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<b><u>Name/Type/Source of Typical &amp; Illustrative Program</u></b>	<b><u>Politics</u></b>
<p>Date: October 5, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News –RIGHT TO DIE Time: 4:00PM-5:00PM, 5:00PM-6:00PM; 11:00PM-11:35PM Length: 6:45 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Miriam Hernandez and Elex Michaelson report that Jerry Brown signed a new law that makes California the fifth state to allow terminally ill patients the right to end their own lives.</p>
<p>Date: October 6 &amp; December 29, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – EQUAL PAY Time: 5:00PM-6:00PM Length: 4:30 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Coleen Sullivan and Anabel Munoz report that Governor Jerry Brown signed a Fair Pay Act that expands California’s existing equal pay law beginning January 1<sup>st</sup>. Academy Award Winner Patricia Arquette joined forces with state lawmakers to promote equal pay for women. Now California will require equal pay regardless of gender for “substantially similar work”.</p>
<p>Date: October 6, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – SAN ONOFRE Time: 5:00PM-6:00PM Length: 2:20 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Sid Garcia reports that the California Coastal Commission voted for and approved Edison to turn San Onofre into a nuclear waste dump site. Opponents plan to file a lawsuit over safety concerns.</p>
<p>Date: October 7, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – CLIMATE CHANGE Time: 5:00PM-6:00PM Length: 2:20 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Carlos Granda reports that Governor Jerry Brown came to Los Angeles to sign the landmark Climate Change Measure at the Griffith Observatory. Its purpose is to reduce harmful greenhouse gases and provide cheap renewable energy.</p>
<p>Date: October 7, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – OC NEWPORT DEVELOPMENT Time: 6:00PM-6:30PM Length: 2:30 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Eileen Frere reports that the California Coastal Commission met to discuss the development of the Banning Ranch Plan. It is the last large piece of unprotected coastal open space remaining in all of Southern California and the plan includes nearly 14 hundred homes, a hotel, 75-thousand square feet of retail space and parks. Hundreds of people showed up at the meeting to oppose the plan.</p>

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<p>Date: October 8, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – IE MAYOR LAWSUIT Time: 5:00PM-6:00PM Length: 2:00 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Rob McMillan reports that the vote was unanimous for Harry Ramos to be removed as Mayor of Murrieta for allegations of inappropriate comments and improper advances towards woman. Ramos does keep his Council seat.</p>
<p>Date: October 9, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – GUN CONTROL Time: 4:00PM-5:00PM, 11:00PM-11:35PM Length: 4:00 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Coleen Sullivan and Jory Rand report that President Obama believes the nation’s gun laws need to be changed and his staff is looking into whether he can use executive actions to expand background checks on gun purchases.</p>
<p>Date: October 9, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – QUAKE RETROFITTING Time: 5:00PM-6:00PM Length: 2:00 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Carlos Granda reports that LA Mayor Eric Garcetti signed the nation’s strongest Earthquake Safety rules requiring seismic retrofitting on thousands of buildings. The main concern is who will pay for it and where the money for this project will come from.</p>
<p>Date: October 13 &amp; 17, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – IE PROPOSED MONUMENTS Time: 5:00PM-6:00PM, 5:00AM-7:00AM Length: 4:15 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Rob McMillan reports that Senator Dianne Feinstein holds a public hearing in hopes of creating three new national monuments in Southern California deserts. Opponents are concerned about the economic impact of such a designation. Supporters of the idea are concerned about desert wildlife and think that this helps protect them.</p>
<p>Date: October 18, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – OC HYBRID BUILDINGS Time: 7:00AM-8:00AM Length: 1:50 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Eileen Frere explains how a new high tech development in Orange County will dramatically cut energy consumption and costs. These buildings would use battery power.</p>
<p>Date: October 19, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – DRONES Time: 11:00AM-12:00PM, 5:00PM-6:00PM Length: 5:05 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Christina Salvo and Leo Stallworth report that federal authorities plan to require unmanned drones to be registered with the FAA. This move has been prompted by incidents where drones have flown too close to commercial aircraft and even interfered in firefighting and police operations.</p>

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<p>Date: October 19 &amp; November 4, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – CSU STRIKE VOTE Time: 4:00PM-5:00PM Length: 4:35 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Jovana Lara and Sid Garcia report that faculty at the Cal State University system have authorized a strike over salaries. Faculty was asking for a 5 percent raise and CSU has offered a 2 percent raise. The earliest they can go on strike is January after a couple of fact finding and arbitration hearings have been held.</p>
<p>Date: October 20, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – GARCETTI PROTESTERS Time: 4:30AM-7:00AM, 11:00AM-12:00PM, 5:00PM-6:00PM Length: 8:45 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Adrienne Bankert and Carlos Granda report that Mayor Eric Garcetti was swarmed by “Black Lives Matter” protestors at a community meeting at a church in West Adams. Protestors wanted to discuss issues such as policing, public transportation and the 2024 Olympics bid with the Mayor. When the protestors became aggressive he was escorted out under heavy security.</p>
<p>Date: October 20 &amp; 25, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – HOLLYWOOD HILLS Time: 5:00PM-6:00PM, 5:00AM-6:00AM Length: 4:00 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Mayde Gomez reports that residents and wildlife advocates have just launched their “Lets Buy a Mountain” campaign to keep 17 acres in the Hollywood Hills out of the hands of developers. The group has one year to come up with \$1.6 million in order to keep the land they plan to turn over to Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority.</p>
<p>Date: October 21, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – OC NO TET Time: 5:00PM-6:00PM Length: 1:40 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Greg Lee reports that the Vietnamese Community of Southern California wants to host their annual Tet Festival at Garden Grove Park but the city says the can’t until they submit an audit and pay the \$27 thousand they still owe from last year.</p>
<p>Date: October 22 &amp; December 21, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – DWP AUDIT Time: 6:00PM-6:30PM Length: 4:15 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Jory Rand and Mayde Gomez report that a Southern California judge gave “conditional approval” to a proposed settlement with DWP’s billing system. The mayor says this a real win for the ratepayers of the city.</p>
<p>Date: October 23, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – BILLBOARD BLIGHT Time: 5:00PM-6:00PM Length: 2:15 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Miriam Hernandez reports that the LA City’s Planning Commission, made up of citizen appointees, want fewer billboard signs all over the city. The outdoor advertising lobby say that electronic signs can provide public safety messages and they should not be limited.</p>

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<p>Date: October 23, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – LA OLYMPICS Time: 6:00PM-6:30PM Length: 2:00 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Sid Garcia reports that city leaders say bringing the Olympics to LA in 2024 would help ease the city’s housing crisis. The proposed Olympic village would have 17,000 beds for athletes, coaches and staff which would then be converted into 5,000 units of both affordable and market rate housing.</p>
<p>Date: October 27, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – TRIGGER LOCKS Time: 5:00PM-6:00PM Length: 2:15 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Carlos Granda reports that the LA City Council unanimously voted to require gun owners in Los Angeles to store their firearms in locked containers or install a trigger lock when they are not using them. A violation of this law will be a misdemeanor.</p>
<p>Date: October 27, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – BURBANK TERMINAL Time: 5:00PM-6:00PM Length: 2:00 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Anabel Munoz reports that the City of Burbank is trying to put on the November 2016 ballot an agreement to build a new 355 thousand square foot replacement terminal at Bob Hope Airport. Community opposition has stopped this expansion for 20 years.</p>
<p>Date: October 28, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – CARSON NFL Time: 11:00AM-12:00PM Length: 2:30 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Carlos Granda reports that football fans from San Diego, St. Louis, and Oakland are able to make pleas to the NFL at public hearings about moving their teams to Los Angeles.</p>
<p>Date: November 3, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – PROSTITUTION NAMES Time: 4:00PM-5:00PM Length: 2:00 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Mayde Gomez reports that Los Angeles County Supervisors want to post photos of those convicted of soliciting prostitution. Supervisor Don Knabe believes that exposing them could have an impact on stopping child sex trafficking. Other supervisors are concerned about the legalities of a “shaming” sign.</p>
<p>Date: November 3, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – POT INITIATIVE Time: 5:00PM-6:00PM Length: 2:40 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Carlos Granda reports that there are more than a dozen different competing proposals to legalize marijuana in California. Proponents have to gather more than half a million valid signature within a 180 day period to get on the November 2016 ballot.</p>

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<p>Date: November 6 &amp; 9, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – ORCA BAN Time: 6:00PM-6:30PM, 4:00PM-5:00PM, 5:00PM-6:00PM, Length: 7:50 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Rob Hayes and Carlos Granda report that Representative Adam Schiff from Burbank has introduced a federal bill that bans the captivity of killer whales. Sea World San Diego is dropping its most famous attraction, the “Shamu” shows where killer whales perform tricks. Over the last two years, Sea World has been besieged by protestors and lawmakers who consider captivity cruel. Schiff says he will continue with his bill in spite of Sea World’s new policy.</p>
<p>Date: November 11, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – IGER NFL Time: 4:30AM-7:00AM, 11:00AM-12:00PM, 5:00PM-6:00PM, 6:00PM-6:30PM Length: 9:15 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Marc Cota Robles and Carlos Granda report that Bob Iger, the Chairman of the Walt Disney Company announced he will serve as the non-executive chairman of the bid to bring the San Diego Chargers and Oakland Raiders to Los Angeles at a Carson stadium. His announcement was released at the same time representatives from San Diego, Oakland, and St. Louis were in a meeting with the NFL’s top brass in New York to make their case to keeping their teams where they are.</p>
<p>Date: November 13, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – HOMELESS Time: 5:00PM-6:00PM Length: 2:00 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Miriam Hernandez reports that mental health experts say more of the homeless population are moving to business and residential areas. Program Director Brandon Beckman at the Midnight Mission estimates 60 to 70 percent of homeless struggle with mental illness and now the public is more likely than ever to be approached by a troubled person.</p>
<p>Date: November 16 &amp; 18, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – CAL REFUGEES Time: 6:00PM-6:30PM, 5:00PM-6:00PM Length: 4:30 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Eileen Frere and Anabel Munoz report that after the Paris terror attacks many fear the Syrian refugee crisis will grow even worse. They talked with local Syrian refugees who are concerned about a backlash. So far 15 states are refusing to take Syrian refugees but Governor Jerry Brown says he will work closely with President Obama to make sure Syrian refugees coming to California are “fully vetted in a sophisticated and utterly reliable way.”</p>

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<p>Date: November 17 &amp; 18, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – CAMPUS PROTESTS Time: 5:00PM-6:00PM Length: 3:45 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Carlos Granda and Leticia Juarez report that students protested in support of the students at the University of Missouri. Occidental College students staged a sit in and demanded that the college’s president resign citing racial injustice. Students at UCR held a march to raise issues including increasing black faculty and staff recruitment, and an improved police climate on campus.</p>
<p>Date: November 26, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News –REFUGEE THANKSGIVING Time: 6:00PM-6:30PM, 11:00PM-11:35PM Length: 3:55 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Melissa MacBride reports that two families who fled Syria are celebrating their first Thanksgiving in Southern California. They are thankful for the help they have received and have not been victims of discrimination.</p>
<p>Date: November 27 &amp; 28, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – PENN TELLER CHRISTMAS Time: 4:00PM-5:00PM, 5:00AM-7:00AM Length: 5:05 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Rob Hayes reports that the comedy duo “Penn and Teller” were serving as Grand Marshal’s in the Hollywood Christmas Parade. Many believed that Penn Jillette was a wrong choice because he is a well-known atheist and was quoted for saying Christmas is “just a secular holiday.”</p>
<p>Date: November 30 and December 8, 9, 11, 15, 16, 17, 23, 24 &amp; 31, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – VALLEY ODOR Time: 5:00PM-6:00PM, 11:00PM-11:35PM, 11:00AM-12:00PM, 4:30AM-7:00AM, 4:00PM-5:00PM Length: 28:20 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Leo Stallworth, Amy Powell, Melissa MacBride, John Gregory, Chelsea Edwards, and Anabel Munoz report that residents in Porter Ranch are complaining about a natural gas leak that is producing a sickening smell that is making the community sick. SoCal Gas officials say they have located the leak but are still trying to figure out how to stop it and to locate the cause. In the meantime after the City Attorney obtained a court order, they are relocating families and are working to make sure vacated homes in the community are safe.</p>
<p>Date: November 30 &amp; December 5, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News –CATALINA DESALINATION Time: 6:00PM-6:30PM, 8:00AM-9:30AM Length: 4:05 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Greg Lee reports that Catalina Island opened a new \$3 million desalination plant that can pump out an additional 125,000 gallons of potable water.</p>

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<p>Date: December 1 &amp; 5, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – SLEEPY HOLLOW TRAFFIC Time: 5:00PM-6:00PM, 5:00AM-7:00AM Length: 4:05 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Elex Michaelson reports that residents in Torrance are frustrated with traffic caused by the Sleepy Hollow Holiday Lights Extravaganza. The police department assigned 7 officers to the area on peak nights to help with extreme congestion. Neighbors say that isn't enough and they want all vehicle traffic stopped during the holidays.</p>
<p>Date: December 3, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – IE SB GUN CONTROL Time: 4:30AM-7:00AM Length: 1:45 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Kristen Aldridge reports that in the wake of the massacre in San Bernardino, President Obama reiterated his call for more gun control. The 2016 presidential candidates took to social media to share their thoughts. Democrats called for increased gun control and republicans mostly expressing prayers for the victims.</p>
<p>Date: December 8, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – REAX TRUMP Time: 6:00PM-6:30PM Length: 2:30 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Carlos Granda reports that Donald Trump's comments about banning Muslims from the US has set off a firestorm across the country. The Islamic Center of Southern California and the Iranian Muslim Association decry the divisive comments.</p>
<p>Date: December 15, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – GOP DEBATE Time: 5:00PM-6:00PM, 11:00PM-11:35PM Length: 4:35 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Elex Michaelson reports that the LAUSD terror threat was a major point of discussion at the GOP Presidential debate in Las Vegas.</p>
<p>Date: December 16, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News –KIMMEL CAMPAIGN Time: 5:00PM-6:00PM, 11:00PM-11:35PM Length: 4:20 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Elex Michaelson reports that Donald Trump appeared on Jimmy Kimmel Live in Hollywood. The audience didn't know that when they got the tickets for the show that it would be to see Trump. Many say they aren't planning on voting for him but can't wait to see the show.</p>
<p>Date: December 21, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – OC DRONE REGISTRATION Time: 5:00PM-6:00PM Length: 2:30 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Eileen Frere reports that the FAA's drone registration began for drone purchases that weigh more than half a pound. Penalties could go up to \$27,000.</p>

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<p>Date: December 22, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News –REFUGEE BACKLASH Time: 5:00PM-6:00PM Length: 1:45 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Miriam Hernandez reports that fear of terrorism on American soil has led to a backlash against accepting refugees into the US from the Middle East. In Orange County the problem has escalated in the wake of the San Bernardino terror attack, including threats and arrests have been made for attacks on mosques, verbal threats, and death threats.</p>
<p>Date: December 23, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – LYFT LAX Time: 11:00AM-12:00PM Length: 2:15 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Christina Salvo reports that Lyft is the first ride-sharing company being allowed to pick up passengers at LAX. Despite the opposition by traditional taxi cab companies, the city wanted to make mobility at the airport easier for residents and visitors.</p>
<p>Date: December 23, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News – FREEWAY PROTEST Time: 5:00PM-6:00PM, 6:00PM-6:30PM Length: 4:45 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Elex Michaelson reports that nine Black Lives Matter protestors were arrested for a demonstration that shutdown southbound traffic on the 405 Freeway during rush hour. They claimed it was a National Day of Action and protests were occurring around the country. They are being charged with vandalism and conspiracy to block the freeway which are felonies.</p>
<p>Date: December 28, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News –COMFORT WOMEN Time: 5:00PM-6:00PM Length: 2:10 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Carlos Granda reports that after more than seven decades a breakthrough for Korean women forced in to Japanese sex-slavery during World War Two. Japan’s Prime Minister apologizes and pledges more than \$8 million for the so-called comfort women. Phyllis Kim from Korean American Forum of California says it is not enough. She says that the victims were never involved in the negotiations and should have been.</p>
<p>Date: December 29, 2015 ABC7 – Eyewitness News –OC HOVERBOARD Time: 5:00PM-6:00PM Length: 1:45 MINUTES Origin: Local Type: News</p>	<p>Greg Lee reports that a new California law starting January 1 states that you must be 16 years old to ride a hoverboard in public, must wear a helmet, and you can only ride on streets where the speed limit is under 35mph. The fine for breaking this law is \$250.</p>