

KXAS-TV

**QUARTERLY LIST OF PROGRAMMING
PROVIDING THE MOST SIGNIFICANT TREATMENT
OF COMMUNITY ISSUES**

APRIL - JUNE, 2001

QUARTERLY ISSUES AND PROGRAMS REPORT APRIL - JUNE, 2001

Through formal and informal ascertainment of the general public, community leaders, public officials - inclusive of different ethnic organizations and service organizations, the following list emerged as issues needing media attention and support.

The programs produced to meet the needs of the public included locally produced shows and newscasts as well as national programs, public service announcement campaigns, and sales marketing campaigns.

COMMUNITY ISSUES

Alcohol and Drug Abuse

Consumer

Crime and Law Enforcement

Cultural

Economic Development

Education

Environment

Family

Government

Health and Medical

Housing

Poverty

Race Relations

Religion

Safety

Transportation

REGULARLY SCHEDULED PROGRAMS

Our locally produced, regularly scheduled programs are aired specifically to address community issues, concerns and needs. The programs are as follows:

5 TALK STREET (quarterly; 30 minutes)

An interview program which addresses local and national issues of concern to residents in our viewing area.

NEWSCASTS

KXAS' daily newscasts devote considerable time to local issues and community problems. Regularly scheduled newscasts include:

TEXAS NEWS 5 MORNING REPORT	5:00 AM - 6:00 AM	M-F
TEXAS NEWS 5 TODAY	6:00 AM - 7:00 AM	M-F
TEXAS NEWS 5 AT FIVE	5:00 PM - 5:30 PM	M-F
TEXAS NEWS 5 AT SIX	6:00 PM - 6:30 PM	M-F
TEXAS NEWS 5 TODAY	6:00 AM - 7:00 AM	SAT
TEXAS NEWS 5 TODAY	9:00 AM - 10:00 AM	SAT
TEXAS NEWS 5 MIDDAY	12:00 PM – 12:30 PM	SAT
TEXAS NEWS 5 AT SIX	6:00 PM – 7:00 PM	SAT
TEXAS NEWS 5 TODAY	6:00 AM - 7:00 AM	SUN
TEXAS NEWS 5 TODAY	8:00 AM - 9:00 AM	SUN
TEXAS NEWS 5 MIDDAY	11:00 AM – 11:30 AM	SUN
TEXAS NEWS 5 WEEKEND REPORT	5:00 PM - 5:30 PM	SUN
TEXAS NEWS 5 TEN O'CLOCK REPORT	10:00 PM - 10:35 PM	M-F
TEXAS NEWS 5 TEN O'CLOCK REPORT	10:00 PM – 10:30 PM	SAT
TEXAS NEWS 5 TEN O'CLOCK REPORT	10:00 PM – 10:20 PM	SUN

ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE

Program: 4:00 PM
Date: 04/10/01
Description: Report on the nation's distillers and MADD teaming up to form The Century Council which will push to have every state drop the legal blood alcohol limit to .08.
Length: 0:40

Program: 6:00 AM
Date: 4/16/01
Description: Report on stricter drug testing to control the use of ecstasy.
Length: 0:25

Program: 10:00 PM
Date: 04/20/01
Description: Report on crackdown on Fort Worth Bars
Length: 1:50

Program: 10:00 a.m.
Date: 05/02/01
Description: Report that First Daughter, Jenna Bush, could make an appearance in court after she was given a misdemeanor ticket for minors in possession of alcohol in a night club in Austin.
Length: 0:35

Program: 5:00 p.m.
Date: 05/14/01
Description: Report that parents push to shut down liquor stores near area schools.
Length: 2:19

Program: 5:00 a.m.
Date: 05/18/01
Description: Report that narcotics investigators discovered 120 pounds of marijuana at a rental home in Fort Worth.
Length: 0:20

Program: 9:00 a.m.
Date: 05/19/01
Description: Report that customs agents at DFW airport seized three pounds of Asian White heroin from a female passenger arriving from Switzerland.
Length: 0:30

Program: 10:00 PM
Date: 05/23/01
Description: Report on a new stricter law about drinking and driving in Texas
Length: 1:30

ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE

Program: 6:00 a.m.; 10:00 p.m.

Date: 5/30/01

Description: Report on new campaign to fight underage drinking by cutting underage liquor sales.

Length: 1:30; 1:20

Program: 4:00 PM

Date: 06/07/01

Description: Report that Ft. Worth Police break up a methamphetamine lab at a home on Loving Street.

Length: 0:20

Program: 6:00 PM

Date: 06/29/01

Description: Report on marijuana drug bust in Plano.

Length: 0:20

CRIME AND LAW ENFORCEMENT

Program: 10:00 PM

Date: 04/02/01

Description: New patrol cars are put on the streets to improve safety on Dallas freeways to prevent accidents.

Length: 0:35

Program: 12:00 PM

Date: 04/07/01

Description: Story on the North Texas man that was breaking into homes and harassing women in North Texas.

Length: 0:25

Program: 6:00 AM

Date: 04/09/01

Description: Report on a memorial that was built to honor Dallas policemen that died in the line of duty.

Length: 0:20

Program: 10:00 PM

Date: 04/12/01

Description: Story of a Collin County school that came up with an anti-bully program that is working to reduce school violence.

Length: 1:30

Program: 10:00 PM

Date: 04/20/01

Description: Report on crackdown on Fort Worth Bars.

Length: 1:50

Program: 4:00 PM

Date: 04/24/01

Description: Report on a string of rapes in Northeast Dallas and the police's investigation of two sexual assaults that may be linked.

Length: 0:20

Program: 6:00 p.m.

Date: 05/01/01

Description: Report that Dallas police moved in on businesses today in a continuing crackdown on illegal gambling.

Length: 1:50

CRIME AND LAW ENFORCEMENT

Program: 5:00 p.m.

Date: 05/02/01

Description: Report that the Texas Senate voted to give juries the option of sentencing convicted killers to life without parole.

Length: 0:23

Program: 10:00 a.m.

Date: 05/03/01

Description: Report that a nationwide manhunt is underway for a man suspected in 3 kidnappings, 2 of the kidnappings from Texas.

Length: 0:40

Program: 6:00 a.m.

Date: 05/06/01

Description: Report that police, Tarrant County District Attorney, and county judges are launching a project to address prostitution in the Riverside community.

Length: 0:20

Program: 6:00 p.m.

Date: 05/14/01

Description: Report that detectives are investigating several cases of stolen property at Arlington elementary schools.

Length: 1:35

Program: 4:00 p.m.

Date: 05/15/01

Description: Report on a school shooting in Ennis that has left one student dead.

Length: 1:15

Program: 10:00 p.m.

Date: 5/29/01

Description: Report that phony police officers are stopping people in the mid-cities. The trend is alarming for real police officers who say authentic police gear is too easy to come by.

Length: 1:40

Program: 6:00 a.m.; 10:00 a.m.; 10:00 p.m.

Date: 5/31/01

Description: Report that the era of declining crime rates is over. New FBI figures show a slight increase in violent crimes for the first time since the early 1990s.

Length: :20; :20; :20

CRIME AND LAW ENFORCEMENT

Program: 8:00 AM

Date: 06/14/01

Description: "The Biter" who was guilty of several Dallas crimes is put behind bars.

Length: 1:25

CONSUMER

Program: 6:00 A.M.
Date: 04/01/01
Description: Covered the story on when Napster is to stop the downloading of songs on its site.
Length: 1:59

Program: 10:00 A.M.
Date: 04/02/01
Description: Reported on Airline services and how they are getting worse with passengers getting bumped and more flights being late.
Length: 0:30

Program: 4:00 PM
Date: 04/03/01
Description: Reported on how to get lower fares for airline flights in the US on bestfares.com.
Length: 0:30

Program: 5:00 PM
Date: 04/04/01
Description: Reported on COSCO's recalled child products and the fines that the company had incurred for not reported defects promptly to consumers.
Length: 0:40

Program: 4:00 PM
Date: 04/24/01
Description: Report on differences in paper towels and which are the best.
Length: 2:10

Program: 6:00 a.m.
Date: 05/01/01
Description: Report that Evenflo is recalling 3 million baby car seats that double as infant carriers because the handle can snap off flipping the child onto the ground.
Length: 0:20

Program: 10:00 a.m.
Date: 05/01/01
Description: Report that a new study suggests that Americans spend 10.5 billion dollars on computers and video games.
Length: 0:25

Program: 10:00 a.m.
Date: 05/07/01
Description: Report that a new survey says that gas prices have reached their highest peak ever.
Length: 0:30

CONSUMER

Program: 4:00 p.m.
Date: 05/08/01
Description: Report that a new study by the National Institute for Health Care finds that popular drugs for arthritis, high cholesterol, ulcers and diabetes are behind the nearly 20-billion dollar rise in prescription spending.
Length: 0:30

Program: 10:00 p.m.
Date: 05/09/01
Description: Report that the Public Utility Commission approved a 7% rate increase for TXU Electric.
Length: 0:25

Program: 10:00 p.m.
Date: 05/10/01
Description: Report on various product recalls from Fisher-Price, Unilever and Sturm Ruger and Company.
Length: 0:35

Program: 10:00 a.m.
Date: 05/11/01
Description: Report that black women have the highest risk of dying in the labor room.
Length: 0:20

Program: 4:00 p.m.
Date: 5/29/01
Description: Report on consumer test on fans – which work better.
Length: 2:25

Program: 4:00 p.m.
Date: 5/29/01
Description: Report that consumers are shopping online to get great deals. Report takes a look at who these consumers are.
Length: 2:05

Program: 6:00 PM
Date: 06/20/01
Description: Report on high gas prices and gas price wars.
Length: 0:25

CONSUMER

Program: 6:00 AM

Date: 06/23/01

Description: Report with TXU Gas and Electric to share summer energy saving ideas.

Length: 1:15

CULTURAL

Program: 6:00 A.M.
Date: 4/1/01
Description: Covered the celebration held in Fort Worth to remember civil rights crusader Cesar Chavez.
Length: 0:20

Program: 9:00 AM
Date: 04/07/01
Description: Report on shortage of kosher beef available for Passover.
Length: 0:20

Program: 10:00 PM
Date: 04/08/01
Description: Report on the Pope and his message to young Christians on Palm Sunday.
Length: 0:20

Program: 6:00 PM
Date: 04/17/01
Description: Report on the Main Street Arts Festival held in Downtown Fort Worth.
Length: 1:45

Program: 9:00 AM
Date: 04/21/01
Description: Report on the two-day celebration of Centennial Fest.
Length: 1:40

Program: 9:00 AM
Date: 04/21/01
Description: Report on an event called HUGG- Helping Unite for the Greater Good held to raise money for cultural awareness.
Length: 0:25

Program: 6:00 a.m.
Date: 05/04/01
Description: Report that Texans are gearing up to celebrate a huge weekend of Cinco De Mayo celebrations with parades and various events across the DFW Metroplex.
Length: 0:40

Program: 6:00 a.m.
Date: 05/04/01
Description: Report that President Bush will deliver a version of his annual weekly radio address in Spanish in the spirit of Cinco De Mayo.
Length: 0:20

CULTURAL

Program: 10:00 p.m.

Date: 05/05/01

Description: Report that NBC 5 launched a partnership with Telemundo 52 and El Sol De Texas that will focus on Hispanic interests and issues.

Length: 0:20

Program: 6:00 a.m.

Date: 05/09/01

Description: Report that NBC 5 is a proud sponsor of the Asian Festival 2001 that will help North Texans learn more about diverse cultures.

Length: 0:40

Program: 6:00 a.m.

Date: 05/09/01

Description: Report on an article in USA Today that says Spanish is no longer a foreign language; there are now more than 35 million Spanish speaking residents in the United States.

Length: 0:20

Program: 10:00 a.m.

Date: 05/18/01

Description: Report about a Mexican plan to hand out survival kits to help undocumented immigrants make it to the United States.

Length: 1:10

Program: 10:00 AM

Date: 05/24/01

Description: Dallas celebrates a day in remembrance of Cesar Chavez.

Length: 0:34

Program: 10:00 p.m.

Date: 5/28/01

Description: Report on memorial service to honor international pilots who were in Fort worth just after the turn of the century.

Length: 1:45

Program: 10:00 PM

Date: 06/16/01

Description: Report on festival celebrating cultural diversity.

Length: 0:28

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Program: 6:00 A.M.
Date: 4/02/01
Description: Shared tips with viewers about how to make filing and saving money on taxes.
Length: 2:30

Program: 6:00 AM
Date: 04/03/01
Description: Reported that DFW is the fastest growing urban area in the country.
Length: 0:20

Program: 10:00 PM
Date: 04/03/01
Description: Reported that the IRS now allows for people to deduct weight loss programs and diet pills but the doctor must recommend the weight loss to treat or prevent disease.
Length: 0:26

Program: 6:00 PM
Date: 04/05/01
Description: Reported on the Robinhood School Finance Law and how some schools are being sued.
Length: 1:55

Program: 6:00 PM
Date: 04/05/01
Description: Reported on a dairy merger that will result in a Dallas based company that will make over a third of the nation's milk.
Length: 0:20

Program: 4:00 PM
Date: 04/10/01
Description: Story on how Mrs. Baird's is closing its Dallas plant but expanding its Ft. Worth plant. The company will continue to operate 8 factories in Texas.
Length: 1:35

Program: 4:00 PM
Date: 04/26/01
Description: Report on savings bonds and how they can make you money and you can buy and monitor them on the Internet.
Length: 1:50

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Program: 6:00 a.m.
Date: 05/02/01
Description: Report that the City Council in Frisco passed a new green building standard that states that new homes must be built with energy efficiency, water conservation, indoor air quality and waste recycling in mind.
Length: 0:20

Program: 10:00 a.m.
Date: 05/03/01
Description: Report that the U.S. Olympic Evaluation Team is coming to Dallas in June to visit the region. Dallas is competing to host the 2012 Olympic Games.
Length: 0:20

Program: 10:00 a.m.
Date: 05/07/01
Description: Report that Fort Worth based Tandycrafts Incorporated will be de-listed from the New York Stock Exchange because it has failed to meet listing standards.
Length: 0:25

Program: 10:00 a.m.
Date: 05/08/01
Description: Report that Mark Cuban, Tom Hicks and Ross Perot Jr. are going to pay an architect six million dollars to design a bridge that will extend Woodall Rogers Freeway across the Trinity River.
Length: 0:30

Program: 6:00 a.m.
Date: 05/09/01
Description: Report that Dallas and four other cities in the Metroplex are competing to be the new location for Boeing's headquarters.
Length: 0:40

Program: 6:00 p.m.
Date: 5/17/01
Description: Report that Southwest Airlines is looking for hundreds of cyber-savvy people who can work on the company's web operations.
Length: 0:24

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Program: 4:00 p.m.

Date: 5/29/01

Description: BizWatch Report -- report that consumer confidence bounced back, but NASDAQ investors didn't bite sending the index sagging 75 points. The Dow Jones rose 34 points. BizWatch is a regular recurring feature in the 4pm newscast which takes a look at business news.

Length: :20

Program: 4:00 p.m.

Date: 5/29/01

Description: BizWatch Report -- report that personal income rose and with the pay increase came an increase in spending food and clothing items - the federal reserve is keeping a close eye on the numbers for any indication of a recession.

Length: :20

Program: 6:00 a.m.

Date: 5/30/01

Description: Report that Dallas Mayor's Summer Youth Employment Program is underway offering jobs to youth ages 16 to 21 to learn techniques to better prepare for futures in private sector workplaces.

Length: :25

Program: 10:00 AM

Date: 06/01/01

Description: Tips on how to get out of debt.

Length: 3:30

EDUCATION

Program: 6:00 PM
Date: 04/05/01
Description: Reported on the Robinhood School Finance Law and how some schools are being sued.
Length: 1:55

Program: 12:00 PM
Date: 04/07/01
Description: Story of lawmakers considering a plan to increase the number of North Texas students who go to college by setting up a freestanding 2 year University.
Length: 0:20

Program: 6:00 AM
Date: 04/21/01
Description: Report that the Fort Worth ISD is not making the grade when it comes to Physical Education.
Length: 1:40

Program: 6:00 AM
Date: 04/27/01
Description: President Bush in Houston with his mother to promote literacy.
Length: 0:25

Program: 6:00 AM
Date: 04/27/01
Description: Dallas School District is changing the boundaries of its voting districts.
Length: 0:20

Program: 5:00 p.m.
Date: 05/02/01
Description: Report that Fort Worth's Police Chief, Ralph Mendoza, read to children at the Masonic Elementary school as part of project REACH.
Length: 0:16

Program: 6:00 a.m.
Date: 05/06/01
Description: Report that a bill authored by Arlington State Representative, Kent Grusendorf, passed through the Texas House of Representatives. The bill would allow college graduates with a bachelor degree in an academic subject to be certified to teach.
Length: 0:25

EDUCATION

Program: 4:00 p.m.
Date: 05/08/01
Description: Report that Governor Rick Perry signed a bill that will turn the University of North Texas at Dallas into a four-year program.
Length: 0:26

Program: 10:00 a.m.
Date: 05/10/01
Description: Report that the State House rejected a 2-year moratorium on establishing new charter schools in Texas.
Length: 0:20

Program: 10:00 a.m.
Date: 5/17/01
Description: Report on a new survey that finds that most Americans believe teacher quality is key to improving the nation's schools.
Length: 1:05

Program: 4:00 p.m.
Date: 05/17/01
Description: Report that a fire broke out in Grapevine High School.
Length: 1:10

Program: 4:00 p.m.
Date: 05/18/01
Description: Report that a North Texas teacher is retiring after working 40 years at the Irving School District.
Length: 2:05

Program: 6:00 AM
Date: 06/01/01
Description: Fort Worth ISD is one of the fastest achieving school districts in the nation.
Length: 0:20

Program: 10:00 AM
Date: 06/05/01
Description: Student and Parent Loans are now easier to get.
Length: 0:30

Program: 10:00 PM
Date: 07/03/01
Description: New dress code for the Dallas Independent School District
Length: 2:00

ENVIRONMENT

Program: 4:00 PM
Date: 04/04/01
Description: Dozens of national parks are being threatened by lack of funds and over-use and development.
Length: 0:25

Program: 6:00 AM
Date: 04/06/01
Description: Report on water moccasins that were threatening homes and schools in Denton County.
Length: 0:45

Program: 4:00 PM
Date: 04/19/01
Description: Story on the nearly 4 thousand acres of forest that have burned in South Carolina.
Length: 0:20

Program: 6:00 AM
Date: 04/22/01
Description: Report on Floodwaters in the Midwest.
Length: 0:25

Program: 8:00 AM
Date: 04/22/01
Description: Ways to keep the earth a little cleaner and to help protect our environment on Earth Day.
Length: 1:35

Program: 10:00 PM
Date: 04/25/01
Description: Problem with raw sewage being dumped into ditches and creeks in Denton.
Length: 1:31

Program: 6:00 a.m.
Date: 05/01/01
Description: Report that says the Dallas-Fort Worth area is ranked the 14th worst area for smog in the country.
Length: 1:50

Program: 6:00 a.m.
Date: 05/06/01
Description: Report that Roanoke firefighters fell to the ground after a bolt of lightning struck the ground near them as they were working on a ladder near by.
Length: 0:55

ENVIRONMENT

Program: 6:00 p.m.
Date: 05/08/01
Description: Report that a truck carrying radioactive wastes is traveling through North Texas along Interstate Highway I-20. The truck is traveling with an escort through seven states to southeastern New Mexico.
Length: 1:45

Program: 5:00 p.m.
Date: 5/14/01
Description: Report on the new method of determining air quality.
Length: 2:02

Program: 10:00 p.m.
Date: 5/28/01
Description: Report that State of Texas will pay for health insurance for teachers for the first time.
Length: 1:10

Program: 10:00 p.m.
Date: 5/30/01
Description: Report that water experts having a statewide water summit and will recommend we conserve water. Dallas Fort worth area uses more water per capita than any other region in the state.
Length: :20

Program: 6:00 a.m.
Date: 5/30/01
Description: Report that national numbers are showing success in educating teenagers about pregnancy.
Length: 2:20

Program: 4:00 p.m.
Date: 5/30/01
Description: Report that new look at global air pollution from space shows that air quality is much more than a local problem.
Length: :20

Program: 10:00 PM
Date: 06/01/01
Description: New speed limits are being set in Dallas to help clean up the air.
Length: 0:32

ENVIRONMENT

Program: 4:00 PM
Date: 06/06/01
Description: Heavy rains raise levels of water in Texas.
Length: 0:15

FAMILY

Program: 5:00 PM
Date: 04/04/01
Description: Reported on COSCO's recalled child products and the fines that the company had incurred for not reported defects promptly to consumers.
Length: 0:40

Program: 10:00 AM
Date: 04/17/01
Description: Reported on a study that the longer young children spend away from their mothers the more likely they are to be overly aggressive by the time they reach kindergarten.
Length: 0:35

Program: 4:00 PM
Date: 04/24/01
Description: Report on how parents can tell if a child is being bullied and how to help.
Length: 2:20

Program: 6:00 PM
Date: 04/25/01
Description: Report that teens are listening to parents and that talk is preventing some teen pregnancy.
Length: 0:20

Program: 10:00 PM
Date: 04/25/01
Description: Report on north Texas parents trying to find new daycare for their children since the school's location is no longer "kid" friendly.
Length: 1:26

Program: 4:00 PM
Date: 04/30/01
Description: A new cartoon hero is introduced- Bible Man. There is a report of his affect on children.
Length: 1:45

Program: 10:00 AM
Date: 06/01/01
Description: How the fun has been taken out of childhood play and how to put it back in.
Length: 2:20

FAMILY

Program: 4:00 PM

Date: 04/26/01

Description: Ways parents can help their children socially at school.

Length: 2:20

Program: 4:00 p.m.

Date: 05/01/01

Description: Report that a new study says qualified workers are leaving childcare centers at an alarming rate because of low wages.

Length: 1:50

Program: 10:00 a.m.

Date: 05/04/01

Description: A new survey by the National Safe Kids Campaign says half of all preventable deaths happen to kids between May and August.

Length: 2:25

Program: 10:00 p.m.

Date: 05/07/01

Description: Report that Congressman, Pete Sessions, along with parents and Boy Scouts engaged in a panel discussion at the Lake Highlands Methodist Church to discuss how to avoid school violence as well as hope kids can cope with those types of situations.

Length: 0:25

Program: 10:00 a.m.

Date: 05/08/01

Description: Report that pediatricians say that putting infants to bed on their backs is the best way to reduce Sudden Infant Death Syndrome.

Length: 0:20

Program: 6:00 a.m.

Date: 5/13/01

Description: Report that moms are gathering on the state capitol in Austin for the Million-Mom March.

Length: 0:50

Program: 10:00 a.m.

Date: 5/14/01

Description: Report that 3 children from Mesquite, who were reported missing over the weekend, were found.

Length: 1:40

FAMILY

Program: 6:00 a.m.
Date: 05/28/01
Description: Report that a North Texas family remembers their son, Tim Guana, who was killed in last year's attack on the USS Cole.
Length: 1:45

Program: 4:00 p.m.
Date: 5/29/01
Description: Report on what one North Texas city is doing to make sure teenagers are safe behind the wheel – a parental traffic plan.
Length: 1:20

Program: 6:00 a.m.
Date: 5/30/01
Description: Report that Dallas Mayor's Summer Youth Employment Program is underway offering jobs to youth ages 16 to 21 to learn techniques to better prepare for futures in private sector workplaces.
Length: :25

Program: 6:00 a.m.; 10:00 p.m.
Date: 5/30/01
Description: Report that national numbers are showing success in educating teenagers about pregnancy.
Length: 2:20; :45

Program: 10:00 a.m.
Date: 5/31/01
Description: Report on how to help children make smooth transition from family home to college and report on rules children should follow for dating.
Length: 7:35

GOVERNMENT

- Program: 10:00 AM
Date: 04/12/01
Description: President Bush welcomed Gorbachev to Texas A&M University where Gorbachev was accepting an award.
Length: 0:25
- Program: 10:00 AM
Date: 04/16/01
Description: A US aircraft carrier could be posted off the coast of China to guard the US flights when they resume.
Length: 0:30
- Program: 6:00 PM
Date: 04/16/01
Description: The Texas government is offering bluebonnet conservation license plates along with the horned frog plates to help state parks in Texas and to help with research.
Length: 0:30
- Program: 6:00 AM
Date: 04/23/01
Description: Report on President Bush and how he and 33 other leaders signed a free-trade accord to unite the Western Hemisphere.
Length: 0:20
- Program: 6:00 a.m.
Date: 05/01/01
Description: Report that today is the last day to vote "early" for the May 5th municipal and school elections in Dallas, Tarrant, Denton, Ellis, Collin, Kaufman and Rockwall counties.
Length: 0:20
- Program: 6:00 p.m.
Date: 05/01/01
Description: Texas lawmakers gave final approval to a bill that would make it illegal for anyone under 18 to ride in the open bed of a pickup truck.
Length: 0:20
- Program: 10:00 p.m.
Date: 05/07/01
Description: Report that dozens of families in Mansfield and Grand Prairie lost homes and future homes as an F-1 tornado touched down over the weekend.
Length: 1:35

GOVERNMENT

Program: 5:00 p.m.
Date: 05/11/01
Description: Report that mistakes made by the Dallas FBI are causing the delay in the execution of Oklahoma City Bomber, Timothy McVeigh.
Length: 3:12

Program: 10:00 p.m.
Date: 05/11/01
Description: Report that the execution of Timothy McVeigh has been delayed until June 11th.
Length: 5:51

Program: 10:00 p.m.
Date: 05/11/01
Description: Report that Governor, Rick Perry, signed the James Byrd Hate Crime act today, making it law.
Length: 0:20

Program: 10:0 p.m.
Date: 5/29/01
Description: Report on new law to be signed – Trey's Law – which changes statute of limitations for injury to a child from 3 years to 10 years.
Length: :35

Program: 6:00 AM
Date: 06/06/01
Description: President Bush expected to sign huge tax cut.
Length: 2:15

Program: 5:00 AM
Date: 06/15/01
Description: President Bush and Capitol Hill approve a major education bill.
Length: 0:25

Program: 9:00 AM
Date: 06/23/01
Description: Change in postal zip codes
Length: 1:40

Program: 10:00 PM
Date: 05/23/01
Description: A new stricter law about drinking and driving in Texas
Length: 1:30

HEALTH & MEDICAL

Program: 6:00 A.M.

Date: 4/01/01

Description: A new drug was found to battle colon cancer by starving the tumors.

Length: 1:41

Program: 5:00 P.M.

Date: 04/02/01

Description: Reported on a new breakthrough with disposable hearing aids that you can wear for a month then throw away.

Length: 1:30

Program: 10:00 PM

Date: 04/02/01

Description: Reported that a new study shows that antibiotics have little or no effect on children with sinus infections.

Length: 0:20

Program: 6:00 AM

Date: 04/03/01

Description: Guest and anchor discuss how much sleep people get and tips to get more sleep.

Length: 2:30

Program: 10:00 AM

Date: 04/30/01

Description: Doctors using a virtual MRI to reduce claustrophobia in some patients.

Length: 2:05

Program: 4:00 PM

Date: 04/30/01

Description: Ear infections can be cured for children over two with a pain reliever since the infections normally go away on their own but the pain can last 24 hours.

Length: 0:25

Program: 4:00 PM

Date: 04/30/01

Description: A high tech device is making it easier for doctors to combat heart disease.

Length: 1:55

HEALTH AND MEDICAL

Program: 5:00 p.m.

Date: 05/01/01

Description: Parkland Hospital's Mobile Mammography is making its way around Dallas County to screen women around the area.

Length: 0:35

Program: 5:00 p.m.

Date: 05/02/01

Description: Report that laparoscopic surgery is giving carpal tunnel syndrome patients relief without leaving scars.

Length: 1:51

Program: 10:00 p.m.

Date: 05/07/01

Description: Report that the "Date Rape Drug," or GHB, has become the drug of choice in North Texas.

Length: 1:30

Program: 10:00 p.m.

Date: 05/07/01

Description: Report on a new study that suggests that coffee may help prevent Parkinson's disease.

Length: 0:20

Program: 10:00 p.m.

Date: 05/07/01

Description: Report that the American Academy of Pediatrics is recommending parents reduce the amount of juice they give to children. Research shows juice in a bottle causes prolonged sugar exposure to the teeth, and can lead to cavities and obesity.

Length: 0:20

Program: 10:00 p.m.

Date: 05/10/01

Description: Report that a new pill, Glyvek, is making cancer vanish in many patients.

Length: 2:00

Program: 10:00 a.m.

Date: 05/15/01

Description: Report on the latest statistics that show heart disease killed more than 500,000 women in 1998.

Length: 1:40

HEALTH AND MEDICAL

Program: 10:00 p.m.
Date: 5/28/01
Description: HealthWatch report on new tool that detects diseases before symptoms surface.
Length: 4:00

Program: 6:00 a.m.; 10:00 p.m.
Date: 5/29/01
Description: Report that surgeons in Dallas announced a medical breakthrough for heart patients. Doctors can now transform veins into arteries without opening the chest.
Length: :20; 3:00

Program: 6:00 a.m.
Date: 5/29/01
Description: Report that researchers note that every animal sleeps, but researchers still not sure exactly why the brain needs sleep.
Length: 1:55

Program: 4:00 p.m.
Date: 5/29/01
Description: Report on summer seasonal allergies and what can be done to alleviate symptoms.
Length: 1:55

Program: 10:00 p.m.
Date: 5/30/01
Description: Report that there is new technology to perform surgery without the need for blood.
Length: 2:20

Program: 4:00 p.m.
Date: 5/31/01
Description: Report on which sport drinks are healthy.
Length: 2:15

Program: 10:00 p.m.
Date: 5/31/01
Description: HealthWatch report that there's more evidence that mental stress effects your health; certain coffees can put you at risk for heart disease; and the best way to quench summer thirst.
Length: 1:25

Program: 6:00 AM
Date: 06/01/01
Description: Running coffee through a filter will save your heart from harmful fats and oils in the long run.
Length: 0:45

HOUSING

Program: 10:00 A.M.

Date: 04/02/01

Description: Tips on how to conserve energy and save money on your electric bill in your home.

Length: 4:00

Program: 10:00 P.M.

Date: 04/02/01

Description: Reported how when Realtors hold open houses it can be an invitation for thieves. Gives tips on how to prevent theft.

Length: 1:55

Program: 4:00 PM

Date: 04/26/01

Description: Report on how a coating of resins and cement on roofs can help save up to 20% on electricity.

Length: 0:20

Program: 6:00 PM

Date: 04/28/01

Description: People are protesting about a development project that is proposed to go up where their housing complex is currently located.

Length: 0:20

Program: 6:00 p.m.

Date: 05/01/01

Description: Report that one student from the University of Texas in Austin is dead after a 3 alarm fire broke out in a private dorm.

Length: 1:29

Program: 10:00 p.m.

Date: 05/07/01

Description: Report on a new fire free paint that is being tested to help families escape a fire in their homes safely.

Length: 3:00

Program: 4:00 p.m.

Date: 05/08/01

Description: Report that hundreds of people from the Gables State Thomas Ravello Apartments in Dallas are moving after Black Mold tested positive in 3 units in the 160 unit building.

Length: 3:50

HOUSING

Program: 10:00 p.m.
Date: 05/11/01
Description: Report that the Better Business Bureau warns homeowners to lookout for unscrupulous contractors offering repairs to tornado damaged homes in Mansfield.
Length: 0:35

Program: 10:00 p.m.
Date: 5/16/01
Description: Report that hundreds of Fort Worth residents may be forced to leave the Ripley Arnold Housing Project. The housing authority wants to sell the land and redevelop it.
Length: 0:45

Program: 5:00 PM
Date: 06/01/01
Description: Tips on high tech help before you remodel your home.
Length: 2:59

Program: 6:00 AM
Date: 06/23/01
Description: Report with TXU Gas and Electric to share summer energy saving ideas.
Length: 1:15

Program: 10:00 PM
Date: 07/06/01
Description: Warnings from other home owners before you remodel your home.
Length: 2:40

POVERTY

Program: 6:00 AM

Date: 04/14/01

Description: Woman stole money from government funds to help low income people pay their rent.

Length: 0:20

Program: 10:00 AM

Date: 04/17/01

Description: Report that there are more than 12 million children living in poverty in the US and goes on to report that the number is falling.

Length: 0:35

Program: 10:00 a.m.

Date: 05/03/01

Description: Report that a new study conducted by The University of Pennsylvania shows that it costs practically the same to put mentally ill homeless people in apartments as it does to leave them on the streets.

Length: 0:25

Program: 9:00 a.m.

Date: 5/12/01

Description: Report that today is National Stamp Out Hunger Day and thousands of letter carriers will be picking up donated food for local charities along with your mail.

Length: 0:25

RACE RELATIONS

Program: 6:00 a.m.
Date: 05/02/01
Description: Report that a committee from the Texas Senate will consider a bill to strengthen punishment for crimes motivated by race, religion, disability and sexual orientation.
Length: 0:20

Program: 10:00 a.m.
Date: 05/03/01
Description: Report that someone painted symbols of hate all over the St. Luke Community United Methodist Church in Dallas.
Length: 1:60

Program: 6:00 a.m.
Date: 05/06/01
Description: Report that Governor Rick Perry and Plano senator, Florence Shapiro say it is time to pass the James Byrd Junior Hate Crime Act which will strengthen the penalties against hate crimes.
Length: 0:20

Program: 5:00 AM
Date: 06/06/1
Description: Dallas was ranked the number 8 city for black residents Houston was number 1.
Length: 0:20

RELIGION

Program: 10:00 PM
Date: 04/08/01
Description: Report on the Pope and his message to young Christians on Palm Sunday.
Length: 0:20

Program: 10:00 AM
Date: 04/12/01
Description: Report where Pope John Paul II led mass at the Vatican to mark Holy Thursday.
Length: 0:25

Program: 10:00 AM
Date: 04/12/01
Description: Reported that at a church in Jerusalem Christians are remembering the last few days of the life of Christ. Outside that church Greek Orthodox pilgrims gathered outside for their traditional "washing of the feet."
Length: 0:30

Program: 5:00 PM
Date: 04/12/01
Description: Story on how many Christians are now observing the holy ritual of the Passover Seder meal.
Length: 1:40

Program: 4:00 PM
Date: 04/26/01
Description: Report that some north Texas Episcopalians will get to meet the head of their church.
Length: 2:05

Program: 4:00 PM
Date: 04/30/01
Description: A new cartoon hero is introduced- Bible Man. There is a report of his affect on children.
Length: 1:45

Program: 10:00 a.m.
Date: 05/02/01
Description: Report that former Klansman, Thomas Blanton Junior, is sentenced to life for the 1963 church bombing in Alabama that killed four black girls.
Length: 0:20

RELIGION

Program: 6:00 p.m.
Date: 05/02/01
Description: Report that two Southwestern Baptist Professors will resign their jobs rather than sign a statement that is splitting the Southern Baptist Church.
Length: 1:45

Program: 10:00 a.m.
Date: 05/03/01
Description: Report that today is the National Day of Prayer, which was created by Congress in 1952.
Length: 2:15

Program: 10:00 a.m.
Date: 05/10/01
Description: Report that an off duty police officer crashed his truck into a Dallas church. The church is still waiting for an accident reported to be filed.
Length: 0:35

Program: 4:00 p.m.
Date: 05/17/01
Description: Report that several churches and organizations across North Texas help religious and political refugees settle in this area.
Length: 2:00

Program: 6:00 a.m.
Date: 5/31/01
Description: Report that father claims religious discrimination in custody case. Father is Hindu.
Length: 2:35

SAFETY

Program: 10:00 PM
Date: 04/02/01
Description: New patrol cars are put on the streets to improve safety on Dallas freeways to prevent accidents.
Length: 0:35

Program: 6:00 AM
Date: 04/05/01
Description: Reported on how to keep safe in the extra hour of daylight during the summer.
Length: 1:40

Program: 6:00 AM
Date: 04/06/01
Description: Report on water moccasins that were threatening homes and schools in Denton County.
Length: 0:45

Program: 8:00 AM
Date: 04/08/01
Description: Reported on "Public Safety Telecommunications week in Texas."
Length: 0:20

Program: 6:00 a.m.
Date: 05/02/01
Description: Report that the FAA has established new rules on fuel tank inspections on about seven thousand commercial aircraft.
Length: 0:20

Program: 6:00 a.m.
Date: 05/04/01
Description: Report that Austin based, Dell Computer Corporation, has recalled more than 200,000 batteries used in computers because of a fire hazard.
Length: 0:20

Program: 4:00 p.m.
Date: 5/29/01
Description: Report on what one North Texas city is doing to make sure teenagers are safe behind the wheel – a parental traffic plan.
Length: 1:20

SAFETY

Program: 4:00 p.m.

Date: 5/30/01

Description: Report on a warning system that will make our skies and runways safer will be coming to DFW Airport. The Airport Movement Area Safety System helps air traffic controllers by alerting them to potential runway accidents or close calls.

Length: 2:00

Program: 6:00 AM

Date: 06/25/01

Description: Illegal to use hand held cell phones in New York while driving.

Length: 0:20

Program: 10:00 PM

Date: 07/02/01

Description: Ways to prevent children from drowning in swimming pools.

Length: 3:31

Program: 6:00 PM

Date: 07/03/01

Description: Tips on Firework Safety over the summer holiday.

Length: 1:35

TRANSPORTATION

Program: 10:00 PM
Date: 04/05/01
Description: Reported on how potholes in roads are slowing down fire trucks and becoming more than just an inconvenience
Length: 1:50

Program: 10:00 PM
Date: 04/09/01
Description: Reported that 15 passenger vans can be and have been deadly
Length: 1:35

Program: 10:00 AM
Date: 04/10/01
Description: Report on raising DART train ticket prices.
Length: 0:35

Program: 10:00 p.m.
Date: 05/01/01
Description: Report that the Texas Department of Public Safety now plans to put 170 more State Troopers out on the road to stop speeders.
Length: 0:20

Program: 10:00 a.m.
Date: 05/02/01
Description: Report that the Federal Aviation Administration is taking steps to make the skies safer by implementing new fuel tank safety standards.
Length: 0:20

Program: 6:00 a.m.
Date: 05/04/01
Description: Report that an official with The Transportation Department says there will be more delays at airports unless the airlines shift some of their flights away from peak travel times.
Length: 0:20

Program: 6:00 p.m.
Date: 05/07/01
Description: Report that the Texas Transportation Institute finds that the average Texan spends 36 hours a year sitting in traffic. Dallas is among the top ten cities with the longest annual traffic delays per person.
Length: 0:20

TRANSPORTATION

Program: 10:00 a.m.
Date: 5/20/01
Description: Report that due to a shortage of truck drivers, the trucking industry wants to lower the minimum age to 18 years-old to help fill vacant jobs.
Length: 0:15

Program: 6:00 a.m.
Date: 5/29/01
Description: Report on new construction project called "High Five Project" which will affect one of the biggest interchanges in North Texas.
Length: 1:15

Program: 6:00 p.m.
Date: 5/29/01
Description: Report that more public transportation could be coming to North Texas – debates taking place.
Length: 1:55

Program: 4:00 p.m.
Date: 5/30/01
Description: Report on a warning system that will make our skies and runways safer will be coming to DFW Airport. The Airport Movement Area Safety System helps air traffic controllers by alerting them to potential runway accidents or close calls.
Length: 2:00

Program: 6:00 a.m.
Date: 5/31/01
Description: Report that DART is expanding, adding almost 24 miles to its light rail system in Dallas.
Length: :40

Program: 4:00 p.m.
Date: 5/31/01
Description: Report on possible strike by American Flight Attendants.
Length: :15

Program: 6:00 AM
Date: 06/25/01
Description: Illegal to use hand held cell phones in New York while driving.
Length: 0:20

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