

Quarterly Issues and Program List

KSNW

4Q 2022

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:

Economy
Environment

Crime/Law
Enforcement

Politics
Consumer Issues

Programs

Channel	Issue	Time	Date	Duration (seconds)	Title of Program	Narrative Description
3.1	Politics	6am	10/05/22	105 sec	Kansas Today	Poll with Emerson College and KSN, looked into the Kansas Attorney General Race, and what issues are important. Kris Kobach maintained a slight lead over Chris Mann, with one month before the election. Kobach had lost his last two major attempts at office, but political expert says Mann is less well known, which means both have challenges for Kansas voters
3.1	Environment	10pm	10/06/22	120 sec	KSN News at 10pm	Ogalala Aquifer is depleting at a significant pace, water officials say if nothing changes, 70% of the underground water source will be gone in 40-45 years, impacting personal and agricultural/industrial water needs across Kansas. Study currently going on to determine current levels
3.1	Consumer Issues	6pm	10/20/22	100 sec	KSN News at 6pm	Increasing grocery costs, several grocers/meat markets talk about their costs. For Green Acres grocery they've seen a 13.6% increase in overall costs, Meat processing fees are up 10-15% for meat markets, and larger stores are seeing a 300% increase in transportation and fuel surcharge fees, all those costs passed on in one way or another to the consumer.

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3.1	Crime/ Law Enforcement	6am	10/25/22	155 sec	Kansas Today	Investigating the priorities of the newly appointed Wichita Police Chief, Joseph Sullivan. He wants to focus on 30% of officers being women by 2030, increase staffing levels and retention, addressing body cam policies and responding to the current issue of changing policing, after the in-custody death of a teen having a mental health crisis.
3.1	Economy	4pm	10/25/22	60 sec	KSN News at 4pm	The Docking Institute Poll from Fort Hays State University, Kansas, released its poll on “Kansas Speaks” including how people feel about the economy. 77% of respondents expressed some concern over the fate of the Kansas economy, with 46% saying they believe the economy is worse this year than previous year.
3.1	Consumer Issues	4pm	11/11/22	105 sec	KSN News at 4pm	Charity that helps people in NE Kansas, and KC, cannot help as many people this year, due to increasing costs. They try to serve 1000 families and give food and a turkey away, but can only afford 200 turkes with a 112% increase in turkey prices compared to last year.
3.1	Environment	Noon	11/14/22	60 sec	KSN News at Noon	The NRCS is encouraging farmers to do “no till November” similar to “No Shave November” to raise the awareness of why less tilling can improve soil and water quality, and save farmers money. The group is encouraging individuals to not till harvested fields or till less.

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3.1	Politics	Noon	11/21/22	275 sec	KSN News at Noon	KSN Sits down with Attorney General Elect Kris Kobach to talk about his goals for his upcoming term, including fighting against what he calls President Biden's actions that violate the constitution, cracking down on drug dealers including harsher sentences for those who traffick Fentanyl, and pushing back against his claims of government overreach.
3.1	Crime/Law Enforcement	10pm	11/21/22	115 sec	KSN News at 10pm	Former Wichita Police Chief, Gordon Ramsay announces his intent to join a lawsuit against the city, claiming retaliation and improper handling of WPD officers in a racist text messaging scandal. He also called for some city leaders to resign. City said it does not comment on pending litigation.
3.1	Economy	6pm	11/23/22	95 sec	KSN News at 6pm	Gas prices fall below \$3 per gallon for the first time in months in Wichita. Residents talk about the relief, before the holidays and AAA explains the economic issues, including why the demand goes down in the winter and prices tend to go down as well.
3.1	Economy	Noon	12/07/22	125 sec	KSN News at Noon	Textron, a major employer in Wichita, is receiving \$527M in Industrial Revenue Bonds, to help spur growth in Wichita. The agreement, over 5-10 years, the company will create new jobs, up to 500 with the tax financing from the City of Wichita. It is also seeing an increase in military work, for a contract that will also provide subcontract work with Spirit AeroSystems in Wichita.

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3.1	Politics	5pm	12/11/22	110 sec	KSN News at 5pm	ACLU and others are taking their fight against the redrawing of Kansas congressional districts to the US Supreme Court, asking the high court to take up the case. They argue the map was intentionally drawn to discriminate against minorities, including in areas around Kansas City and Lawrence, Kansas.
3.1	Environment	5pm	12/12/22	70 sec	KSN News at 5pm	An oil leak in the Keystone Pipeline in Washington Co Kansas impacting local streams, water sources and soil. An estimated 588K gallons of oil spilled, and the company worked to contain it. Environmental officials say the spill is a considerable amount, but the company is working to address the environmental impact.
3.1	Consumer Issues	6am	12/16/22	105 sec	Kansas Today	Many Kansans will pay more to heat their homes this year, for several reasons – the cost of natural gas has gone up – and 60-70% of the billing for your gas heating bill comes from the cost of gas. In addition, Kansas was colder sooner than in previous year, recording more average colder days, meaning people were using more gas to heat their homes.
3.1	Crime/Law Enforcement	6pm	12/30/22	120 sec	KSN News at 6pm	Wichita Police department discusses recent crime trends with an increase in gang violence among youth. They point to retaliation from a fatal shooting in Wichita Mall in 2021, that is continuing to see retaliation between 4-5 gangs. They said roughly 100-150 people are behind multiple shootings, some fatal, in the ongoing gang feud.

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

Type of Issue	Duration	Title or Narrative
Children/Youth	30 seconds	Learn More Girlscouts
Children/Youth	30 seconds	Stomp Bully
Children/Youth	15 seconds	United Through Reading
Community	60 seconds	AC Because of You
Community	30 seconds	Americorps KS
Community	15 seconds	March of Dimes Milestones
Community	60 seconds	DAV-Covid Support
Community	60 seconds	Smile Train
Community	15 seconds	Sounds of American History Air Force
Community	60 seconds	We Are America
Environment	60 seconds	USFS Forest Trail
Health/Healthcare	60 seconds	Clouded Vaping
Health/Healthcare	30 seconds	CDC Prescription Drug
Health/Healthcare	60 seconds	Project Warriors COVID
Public Safety	60 seconds	Boys Town Saving Children