

Below is a list of some of the significant issues responded by WDCO-CD, Washington, D.C. along with the most significant programming treatment of those issues for the period October 1, 2023 to December 31, 2023. This list is by no means exhaustive. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect any priority or significance.

| Description of Issue | Program/Segment | Date | Time | Duration | Narration of Type and Description of Program/Segment |
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| Consumer Issues | 7News at 6PM | 10/2 | 8PM | 2:15 | 7News' Lisa Fletcher reported on US seeing alarming surge in online scams targeting kids and teens, study shows. |
| Consumer Issues | 7News at 6PM | 10/17 | 8PM | 2:30 | 7News' Jay Korff reported on Virginia food bank seeing increased need after pandemic-era SNAP benefits no longer available. |
| Consumer Issues | 7News at 6PM | 11/2 | 8PM | 2:40 | 7News' Jay Korff reported on concerns allege possible price-fixing of rental properties in DC also happening in Virginia and Maryland. |
| Consumer Issues | 7News at 6PM | 11/13 | 8PM | 2:45 | 7News' Lisa Fletcher reported on automakers leaping ahead of safety regulations with advanced braking systems. |
| Consumer Issues | 7News at 6PM | 11/14 | 8PM | 2:35 | 7News' Lisa Fletcher reported on AEB systems (Automatic Emergency Braking systems) soon being required but will they work when they're needed most? |
| Consumer Issues | 7News at 5PM | 11/15 | 7PM | 2:05 | 7News' Caroline Patrickis reported on nationwide campaign launching to combat rising fires from lithium-ion batteries ahead of holidays. |
| Consumer Issues | 7News at 6PM | 11/16 | 8PM | 2:30 | 7News' Lisa Fletcher reported on lead contamination in popular fruit pouch leaving over |

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| | | | | | 20 toddlers ill: Unreported cases discovered. |
| Consumer Issues | 7News at 5PM | 11/24 | 7PM | 2:05 | 7News' Caroline Patrickis reported on new 'giving machine' in Arlington mall invites shoppers to purchase items that give back. |
| Consumer Issues | 7News at 6PM | 12/13 | 8PM | 2:45 | 7News' Lisa Fletcher reported on sophisticated scams fooling cautious consumers, costing Americans billions in losses. |
| Education | 7News at 5PM | 10/3 | 7PM | 2:15 | 7News' Megan Clarke reported on Alexandria City Public Schools debuting new telehealth program to address student mental health. |
| Education | 7News at 5PM | 11/28 | 7PM | 2:30 | 7News' Nick Minock reported on chronic absenteeism spiking in Fairfax County to 17% of students missing school in 2022-2023. |
| Education | 7News at 5PM | 11/29 | 7PM | 2:10 | 7News' Megan Clarke reported on Montgomery Co. students discussing issues facing schools during town hall with councilmembers |
| Education | 7News at 5PM | 11/29 | 7PM | 2:45 | 7News' Nick Minock reported on Loudoun and Prince William County students struggling to recover from school closure learning loss. |
| Education | 7News at 5PM | 11/29 | 7PM | 2:15 | 7News' Jay Korff reported on parents saying their children have to wear winter coats at school due to heat issues. |
| Education | 7News at 6PM | 11/30 | 8PM | 2:30 | 7News' Scott Taylor reported on Prince George's County parents |

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| Education | 7News at 6PM | 12/12 | 8PM | 2:15 | 7News' Sam Ford reported on the DC Council sounding alarm as schools continue to see spike in chronic absenteeism. |
| Education | 7News at 5PM | 12/22 | 7PM | 2:30 | 7News' Caroline Patrickis reported on Fairfax County Public Schools completing investigation into data breach after student info leaked to parent. |
| School Safety | 7News at 6PM | 10/5 | 8PM | 2:45 | The I-team's Mitch Blacher reported on DC schools renewing a security license following 7News investigation; unlicensed special police remain on city payroll. |
| School Safety | 7News at 6PM | 10/17 | 8PM | 2:05 | 7News' Brad Bell reported on Prince George's Co. bus driver punched by parent. Prompts calls for better security. |
| School Safety | 7News at 5PM | 10/31 | 7PM | 2:15 | 7News' Megan Clarke reported on 9 opioid-related overdoses connected to 1 Loudoun County high school, officials say. |
| School Safety | 7News at 5PM | 11/3 | 7PM | 2:30 | 7News' Jay Korff reported on PTSA President at Park View HS calling for more student support in wake of fentanyl overdoses, |
| School Safety | 7News at 5PM | 11/20 | 7PM | 2:00 | 7News' Megan Clarke reported on Coolidge High School students being robbed at gunpoint near campus. |

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| School Safety | 7News at 6PM | 11/27 | 8PM | 2:45 | The I-team's Scott Taylor reported on Prince George's County schools' lead problem persisting: Parents question lack of working water fountains |
| School Safety | 7News at 6PM | 11/30 | 8PM | 2:30 | The I-team's Scott Taylor reported on Prince George's County parents wanting public schools to supply more safe water fountains. |
| School Safety | 7News at 6PM | 12/11 | 8PM | 2:50 | The I-team's Scott Taylor reported on a West Virginia judge wanting more time on motion to dismiss failure to report abuse charges in special needs class. |
| School Safety | 7News at 6PM | 12/14 | 8PM | 2:30 | 7News' Sam Ford reported on a student who was arrested after trying to enter Ballou High School in D.C. with a gun. |
| School Safety | 7News at 6PM | 12/19 | 8PM | 2:20 | 7News' Lisa Fletcher reported on schools being better protected against cyber-attacks if FCC approves changes pushed by 1100 districts. |
| School Safety | 7News at 6PM | 12/21 | 8PM | 2:45 | 7News' Brad Bell reported on Flowers High student charged after bringing loaded gun to school. |
| Public Safety | 7News at 6P | 10/6 | 8PM | 2:15 | 7News' Sam Ford reported on the DC Council voting to extend emergency crime bill by 90 days amid rise in violent crime. |
| Public Safety | 7News at 6P | 10/16 | 8PM | 2:30 | 7News' Sam Ford reported on a shootout at a DC Ward 5 shopping center |

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| Public Safety | 7News at 6P | 11/1 | 8PM | 2:10 | 7News' Sam Ford reported on a 12-year-old suspect in NW DC attempted carjacking being held in jail following court appearance. |
| Public Safety | 7News at 5P | 11/1 | 7PM | 1:30 | 7News' Alison Starling and Brad Bell hosted the Prince George's County 46th Annual Public Safety Valor Awards. |
| Public Safety | 7News at 6P | 11/2 | 8PM | 2:15 | 7News' Brad Bell reported on Bowie expanding speeding cameras to more residential areas, approves 21 new cameras. |
| Public Safety | 7News at 6P | 11/6 | 8PM | 2:00 | 7News' Brad Bell reported on the Maryland House Judiciary Committee to holding final briefing on juvenile crime reform amid surge in youth arrests. |
| Public Safety | 7News at 6P | 11/8 | 8PM | 2:10 | 7News' Sam Ford reported on Pamela Smith speaking on DC's crime crisis day after being confirmed as Chief of MPD. |
| Public Safety | 7News at 6P | 11/9 | 8PM | 2:30 | 7News' Sam Ford reported on DC residents, business owners pushing for anti-loitering enforcement. |

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| Public Safety | 7News at 6P | 11/14 | 8PM | 2:05 | 7News' Brad Bell reported on Prince George's County confronting rising pedestrian fatalities with Walkable Urban Streets Act. |
| Public Safety | 7News at 6P | 11/14 | 8PM | 2:15 | 7News' Sam Ford reported on DC giving out dashcams amid rise in carjackings involving delivery, rideshare drivers. |
| Public Safety | 7News at 6P | 11/21 | 8PM | 2:10 | 7News' Sam Ford reported on the DC Council approving emergency declarations addressing rising youth violence, drug crisis. |
| Public Safety | 7News at 6P | 11/22 | 8PM | 2:30 | 7News' Brad Bell reported that no crossing guard was on duty near Prince George's Co. elementary school where 2 kids were killed by van. |
| Public Safety | 7News at 6P | 11/29 | 8PM | 1:50 | 7News' Sam Ford reported on DC's public safety committee holding hearing on Mayor Bowser's proposed crime bill. |
| Public Safety | 7News at 6P | 11/30 | 8PM | 2:15 | 7News' Brad Bell reported on Prince George's County businesses calling for urgent arrest amid rising fear of serial robber. |
| Public Safety | 7News at 6P | 12/1 | 8PM | 2:15 | 7News' Brad Bell reported on a victim of juvenile carjacking |

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| Public Safety | 7News at 6P | 12/4 | 8PM | 2:05 | 7News' Sam Ford reported on DC Mayor Bowser addressing community concerns on rising crime amid neighborhood feud. |
| Public Safety | 7News at 6P | 12/11 | 8PM | 2:10 | 7News' Sam Ford reported on the DC Council committee holding public hearing on 3 public safety bills. |
| Public Safety | 7News at 6P | 12/14 | 8PM | 2:00 | 7News' Brad Bell reported on Maryland prosecutors sharing changes they want to see to curb youth crime. |
| Public Safety | 7News at 6P | 12/20 | 8PM | 2:30 | 7News' Brad Bell reported on Prince George's Co. leader joining activists in calls for steeper speed camera fines along Indian Head Highway. |
| Public Safety | 7News at 6P | 12/22 | 8PM | 2:05 | 7News' Brad Bell reported on Prince George's County executive denying any public safety furloughs after bombshell claim. |
| Health concerns | 7News at 6P | 10/8 | 8PM | 2:15 | 7News' Sam Ford reported on a DC woman blaming delayed 911 system for daughter's cardiac arrest, joins others in favor of OUC investigation. |
| Health concerns | 7News at 6P | 10/30 | 8PM | 2:45 | 7News' Lisa Fletcher reported on critical |

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| | | | | | drug shortages threatening the lives of kids with cancer |
| Health concerns | 7News at 6P | 11/9 | 8PM | 2:30 | 7News' Brad Bell reported on Calvert County leaders taking legal action to replace volunteer paramedics with professional EMTs. |
| Health concerns | 7News at 5P | 12/22 | 7PM | 2:15 | 7News' Nick Minock reported on Virginia Gov. Youngkin proposing \$28 million to address the opioid and fentanyl crisis. |
| Transportation Issues | 7News at 5 | 10/10 | 7PM | 2:05 | 7News' Tom Roussey reported on Metro launching 24-hour service on 13 busiest bus routes starting December 17. |
| Transportation Issues | 7News at 5 | 10/12 | 7PM | 2:15 | 7News' Tom Roussey reported on Metro enhancing inspection process following brake failures on oldest trains. |
| Transportation Issues | 7News at 5 | 10/24 | 7PM | 2:30 | 7News' Tom Roussey reported on Metro outlining drastic service impacts to train, bus services if funding isn't increased. |
| Transportation Issues | 7News at 5 | 11/3 | 7PM | 2:05 | 7News' Tom Roussey reported on Fairfax County police utilizing drones for enhanced crash scene investigation. |
| Transportation Issues | 7News at 5 | 11/15 | 7PM | 2:30 | 7News' Tom Roussey reported on project to improve traffic on I-95 is days away from completion, VDOT officials say. |

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| Transportation Issues | 7News at 5 | 11/16 | 7PM | 2:15 | 7News' Tom Roussey reported on millions of metro bus riders failing to tap SmarTrip cards due to faulty fareboxes, evasion issues. |
| Transportation Issues | 7News at 5 | 11/20 | 7PM | 2:05 | 7News' Tom Roussey reported on AAA projecting busy Thanksgiving holiday travel with highest number of people flying since 2005. |
| Transportation Issues | 7News at 5 | 11/28 | 7PM | 2:00 | 7News' Tom Roussey reported on DC Council member introducing bill to close streets to cars far more often. |
| Transportation Issues | 7News at 5 | 12/4 | 7PM | 2:15 | 7News' Tom Roussey reported on Metro replacing wheels on 7000 series railcars to improve safety, service. |
| Transportation Issues | 7News at 5 | 12/11 | 7PM | 2:00 | 7News' Tom Roussey reported on Metro warning of potential rail, bus service cuts without increased funding. |
| Transportation Issues | 7News at 5 | 12/14 | 7PM | 2:15 | 7News' Tom Roussey reported on Metro board considers fare increase to address \$750 million budget deficit |
| Transportation Issues | 7News at 5 | 12/14 | 7PM | 2:30 | 7News' Jay Korff reported on US Sens. Warner and Kaine saying transportation improvements critical for Caps and Wizards move to Virginia. |
| Transportation Issues | 7News at 5 | 12/20 | 7PM | 2:45 | 7News shared rare inside look at United |

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| | | | | | Airlines' Operation Center at Dulles Airport |
| Transportation Issues | 7News at 5 | 12/26 | 7PM | 1:45 | 7News' Tom Roussey reported on the Northern sections of GW Parkway maybe closing during bad winter weather, NPS officials say. |
| Transportation Issues | 7News at 5 | 12/28 | 7PM | 2:05 | 7News' Tom Roussey reported on Alexandria police hiring private contractor to enforce parking, write tickets in Old Town. |