YEARS OLD. HE'S IN JAIL WITH NO BOND SET AT THIS TIME.

PROGRAM: **CRIME TRACKER**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT 6PM

DATE AIRED: MARCH 26, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: A ONE-YEAR-OLD CHILD IS SAFE AT HOME TONIGHT AFTER POLICE SAY SHE WAS TAKEN FROM HER LEGAL GUARDIAN. POLICE ISSUED AN AMBER ALERT ON WEDNESDAY, A DAY AFTER HER MOTHER MELENIA RATLIFF AND BOYFRIEND CAMERON BOYD TOOK HER. DEPUTIES ACTUALLY MET RATLIFF AND HER BOYFRIEND AT HER MOTHER'S HOUSE. HER MOTHER IS LESI LOVELL. LOVELL IS THE CHILD'S LEGAL GUARDIAN, BUT DIDN'T HAVE THE COURT RECORDS TO PROVE IT. BY LAW, DEPUTIES GIVE THE CHILD TO THE BIOLOGICAL MOTHER. AN AMBER ALERT WAS ISSUED AFTER LOVELL FOUND THE PAPERWORK. RATLIFF AND BOYD EACH FACE ONE COUNTY OF CUSTODIAL INTERFERENCE FOR LYING TO DEPUTIES.

PROGRAM: **CRIME TRACKER**

7 ON YOUR SIDE AT 6PM

DATE AIRED: MARCH 30, 2015

PROGRAM SUMMARY: VANDALS ARE HITTING BUILDINGS ALL OVER THE CITY OF SPARTANBURG. INVESTIGATORS SAY THE TAGGERS SPRAY PAINTED THE EAST SAINT JOHN STREET PARKING GARAGE. THAT IS NEXT TO THE DOWNTOWN MARRIOT. THE GRAFITTI INCLUDES PROFANITY AND ANTI-GOVERNMENT MESSAGES. TAGGERS ALSO HIT HILLCREST FAMILY DENTISTRY ON EAST MAIN STREET. INVESTIGATORS ARE TRYING TO FIGURE OUT IF THE CASES ARE RELATED.

**PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS**  
**GROUPS AND ORGANIZATIONS SERVED**

**OPERATION WARMTH**

STATION HELPED ORGANIZE DONATIONS OF BLANKETS AND COATS FOR PEOPLE WHO CAN'T AFFORD THEM DURING COLD WINTER MONTHS

**PROM PRINCESS**

COLLECTED GENTLY USED PROM DRESSES FOR SCHOOL-AGED GIRLS WHO CAN'T AFFORD A DRESS FOR PROM

**SOUTH CAROLINA COMICON**

BLOOD DRIVE

**CARING FOR THE CAROLINAS**

SHREDATHON

FREE SERVICE ALLOWS PEOPLE TO SAFELY GET RID OF OLD DOCUMENTS THAT CAN'T BE THROWN AWAY BEFORE SHREDDING

**NON-BROADCAST ENHANCEMENT EFFORT**

**CRIME TRACKER:** YOU CAN TRACK CRIME FROM WHERE YOU LIVE ANYTIME YOU WANT FROM OUR WEB PAGE [WWW.WSPA.COM](http://WWW.WSPA.COM). USING NEWS CHANNEL 7'S "CRIME TRACKER" YOU CAN SEE FOR YOURSELF IF THE COMMUNITY WHERE YOU LIVE NOW IS SAFE. YOU CAN SEE WHAT THE CRIME RATE IS IN A COMMUNITY YOU'RE THINKING OF LIVING IN OR EVEN THE AREA WHERE YOU WORK OR GO TO SCHOOL.

**COLLEGE INTERNSHIP PROGRAM:**

WSPA-TV PARTNERS WITH COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES TO PROVIDE COLLEGE STUDENTS WITH ON THE JOB TRAINING IN EXCHANGE FOR COLLEGE CREDITS.

**ON YOUR SIDE:** WSPA-TV WILL INVESTIGATE A SITUATION AND INFORM THE PUBLIC ABOUT PRODUCTS THAT ARE SHOWN IN INFOMERCIALS I.E., HOW THEY WORKED AND IF THEY WORKED AND GIVE THE FINAL RESULTS.

**TOURS/CAREER FAIRS**

THE PROMOTION DEPARTMENT OFFERED DIFFERENT GROUP TOURS OF WSPA-TV FACILITIES EXPLAINING HISTORY, SYSTEMS AND CAREERS IN BROADCASTING. MOST OF THE TOURS WERE CAREER EXPLORATION CLASSES OR GROUPS STUDYING THE MEDIA.

**WSPA-TV STAFF COMMUNITY SERVICE**

**JIMMY LIZER** - SPARTANBURG COMMUNITY COLLEGE ADVISOR, SPARTANBURG COMMUNITY COLLEGE CAREER DAY SPEAKER; SPARTANBURG COMMUNITY COLLEGE TECH SCHOLARS PROGRAM COORDINATOR

**BILL PARKER** – BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA VOLUNTEER; GENERATIONS GROUP HOME VOLUNTEER

**AMY WOOD** – CHAIR, SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL

**FRED CUNNINGHAM** – HOSTED “HILARITY FOR CHARITY” FUNDRAISER EVENT AT BROAD RIVER ELECTRIC AUDITORIUM, SPARTANBURG CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AWARDS DINNER AT THE MARRIOTT,

**GORDON DILL** – HOSTED ROUNDTABLE FOR WOMEN’S GROUP CALLED “THE PALLADIAN GROUP” WHICH HOSTS FORUMS TO GET TO KNOW POLITICAL CANDIDATES

**SANDRA RENRICK** – VOLUNTEER AT A.J. WITTENBURG ELEMENTARY IN GREENVILLE AS MENTOR AND TUTOR