

Quarterly Issues and Program List

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3rd Quarter 2018

Pursuant to the disclosure requirements in 47 C.F. R. 73.3526(11)(i), and during the quarter referenced above, this station provided information to its viewers regarding the following significant issues, including:

- Education
- Children/Youth
- Health/Healthcare
- Consumer Issues
- Community
- Cultural
- Public Safety
- Crime/Law Enforcement

Programs

Channel	Issue	Time	Date	Duration	Title of Program	Narrative Description
18	Health	10:02pm	7/2/2018	:27	24 Hour News 8 @ 10pm	A health warning from the state. They're seeing an uptick in the report of rabid bats! The number of bats that tested positive for rabies so far this year is more than double last year's count. We're at 22 cases now. We had 9 last year. Rabies is spread through the bite or scratch of an infected animal -- so use caution when you're out in the woods this summer.

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18	Health	10:06pm	7/9/2018	2:28	24 Hour News 8 @ 10pm	Six people rushed to the hospital after getting sick at a hotel pool in Cascade. It happened around 10 at the Holiday Inn Express off 28th Street. The good news - 4 young kids and their parents - are all OK. But it was a scary morning for this family - and now - they want the hotel to pay for their stay - and their medical costs.
18	Health	10:02pm	7/12/2018	7:03	24 Hour News 8 @ 10pm	A health warning from our Target 8 investigators. If you're not protecting your family from mosquitos -- it's time to reconsider. Public health leaders are concerned this summer's hot, dry weather could mean a bad year for the West Nile virus. New at six - a West Michigan couple allowed our cameras to document their lives -- changed forever last summer by a bug bite they never even noticed. As Target 8 investigator Susan Samples reports - while serious illness is rare - the virus is real and right here.
18	Health	10:04pm	7/16/2018	:46	24 Hour News 8 @ 10pm	A Paw Paw teenager who admitted to planning an attack against his classmates has been permanently expelled from his school. That decision was made at a school board meeting tonight. The 15 year old -- who we are not identifying -- was sentenced last month... to mental health treatment. He planned to attack paw paw high school back in march.

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18	Education	10:06pm	7/17/2018	1:38	24 Hour News 8 @ 10pm	A different type of scam warning tonight. It's not one targeting you or your family but scams targeting local businesses. Today the Better Business Bureau, Federal Trade Commission, and a local attorney got together to talk about the findings of a national effort to help businesses combat a growing number of scams.
18	Education	10:04pm	7/20/2018	2:05	24 Hour News 8 @ 10pm	The superintendent of Grand Rapids Public Schools is threatening legal action against the parent of a special needs student who is also a critic of the district and a Democratic candidate for the State Board of Education. Superintendent Teresa Weatherall Neal says the parent defamed her and is creating problems where none exist. new tonight -- Barton Deiters talked to the superintendent and the parent about the accusations.
18	Education	10:10pm	8/7/2018	:31	24 Hour News 8 @ 10pm	The special education program at Grand Rapids Public Schools will soon be under new management. The Grand Rapids Board of Education approved transferring the district's center-based special education programs to the Kent Intermediate School District or another educational facility on July 1st of 2019. The district will still provide center-based special education programs and services for the upcoming school year.

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18	Health	10:06pm	8/11/2018	:24	24 Hour News 8 @ 10pm	State health officials confirm two cases of swine flu have been detected here in Michigan - some of the first across the country. The Department of Health and Human Services confirmed two people were exposed to a sick pig at the Fowlerville Family Fair last month. We know both were kids and neither of them had to be hospitalized. Swine flu -- also known as H-One-N-two -- is one of 17 strains of the flu virus tracked by the C-D-C.
18	Health	10:04pm	8/13/2018	:42	24 Hour News 8 @ 10pm	In Kalamazoo County health officials are expanding their test area -- as they look for pfas contamination.
18	Education	10:09pm	8/14/2018	2:26	24 Hour News 8 @ 10pm	Just days before the first day of classes West Michigan schools are still scrambling to fill several open teacher positions. from kindergarten to high school --- some of your kids won't have a permanent teacher until after this school year begins. Marvis Herring explains how districts are trying to make it work.
18	Education	10:03pm	8/15/2018	4:56	24 Hour News 8 @ 10pm	Call it "pay, without play." Daycare providers getting state tax-dollars to serve low-income families even when they didn't earn it. A West Michigan daycare provider billed the state for care she didn't give again and again and again. Now she's facing jail time. But Target 8 investigator Susan Samples wanted to know why the state allowed her to cash in on the taxpayer's dime -- year after year after year...

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18	Health	10:12pm	8/15/2018	:23	24 Hour News 8 @ 10pm	a health alert about measles in Michigan. New numbers just out today show there are 10 confirmed measles cases in the state. That's the highest since 1998. All of the cases are on the east side of the state.
15	Community	10:15pm	8/18/2018	:45	24 Hour News 8 at 10pm	WOOD TV 8 and NBC are pairing up with shelters across the country to find forever homes for their animals. Nearly 400 animals were adopted today.
18	Health	10:04pm	8/23/2018	:52	24 Hour News 8 @ 10pm	The Kent County Health Department is still trying to figure out what caused an influenza type outbreak after more than 100 people got sick after a convention in Grand Rapids.
18	Education	10:02pm	9/4/2018	:45	24 Hour News 8 @ 10pm	Grand Rapids Public Schools have been given state approval to set up a promise scholarship program. District Superintendent Teresa Weatherall-Neal told school board members today that the district had been designated a "promise zone" by the Michigan Department of Treasury. The Board of Education will have to pass a resolution to create the Grand Rapids promise zone authority. The authority would create the plan for the scholarship program. Fourteen other districts in the state are Promise Zones, named after the Kalamazoo Promise scholarship. The program pays in-state college tuition for students who graduate from Kalamazoo Public Schools.

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18	Education	10:04pm	9/10/2018	2:12	24 Hour News 8 @ 10pm	A debate over sex ed classes in Allendale. A group called *Conservatives of Allendale Stand Together* says the district made unlawful changes to its sexual education curriculum and they want to see changes. there are five main changes listed in this 29-page complaint filed last month by the conservative group. A request that the district no longer include LGBTQ issues in anti-bullying campaigns is one of those requests that's not sitting well with some parents.
18	Health	10:02pm	9/17/2018	1:07	24 Hour News 8 @ 10pm	Health officials in Allegan County say one person has been diagnosed with Equine Encephalitis or EEE. It's one of the most dangerous mosquito-borne diseases in the United States. it's rare in humans -- but has a 33 percent fatality rate and can cause serious brain damage. The health department says the patient was hospitalized in august after showing symptoms. They say EEE has been found in people and horses in the past -- the first human cases were reported in 2016.
18	Safety	10:02pm	9/17/2018	1:47	24 Hour News 8 @ 10pm	Police say it was a credible threat that led to a partial lockdown today at schools in East Grand Rapids. The scare ended just after noon when police arrested the suspect who allegedly made that threat. Police say it started about 8 this morning when a frightened East Grand Rapids High school student told his counselor he'd been threatened.

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18	Safety	10:06pm	9/19/2018	2:20	24 Hour News 8 @ 10pm	Each year hundreds of artists incorporate a variety of timely social issues into their work. A Grand Rapids woman who's never missed an Artprize competition decided this was the year to tackle school violence-- and promote kindness.
18	Health	10:14pm	9/21/2018	1:39	24 Hour News 8 @ 10pm	More funding to treat mental health and substance abuse disorders is coming to West Michigan. It's all thanks to a federal grant program. Of the 25 organizations chosen nationwide, four are right here in Michigan. It provides a big boost in funding. Each grant recipient will receive \$4 million over the next two years.
18	Health	10:02pm	9/25/2018	:57	24 Hour News 8 @ 10pm	We've learned that a resident has died from the West Nile virus. We've reached out to the Allegan County health department. They aren't saying much about this death only that a resident has passed away. We don't know the age or sex of the resident -- or when or where this happened. the health department wants to stress that West Nile continues to be an issue in West Michigan -- and will be until temperatures drop below freezing. most people will never develop symptoms.

The station also aired the following public service announcements during the instant quarter:

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Type of Issue	Duration	Title or Narrative
Health	30 seconds	Steven & Alexandra Cohen Foundation “It’s Time to Target Lyme Disease” Check for ticks
Community	30 seconds	The Nature Conservancy “Love the Midwest” Join them to save the environment
Consumer Issues	30 seconds	Consumer Product Safety Commission “Pool Safely” Put child fence up around pool
Health	60 seconds	National Stroke Association “It’s Okay to Overreact” Signs of a stroke
Community	60 seconds	Habitat for Humanity “Everyone” Help families get shelter
Health	60 seconds	St. Baldrick’s Foundation “Paint Boy” Childhood cancer research
Health	60 seconds	Al-Anon Family Groups “Jack” Are you troubled by someone else’s drinking?
Community	60 seconds	US Dept. of Veteran Affairs “A Pledge to Veterans” Support Vets in your community
Health	60 seconds	US Dept. of Health and Human Services “Screen for Life” Get tested for colorectal cancer
Community	15 seconds	United Way “Join the Fight” Help give financial stability to people in community
Health	60 seconds	The Entertainment Industry Foundation “Stand Up to Cancer” Promo for TV network show
Youth/Health	30 seconds	MDHHS “Talk Sooner Isabelle” Anti-drug Teens