

**WYOS 1360 AM  
BINGHAMTON, NEW YORK**

**ISSUE RESPONSIVE PROGRAM LISTING  
April, May, June, 2018**

**Introduction**

As per the revised Federal Communications Commission Public Inspection File Rule (section 73.3526 (A)), This document is submitted in the licensee's good faith judgment.

The issue responsive news stories listed are those which represent the station's more significant treatment of the issues which we believed to be of the greatest concern during the preceding three months.

In order to allow for extended listener responsiveness, community ascertainments are conducted on an on-going basis. Areas not covered within our programming and news segments are addressed in public service announcements.

**Section I. Issues**

The station has identified the following topics as significant issues facing our community in this quarter:

- A. **Crime:** Recent incidents of crime in the Southern Tier and the efforts of law enforcement and the community to deal with such crimes.
- B. **Drugs:** Recent incidents of drug problems, and the safety issues raised by them in the Southern Tier.
- C. **Economy:** The impact of the economic situation on residents and businesses in the Southern Tier.
- D. **Family:** The impact of various events in the Southern Tier on local families.
- E. **Safety:** From accidents, to construction to weather, these are incidents that impact those who live and work in the Southern Tier.

CRIME/CRIMINAL JUSTICE

MORNING UPDATE  
:20 each time

5/23/18

6:25am, 8:25am

This feature responded to concerns about on-going scams in the region by publicizing the Binghamton police are the latest to warn about people getting calls from someone claiming to be from a police agency that wants money for a relative who is in trouble.

MORNING UPDATE  
:20

6/20/18

7:25am

In response to concern that problem neighborhoods are targeted for law enforcement while not taking patrols away from other areas, WYOS aired this feature dealing with the new Community Action Team or CAT unit starting work in troubled Johnson City neighborhoods and upcoming meetings between authorities and residents.

MORNING UPDATE  
:20 each time

6/22/18

6:24am, 8:25am

This feature responded to increased crime in certain neighborhoods by publicizing the time and location for the second meeting on the C.A.T. Unit in Johnson City has changed and giving a quick overview of the response from the first community meeting.



DRUGS

MORNING UPDATE  
:20 each time

4/25/18 7:25am, 9:25am

This feature addressed local drug recovery issues by publicizing an effort from HealthLink New York to encourage businesses to give people recovering from addiction a chance at employment and a successful life.

MORNING UPDATE  
:20 each time

4/27/18 6:25am, 8:25am

In response to concerns about drugs getting into the hands of people who misuse them or being flushed into the environment, WYOS aired this feature publicizing that Broome and Tioga Counties will be participating in National Drug Takeback Day Saturday to collect unwanted drugs.

MORNING UPDATE  
:20 each time

5/1/18 6:25am, 8:25am

This feature responded to concerns that people who are battling addiction may fall back into the problem if drug dealers approach them in the vicinity of drug and alcohol treatment centers.

MORNING UPDATE  
:20 each time

5/8/18 6:25am, 8:25am

This feature concerning several free training sessions on the use of Naloxone and identifying overdose cases addressed concerns about the opioid epidemic in the region.

MORNING UPDATE  
:20 each time

5/18/18 6:25am, 8:25am

This feature responded to concern about the continued fight against the opioid epidemic in Broome County by informing residents that the Boys and Girls Club of Western Broome, Broome-Tioga BOCES, the Southern Tier AIDS Program and Truth

Pharm are recipient of mini-grant funding to fight addiction and overdose deaths.

MORNING UPDATE  
:20 each time

6/1/18

6:25am, 8:25am

This feature dealing with an upcoming prescription drug collection event addressed concerns about addiction as collections help to keep medications out of the wrong hands.

MORNING UPDATE  
:20 each time

6/7/18

6:25am, 8:25am

In response to concerns about the effectiveness of programs to battle drug overdose deaths, WYOS aired this feature informing residents that, for a second month this year, Broome County has recorded no overdose deaths.

MORNING UPDATE  
:20 each time

6/20/18

6:25am, 8:25am

This feature addressed interest in exploring many ways to combat the opioid crisis in the region by informing residents of the passage of a measure to providing funding for inmate addiction treatment and transition services at 17 jails including Broome and Tioga Counties.

## EMPLOYMENT/ ECONOMY

MORNING UPDATE  
:20 each time

4/26/18

6:25am, 8:25am

This feature responded to concerns about the future of new jobs for long-time businesses in the region by publicizing Dick's Sporting Goods is expanding its Internet Fulfillment business with a new addition to its Broome Industrial Park location in Conklin and add jobs.

SOUTHERN TIER  
CLOSE UP

5/5/18 & 5/19 6:17am

15:00

This edition of the weekly local public affairs program addressed issues facing women leaders, including those in business, who don't have the traditional support mechanisms of their male counterparts as host, Kathy Whyte talked to the Greater Binghamton Chamber of Commerce president and one of the founders of Broome Women Lead, Jennifer Conway about the new group and their goals.

MORNING UPDATE  
:20 each time

5/11/18

6:25am, 8:25am

This feature concerning expansion of the LUMA projection festival addressed economic issues as the three year old event that has been rapidly growing attracts thousands of people downtown who also show and visit bars and restaurants.

MORNING UPDATE	5/29/18	7:25am :20	This feature addressed economic development concerns of local communities by informing residents that the Town of Maine has applied for a local government grant to help hook up natural gas service in an area along Route 26 that is home to several businesses and a school.
MORNING UPDATE :20 each time	6/6/18	6:25am, 8:25am	This feature responded to concerns about linking job seekers with companies in the area with job openings by informing listeners that the Greater Binghamton Chamber of Commerce is still taking applications from companies that want to take place in the June 15 <sup>th</sup> job fair at SUNY Broome Community College.
MORNING UPDATE :20 each time	6/14/18	6:25am, 8:25am	This feature responded to concerns about whether legalizing sports gambling in New York will go through before the end of the legislative session, allowing casinos like Tioga Downs in Nichols to offer sports betting and create more jobs.
MORNING UPDATE :20 each time	6/15/18	6:25am, 8:25am	In response to concerns about good-paying jobs being available in the region, WYOS aired this feature publicizing today's Greater Binghamton Chamber of Commerce annual job fair at SUNY Broome Community College.
MORNING UPDATE :20 each time	6/22/18	7:25am, 9:25a,	This feature responded to concerns about bringing derelict properties back to economical viability in the area by informing residents that the Broome County Legislature has unanimously approved

selling the old Endicott Johnson factory site on North Page Avenue, Endicott to National Pipe and Plastic for development of a new company headquarters.

#### ENVIRONMENT

SOUTHERN TIER  
15:00  
CLOSE UP

4/14/18

6:10am

This edition of the weekly, local public affairs program addressed issues of environmental interest as host, Kathy Whyte talked with Southern Tier Earth Fest/ Earth Day Southern Tier representative Chris

Burger about plans for the upcoming Earth Fest and how technologies and attitudes have changed over the first local Earth Day celebration.

SOUTHERN TIER 5/12/15

6:17am

15:00

CLOSE UP

This edition of the weekly, local public affairs program addressed environmental issues as host, Kathy Whyte talked with Kevin Mather, environmental educator with Cornell Cooperative Extension of Broome County about invasive species as well as preparing and maintaining the home outdoor environment for the growing season safely.

MORNING UPDATE 5/16/18

7:20am, 9:20am

:20 each time

This feature addressed environmental issues by informing resident that Southern Tier Solar Works is offering discounted solar power to people who can't install it at home.

MORNING UPDATE 6/7/18

7:23am, 9:25am

:20 each time

This feature addressed environmental issues by informing residents that Southern Tier Solar Works is signing up residents and businesses to a solar farm energy program.

SOUTHERN TIER 6/9/18

6:39am

15:00

CLOSE UP

This edition of the weekly, local public affairs program addressed the environmental issues associated with alternative energy as host, Kathy Whyte talked with Adam Fling of Southern Tier Solar Works about a number of opportunities, developments and even political set backs involving solar power.

MORNING UPDATE 6/19/18

6:24am, 8:25am

:20 each time

This feature responded to environmental health concerns associated with natural gas

drilling through “fracking” in Pennsylvania by informing residents that two recently published studies find no serious negative impacts on groundwater around wells during different stages of drilling and production.

FAMILY/ EDUCATION/ CULTURE/ HISTORY

<p>SOUTHERN TIER 15:00 CLOSE UP</p>	<p>4/7/18</p>	<p>6:15 am</p>	<p>This edition of the weekly, local public affairs program addressed the issues of adding a pet to the family dynamic and dealing with issues when pet adoption doesn't work out as host, Kathy Whyte talked to the founder of Shelter Slam, John DeLola about the music festival that raises money for shelters and animal rescue organizations, how he started the event and the issues surrounding educating people about responsible pet ownership, its pitfalls and rewards.</p>
<p>SOUTHERN TIER 15:00 CLOSE UP</p>	<p>4/21/18</p>	<p>6am</p>	<p>This edition of the weekly, local public affairs program addressed healthy family issues in observance of Child Abuse Prevention Month as host, Kathy Whyte talked to the Broome County Family Violence Prevention Council coordinator Janette Cyganovich Bush about how providing resources and support for families helps to prevent child abuse and afford a healthy environment for children to grow up.</p>
<p>SOUTHERN TIER CLOSE UP</p>	<p>4/28/18</p>	<p>6:17pm 15:00</p>	<p>This edition of the weekly, local public affairs show addressed interest in educating young people about local issues and politics as host, Kathy Whyte talked to Broome County Executive Jason Garnar about his on-going visits to every school district in Broome County to talk about what concerns students have and answer their questions about county government.</p>
<p>MORNING UPDATE</p>	<p>5/14/18</p>	<p>6:20am, 8:20am :20 each time</p>	

This feature reminded residents that school budget votes are happening locally and around New York State to decide spending on education.

MORNING UPDATE 5/16/18

6:20am, 8:20am  
:20 each time

This feature followed up on the reminder about school budget voting by informing residents that all the proposed spending plans in the area were passed by voters along with proposition for capitol projects and school bus purchases.

SOUTHERN TIER 5/26/18

6:15am  
15:00

CLOSE UP

This edition of the weekly local public affairs program addressed issues of education and family-friendly events as host, Kathy Whyte talked to the director of the Roberson Museum and Science Center, Michael Grasso about new ideas for the local museum and historic site, summer programs and how some residents can pay it forward to allow more residents, especially those with limited incomes to enjoy the facility.

SOUTHERN TIER 6/2/18

6:20am  
15:00

CLOSE UP

This edition of the weekly, local public affairs program addressed issues of family programs that teach science, technology, engineering and math as host, Kathy Whyte talked to the executive director of the Kopernik Observatory and Science Center, Andrew Deskur about the upcoming RocketFest as well as summer camp and weekend programs for children and families.

SOUTHERN TIER 6/16/18

6:19am  
15:00

CLOSE UP

This edition of the weekly, local public affairs program addressed issues facing families with members that have disabilities as host, Kathy Whyte talked with Southern Tier Independence Center development director, Bill Bartlow about the latest escape room adventure to raise money for STIC as well as some of the challenges still facing individuals wanting to be able to live independently,

decades after the passage of the Americans with Disabilities Act.

MORNING UPDATE 6/21/8

7:25am, 9:25am  
:20 each time

This feature addressed concerns of families with members that are either older or have accessibility issues by publicizing Broome County plans to apply to AARP to become an Age-Friendly Community creating neighborhoods that are inclusive and accessible to residents of all ages.

SOUTHERN TIER 6/23/18 &

6:12am  
15:00 each time

CLOSE UP 6/30/18

6:20am

This edition of the weekly, local public affairs show addressed concerns of many families in the wake of recent high-profile suicides as host, Kathy Whyte talked to the Director of the Mental Health Association of the Southern Tier (MHA ST), Keith Leahy, about the similarities and differences between more frequently talked-about teen suicide and depression and adult suicide trends, what people can do if they may contemplate suicide and what friends and family can do.

## GUNS/ SCHOOL SAFETY

MORNING UPDATE  
:20 each time

5/31/18

6:24am, 8:25am

This feature dealing with the testing of new alert systems on the Binghamton University campus addressed concerns about student safety raised following a fatal stabbing at B.U. in April in which students said it took 45 minutes for them to be alerted.

MORNING UPDATE  
:20 each time

6/12/18

6:23am, 8:25am

This feature dealt with continued concern about school security and guns by informing residents that New York Governor Andrew Cuomo wants legislators to pass Red Flag legislation that would allow parents or teachers to ask a judge to have guns removed from the homes of students deemed to be a risk to themselves or others.