

WBBM-TV QUARTERLY ISSUES REPORT

April 1, 2014 – June 30, 2014

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CBS 2 MORNING NEWS, MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY, 4:30AM - 7AM;

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SYNDICATED:

Alex Scott: A Stand For Hope 2014, Sat, 06/21/14 at 1:30am-2:00pm,

This 30-minute award winning documentary tells the story of Alexandra Scott, who, at 4 years old, began a national movement when she established a lemonade stand in her front yard to raise money for cancer research. Since that time, thousands of volunteers host Lemonade Days throughout the country to help fight childhood cancer. Alex's touching story is told by her parents, Liz and Jay Scott, her medical team at Children's Hospital of Philadelphia and many of the people who have been touched by her life. The program also focuses on how Alex has affected and improved the lives of other young cancer patients, bringing them hope and determination in the face of life-threatening disease.

THE DURATION OF STORIES IN THIS REPORT RANGE FROM ONE TO THREE MINUTES

Government:

April 14, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 6p) – Illinois Senator Dick Durbin is leading the charge to regulate electronic cigarettes. Durbin wants the devices to be regulated in light of a new report that highlights health concerns, marketing to young people and the lack of warning labels.

April 24, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 4:30a) – A Chicago alderman is proposing a new plan to fix the city pension crisis. Alderman Carrie Austin thinks the city should start charging for garbage pickup instead of a property tax hike –which would be done in increments rather than one lump sum.

April 30, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 11a) – The U.S. Senate is expected to vote on raising the minimum wage. The bill would raise the federal minimum wage to 10-dollars and 10-cents an hour from the current 7-dollars and 25-cents. The Illinois minimum wage is already 8-dollars and 25-cents, higher the current national requirement.

April 30, 2014 – (CBS 2 News at 10p) – A controversial state funded community development project is now under investigation. The Cook County State’s Attorney has subpoenaed records related to Governor Quinn’s Neighborhood Recovery Initiative. Investigators say funds meant to combat crime went to the husband of a county official.

April 30, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 5p) – The City Council approved a partial ban on plastic bags in Chicago. Large retailers will be required to stop using the plastic bags beginning next year. Supporters hope the ban will ease trash and environmental problems.

May 6, 2014 – (CBS 2 News at 11a) – The city is looking to expand its program to sell vacant lots for a dollar. The city wants to help impoverished areas with the sale of the lots which can be used for community gardens or expanded yards.

May 21, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 6p) – The Illinois Supreme Court is hearing arguments on the legality of red light cameras. The case centers on why the cameras are only installed near or in the city of Chicago and not statewide.

May 22, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 4:30a) – Illinois Senator Mark Kirk is weighing in on the V-A scandal. Kirk says he’s written letters to the Inspector General of the Veterans Affairs department urging him to investigate Hines hospital outside of Chicago as well as other V-A hospitals in the state.

May 23, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 5p) – Illinois lawmakers have adjourned without tackling the state’s budget crisis. Lawmakers still need to figure out a multi-billion-dollar gap between revenue and spending as well as the pension crisis.

May 27, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 10p) – Mayor Emanuel isn’t giving up his fight to restrict gun stores from opening in the city. The Mayor is behind a proposal to ban gun shops in 99 percent of the city and with 500 feet of a school. The measure would also require sales to be video-taped.

June 9, 2014 – (CBS 2 News at 11a) – President Obama is making it easier for young people facing student loan debt. A new plan will ensure that students who borrowed federal direct loans can cap their payments at 10 percent of their monthly incomes. It will help more than 5-million students.

June 10, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 6p) – A new Illinois law helps entrepreneurs who bake and sell home-made products. A 12 year old downstate girl was the inspiration for the so –called “cupcake bill”. It will allow those who bake at home to sell their products as long as they make less than one thousand dollars a month.

June 12, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 10p) – Republican gubernatorial candidate Bruce Rauner is criticizing the Quinn Administration for flying chickens on the state plane. The state spent money to fly some prairie chickens to their new habitat last year.

June 19, 2014 – (CBS 2 News at 4:30a) - Illinois U.S. Senator Mark Kirk is criticizing the Veterans Affairs Administration for the way scheduling problems are being reviewed. Following a corruption scandal, officials are now required to regularly review clinic scheduling practice. But Kirk says people responsible for problems at V-A hospitals should not be conducting those inspections.

June 23, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 5p) – Illinois lawmakers voted to subpoena the former official who ran a troubled anti-violence program. The legislative audit committee met to consider Governor Quinn’s troubled anti-violence program which can’t account for thousands of dollars. The committee says an audit raised serious question about what happened to those funds.

Crime:

April 7, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 11a) – Police have a person in custody for stealing an ambulance. The suspect stole the ambulance from Stroger Hospital as paramedics were taking a patient into the emergency room. The ambulance was recovered several miles away.

April 15, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 4:30a) – An Aurora middle school student faces charges for bringing a loaded handgun to school. Police say the 13-year-old had the gun in his locker and was showing it to classmates. Teachers discovered the weapon and called police.

April 21, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 10p) – Five young people are recovering after they were caught in gang crossfire. Among the victims is an 11 year old girl who is in serious condition with bullet wounds to the neck and lung. The children were leaving a park when they were caught in a gang shooting.

April 22, 2014 – (CBS 2 News at 6p) – A feud on social media may have led to a double murder. Prosecutors say a man shot two teenage boys in the head in the basement of a home on the South Side. The mother of one of the victims says the suspect had an argument on Facebook before the shooting.

April 25, 2014 – (CBS 2 News at 5p) – Police say a long-simmering dispute between neighbors erupted in gunfire. An 89 year old man is shot dead and his next door neighbor left wounded.

The man allegedly opened fire first and he was then shot by the woman's husband- an off duty Chicago Police officer.

May 5, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 11a) – Illinois State Police say a Romeoville father has been charged in a crash that killed his own son. The 28 year old father was charged with DUI and speeding. His 4 year old son was killed and two other children are in critical condition.

May 9, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 6p) – Chicago Police are trying a new tactic to stem violence. They are turning the city's top radio DJs to spread the peace message. The station DJs are being encouraged to regularly broadcast messages encouraging people to put down their guns.

May 21, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 10p) – There's a warning for commuters on the CTA's Blue Line. Police say a woman was stalked and attacked after riding the train. She fought back and managed to get away. Police say the suspect was caught on surveillance video.

May 22, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 5p) – Bond is denied for pedophile ex-priest Daniel McCormack. He faces new sex abuse charges involving a 10 year old boy dating back to 2005. He was sent to prison in 2007 for abusing five children at the parish where he was assigned.

May 23, 2014 – (CBS 2 News at 4:30a) – Ninety years in prison is the sentence for the man convicted in a brutal attack on two Irish exchange students. Heriberto Viramontes was sentenced for beating the women with a baseball bat during a robbery. One of women was returned to Ireland with her family but remains in a coma.

June 12, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 10p) – A reputed street gang member is being charged with the murder of a beloved special education teacher. Police say the suspect was aiming at rival gang members when he shot the teacher and two other people in a South Side real estate office.

June 13, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 11a) – Police are warning residents in the Chicago Lawn neighborhood to be on the look-out following an attempted abduction. A man tried to abduct a young girl as she walked to school in broad daylight. A passerby helped the girl and called police.

June 20, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 5p) – The FBI is tracking a bandit who's hit at least five Chicago area banks in the last ten days. The latest incident happened at a Chase Bank in suburban Hazel Crest. Police are reviewing video surveillance of the suspect during the heist.

June 20, 2014 – (CBS 2 News at 4:30a) – A former Oak Park public school employee is locked up and charged with stealing i-pads from special needs students. Police say the woman stole 47 i-pads and other equipment and was selling it on Craigslist. She left her job last year and told the district she was being deployed to the military.

June 24, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 6p) – A woman out delivering newspapers was killed this morning. Police believe the suspect first tried to take the woman's car and then ended up hitting

her as he fled. Police hope surveillance video from the neighborhood will help them identify the killer.

Consumer:

April 11, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 6p) – Chicago is losing a women’s retailer. Coldwater Creek says it’s going out of business and closing its stores. The retailer has several stores in the Chicago area. It plans to close them by all by early summer.

April 16, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 10p) – ComEd is asking for another rate hike but a consumer group is vowing to fight. ComEd says it needs the hike to pay for an electrical overhaul. Consumer groups say the power grid upgrades should pay for itself.

April 21, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 4:30a) – There’s a new hot dog recall. Kraft Foods is recalling 96-thousand pounds of Oscar Meyer “classic wieners” because the hot dogs may be mislabeled. The packages may contain “cheese-dogs” which are made with milk.

April 28, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 5p) – Homeland Security is issuing a warning about computers. The government says the web browser internet explorer has a security gap, which could allow an attacker to take over the computer. Microsoft is working on a fix.

April 30, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 11a) – There’s a new report on when it makes sense to buy a home in the Chicago area. Zillow found that it makes more financial sense to buy your home after just over two years of renting. If you rent in the city, you’ll reach that point in just under two years.

May 6, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 11a) –Consumers are being warned about baby gates. A new study finds more than two children each year are rushed to the emergency room after being hurt from falling through or climbing on the gates. Doctors urge parents to make sure they have the right type of gates for stairs and hallways.

May 14, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 6p) - A South Side neighborhood is getting a much –needed new grocery store. It’s been four years in the planning but the Mariano’s chain says it will open a new store in the Bronzeville neighborhood. The store will employ 440 and offer fresh food options.

May 21, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 5p) – E-Bay customers are being urged to change their password following a cyber-attack. E-Bay says someone hacked into their system containing customer names, passwords and e-mail addresses. So far, there’s no sign of unauthorized access.

May 22, 2014 – (CBS 2 News at 430a) – McDonald’s says it will start offering low fat yogurt as an alternative to French fries and apple slices for its “Happy Meals”. The fast food chain is also kicking off a new campaign to urge kids to eat more nutritional meals.

May 26, 2014 – (CBS 2 News at 10p) – Motorists can expect to pay more at the gas pump this Memorial Day holiday. Gas Buddy reports the average price of gas rose five cents in the past week. In the Chicago area, we're paying an average of 3-dollars and 84-cents and it could go higher.

June 6, 2014 – (CBS 2 News at 6p) – It's going to cost more to attend Illinois State University next year. The school is raising tuition just over 2 percent bringing the average yearly cost to about 22 thousand-dollars. Tuition is still higher at Northern Illinois University and the University of Illinois.

June 13, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 430a) – A new report says most home dryers are not energy efficient. The report says Americans are wasting up to 4-billion-dollars a year. A scientist suggests electric dryers be updated to more efficient heat pumping models.

June 13, 2014 – (CBS 2 News at 10p) – Health officials are investigating a salmonella outbreak at a suburban Jewel store. The store closed its deli for a thorough cleaning after nine people became ill. Officials are trying to track the source of the salmonella.

June 16, 2014 – (CBS 2 News at 11a) – A computer glitch shut down the registers at some Target stores around the country last night. The glitch frustrated customers but Target says there was no security issue and customer personal information was never at risk.

June 17, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 5p) – Ford takes the top three spots when it comes to the most stolen SUVs. The National Insurance Crime Bureau says the Ford Escape is the number one most stolen SUV, followed by the Edge and the Explorer. Jeep Grand Cherokee is in fourth place.

Health:

April 1, 2014 – (CBS 2 News at 11a) – Taking a low dose of aspirin may increase survival rates for colon cancer patients. Researchers found the survival rate was better for patients who were on the aspirin regiment as opposed to patients who didn't take aspirin.

April 18, 2014 – (CBS 2 News at 4:30a) – There's a new warning for contact lens wearers. Researchers say lens solution may not kill bacteria as effectively as you think. They found that a bacterial strain was able to survive a popular cleaning solution for more than four years. The germ could lead to eye strain and infections.

April 25, 2014 – (CBS 2 News at 5p) – The government is urging parents to get their children vaccinated after a surge in measles cases. The C-D-C reports a spike in measles cases in 13 states including Illinois. It's the highest increase in cases in nearly two decades.

April 25, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 10p) – Children at a North suburban school are holding a benefit to help kids with Type One Diabetes. The 5th graders organized a dance benefit with games and a raffle. They raised more than 25-hundred dollars for juvenile diabetes research.

April 28, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 6p) – Health officials are warning of an Illinois mumps outbreak at the University of Illinois. So far, nine students have been diagnosed with the disease since Spring break. The outbreak has produced more cases than all of last year.

May 2, 2014-(CBS 2 News at 6p) – Health officials are reporting the first U.S. case of Middle East Respiratory Syndrome or MERS in a Northwest Indiana patient. The man recently returned to Chicago on a flight after a trip to Saudi Arabia. The virus can be spread by close contact but doctors don't think anyone else is in danger.

May 7, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 11a) – An Illinois Senate Committee has passed a bill that would require high school students to learn life-saving skills such as CPR or use of a de-fibrillator. Supporters say students need to feel confident their classmates and teachers can response quickly in a medical emergency.

May 16, 2014-(CBS 2 News at 430a) – A new study finds the cost of health care is a bigger burden for women than men. The Kaiser Foundation study found 26 percent of women skip doctor appointments because they can't afford it versus 20 percent of men.

May 20, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 5p) – There's another good reason to watch your cholesterol. A new study says high cholesterol levels may impair fertility in couples trying to get pregnant. High cholesterol can also contribute to heart disease.

May 27, 2014 – (CBS 2 News at 10p) – Researchers say your risk of certain cancers may have a correlation with where you live. The Journal Cancer says people who live in poorer areas are more likely to suffer from cancers of the liver, larynx, and cervix. Those is wealthier areas are more at risk of cancer of the skin, thyroid, breast and the prostate.

June 3, 2014 – (CBS 2 News at 11a) – A new experimental drug may help women with Multiple Sclerosis. The drug is based on a form of estrogen. Doctors found that many pregnant M.S. patients suffer fewer relapses while they are pregnant. In preliminary testing, the drug reduced relapses by 47-percent.

June 5, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 6p) – Doctors say this year's flu season was more severe than normal for adults 18 to 64. The Centers for Disease Control says more people had to spend time in the hospital than in previous years. The C-D-C says there were lower levels of outpatient illness and death overall.

June 13, 2014 – CBS 2 News at 10p) – Millions of Americans have Type 2 Diabetes and don't even know they have it. The Centers for Disease Control estimates that one in four people is

unaware they have the disease. The number of Americans with Type 2 Diabetes overall is nearly 29-million up by more than 3-million since 2010.

June 17, 2014 – (CBS 2 News at 5p) – There's new evidence that sitting for prolonged periods is bad for your health. A new study says spending the bulk of your day sitting increases the risk for certain types of cancer. The report says exercise can't offset the risk of too much sitting.

June 24, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 430a) – Researchers say your blood type might determine how many mosquito bites you get. The research says mosquitos tend to land more on people with Type-O blood than people with Type-A blood and people with Type-B fall somewhere in the middle. Mosquitos are also attracted to pregnant women and athletes because they have higher body temperatures.

Diversity:

April 16, 2014 –(CBS 2 News at 10p) – The Chicago Latino Film Festival is honoring a Chilean actress. Paulina Garcia is being honored for work on stage, television and film. She picked up the award during a ceremony at the International Latino Cultural Center in Chicago.

April 18, 2014 – (CBS 2 News at 5p) – Christians around the world and in Chicago are observing Good Friday. In downtown Chicago, believers re-created Christ's final march. They started at Daley Plaza and finished at Holy Name Cathedral.

April 22, 2014–(CBS 2 News at 6p) – Chicago Catholics are leaving for Rome to witness history. They will be at the Vatican to witness the canonization of Pope John Paul The Second and Pope John The 23rd.

April 28, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 4:30a) – NBA Hall of Famer Magic Johnson is attending a benefit dinner in Gary today amid the controversy surrounding Los Angeles Clippers owner Donald Sterling. The benefit helps provide scholarships for needy students. Sterling is accused of making racially-charged comments after his girlfriend posted a photo with the NBA star.

April 28, 2014-(CBS 2 News at 11a) – Miss Wheelchair Illinois is someone you should know. The beauty queen has an important message and aims to break stigmas about the disabled. The 27 year old plays wheelchair basketball and is active in adaptive water sports.

May 7, 2014-(CBS 2 News at 11a) – A high school principal in one of Chicago's toughest neighborhood is getting top honors. The principal of Lindblom Math and Science Academy is the winner a Golden Apple Foundation award. Lindblom is now one of the top 20 schools in the state.

May 9, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 6p) – Immigration reform is one of the topics the President of Ireland discussed during a Chicago visit. Irish President Michael Higgins met with Mayor

Emmanuel while in town. Higgins, a graduate of Indiana University, will deliver the commencement address this weekend.

May 26, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 10p) – The family of a World War II veteran is receiving his long overdue medal for bravery. It's been seven decades in the making but the family of John Brock was presented with the Bronze Star for valor. His family says they were unaware of his valor during his military service. Brock died four years ago.

May 29, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 430a) – Chicago friends and admirers are remembering poet and author Maya Angelou. She's best known for her best seller "I Know Why The Caged Bird Sings". She's been awarded the Medal of Freedom and has inspired a generation of young readers.

June 13, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 10p) –Actress Ruby Dee is being remembered for her acting and activism. The legendary actress, who died today at 92, spent her life entertaining and pushing for change. She acted in more than 50 movies, most of them with her late husband Ossie Davis. Off stage she was a longtime activist in the push for civil rights.

June 16, 2014 – (CBS 2 News at 6p) – The Rainbow PUSH national conference is kicking off next week in Chicago. PUSH founder Rev Jesse Jackson says the annual conference will include a focus on education and poverty as well as marking the 50th anniversary of the civil rights law.

June 19, 2014 – (CBS 2 News at 5p) – South Side tennis star Taylor Townsend joined Mayor Emanuel for a lakefront run. The 18 year old Townsend is leaving today for Wimbledon. Last month, she wowed the tennis world with a win at the French Open.

June 20, 2014- (CBS 2 News at 11a) – Students at an urban ministries center are learning improvisation as a way of expressing themselves. An trainer says the class gives the students skills that can help with life skills. The program is intended to show the students they have a voice and people care about what they have to say.

June 26, 2014 – (CBS 2 News at 430a) – Same sex couples in Indiana are marking a milestone. Today is the first day they can marry in the state. Clerks offices across the state began issuing same sex marriage licenses after a federal judge ruled the ban on same sex marriages unconstitutional.