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1. WCNC-NBC CHARLOTTE, NC

JUN 10 2005 5:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 15,215

6 NEWS TODAY

[**05:53:18 AM**] BEFORE DRIVERS COULD ONLY BE TICKETED IF THEY WERE PULLED OVER FOR ANOTHER VIOLATION. DRIVERS WILL FACE A 25 DOLLAR FINE WITH NO POINTS ON THEIR RECORD. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD THREATENED A VETO BECAUSE HE WANTED STIFFER PENALTIES. BUT HE FAILED TO DO IT BY THE MIDNIGHT DEADLINE WEDNESDAY NIGHT. HE ALSO DID NOT SIGN THE BILL.

2. WIS-NBC COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 10 2005 5:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 13,775

NEWS TEN FIRST NEWS

[**05:00:22 AM**] I'M SCOTT HAWKINS HERE'S WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS MORNING IN YOUR HEADLINES. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD EXPLAINS WHY HE OPPOSES THE NEW SEAT BELT LAW.

3. WIS-NBC COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 10 2005 5:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 13,775

NEWS TEN FIRST NEWS

[**05:02:31 AM**] WE NOW KNOW MORE ABOUT GOVERNOR SANFORD'S DECISION ON THE SEAT BELT LAW. HE ALLOWED IT TO BECOME LAW WITHOUT HIS SIGNATURE. GOVERNOR SANFORD SAID HE DOES NOT BELIEVE THE LAW WILL PROMPT MORE PEOPLE TO WEAR SEAT BELTS. I DON'T PARTICULARLY LIKE THIS LAW. I DON'T THINK IT MAKES SENSE, BUT MY BELIEF IS YOU SHOULD HAVE FEWER LAWS.

4. WLTX-CBS COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 10 2005 5:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 8,676

NEWS 19

[**05:01:30 AM**] SIX MONTHS FROM NOW. POLICE WILL BE ABLE TO PULL YOU OVER IF YOU'RE NOT WEARING YOUR SEAT BELT. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD LET THE PRIMARY ENFORCEMENT SEAT BELT BILL BECOME LAW. WITHOUT- HIS SIGNATURE. BEFORE.

5. WLTX-CBS COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 10 2005 5:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 8,676

NEWS 19

[**05:32:18 AM**] SIX MONTHS FROM NOW. POLICE WILL BE ABLE TO PULL YOU OVER IF YOU'RE NOT WEARING YOUR SEAT BELT. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD LET THE PRIMARY ENFORCEMENT SEAT BELT BILL BECOME LAW. WITHOUT- HIS SIGNATURE. BEFORE.

6. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 10 2005 5:30AM CT Nielsen Audience: 7,464

NEWS 13 FIRST MORNING

[**05:31:10 AM**] THE FINE IS \$25, BUT NO POINTS OFFOUR LICEE. CURRENTLY AN OFFICER CAN ONLY FINE YOU IF YOU'RE FIRST PULLED OVER FOR ANOTHER OFFENSE. GOVERNOR SANFORD SAID HE HAS MIXED FEELINGS ON THE LAW. I DON'T THINK GOVERNME SHRUBD BE IN THE BUSINESS OF TRYING TO PROTECTIVE PEOPLE FROM THEMSELVES. GOVERNOR SANFORD DIDN'T SIGN THE BILL NOR VETO IT.

7. WPDE-ABC FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 10 2005 5:30AM CT Nielsen Audience: 1,434

GOOD MORNING CAROLINA

[**05:32:17 AM**] TO FIND OUT HOW YOU CAN HELP, JUST LOG ONTO OUR WEBSITE AT W-P-D-E DOT COM, AND CLICK ON THE COMMUNITY PAGE. COUNTIES AND MUNICIPALITIES IN SOUTH CAROLINA CAN NOW PREVENT* CASINO BOATS FROM OPERATING IN THEIR JURISDICTION. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SIGNED THAT BILL INTO LAW, IN MURRELLS INLET, THURSDAY. A CASINO BOAT OPERATOR HAS EXPRESSED INTEREST IN BRINGING ONE OF THE GAMBLING BOATS TO GEORGETOWN COUNTY. BUT, THE COUNTY NOW HAS THE RIGHT TO DECIDE IF THEY WANT THE BOATS OR NOT.

8. WCNC-NBC CHARLOTTE, NC

JUN 9 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 60,758

6 NEWS AT 6

[**06:03:53 PM**] BEFORE DRIVERS COULD ONLY BE TICKETED IF THEY WERE PULLED OVER FOR ANOTHER VIOLATION. DRIVERS WILL FACE A \$25 FINE WITH NO POINTS ON THEIR RECORD. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD THREATEN ADD VETO BECAUSE HE WANTED STIFFER PENALTIES, BUT HE FAILED IT DO IT BY THE MIDNIGHT DEADLINE LAST NIGHT. HE ALSO DID NOT SIGN THE ALSO. THE U.S. CENSUS SAYS ONE IN SEVEN PEOPLE IN THIS COUNTRY IS HISPANIC.

9. WSOC-ABC CHARLOTTE, NC

JUN 9 2005 5:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 151,008

EYEWITNESS NEWS

[**05:02:30 PM**] POLICE IN SOUTH CAROLINA CAN NOW PULL YOU OVER FOR NOT WEARING YOUR SEAT BELT. THE STATE HAS A NEW SEAT BELT LAW. BECAUSE GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD DID NOT VETO IT BY WEDNESDAY'S DEADLINE. DRIVERS CAUGHT "NOT" WEARING THEIR SEAT BELTS WILL GEA 25 DOLLAR FINE, BUT IT WON'T COUNT AGAINST YOUR LICENSE OR INSURANCE. SANFORD DID NOT THINK THAT WAS TOUGH ENOUGH.

10. WSOC-ABC CHARLOTTE, NC

JUN 9 2005 5:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 151,008

EYEWITNESS NEWS

[**05:44:07 PM**] YOUR NEXT VACATION COULD INCLUDE A TRIP TO A CASINO BOAT ON THE SOUTH CAROLINA COAST. TODAY. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SIGN A BILL ALLOWING CITIES AND COUNTIES TO DECIDE WHETHER TO ALLOW THE BOATS. THE ONLY ONES CURRENTLY OPERATING IN THE STATE ARE IN LITTLE RIVER IN NORTHERN HORRY COUNTY. MORE THAN A DOZEN LOGGERHEAD TURTLES ARE BACK IN THE WATERS OFF THE NORTH CAROLINA COAST TONIGHT.

11. WSOC-ABC CHARLOTTE, NC

JUN 9 2005 12:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 81,355

EYEWITNESS NEWS

[**12:24:40 PM**] POLICE IN SOUTH CAROLINA CAN NOW PULL YOU OVER FOR NOT WEARING YOUR SEAT BELT. THE STATE HAS A NEW SEAT BELT LAW. BECAUSE GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD DID T VETO IT BY WEDNESDAY'S DEADNE. DRIVERS CAUGHT "NOT" WEARING THEIR SEAT BELTS WILL GET A 25 DOLLAR FINE. A PEDESTRIAN IS DEAD AFTER BEING HIT BY TWO CARS.

12. WIS-NBC COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 9 2005 11:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 83,877

NEWS TEN NIGHTCAST

[**11:04:22 PM**] BY THE END OF THE YEAR. POLICE WILL BE ABLE TO PULL OVER ADULT DRIVERS WHO FAIL TO BUCKLE UP. MARK SANFORD ALLOWED IT TO BECOME A LOW WITHOUT HIS SIGNATURE. I SANFORD DOES NOT BELIEVE THE LAW WILL MAKE PEOPLE TO WEAR SEATBELTS. POLICE ARE NOT ALLOWED TO ENFORCE THAT LAW UNDER SOME KIRKSES.

13. WIS-NBC COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 9 2005 7:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 89,341

SEVEN O CLOCK REPORT

[**06:59:53 PM**] THE PASSING OF SEVERAL KEY BILLS MARKED THE ENDS OF WHAT SOME CALLED A "SUCCESS FRLG] LEMMING SLATION BUT I YEAR OF MIXED RESULTS FOR GOVERNOR MARK SAN FORDS. 153 VETOOS WERE OVERRIDDEN AND FAILED TO CONVINCE LAWMAKERS OF HIS TOP PRIORITIES. REPORTER: GOVERNOR MARK SANFORDS EXPLAINERRING WHY HE DIDN'T VETO THE NEW SEAT BELT BILL, BUT DIDN'T SIGN IT EITHER. YOU OUGHT TOT LEAVE THE MAXIMUM AMOUNT OF PERSONAL JUDGMENT OUT THERE FOR EVERY DECISION. SEAT BELTS ONE ISSUE WHERE THE GOVERNOR HAD TO ACCEPT LESS THAN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLE. ... JACK SUNS XFLT] GOVERNOR SANFORD SIGNED A LAW ABOUT CASINO BOATS OPERATING OUT OF SOUTH CAROLINA. THE NEW LAW GIVES LOCAL GOVERNMENTS THE POWER TO DECIDE WHETHER OR NOT TO HAVE THE BY THES. THE TOWN OF LEXINGTON IS TAKING COUNT OF ITS POPULATION.

14. WIS-NBC COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 9 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 91,959

NEWS TEN AT SIX

[**06:02:36 PM**] SOUTH CAROLINA DRIVERS WILL HAVE THAT CHOICE LATER THIS YEAR. AFTER YEARS OF TALK AND LEGISLATIVE WRANGLING, THE STATE WILL ALLOW POLICE TO PULL OVER ADULTS WHO DRIVE UNBUCKLED. OVERNIGHT, GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD ALLOWED A PRIMARY ENFORCEMENT BILL TO BECOME LAW WITHOUT HIS SIGNATURE. THE GOVERNOR SAYING HE COULDN'T ENDORSE A BILL HE SAYS WILL BE BOTH INEFFECTIVE AND DAMAGING TO INDIVIDUAL RIGHTS. OUR SOCIETY'S MAXIMUM VALUE IS FREEDOM.

15. WIS-NBC COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 9 2005 5:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 55,208

LIVE AT FIVE

[**05:06:57 PM**] THE BATTLE OVER NEW SEAT BELT LEGISLATION IS OVER. BY THE END OF THE YEAR THE POLICE WILL BE ABLE TO PULL OVER ADULT DRIVERS WHO FAIL TO BUCKLE UP IN SOUTH CAROLINA. OVERNIGHT GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD ALLOWED THE BILL TO BECOME LAW WITHOUT HIS CIGNA CLOUR. HE SAID HE DOESN'T BELIEVE THE LAW WILL PROMPT PEOPLE TO WEAR SEAT BELTS. POLICE ARE NOT ALLOWED TO ENFORCE THE CURRENT LAW UNDER SOME CIRCUMSTANCES.

16. WIS-NBC COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 9 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 42,560

NEWS TEN FIRST NEWS

[**06:00:30 AM**] HERE'S WHAT'S MAKING HEADLINES TODAY. GOVERNOR SANFORD DIDN'T USE HIS VETO POWER TO DO AWAY WITH A BILL TOUGHENING SEATBELT LAWS IN SOUTH CAROLINA.

17. WIS-NBC COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 9 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 42,560

NEWS TEN FIRST NEWS

[**06:02:09 AM**] NEW THIS MORNING, IT LOOKS LIKE A BILL FORCING PEOPLE WHO DON'T BUCKLE UP ON SOUTH CAROLINA'S HIGHWAYS TO PAY UP IS NOW LAW. THE SENATE CLERK'S OFFICE SAYS THE GOVERNOR DID NOT VETO THE SEATBELT BILL BY THE MIDNIGHT DEADLINE, MEANING GOVERNOR SANFORD EITHER SIGNED THE BILL OR LET IT BECOME LAW WITHOUT HIS SIGNATURE. THE NEW LAW WILL LET OFFICERS PULL A DRIVER SIMPLY FOR NOT WEARING A SEATBELT. THE FINE WOULD BE \$25. ... GOVERNOR SANFORD SAID HE WAS STRONGLY CONSIDERING VETOING THE BILL BECAUSE HE DIDN'T THINK IT WAS TOUGH ENOUGH. NOW, WE CALLED THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE JUST AFTER MIDNIGHT TO FIND OUT ABOUT HIS DECISION, BUT HAVE NOT RECEIVED A CALL BACK AS OF YET. WE SHOULD FIND OUT MORE, THOUGH, DURING A NEWS CONFERENCE THAT HE'S HOLDING LATER THIS

MORNING.

18. WIS-NBC COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 9 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 42,560

NEWS TEN FIRST NEWS

[**06:32:18 AM**] GOVERNOR SANFORD WILL SIGN A BILL INTO LAW TODAY THAT COULD OPEN THE DOOR TO CASINO BOATS IN SOUTH CAROLINA. UNDER THE NEW LAW, LOCAL GOVERNMENTS CAN DECIDE WHETHER TO ALLOW CASINO BOATS IN THEIR AREA. THE SIGNING WILL TAKE PLACE AT 2:00 THIS AFTERNOON AT CAPTAIN DICK'S MARINA IN MURRELL'S INLET.

19. WLTX-CBS COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 9 2005 11:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 29,571

NEWS 19

[**11:02:48 PM**] SIX MONTHS FROM TODAY. POLICE WILL BE ABLE TO PULL YOU OVER IF YOU'RE NOT WEARING YOUR SEAT BELT. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD LET THE PRIMARY ENFORCEMENT SEAT BELT BILL BECOME LAW AT 12 O'CLOCK THIS MORNING. WITHOUT HIS SIGNATURE. BEFORE.

20. WLTX-CBS COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 9 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 38,928

NEWS 19

[**06:01:15 PM**] LAW OFFICERS WILL NOW BE ABLE TO PULL YOU OVER. JUST FOR NOT WEARING A SEAT BELT. GOVERNOR SANFORD DECIDED NOT TO VETO. OR SIGN THE BILL. WHICH WENT INTO EFFECT AT MIDNIGHT.

21. WTOG-CBS SAVANNAH, GA

JUN 9 2005 7:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 26,873

FIRST REPORT

[**07:02:53 AM**] SOLELY FOR NOT WEARING THEIR SEAT BELTS HAS BECOME LAW IN SOUTH CAROLINA. THE SENATE CLERK SAID GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD DID NOT SEND HIM HIS VETO, MEANING EITHER SANFORD SIGNED THE BILL OR LET IT BECOME LAW WITHOUT HIS SIGNATURE. THE BILL WAS PROPOSED BY SOUTH CAROLINA LEGISLATORS IN JANUARY. THE NEW BILL WILL LET POLICE PULL OVER A DRIVER SIMPLY FOR NOT BUCKLING UP.

22. WCBT-NBC CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 9 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 9,309

NEWS 2 AT 6 AM

[**06:21:35 AM**] REASSESSMENT NOTICES WILL ARRIVE BY MAIL STARTING NEXT WEEK. THE BILLS SHOULD COME SOMETIME THIS FALL. A STRONGER SEATBELT LAW SLIDES PAST THE GOVERNOR'S DESK WITHOUT MARK SANFORD'S VETO. HE HAD UNTIL MIDNIGHT TO SIGN IT OR IT BECOMES LAW WITHOUT HIS SIGNATURE. THE NEW LAW WILL LET POLICE PULL A DRIVER OVER SIMPLY FOR NOT BUCKLING UP. ... GOVERNOR SANFORD HEADS TO HORRY COUNTY TODAY. TO SIGN THE CASINO BOAT BILL. THE BILL LETS COUNTIES OUTLAW CASINO BOATS THAT NOW EMBARK ON SO-CALLED GAMBLING CRUISES TO NOWHERE.

23. WCBT-NBC CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 9 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 9,309

NEWS 2 AT 6 AM

[**06:42:44 AM**] AND THE FREE SHOW GOES ON AT SIX P.M. STILL TO COME THIS MORNING. A NEW SEATBELT LAW IS SET TO HIT THE BOOKS. AFTER GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD FAILS TO STRIKE IT WITH HIS VETO PEN. WHAT THIS MEANS FOR DRIVERS WHO DON'T BUCKLE UP. BUT FIRST.

24. WCBT-NBC CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 9 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 9,309

NEWS 2 AT 6 AM

[**06:45:42 AM**] THE DORCHESTER COUNTY PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING. THAT'S AT THREE P-M AT COUNCIL CHAMBERS. A STRONGER SEATBELT LAW SLIDES PAST THE GOVERNORS DESK WITHOUT MARK SANFORD'S VETO. HE HAD UNTIL MIDNIGHT TO SIGN IT OR IT BECOMES LAW WITHOUT HIS JOHN HANCOCK. THE NEW LAW WILL LET POLICE PULL A DRIVER OVER SIMPLY FOR NOT BUCKLING UP. ... GOVERNOR SANFORD HEADS TO HORRY COUNTY TODAY. TO SIGN THE CASINO BOAT BILL. THE BILL LETS COUNTIES OUTLAW CASINO BOATS THAT NOW EMBARK ON SO- CALLED GAMBLING CRUISES TO NOWHERE.

25. WCIV-ABC CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 9 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 4,605

NEWS AT 6 AM

[**06:01:43 AM**] NEW LEGISLATION IN SOUTH CAROLINA MAY BE A JACKPOT FOR CASINO BOATS BUT THAT DEPENDS ON WHERE THEY ARE. GOVERNOR SANFORD SIGNED A BILL GIVING LOCAL GOVERNMENTS THE POWER TO DECIDE FOR THEMSELVES IF THEY WANT THE GAMBLING BOATS. AS ABC NEWS 4'S MELISSA REYNOLDS EXPLAINS, HIS DECISION, MEANS THEY'LL BE BANNED FROM EVERY LOWCOUNTRY LOCALITY, BUT 2. NAT: DING, DING, DING THESE GAMES HOLD THE PROMISE OF FUN AND RICHES. ... LATER TODAY, GOVERNOR SANFORD WILL BE IN HORRY COUNTY FOR A CEREMONY TO SIGN THIS BILL INTO LAW. A PROPOSAL TO HELP SOUTH CAROLINA'S OLDEST POPULATION IS COMING OUT OF COLUMBIA. LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR ANDRE BAUER HAS PUT ON THE GOVERNOR'S DESK A BILL THAT WOULD HELP EASE THE SHORTAGE OF GERIATRIC DOCTORS.

26. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 9 2005 11:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 45,529

NEWS 13 AT 11

[**11:00:07 PM**] OTHERWISE START SAVING UP FOR THE WILL BE FINES. IN MYRTLE BEACH, JULIE LONCICH, NEWS 13. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD DID NOT APPROVE OR VETO THE TOUGHER BILL. HE DIDN'T SIGN THIS. THEREBY LETTING BECOME A LAW.

27. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 9 2005 11:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 45,529

NEWS 13 AT 11

[**11:02:01 PM**] THE POWER TO BAN CASINO VOTES IN SOUTH CAROLINA. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SIGNED THE BILL THIS AFTERNOON IN MURRELLS INLET. LOCAL GOVERNMENTS CAN DETERMINE WHETHER TO ALLOW VOTES TO OPERATE IN THE JURISDICTION. GAMBLING DAY CRUISES ARE ILLEGAL.

28. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 9 2005 11:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 45,529

NEWS 13 AT 11

[**11:02:29 PM**] GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SIGNED THAT BILL, HE VETOED ONE CREATING A COMMISSION TO STUDY THE GENERAL FRANCIS MARION TRAIL. THE TRAIL WOULD GREATLY BENEFIT THE REGION HISTORICALLY AND ECONOMICALLY. THAT VETO HAS HUGH LEATHERMAN AND OTHERS ANGRY. HUGH LEATHERMAN IS QUOTED BY THE NEWSPAPER AS STRONGLY IMPLYING THAT GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD ENJOYS AND RELISHES HURTS PEOPLE. HE VOWED TO OVERRIDE THE VETO. HE'S NOT PICKING ON THE PEE DEE BUT LOOKING OF THE BEST INTEREST OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

29. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 9 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 73,028

NEWS 13 AT SIX

[**05:59:01 PM**] WE'LL KEEP YOU COVERED. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD DOESN'T LIKE THE LAW, HE DOES KE THE ONE THAT MAY MEAN THE END OF KOAN VOTES IN SOUTH CAROLINA. SIGNED IT ON THE GRAND STRAND TODAY. IN JUST A MOMENT A HEAR FROM THE

GOVERNOR.

30. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 9 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 73,028

NEWS 13 AT SIX

[**06:01:28 PM**] THE FINE IS \$25, NO POINTS. ONLY FINE YOU IF YOU'RE PULLED OVER FOR SPEEDING. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD HAS MIXED FEELINGS ABOUT THE LAW. AT THE END OF THE DAY I DON'T THINK THAT THE GOVERNMENT IN THE BUSINESS OF PROTECTING PEOPLE FROM THEMSELVES. THE BILL BECAME LAW WHEN HE DIDN'T SIGN IT.

31. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 9 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 73,028

NEWS 13 AT SIX

[**06:02:05 PM**] REPORTER: UNTIL THIRST AFTERNN, UNTIL THURSDAY AFTERNOON, LITTLE POWER TO BAN CASINO VOTES. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SIGNED INTO LAW. A BILL PUTTING THE CASINO VOTE BACK INTO THE MOST EFFECTIVE, THE LOCALS. ONE LOCAL CONTROL, PEOPLE GET TO DECIDE WHETHER THEY WANT THE BOAT COMING IN OR OU REPORTER: JUST WHAT THE MEMBERS HAD BEEN WAITING FOR.

32. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 9 2005 12:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 41,199

NEWS 13 AT NOON

[**11:59:15 AM**] GOOD AFTERNOON, AND THANKS FOR BEING WEALTH US. I'M KIMBERLY GILL. WE'LL GET TO THOSE STORIES IN JUST A MOMENT, BUT FIRST A STRONGER SEAT BELT BILL ALLOWING POLICE TO PULL OVER DRIVERS SIMPLY FOR NOT WEARING THEIR SEAT BELTS, THATER GOVERNOR SANFORD DID NOT VETO IT BEFORE MIDNIGHT. IT WILL SET A \$25 FINE FOR SEAT BELT OFFENSES WITH NO POINTS AGAINST A DRIVER'S RECORD.

33. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 9 2005 12:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 41,199

NEWS 13 AT NOON

[**11:59:45 AM**] SOUTH CAROLINA VOTERS PROBABLY WON'T HAVE INTERNET ACCESS TO INFORMATION ON HOW MONEY INFLUENCES THE GOVERNOR'S RACE NEXT YEAR. AT THE URGING OF GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD, THE LEGISLATURE LAST MONTH APPROVED \$318,000 FOR AN ELECTRONIC CAMPAIGN FINANCE REPORTING SYSTEM. BUT STATE ETHICS COMMISSION EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR HERB HEIDEN SAYS IT WON'T BE OPERATING IN TIME FOR T 2006 ELECTIONS.

34. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 9 2005 7:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 30,221

NEWS 13 THIS MORNING

[**06:01:33 AM**] A STRONGER SEAT BELT BILL ALLOWING POLICE TO PULL OVER ADULT DRIVERS SOLELY FOR NOT WEARING THEIR SEAT BELT HAS BECOME LAW, THAT BEFORE GOVERNOR SANFORD DID NOT VETO IT BY MIDNIGHT. THE NEW LAW WILL LET POLICE PULL A DRIVER OVER FOR NOT BUCKLING UP. THERE'S A \$25 FINE FOR SEAT BELT OFFENSES WITH NO POINTS ON THE DRIVER'S RECORDS.

35. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 9 2005 7:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 30,221

NEWS 13 THIS MORNING

[**06:08:00 AM**] SOUTH CAROLINA VOTERS PROBABLY WON'T HAVE INTERNET ACCESS TO INFORMATION ON HOW MONEY INFLUENCES THE GOVERNOR'S RACE NEXT YEAR. AT THE URGING OF GOVERNOR SANFORD THE LEGISLATURE LAST MONTH APPROVED \$318,000 FOR AN ELECTROC CAMPAI FINANCE REPORTING SYSTEM. BUT STATE ETHICS COMMISSION DIRECTOR SAYS THE SYSTEM WON'T BE OPERATING IN TIME FOR THE 2006 ELECTIONS. AT'S NOT WHAT SANFORD OR LAWMAKERS EXPECTED TO HEAR.

36. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 9 2005 7:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 30,221

NEWS 13 THIS MORNING

[**06:54:19 AM**] IT'S ABOUT 6544 NOW. A STRONGER SEAT BELT BILL ALLOWING POLICE TO PULLVER ADULT DRIVERS FOR NOT WEARING SEAT BELTS HAS BECOME LAW, THAT AFTER GOVERNOR SANFORD DID NOT VETO IT. THE NEW LAW WILL LET POLICE PULL A DRIVER OVER FOR NOT BUCKLING UP. A COMPROMISE SETS A \$25 FINE FOR SEAT BELT OFFENSES WITH NO POINTS ON A DRIVERS RECORD.

37. WPDE-ABC FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 9 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 23,088

15 NEWS AT 6

[**06:15:45 PM**] LATEST EXPANSION FOR HOOTERS AIR LANDS IN SIN CITY GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD. ON THE GRAND STRAND. SIGNS A NEW CASINO BOAT BILL INTO LAW.

38. WPDE-ABC FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 9 2005 12:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 6,935

15 NEWS AT NOON

[**11:59:01 AM**] I'M BRIAN WILLIAMSEN. OUR TOP STORY, TODAY GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD HAS DECIDED NOT* TO VETO A TOUGHER SEAT BELT BILL. THAT MEANS, YOU CAN BE PULLED OVER FOR NOT* BUCKLING UP AND, IT'S GOING TO COST YOU, TOO.

39. WPDE-ABC FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 9 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 7,294

GOOD MORNING CAROLINA

[**06:02:16 AM**] WEATHER PREVIEW ALEX AUSTIN WITH TRAFFIC PREVIEW WEATHER WILLIAMSEN 9TH. I'M BRIAN ALEX AUSTIN WITH TRAFFIC GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD HAS NOT* VETOED A TOUGHER SEAT BELT BILL AND, THE BILL HAS AUTOMATICALLY BECOME LAW. THE HOUSE AND SENATE CAME TO A LAST-MINUTE COMPROMISE, SETTING A 25- DOLLAR FINE FOR PEOPLE WHO AREN'T BUCKLED UP.

40. WPDE-ABC FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 9 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 7,294

GOOD MORNING CAROLINA

[**06:32:33 AM**] ALEX AUSTIN WITH TRAFFIC THE MIDNIGHT DEADLINE HAS COME AND GONE, AND GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD HAS NOT* VETOED A TOUGHER SEAT BELT BILL THIS MEANS, THE BILL HAS AUTOMATICALLY BECOME A LAW. THE HOUSE AND SENATE CAME TO A LAST-MINUTE COMPROMISE, SETTING A 25- DOLLAR FINE FOR PEOPLE WHO AREN'T BUCKLED UP.

41. WPDE-ABC FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 9 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 7,294

GOOD MORNING CAROLINA

[**06:53:05 AM**] AT YOUR LOCAL GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD HAS NOT* VETOED A TOUGHER SEAT BELT BILL AND, THE BILL HAS AUTOMATICALLY BECOME LAW. THE HOUSE AND SENATE CAME TO A LAST-MINUTE COMPROMISE, SETTING A 25- DOLLAR FINE FOR PEOPLE WHO AREN'T BUCKLED UP.

42. WJBF-ABC AUGUSTA, GA

JUN 9 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 24,493

GOOD MORNING AUGUSTA

[**06:00:00 AM**] MAINTENANCE WORK AT THIS APARTMENT BUILDING ON DEANS BRIDGE ROAD. SERGEANT RICHARD ROUNDTREE SAYS DORSEY WAS MURDERED SOMETIME BETWEEN THREE AND SEVEN ON SEPTEMBER 18TH, 2004. CARLETHA DORSEY SAYS HER HUSBAND HAD NO ENEMIES AND WAS A HARDWORKING MAN. 'I PUT IT INTO THE HANDS OF

THE LORD. I PRAY EVERYDAY AND EVERY NIGHT THAT GOD BRING HIS MURDERERS TO JUSTICE THAT THEY PAY FOR WHAT THEY DID. SERGEANT ROUNDTREE SAYS THERE WAS NO FORCED ENTRY INTO THE HOME NOTHING WAS TAKEN AND THERE WAS LITTLE OR NO STRUGGLE BETWEEN DORSEY AND HIS KILLER. 'THE SCENE INDICATES A VERY VIOLENT STRUGGLE. THE VICTIM WAS STABBED MULTIPLE TIMES THROUGHOUT HIS ENTIRE BODY. HE DID HAVE SOME DEFENSIVE WOUNDS. IT'S QUITE POSSIBLE THE SUSPECT MAY HAVE INJURED HIMSELF. ROUNDTREE SAYS THE VICIOUSNESS OF THE ATTACK LEADS HIM TO BELIEVE THE KILLER WAS CLOSE TO DORSEY. 'IT MUST HAVE BEEN SOMEBODY HE KNEW. BUT WE DON'T KNOW WHO. WE WANT TO ASK THAT QUESTION WHY. WE WANT TO KNOW WHY. WHY DID YOU HAVE TO DO IT. THE MURDER WEAPON HAS NOT BEEN FOUND. BUT LIKE OTHER SOLVED CASES IT WILL TAKE HELP FROM THE PUBLIC TO CATCH A KILLER. IN AUGUSTA, RENITA CRAWFORD, WJBF NEWSCHANNEL SIX. A TWO THOUSAND DOLLAR REWARD IS BEING OFFERED FOR ANY INFORMATION THAT WILL LEAD TO AN ARREST AND CONVICTION IN THE CASE. CALL THE RICHMOND COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE IF YOU CAN HELP. COMING UP NEXT ON GOOD MORNING AUGUSTA CHARTER SCHOOLS ARE BECOMING MORE AND MORE POPULAR. BUT WHAT'S STOPPING ONE OPENING UP AND TEACHING TERRORISTS? WE'LL INVESTIGATE WHEN WE RETURN. FIRST THOUGH, CHECK OUT LAST NIGHT'S WINNING LOTTERY NUMBERS. 'YOU'RE WATCHING WJBF NEWS CHANNEL SIX, GOOD MORNING AUGUSTA. COVERAGE YOU CAN COUNT ON. WELCOME BACK TO GOOD MORNING AUGUSTA! WE'RE GLAD TO HAVE YOU WITH US THIS THURSDAY MORNING, I'M MARY MORRISON. POLICE IN SOUTH CAROLINA CAN NOW PULL YOU OVER FOR NOT WEARING YOUR SEATBELT. SOUTH CAROLINA GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD CHOSE NOT TO VETO A PROPOSED SEAT BELT BILL. MEANING IT WILL BECOME LAW. PREVIOUSLY, YOU COULD BE TICKETED FOR NOT WEARING A SEAT BELT, BUT ONLY IF YOU WERE PULLED OVER FOR A DIFFERENT OFFENSE. SANFORD HAD SAID HE WAS THINKING ABOUT VETOING THE BILL BECAUSE IT WASN'T STRONG ENOUGH. ONE SOUTH CAROLINA POLITICIAN SAYS WEARING A SEAT BELT IS A PERSONAL CHOICE THAT AFFECTS MUCH MORE THAN YOURSELF. 'YOUR NOT WEARING YOUR SEAT BELT IMPACTS MY LIFE, BECAUSE IF YOU GET THROWN FROM YOUR VEHICLE, AND YOUR VEHICLE BECOMES A TORPEDO AND IT'S COMING AT ME AND I'M WEARING MY SEAT BELT YOU'RE ACTUALLY IMPACTING MY LIFE. A COMPROMISE BETWEEN THE HOUSE AND SENATE SETS A 25 DOLLAR FINE FOR SEATBELT OFFENSES. WITH NO POINTS ON A DRIVER'S RECORD. THERE'S AN ELECTION SCHEDULING DILEMMA IN AUGUSTA. GOVERNOR PERDUE WANTS TO HOLD THE ELECTION FOR CHARLES WALKERS OPEN SENATE SEAT ON THE SAME DAY AS THE VOTE FOR AUGUSTA'S NEW MAYOR. BUT COMMISSIONERS HAVEN'T DECIDED WHEN THE VOTE FOR MAYOR WILL HAPPEN. SOME PEOPLE WANT SEPTEMBER 20TH, OTHERS NOVEMBER 8TH. ELECTIONS SUPERVISOR LYNN BAILEY SAYS SHE DOESN'T EVEN KNOW WHEN THE ELECTION WILL BE, BECAUSE AT THIS POINT IT'S UP TO THE COMMISSION AND THE GOVERNOR. 'THE TWO SCHOOLS OF THOUGHT ARE IF YOU HAVE THE ELECTIONS IN NOVEMBER AND DON'T HAVE AN ELECTION IN SEPTEMBER YOU'RE GOING TO SAVE MONEY BY NOT HAVING TO CONDUCT SPECIAL ELECTION. THERE IS ALSO A STRONG ARGUMENT BEING MADE THAT THESE TWO ARE ELECTIVE OFFICES AND THEY SHOULD BE RETURNED BACK TO THE PEOPLE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. MAYOR BOB YOUNG AGREES WITH GOVERNOR PERDUE AND WANTS BOTH ELECTIONS TO BE IN SEPTEMBER. REGARDLESS OF THE ELECTION DAY, AN AUGUSTA COMMISSIONER IS LOOKING TO STEP INTO THE ROLE OF AUGUSTA MAYOR. COMMISSIONER TOMMY BOYLES HAS TAKEN CARE OF THE PAPER WORK TO ALLOW HIM TO COLLECT MONEY FOR A MAYORAL RACE. BOYLES EXPECTS COMMISSIONERS WILL BE APPOINTING AN INTERIM MAYOR AT THEIR MEETING IN TWO WEEKS. THE AUGUSTA FIRE CHIEF POSITION IS STILL UP IN THE AIR. ONE OF THE TWO FINALISTS, WISCONSIN FIRE CHIEF DAVID BEROUSEK, HAS WITHDRAWN HIS NAME. FRED RUSSELL SAYS HE'LL ASK COMMISSIONERS FOR AN UP OR DOWN VOTE ON THE REMAINING FINALIST, NILES FORD, AT THE NEXT COMMISSION MEETING. RUSSELL HAD PLANNED TO MAKE HIS RECOMMENDATION TUESDAY. BUT SAYS HE DID NOT WANT TO DO IT WHILE COMMISSIONERS WERE IN LEGAL SESSION. UNLESS YOU'RE A BIG FAN OF MOSQUITOS. WE HAVE SOME GOOD NEWS. RICHMOND COUNTY WILL SOON HAVE A FLEET OF TRUCKS ON THE ROADS OUT SPECIFICALLY TO DESTROY MOSQUITOS IN LARGE NUMBERS. BUT SOME FOLKS SAY THE RELIEF CAN'T COME SOON ENOUGH. ONE HEPHZIBAH WOMAN SAYS THE PROBLEM IS SO BAD, SHE CAN HARDLY GO OUTSIDE. 'THESE TWO PLACES

THAT WE'RE LIVING RIGHT BETWEEN ARE JUST BREEDING PLACES FOR MOSQUITOES. WATER STANDS, ALL THE TREES, IT'S JUST A BREEDING PLACES FOR MOSQUITOES. AND WE NEED SOMETHING DONE. 'THE SPRAY HAS A VERY GOOD KNOCK-DOWN EFFECT. OF COURSE, PEOPLE TELL US THE MOSQUITOES ARE STILL THERE AND THEY WILL BE THERE. WE'RE NEVER GONNA KILL ALL THE MOSQUITOES. MORRIS SAYS THE TRUCKS SHOULD BE UP AND RUNNING IN THE NEXT COUPLE OF WEEKS AND WILL SPRAY CONTINUOUSLY THROUGH SEPTEMBER OR EARLY OCTOBER. STARTING UP A CHARTER SCHOOL IN SOUTH CAROLINA IS NOT AS EASY AS YOU MIGHT THINK. THE APPLICATION PROCESS TAKES UP TO TWO YEARS TO COMPLETE. THE SCHOOL'S CURRICULUM CANNOT HAVE ANY RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION. AND IT MUST MEET STATE EDUCATION STANDARDS. CHARTER SCHOOLS ARE ALSO SUBJECT TO REVIEW BY THE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD MAKING IT TOUGH TO PUSH ANY TYPE OF HIDDEN AGENDA. 5:53 CHIP IF THERE'S ANY QUESTION IT HAS TO BE TURNED OVER TO LAW ENFORCEMENT, IF THERE'S A QUESTION OF EDUCATION GOALS, THERE IS SOME REVIEW BY THE SCHOOL DISTRICT'S INSTRUCTIONAL DEPARTMENT TO SEE IF THEY'RE ADVANCING TOWARD THE EDUCATION GOALS THEY'VE ANNOUNCED. CURRENTLY, THERE ARE TWO CHARTER SCHOOLS IN AIKEN COUNTY. A THIRD ONE IS STARTING UP IN THE FALL. THERE'S ONE CHARTER SCHOOL IN EDGEFIELD COUNTY. MATT. IT'S TIME TO COLOR THE WEATHER. HERE'S YOUR WEATHER FROM FREDDY THE FORECASTER. GREAT PICTURE. HOW ABOUT THE WEATHER? STILL TO COME THIS MORNING. DERAILING AMTRAK. WE'LL HAVE THE STORY OF THE 83 MILLION DOLLAR SCANDAL. WHEN WE RETURN. I'M ABOUT TO UNVEIL AN INVENTION THAT WILL REVOLUTIONIZE. THE WAY YOU SERVE AND STORE FOOD FOREVER! PRESENTING NEW HEFTY SERVE 'N STORE INTERLOCKING PLATES! CROWD CHEERING PLATES ARE LIDS AND LIDS ARE PLATES, SO ONE PLATE CAN INTERLOCK TO ANOTHER TO FORM A STORAGE CONTAINER, ALLOWING IT TO GO FROM TABLE. TO FRIDGE. TO MICROWAVE. AND BACK! THEY'RE EVEN DISPOSABLE! CROWD CHEERING WOO-HOO! PLATES ARE LIDS, LIDS ARE PLATES! NEW HEFTY SERVE 'N STORE. UNIVERSITY PRESIDENTS IN GEORGIA WILL RECEIVE A TWO PERCENT PAY RAISE. THE STATE BOARD OF REGENTS APPROVED THE RAISE AT A MEETING YESTERDAY. THE PAY RAISE WILL GO INTO EFFECT JANUARY. THE RAISE WILL INCREASE UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA PRESIDENT MIKE ADAM'S PAY FROM AROUND 228 THOUSAND DOLLARS A YEAR TO 242 THOUSAND DOLLARS A YEAR. INVESTIGATORS ARE LOOKING INTO THE CAUSE OF A SMALL PLANE CRASH IN SPALDING COUNTY. THE CRASH HAPPENED YESTERDAY AFTERNOON, INJURING TWO PEOPLE ON BOARD. THE PLANE WENT DOWN IN A WOODED AREA NEAR THE CEDAR RIDGE AIRPORT. THIS AERIAL VIDEO SHOWS ONE OF THE PLANE'S WINGS BROKE OFF ON IMPACT. THE TWO PEOPLE ON BOARD REPORTEDLY ONLY SUFFERED MINOR INJURIES. SOUTH CAROLINA VOTERS PROBABLY WON'T HAVE INTERNET ACCESS TO INFORMATION ON HOW MONEY INFLUENCES THE

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[**06:00:00 AM**] GOVERNOR'S RACE NEXT YEAR. LAST MONTH LAWMAKERS APPROVED 318 THOUSAND DOLLARS FOR AN ELECTRONIC CAMPAIGN FINANCE REPORTING SYSTEM. BUT OFFICIALS SAY THE SYSTEM WON'T BE WORKING IN TIME FOR THE 2006 ELECTIONS. A SPOKESPERSON FOR GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SAYS HE IS NOT VERY HAPPY THE SYSTEM WON'T BE IN PLACE. AMTRAK HAS EXPERIENCED A NUMBER OF PROBLEMS OVER THE PAST FEW MONTHS AND YEARS. THE WHITE HOUSE HAS EVEN SUGGESTED THAT BANKRUPTCY IS THE BEST ANSWER FOR THE TROUBLED COMPANY. THAT AND OTHER OPTIONS WILL BE ON THE TABLE TODAY. ABC'S KEITH GARVIN HAS MORE. IN SHORT THE GOVERNMENT THINKS AMTRAK IS A TRAIN WRECK THAT ALREADY IS HAPPENING. TODAY CONGRESS INVESTIGATES CHARGES THAT AMTRAK WORKERS RIPPED OFF THE COMPANY FOR 83- MILLION DOLLARS IN A FOOD AND BEVERAGE SCANDAL. BUT THE ORGANIZATION HAS BEEN STEAMING TOWARD TROUBLE FROM SEVERAL DIFFERENT DIRECTIONS. IN APRIL AMTRAK WAS FORCED TO PULL ITS HIGH SPEED ACELA EXPRESS LINE WHEN OFFICIALS DISCOVERED BRAKE PROBLEMS. 'ALL OF US COLLECTIVELY GOT VERY LUCKY THAT THIS WAS FOUND WHEN IT WAS. IT SHOWS YOU THAT YOU WERE GETTING DANGEROUSLY CLOSE TO A VERY, VERY SERIOUS PROBLEM. AS LONG AS THE TRAINS ARE OUT OF SERVICE THE ANY LOSES ONE MILLION DOLLARS A WEEK.

THE FINANCIAL WOES COULD BE GETTING WORSE. THE GOVERNMENT HAS SUBSIDIZED AMTRAK FOR 30- YEARS BUT THE PRESIDENT'S BUDGET FOR NEXT YEAR ELIMINATES ALL AMTRAK FUNDING A TOTAL OF ONE-POINT-TWO BILLION DOLLARS. SOME SAY IT'S THE ONLY WAY TO GET THE COMPANY BACK ON THE PROPER FINANCIAL PROSECUTORS RACE AGAINST THE CLOCK TO FIND ENOUGH EVIDENCE. WE'LL UPDATE THE ARUBA STORY WHEN WE RETURN. MATT, WHO'S THE COFFEE CLUB WINNER TODAY? COFFEE CLUB WINNER THE SENATE HAS CONFIRMED CALIFORNIA JUDGE JANICE ROGERS BROWN FOR THE FEDERAL APPEALS COURT. THE SENATE VOTE WAS 56-43. THE VOTE ENDS A TWO YEAR BATTLE SHADOWED BY A DISPUTE OVER DEMOCRATIC BLOCKING TACTICS. THE SENATE HAS ALSO ENDED ANOTHER LENGTHY FILIBUSTER, CLEARING THE WAY FOR A FINAL VOTE THURSDAY ON THE APPEALS COURT NOMINATION OF WILLIAM PRYOR. THE U-S ARMY APPEARS LIKELY TO FALL SHORT OF ITS FULL-YEAR RECRUITING GOAL FOR THE FIRST TIME SINCE 19-99. THE ARMY HAD LOWERED ITS RECRUITING GOAL FOR THE MONTH OF MAY TO 67 HUNDRED PEOPLE, BUT SAYS IT REACHED ONLY ABOUT 75 PERCENT OF THE TARGET. OPINION POLLS SUGGEST MANY YOUNG PEOPLE ARE WARY BECAUSE OF THE LIKELIHOOD OF BEING SENT TO SERVE IN IRAQ OR AFGHANISTAN. ONE OF EVERY SEVEN PEOPLE IN THE UNITED STATES IS HISPANIC. NEW NUMBERS RELEASED BY THE CENSUS BUREAU SHOWED THE COUNTRY'S LARGEST MINORITY GROUP ACCOUNTED FOR ONE-HALF OF THE OVERALL POPULATION GROWTH OF TWO POINT NINE MILLION PEOPLE IN ONE YEAR. THE CENSUS ESTIMATES THERE ARE 41 POINT THREE MILLION HISPANICS IN THE U-S. PROSECUTORS IN ARUBA SAY THEY STILL DON'T HAVE ANY EVIDENCE THAT A MISSING ALABAMA TEENAGER WAS KILLED WHILE VISITING THE ISLAND. THEY ALSO SAY THEY DON'T HAVE ANY EVIDENCE TO LINK TWO MEN. CURRENTLY IN CUSTODY. TO THE DISAPPEARANCE OF NATALEE HOLLOWAY. THE TWO MEN WILL REMAIN BEHIND BARS UNTIL NEXT WEEK, WHEN A JUDGE WILL EVALUATE THE EVIDENCE COLLECTED BY POLICE. THE MEN ARE BEING HELD ON SUSPICION OF KIDNAPPING AND MURDER. THE 18 YEAR OLD HONORS STUDENT VANISHED MAY 30TH. POLICE IN ARUBA SAY THEY HAVE STOPPED SEARCHING IN WATER BUT WILL KEEP LOOKING FOR NATALEE ON LAND. STILL TO COME. WE'LL RECAP SOME OF OUR BIG STORIES AND TAKE ANOTHER LOOK AT THE WEATHER. HOPE YOU ARE HAVING A GREAT THURSDAY MORNING! NOT TO VETO A PROPOSED SEAT BELT BILL. MEANING IT WILL BECOME LAW. THE LAW ALLOWS POLICE TO PULL YOU OVER SPECIFICALLY FOR NOT WEARING A SEATBELT. PREVIOUSLY, YOU COULD BE TICKETED FOR NOT WEARING A SEAT BELT, BUT ONLY IF YOU WERE PULLED OVER FOR A DIFFERENT OFFENSE. SANFORD HAD SAID HE WAS THINKING ABOUT VETOING THE BILL BECAUSE IT WASN'T STRONG ENOUGH. THERE ARE TWO SETS OF POLITICAL SHOES TO FILL. BUT EVERYTHING FROM THE CANDIDATES TO THE DATES IS UP IN THE AIR. WHEN A JURY CONVICTED CHARLES WALKER LAST WEEK HE AUTOMATICALLY LOST HIS SENATE SEAT. GOVERNOR PERDUE HAS TENTATIVELY SET THE DATE TO FILL HIS SEAT FOR SEPTEMBER 20TH. THE GOVERNOR CHOSE THE DATE BECAUSE HE'S TRYING TO HOLD THE ELECTION FOR WALKER'S SEAT ON THE SAME DAY AS THE ELECTION FOR AUGUSTA'S MAYOR. BUT RIGHT NOW IT SEEMS NEITHER ELECTION HAS A DEFINITE DATE. SAFETY. ITS SOMETHING MOST OF US TAKE FOR GRANTED. BUT THE FACT IS, DANGERS LURK IN A LOT OF PLACES. IN OUR HOMES AND IN THE WORK PLACE. AN UPCOMING CONFERENCE SPONSORED BY SRS CAN HELP YOU KEEP YOUR FAMILY AND EMPLOYEES SAFE. WE'LL GIVE YOU ALL THE DETAILS TODAY ON WJBF NEWSCHANNEL SIX AT NOON. AD LIB TOSS TO WEATHER AMERICA@GIFABCH@

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[**06:00:00 AM**] NEGATIVE FOR MICHAEL. IT PROBABLY IS A GOOD SIGN, AND IT MEANS THAT THE JURY IS DOING THEIR JOB THERE, AND FULFILLING THEIR OATHS. IF THEY CAME BACK WITH A VERDICT WITHIN AN HOUR OR TWO, I MEAN, I DON'T THINK THEY REALLY WOULD HAVE GONE INTO THAT JURY ROOM WITH AN OPEN MIND AND OPEN FOR ZIGS DISCUSSION. THEY'RE DOING WHAT THEY SHOULD BE DOING. BUT IS IT DIFFERENT FOR A JURY WHEN YOU HAVE SUCH HIGH-PROFILE DEFENDANT? I KNOW THEY DON'T WANT TO, BUT DOES IT PLAY INTO THE PSYCHE AT ALL? YEAH, I THINK IT DOES. IT PLAYS INTO THE INDIVIDUAL PSYCHES

OF SOME JURORS. YOU HAVE TO BE ON GUARD WITH THE STEALTH JUROR, ONE ON THE JURY TO WRITE A BOOK. YOU SAW THE PETERSON TRIAL, FOUR JURORS REPLACED IN MID STREAM, WHICH IS UNUSUAL. IT DOES NOT AFFECT THE OUTCOME THOUGH. THE 12 MINDS COME TOGETHER, AS A WHOLE, AND TAPPING INTO THEIR COMMON SENSE AND LIFE EXPERIENCES AND I THINK THAT THEY WIND UP WITH THE RIGHT VERDICT. BUT, YES, IN A HIGH-PROFILE CASE, PEOPLE WILL WATCH WHAT THEY WEAR, AND THINGS LIKE THAT, BUT I DON'T THINK IT WILL AFFECT THE OUTCOME AT ALL. THANK YOU VERY MUCH. WE APPRECIATE YOU COMING IN. AND I KNOW IT'S TENSE TIMES FOR EVERYONE INVOLVED IN THE CASE. WE'RE GOING TO TURN NOW TO A COURT CASE WITH DOCTORS AND HEALTH OFFICIALS IN TEXAS AGAINST PAREN OF A 12-YEAR-OLD GIRL WITH CANCER. SHE WAS TAKEN AWAY FROM HER PARENTS AFTER THEY DECIDED TO STOP HER CHEMOTHERAPY. HERE'S RON CORNING. I AM GAINING WEIGHT. AND MY HAIR IS COMING BACK. I FEEL GREAT. I DON'T NEED RADIATION TREATMENTS. AND NOBODY ASKED ME WHAT I WANT IT'S MY BODY. NOT LONG AFTER MAKING THIS TESTIMONIAL, 12-YEAR-OLD KATIE WAS TAKEN INTO CUSTODY BY CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES IN TEXAS. KATIE'S MOTHER, ARRESTED FOR ALLEGEDLY TRYING TO KIDNAP HER BEFORE STATE AUTHORITIES COULD TAKE HER IN. IN COURT ON WEDNESDAY, THE FAMILY TRIED TO GET THEIR DAUGHTER BACK. KATIE'S FAMILY INSISTED THEY WANTED A SECOND OPINION, CONCERNED THAT RADIATION FOR HER DISEASE WOULD CAUSE MORE HARM THAN GOOD AND THEY MADE THIS TAPE TO MAKE THEIR CASE. IF RADIATION DOESN'T CAUSE ME ANY HARM, THE DOCTOR SHOULD HAVE RADIATION DONE TO HIM FIRST TO PROVE IT. THIS BATTLE OVER KATIE SPARKED A DEBATE ON PARENTS' RIGHTS. WHEN DOES A DOCTOR'S RECOMMENDATION OUTWEIGH A PARENTS' RIGHT TO CHOOSE TREATMENT FOR THEIR CHILD? THE DOCTORS WANT TO DO RADIATION THERAPY. WE DO NOT BELIEVE THAT IS THE BEST TREATMENT FOR OUR DAUGHTER BECAUSE IT CAN CAUSE ADDITIONAL HARM TO HER. WE BELIEVE SHE NEEDS THE TREATMENT. WITH HER DOCTORS ARGUING SHE WILL DIE WITHOUT MORE TREATMENT, A JUDGE WILL DECIDE WHAT IS NEXT FOR KATIE LATER TODAY. FOR 'GOOD MORNING AMERICA, I'M RON CORNING, ABC NEWS. AND CHANGING GEARS, WE'RE GOING TO TURN TO THE LATEST ON RUSSELL CROWE'S TEMPER TANTRUM. TEMPER TANTRUM. OK. HE IS APOLOGIZING FOR ALLEGEDLY HURLING A PHONE AT A STAFF MEMBER OF A FANCY NEW YORK HOTEL. AND BILL WEIR IS HERE WITH DETAILS. AND LAST NIGHT THEY PLAYED 'MR. TELEPHONE MAN' BY THE 1980'S POP GROUP. AS RUSSELL CROWE, THE BIG SUPERSTAR, WATCHED ON STAGE LAST NIGHT AND FROM THERE THE JOKES ID LETTERMANNING AMERICAABC@AR@ AND THE APOLOGIES CONTINUED. SPEAKING OF THAT, LET ME JUST THE GAG WAS AT THE EXPENSE OF THE ACTOR SUPERSTAR RUSSELL CROWE. HIS FIRST TALK SHOW APPEARANCE SINCE BEING CHARGED WITH ASSAULT MONDAY IN NEW YORK FOR HURLING A PHONE AT A HOTEL STAFF MEMBER. I AM SORRY FOR THIS WHOLE INCIDENT AND I REGRET EVERYTHING THAT TOOK PLACE. IF CONVICTED, THE NEW ZEALAND BORN ACTOR COULD FACE SEVEN YEARS IN PRISON. THIS PROBABLY THE MOST SHAMEFUL SITUATION I'VE GOTTEN MYSELF INTO IN MY LIFE. BUT IT'S ALSO BEEN GLOBAL. HE SAID THE INCIDENT HAS DIVERTED AND COMPLICATED CROWE'S PROMOTION OF HIS NEW FILM 'CINDERELLA MAN' THAT WAS OVERSHADOWED EVEN ON LETTERMAN WITH LAST NIGHT'S APOLOGY AND HUMOR AT RUSSELL'S EXPENSE. MY WIFE NEEDS TO KNOW THAT I'M AT HOME, I'M IN BED, I HAVEN'T HAD TOO MUCH TO DRINK, AND IT'S IMPORTANT THAT I'M ALONE. IN THIS CASE, BEING IN PRISON WOULD PROBABLY PUT HER MIND AT EASE. NOW IF HEAVEN FORBID YOU OR I SHOULD BE ARRESTED IN NEW YORK CITY, WE COULD EXPECT TO SPEND 17 HOURS IN JAIL, BUT RUSSELL CROWE WAS IN AND OUT OF SEVEN, SO THEY ARE INVESTIGATING WHETHER HE GETS THE STAR TREATMENT. AND HE LIKES THAT JACKET. JAMES THE BULLDOG BRADDOCK FOR THE MOVIE HE'S PROMOTING. AND WHEN HE LEFT THE HOTEL THERE'S 17 SUITCASES AND EVERY TIME YOU SEE HIM HE'S INSTEAD SAME JACKET. 'PICTURE OF HIM MORNING. SOME CALL THE COVER OLYMPIC GAMES IN ENGLAND, 400 YEARS OLD, THEY GOT SACK RACING AND TUG OF WAR, THEY GOT A BIT OF EVERYTHING. OLYMPICS LIKE YOU HAVE NEVER SEEN IT BEFORE. TAKE HOME THE GOLD, GUYS. COMING UP ON 'GOOD MORNING AMERICA, A SUMMER VACATION SAFETY ALERT. DON'T LET YOUR FAMILY'S DREAM TRIP END IN DISASTER. EXPERT ADVICE ON KEEPING YOUR KIDS SAFE AND SOUND THIS SUMMER. AND KATE, A BIG NEW FILM AND NEW ROMANCE WITH TOM CRUISE. THE ACTRESS EVERYONE IS TALKING ABOUT, LIVE IN TIMES SQUARE. ST 30 SECONDS OF LISTERINE. THINK OF ALL THE

GERMS YOU'RE KILLING. LISTERINE EVEN KILLS THE GERMS THAT CAN CAUSE PLAQUE. AND GINGIVITIS. SEE YOU CAN HANDLE IT. GERMS CAN'T. HONEY, I GOT THAT ESSERT YOU LIKE. AND LOOK WHAT ELSE I GOT. HONEY, KIDS? RELAX. IT'S NATURAL CITRUS LISTERINE. IT'S LESS INTENSE. MA ANNOUNCER INTRODUCING. LESS INTENSE NATURAL CITRUS LISTERINE. YOU CAN HANDLE IT. GERMS CAN'T. IT'S THE SATURDAY SALE. AT SEARS. FROM 8 TO 11, FIND EARLY OPEN SPECIALS LIKE AN EXTRA 10% OFF CLOTHING AND SHOES. AND ALL DAY YOU CAN GET GOING. MOWING. GRILLING. AND DRILLING. IT'S ALL AT THE SATURDAY SALE. SEARS. GOOD LIFE. GREAT PRICE. FASHION VICTIM. NATURAL BEAUTY. YEAH! PENCIL THIN FIGURES. HEALTHY BODIES. YEAH! BORING MULTI-VITAMIN PILLS. YUMMY MULTI-VITAMINS FROM VIActiv. YEAH! INTRODUCING VIActiv MULTI-VITAMIN CHEWS. DELICIOUS CHEWS WITH THE ANTIOXIDANTS. AND OTHER ESSENTIAL VITAMINS WOMEN NEED. NEW VIActiv MULTI-VITAMIN CHEWS. IN CHOCOLATE. IN TROPICAL FRUIT FLAVORS. THE MULTI-VITAMIN WOMEN WANT. TAKE GOOD CARE OF MY BABY TAKE THE BEST CARE OF YOUR DRY SKIN. WITH VASELINE INTENSIVE CARE. NOW WITH MORE HEALTHY SKIN INGREDIENTS. TAKE GOOD CARE. WITH VASELINE INTENSIVE CARE. ITS THURSDAY JUNE THE NINTH. I'M MARY MORRISON TIME NOW 7:22 TODAY'S WEATHER? MORE OF THE SAME. HERE' S JOHN LYNN WITH THE DETAILS. POLICE IN SOUTH CAROLINA CAN NOW PULL YOU OVER FOR NOT WEARING YOUR SEATBELT. SOUTH CAROLINA GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD CHOSE NOT TO VETO A PROPOSED SEAT BELT BILL. MEANING IT WILL BECOME LAW. PREVIOUSLY, YOU COULD BE TICKETED FOR NOT WEARING A SEAT BELT, BUT ONLY IF YOU WERE PULLED OVER FOR A DIFFERENT OFFENSE. SANFORD HAD SAID HE WAS THINKING ABOUT VETOING THE BILL BECAUSE IT WASN'T STRONG ENOUGH. ONE SOUTH CAROLINA POLITICIAN SAYS WEARING A SEAT BELT IS A PERSONAL CHOICE THAT AFFECTS MUCH MORE THAN YOURSELF. 'YOUR NOT WEARING YOUR SEAT BELT IMPACTS MY LIFE, BECAUSE IF YOU GET THROWN FROM YOUR VEHICLE, AND YOUR VEHICLE BECOMES A TORPEDO AND IT'S COMING AT ME AND I'M WEARING MY SEAT BELT YOU'RE ACTUALLY IMPACTING MY LIFE. A COMPROMISE BETWEEN THE HOUSE AND SENATE SETS A 25 DOLLAR FINE FOR SEATBELT OFFENSES. WITH NO POINTS ON A DRIVER'S RECORD. THERE'S AN ELECTION SCHEDULING DILEMMA IN AUGUSTA. GOVERNOR PERDUE WANTS TO HOLD THE ELECTION FOR CHARLES WALKERS OPEN SENATE SEAT ON THE SAME DAY AS THE VOTE FOR AUGUSTA'S NEW MAYOR. BUT COMMISSIONERS HAVEN'T DECIDED WHEN THE VOTE FOR MAYOR WILL HAPPEN. SOME PEOPLE WANT SEPTEMBER 20TH, OTHERS NOVEMBER 8TH. ELECTIONS SUPERVISOR LYNN BAILEY SAYS SHE DOESN'T EVEN KNOW WHEN THE ELECTION WILL BE, BECAUSE AT THIS POINT IT'S UP TO THE COMMISSION AND THE GOVERNOR. 'THE TWO SCHOOLS OF THOUGHT ARE IF YOU HAVE THE ELECTIONS IN NOVEMBER AND DON'T HAVE AN ELECTION IN SEPTEMBER YOU'RE GOING TO SAVE MONEY BY NOT HAVING TO CONDUCT SPECIAL ELECTION. THERE IS ALSO A STRONG ARGUMENT BEING MADE THAT THESE TWO ARE ELECTIVE OFFICES AND THEY SHOULD BE RETURNED BACK TO THE PEOPLE AS SOON AS

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20TH. THE GOVERNOR CHOSE THE DATE BECAUSE HE'S TRYING TO HOLD THE ELECTION FOR WALKER'S SEAT ON THE SAME DAY AS THE ELECTION FOR AUGUSTA'S MAYOR. BUT RIGHT NOW IT SEEMS NEITHER ELECTION HAS A DEFINITE DATE. AN AUGUSTA COMMISSIONER IS LOOKING TO STEP INTO THE CITY'S HIGHEST ELECTED OFFICE. COMMISSIONER TOMMY BOYLES HAS TAKEN CARE OF THE PAPER WORK, TO ALLOW HIM TO COLLECT MONEY FOR A MAYORAL RACE. A SPECIAL ELECTION WILL BE HELD THIS FALL TO REPLACE MAYOR BOB YOUNG. BOYLES EXPECTS COMMISSIONERS WILL BE APPOINTING AN INTERIM MAYOR AT THEIR MEETING IN A COUPLE OF WEEKS. THE SMOKE THICKENS WHEN IT COMES TO AUGUSTA'S FIRE CHIEF SEARCH. ONE OF THE TWO FINALISTS, WISCONSIN FIRE CHIEF DAVID BEROUSEK, HAS WITHDRAWN HIS NAME. FRED RUSSELL SAYS HE'LL ASK COMMISSIONERS FOR AN UP OR DOWN VOTE ON THE REMAINING FINALIST, NILES FORD, AT THE NEXT COMMISSION MEETING. RUSSELL HAD PLANNED TO MAKE HIS RECOMMENDATION TUESDAY. BUT SAYS HE DID NOT WANT TO DO IT WHILE COMMISSIONERS WERE IN LEGAL SESSION. SAFETY. ITS SOMETHING MOST OF US TAKE FOR GRANTED. BUT THE FACT IS, DANGERS LURK IN A LOT OF PLACES. IN OUR HOMES AND IN THE WORK PLACE. AN UPCOMING CONFERENCE SPONSORED BY SRS CAN HELP YOU KEEP YOUR FAMILY AND EMPLOYEES SAFE. WE'LL GIVE YOU ALL THE DETAILS TODAY ON WJBF NEWSCHANNEL SIX AT NOON. AD LIB TOSS TO WEATHER CHANNEL SIX, GOOD MORNING AUGUSTA. COVERAGE YOU CAN COUNT ON. TODAY'S BIG STORIES: THE MIDNIGHT DEADLINE PASSES WITHOUT A VETO. THE SOUTH CAROLINA SEATBELT BILL IS NOW A LAW. GOOD MORNING, TODAY IS THURSDAY JUNE 9TH, I'M MARY MORRISON. BUCKLE UP. IT REALLY IS THE LAW. SOUTH CAROLINA GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD CHOSE NOT TO VETO A PROPOSED SEAT BELT BILL. MEANING IT WILL BECOME LAW. THE LAW ALLOWS POLICE TO PULL YOU OVER SPECIFICALLY FOR NOT WEARING A SEATBELT. PREVIOUSLY, YOU COULD BE TICKETED FOR NOT WEARING A SEAT BELT, BUT ONLY IF YOU WERE PULLED OVER FOR A DIFFERENT OFFENSE. SANFORD HAD SAID HE WAS THINKING ABOUT VETOING THE BILL BECAUSE IT WASN'T STRONG ENOUGH. SOME SAY THE NEW SEAT BELT LAW IS A SAFETY ISSUE, NOT AN ISSUE OF PERSONAL FREEDOM. 'YOUR NOT WEARING YOUR SEAT BELT IMPACTS MY LIFE, BECAUSE IF YOU GET THROWN FROM YOUR VEHICLE, AND YOUR VEHICLE BECOMES A TORPEDO AND IT'S COMING AT ME AND I'M WEARING MY SEAT BELT YOU'RE ACTUALLY IMPACTING MY LIFE. YOU GET HURT, DON'T HAVE INSURANCE, I'M PAYING FOR YOUR COSTS. THE FACT THAT YOU DON'T HAVE A SEAT BELT ON IMPACTS THE REST OF US AND SO TO ME IT MAKES ABSOLUTE COMMON SENSE. A COMPROMISE BETWEEN THE HOUSE AND SENATE SETS A 25 DOLLAR FINE FOR SEATBELT OFFENSES. WITH NO POINTS ON A DRIVER'S RECORD. AS MANY OF YOU ARE PROBABLY AWARE. IT'S MOSQUITO SEASON. AND IT'S WORSE THAN EVER BECAUSE OF ALL THE RAIN. BUT SOME RELIEF IS ON THE WAY. W-J-B-F NEWSCHANNEL SIX'S PAIGE TUCKER TALKED TO SOME PEOPLE WHO SAY IT CAN'T COME SOON ENOUGH. SCRIPT: 'THAT'S A SPIDER PLANT' LOTTIE MCGEE LOVES TENDING TO HER PLANTS, BUT LATELY, SHE CAN'T EVEN SPEND MUCH TIME ON HER SUN PORCH. 'THE LITTLE ONES COME THROUGH THE SCREENS' MCGEE'S LIVED THROUGH PLENTY OF MOSQUITO SEASONS, BUT SHE SAYS THE PROBLEM IS SO BAD THIS YEAR, IT'S KEEPING HER PRISONER IN HER OWN HOME. 'SOMETIMES THEY'LL COME IN A SWARM, ALMOST LIKE A BALL OF THEM' AT 92, SHE SAYS THE SWARMS OF MOSQUITOES ARE SCARY. 'I AM HIGHLY ALLERGIC TO THEM AND THEY BITE. BITE ME ON MY ARMS AND MAKE BAD PLACES. AND I'M SO AFRAID OF WEST NILE VIRUS' NEIGHBORS SAY THE PROBLEM COMES FROM ABANDONED HOMES IN THE AREA, AREAS THE COUNTY CAN'T SPRAY. 'THESE TWO PLACES THAT WE'RE LIVING RIGHT BETWEEN ARE JUST BREEDING PLACES FOR MOSQUITOES. WATER STANDS, ALL THE TREES, IT'S JUST A BREEDING PLACES FOR MOSQUITOES. AND WE NEED SOMETHING DONE. RICHMOND COUNTY SAYS HELP IS ON THE WAY-A FLEET OF TRUCKS WILL SOON HIT THE ROADS TO SPRAY FOR MOSQUITOES, BUT ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH MANAGER RUDY MORRIS SAYS THE PROCESS ISN'T PERFECT. 'THE SPRAY HAS A VERY GOOD KNOCK-DOWN EFFECT. OF COURSE, PEOPLE TELL US THE MOSQUITOES ARE STILL THERE AND THEY WILL BE THERE. WE'RE NEVER GONNA KILL ALL THE MOSQUITOES. 'DID IT WORK LAST YEAR, THE SPRAY? NO. IT DON'T KEEP THEM FROM COMING FROM THAT WAY. IT HELPED A LITTLE JUST RIGHT OUT THOUGH HERE' MORRIS SAYS THE TRUCKS WILL SPRAY FOUR NIGHTS A WEEK THROUGHOUT THE SUMMER AND CONTINUOUSLY COVER THE ENTIRE COUNTY. 'WE GO DOWN MAIN THOROUGHFARES AND

MAIN HIGHWAYS AND IF WE DO A BLOCK, THEN WE'RE GONNA GET YOUR HOUSE' 'THE SPRAYER TRUCKS COVER AN AREA ABOUT 300 FEET AS THEY SPRAY' FOR PEOPLE LIKE MCGEE, THE RELIEF CAN'T COME SOON ENOUGH. THE COUNTY SAYS THE TRUCKS SHOULD BE ON THE ROADS WITHIN THE NEXT COUPLE OF WEEKS. THE FLEET SPRAYS MONDAY THROUGH THURSDAY NIGHTS, FROM ABOUT SEVEN TO ELEVEN. THEY COVER THE COUNTY IN ABOUT 8 TO 10 DAYS AND REPEAT THE PROCESS UNTIL SEPTEMBER OR OCTOBER. BUT DON'T WORRY, THE SPRAY ISN'T HARMFUL TO HUMANS. THERE ARE TWO UPCOMING ELECTIONS. BUT EVERYTHING FROM THE CANDIDATES TO THE DATES IS UP IN THE AIR. CHARLES WALKER AUTOMATICALLY LOST HIS SENATE SEAT WHEN CONVICTED LAST WEEK. GOVERNOR PERDUE HAS TENTATIVELY SET THE DATE TO FILL HIS SEAT FOR SEPTEMBER 20TH. THE DATE IS LATE BECAUSE THE GOVERNOR IS TRYING TO HOLD THE ELECTION FOR WALKER'S SEAT ON THE SAME DAY AS THE ELECTION FOR AUGUSTA'S MAYOR. BUT RIGHT NOW NEITHER ELEC HAS A DEFINITE DATE. AUGUSTA COMMISSIONERS ARE FINDING IT DIFFICULT TO REPLACE A MAYOR, BUT MAYOR YOUNG SAYS BLAME THE CONSOLIDATION BILL. MAYOR PRO-TEM MARION WILLIAMS SURPRISED MANY ANNOUNCING HE'S CONSIDERING RESIGNING TO SERVE AS INTERIM MAYOR. EVEN THOUGH WILLIAMS IS MAYOR PRO-TEM, HE DOES NOT AUTOMATICALLY TAKE OVER AFTER THE MAYOR RESIGNS. MAYOR YOUNG FEELS THAT'S A FLAW IN THE SYSTEM. TC 3:10 'MAYBE THE LAW NEEDS TO BE CHANGED SO THE MAYOR PRO TEM AUTOMATICALLY MOVES INTO THAT POSITION UNTIL THERE IS A SPECIAL ELECTION THERE SHOULD BE A LINE OF SUCCESSIONS SO THERE IS SOMEBODY IN WAITING OR TRAINING TO FILL THOSE SHOES. COMMISSIONER TOMMY BOYLES SAYS HE EXPECTS COMMISSIONERS TO NAME AN INTERIM MAYOR AT THEIR NEXT MEETING. THE SMOKE THICKENS WHEN IT COMES TO AUGUSTA'S FIRE CHIEF SEARCH. ONE OF THE TWO FINALISTS, WISCONSIN FIRE CHIEF DAVID BEROUSEK, HAS WITHDRAWN HIS NAME. FRED RUSSELL SAYS HE'LL ASK COMMISSIONERS FOR AN UP OR DOWN VOTE ON THE REMAINING FINALIST, NILES FORD, AT THE NEXT COMMISSION MEETING. RUSSELL HAD PLANNED TO MAKE HIS RECOMMENDATION TUESDAY. BUT SAYS HE DID NOT WANT TO DO IT WHILE COMMISSIONERS WERE IN LEGAL SESSION. STILL TO COME. AN EMPLOYERS DREAM. A MAN WHO FIGHTS THROUGH A GUNSHOT WOUND TO CARRY OUT HIS JOB. WE'LL HAVE THE STORY. AND EATING THE WAY PEOPLE DID 40 THOUSAND YEARS AGO. JUST TO SURVIVE. WE'LL TAKE A LOOK AT FIGHTI CHROHN'S DISEASE IN OUR MEDICAL REPORT. BUT FIRST A LOOK AT YOUR WEATHER WITH JOHN LYNN. TAKING JOB

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[**05:00:00 AM**] HE WAS A HUSBAND, FATHER AND BROTHER. BUT SOMEONE TOOK HIS LIFE IN JUST A MATTER OF MINUTES. WJBF NEWSCHANNEL 6'S RENITA CRAWFORD TAKES A LOOK AT AN UNSOLVED MURDER. A MURDER YOU MIGHT BE ABLE TO CRACK. INVESTIGATORS SAY IN THE LAST FEW HOURS OF HIS LIFE ROBERT DORSEY WAS AT HOME SPENDING TIME WITH SOMEONE HE HAD INVITED OVER. BUT BEFORE THE NIGHT ENDED. HE HAD BEEN VIOLENTLY STABBED AND LEFT TO DIE ON HIS LIVING ROOM FLOOR. 'WE DON'T SLEEP. WE DON'T HARDLY EAT. WE SHED TEARS AND WE THINK ABOUT HIM ALL THE TIME. DORSEY HANDLED ALL THE MAINTENANCE WORK AT THIS APARTMENT BUILDING ON DEANS BRIDGE ROAD. SERGEANT RICHARD ROUNDTREE SAYS DORSEY WAS MURDERED SOMETIME BETWEEN THREE AND SEVEN ON SEPTEMBER 18TH, 2004. CARLETHA DORSEY SAYS HER HUSBAND HAD NO ENEMIES AND WAS A HARDWORKING MAN. 'I PUT IT INTO THE HANDS OF THE LORD. I PRAY EVERYDAY AND EVERY NIGHT THAT GOD BRING HIS MURDERERS TO JUSTICE THAT THEY PAY FOR WHAT THEY DID. SERGEANT ROUNDTREE SAYS THERE WAS NO FORCED ENTRY INTO THE HOME NOTHING WAS TAKEN AND THERE WAS LITTLE OR NO STRUGGLE BETWEEN DORSEY AND HIS KILLER. 'THE SCENE INDICATES A VERY VIOLENT STRUGGLE. THE VICTIM WAS STABBED MULTIPLE TIMES THROUGHOUT HIS ENTIRE BODY. HE DID HAVE SOME DEFENSIVE WOUNDS. IT'S QUITE POSSIBLE THE SUSPECT MAY HAVE INJURED HIMSELF. ROUNDTREE SAYS THE VICIOUSNESS OF THE ATTACK LEADS HIM TO BELIEVE THE KILLER WAS CLOSE TO DORSEY. 'IT MUST HAVE BEEN SOMEBODY HE KNEW. BUT WE DON'T KNOW WHO. WE WANT TO ASK THAT QUESTION WHY. WE WANT TO KNOW WHY. WHY DID YOU HAVE TO DO IT. THE MURDER

WEAPON HAS NOT BEEN FOUND. BUT LIKE OTHER SOLVED CASES IT WILL TAKE HELP FROM THE PUBLIC TO CATCH A KILLER. IN AUGUSTA, RENITA CRAWFORD, WJBF NEWSCHANNEL SIX. A TWO THOUSAND DOLLAR REWARD IS BEING OFFERED FOR ANY INFORMATION THAT WILL LEAD TO AN ARREST AND CONVICTION IN THE CASE. CALL THE RICHMOND COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE IF YOU CAN HELP. COMING UP NEXT ON GOOD MORNING AUGUSTA CHARTER SCHOOLS ARE BECOMING MORE AND MORE POPULAR. BUT WHAT'S STOPPING ONE OPENING UP AND TEACHING TERRORISTS? WE'LL INVESTIGATE WHEN WE RETURN. FIRST THOUGH, CHECK OUT LAST NIGHT'S WINNING LOTTERY NUMBERS. 'YOU'RE WATCHING WJBF NEWS CHANNEL SIX, GOOD MORNING AUGUSTA. COVERAGE YOU CAN COUNT ON. WELCOME BACK TO GOOD MORNING AUGUSTA! WE'RE GLAD TO HAVE YOU GROANING DEEPLY OH. GROANING DEEPER SORRY. CHEATING DEATH? DO YOU HAVE ANY 3'S? NOPE. NO 3'S. GO FISH. IF YOU KEEP CHEATING DEATH, WE'LL KEEP PAYING. INTRODUCING 'WIN FOR LIFE' FROM THE GEORGIA LOTTERY. WIN \$1000 A WEEK FOR THE REST OF YOUR LIFE. MUMBLING, COUGHING UNDER BREATH MISS IT! MISS IT! HOWEVER LONG THAT IS WITH US THIS THURSDAY MORNING, I'M MARY MORRISON. POLICE IN SOUTH CAROLINA CAN NOW PULL YOU OVER FOR NOT WEARING YOUR SEATBELT. SOUTH CAROLINA GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD CHOSE NOT TO VETO A PROPOSED SEAT BELT BILL. MEANING IT WILL BECOME LAW. PREVIOUSLY, YOU COULD BE TICKETED FOR NOT WEARING A SEAT BELT, BUT ONLY IF YOU WERE PULLED OVER FOR A DIFFERENT OFFENSE. SANFORD HAD SAID HE WAS THINKING ABOUT VETOING THE BILL BECAUSE IT WASN'T STRONG ENOUGH. ONE SOUTH CAROLINA POLITICIAN SAYS WEARING A SEAT BELT IS A PERSONAL CHOICE THAT AFFECTS MUCH MORE THAN YOURSELF. 'YOUR NOT WEARING YOUR SEAT BELT IMPACTS MY LIFE, BECAUSE IF YOU GET THROWN FROM YOUR VEHICLE, AND YOUR VEHICLE BECOMES A TORPEDO AND IT'S COMING AT ME AND I'M WEARING MY SEAT BELT YOU'RE ACTUALLY IMPACTING MY LIFE. A COMPROMISE BETWEEN THE HOUSE AND SENATE SETS A 25 DOLLAR FINE FOR SEATBELT OFFENSES. WITH NO POINTS ON A DRIVER'S RECORD. THERE'S AN ELECTION SCHEDULING DILEMMA IN AUGUSTA. GOVERNOR PERDUE WANTS TO HOLD THE ELECTION FOR CHARLES WALKERS OPEN SENATE SEAT ON THE SAME DAY AS THE VOTE FOR AUGUSTA'S NEW MAYOR. BUT COMMISSIONERS HAVEN'T DECIDED WHEN THE VOTE FOR MAYOR WILL HAPPEN. SOME PEOPLE WANT SEPTEMBER 20TH, OTHERS NOVEMBER 8TH. ELECTIONS SUPERVISOR LYNN BAILEY SAYS SHE DOESN'T EVEN KNOW WHEN THE ELECTION WILL BE, BECAUSE AT THIS POINT IT'S UP TO THE COMMISSION AND THE GOVERNOR. 'THE TWO SCHOOLS OF THOUGHT ARE IF YOU HAVE THE ELECTIONS IN NOVEMBER AND DON'T HAVE AN ELECTION IN SEPTEMBER YOU'RE GOING TO SAVE MONEY BY NOT HAVING TO CONDUCT SPECIAL ELECTION. THERE IS ALSO A STRONG ARGUMENT BEING MADE THAT THESE TWO ARE ELECTIVE OFFICES AND THEY SHOULD BE RETURNED BACK TO THE PEOPLE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. MAYOR BOB YOUNG AGREES WITH GOVERNOR PERDUE AND WANTS BOTH ELECTIONS TO BE IN SEPTEMBER. REGARDLESS OF THE ELECTION DAY, AN AUGUSTA COMMISSIONER IS LOOKING TO STEP INTO THE ROLE OF AUGUSTA MAYOR. COMMISSIONER TOMMY BOYLES HAS TAKEN CARE OF THE PAPER WORK TO ALLOW HIM TO COLLECT MONEY FOR A MAYORAL RACE. BOYLES EXPECTS COMMISSIONERS WILL BE APPOINTING AN INTERIM MAYOR AT THEIR MEETING IN TWO WEEKS. THE AUGUSTA FIRE CHIEF POSITION IS STILL UP IN THE AIR. ONE OF THE TWO FINALISTS, WISCONSIN FIRE CHIEF DAVID BEROUSEK, HAS WITHDRAWN HIS NAME. FRED RUSSELL SAYS HE'LL ASK COMMISSIONERS FOR AN UP OR DOWN VOTE ON THE REMAINING FINALIST, NILES FORD, AT THE NEXT COMMISSION MEETING. RUSSELL HAD PLANNED TO MAKE HIS RECOMMENDATION TUESDAY. BUT SAYS HE DID NOT WANT TO DO IT WHILE COMMISSIONERS WERE IN LEGAL SESSION. UNLESS YOU'RE A BIG FAN OF MOSQUITOS. WE HAVE SOME GOOD NEWS. RICHMOND COUNTY WILL SOON HAVE A FLEET OF TRUCKS ON THE ROADS OUT SPECIFICALLY TO DESTROY MOSQUITOS IN LARGE NUMBERS. BUT SOME FOLKS SAY THE RELIEF CAN'T COME SOON ENOUGH. ONE HEPHZIBAH WOMAN SAYS THE PROBLEM IS SO BAD, SHE CAN HARDLY GO OUTSIDE. 'THESE TWO PLACES THAT WE'RE LIVING RIGHT BETWEEN ARE JUST BREEDING PLACES FOR MOSQUITOES. WATER STANDS, ALL THE TREES, IT'S JUST A BREEDING PLACES FOR MOSQUITOES. AND WE NEED SOMETHING DONE. 'THE SPRAY HAS A VERY GOOD KNOCK-DOWN EFFECT. OF COURSE, PEOPLE TELL US THE MOSQUITOES ARE STILL THERE AND THEY WILL BE THERE. WE'RE NEVER GONNA KILL ALL THE MOSQUITOES. MORRIS SAYS THE TRUCKS SHOULD BE UP AND RUNNING IN THE NEXT

COUPLE OF WEEKS AND WILL SPRAY CONTINUOUSLY THROUGH SEPTEMBER OR EARLY OCTOBER. STARTING UP A CHARTER SCHOOL IN SOUTH CAROLINA IS NOT AS EASY AS YOU MIGHT THINK. THE APPLICATION PROCESS TAKES UP TO TWO YEARS TO COMPLETE. THE SCHOOL'S CURRICULUM CANNOT HAVE ANY RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION. AND IT MUST MEET STATE EDUCATION STANDARDS. CHARTER SCHOOLS ARE ALSO SUBJECT TO REVIEW BY THE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD MAKING IT TOUGH TO PUSH ANY TYPE OF HIDDEN AGENDA. 5:53 CHIP IF THERE'S ANY QUESTION IT HAS TO BE TURNED OVER TO LAW ENFORCEMENT, IF THERE'S A QUESTION OF EDUCATION GOALS, THERE IS SOME REVIEW BY THE SCHOOL DISTRICT'S INSTRUCTIONAL DEPARTMENT TO SEE IF THEY'RE ADVANCING TOWARD THE EDUCATION GOALS THEY'VE ANNOUNCED. CURRENTLY, THERE ARE TWO CHARTER SCHOOLS IN AIKEN COUNTY. A THIRD ONE IS STARTING UP IN THE FALL. THERE'S ONE CHARTER SCHOOL IN EDGEFIELD COUNTY. MATT. IT'S TIME TO COLOR THE WEATHER. HERE'S YOUR WEATHER FROM FREDDY THE FORECASTER. GREAT PICTURE. HOW ABOUT THE WEATHER? STILL TO COME THIS MORNING. DERAILING AMTRAK. WE'LL HAVE THE STORY OF THE 83 MILLION DOLLAR SCANDAL. WHEN WE RETURN. IF UNIVERSITY PRESIDENTS IN GEORGIA WILL RECEIVE A TWO PERCENT PAY RAISE. THE STATE BOARD OF REGENTS APPROVED THE RAISE AT A MEET YESTERDAY. THE PAY RAISE WILL GO INTO EFFECT JANUARY.

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[**05:00:00 AM**] THE RAISE WILL INCREASE UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA PRESIDENT MIKE ADAM'S PAY FROM AROUND 228 THOUSAND DOLLARS A YEAR TO 242 THOUSAND DOLLARS A YEAR. INVESTIGATORS ARE LOOKING INTO THE CAUSE OF A SMALL PLANE CRASH IN SPALDING COUNTY. THE CRASH HAPPENED YESTERDAY AFTERNOON, INJURING TWO PEOPLE ON BOARD. THE PLANE WENT DOWN IN A WOODED AREA NEAR THE CEDAR RIDGE AIRPORT. THIS AERIAL VIDEO SHOWS ONE OF THE PLANE'S WINGS BROKE OFF ON IMPACT. THE TWO PEOPLE ON BOARD REPORTEDLY ONLY SUFFERED MINOR INJURIES. SOUTH CAROLINA VOTERS PROBABLY WON'T HAVE INTERNET ACCESS TO INFORMATION ON HOW MONEY INFLUENCES THE GOVERNOR'S RACE NEXT YEAR. LAST MONTH LAWMAKERS APPROVED 318 THOUSAND DOLLARS FOR AN ELECTRONIC CAMPAIGN FINANCE REPORTING SYSTEM. BUT OFFICIALS SAY THE SYSTEM WON'T BE WORKING IN TIME FOR THE 2006 ELECTIONS. A SPOKESPERSON FOR GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SAYS HE IS NOT VERY HAPPY THE SYSTEM WON'T BE IN PLACE. AMTRAK HAS EXPERIENCED A NUMBER OF PROBLEMS OVER THE PAST FEW MONTHS AND YEARS. THE WHITE HOUSE HAS EVEN SUGGESTED THAT BANKRUPTCY IS THE BEST ANSWER FOR THE TROUBLED COMPANY. THAT AND OTHER OPTIONS WILL BE ON THE TABLE TODAY. ABC'S KEITH GARVIN HAS MORE. IN SHORT THE GOVERNMENT THINKS AMTRAK IS A TRAIN WRECK THAT ALREADY IS HAPPENING. TODAY CONGRESS INVESTIGATES CHARGES THAT AMTRAK WORKERS RIPPED OFF THE COMPANY FOR 83- MILLION DOLLARS IN A FOOD AND BEVERAGE SCANDAL. BUT THE ORGANIZATION HAS BEEN STEAMING TOWARD TROUBLE FROM SEVERAL DIFFERENT DIRECTIONS. IN APRIL AMTRAK WAS FORCED TO PULL ITS HIGH SPEED ACELA EXPRESS LINE WHEN OFFICIALS DISCOVERED BRAKE PROBLEMS. 'ALL OF US COLLECTIVELY GOT VERY LUCKY THAT THIS WAS FOUND WHEN IT WAS. IT SHOWS YOU THAT YOU WERE GETTING DANGEROUSLY CLOSE TO A VERY, VERY SERIOUS PROBLEM. AS LONG AS THE TRAINS ARE OUT OF SERVICE THE COMPANY LOSES ONE MILLION DOLLARS A WEEK. THE FINANCIAL WOES COULD BE GETTING WORSE. THE GOVERNMENT HAS SUBSIDIZED AMTRAK FOR 30- YEARS BUT THE PRESIDENT'S BUDGET FOR NEXT YEAR ELIMINATES ALL AMTRAK FUNDING A TOTAL OF ONE-POINT-TWO BILLION DOLLARS. SOME SAY IT'S THE ONLY WAY TO GET THE COMPANY BACK ON THE PROPER FINANCIAL TRACK. FLORIDA MAY 11TH HEARING 'AMTRAK HAS BEEN SO COSTLY FOR THE US TAXPAYER THAT CONGRESS MIGHT AS WELL HAVE BOUGHT LIMOUSINES FOR COMMUTERS TRAVELLING BETWEEN BOSTON, NEW YORK, AND WASHINGTON. RIDERSHIP ON AMTRAK HAS RECENTLY INCREASED BUT SO HAVE DELAYS. THE LATEST FIGURES SHOW THAT ONLY 56- PERCENT OF THE COMPANY'S LONG DISTANCE TRAINS ARRIVED ON TIME. PASSENGERS SAT THROUGH ALMOST 30-THOUSAND HOURS OF DELAYS A YEAR. THE WHITE HOUSE BELIEVES FORCING AMTRAK INTO BANKRUPTCY WOULD PROMPT MAJOR REFORMS IN THE COMPANY. BUT AN AMTRAK

SPOKESMAN SAYS THEY WOULD SHUT DOWN OPERATIONS IN THE 46 STATES THE SERVICE OPERATES IN IF IT RECEIVES NO FEDERAL FUNDING. COMING UP. AN ALABAMA TEENAGER MISSING IN ARUBA. PROSECUTORS RACE AGAINST THE CLOCK TO FIND ENOUGH EVIDENCE. WE'LL UPDATE THE ARUBA STORY WHEN WE RETURN. MATT, WHO'S THE COFFEE CLUB WINNER TODAY? COFFEE CLUB WINNER THE SENATE HAS CONFIRMED CALIFORNIA JUDGE JANICE ROGERS BROWN FOR THE FEDERAL APPEALS COURT. THE SENATE VOTE WAS 56-43. THE VOTE ENDS A TWO YEAR BATTLE SHADOWED BY A DISPUTE OVER DEMOCRATIC BLOCKING TACTICS. THE SENATE HAS ALSO ENDED ANOTHER LENGTHY FILIBUSTER, CLEARING THE WAY FOR A FINAL VOTE THURSDAY ON THE APPEALS COURT NOMINATION OF WILLIAM PRYOR. THE U-S ARMY APPEARS LIKELY TO FALL SHORT OF ITS FULL-YEAR RECRUITING GOAL FOR THE FIRST TIME SINCE 19-99. THE ARMY HAD LOWERED ITS RECRUITING GOAL FOR THE MONTH OF MAY TO 67 HUNDREPEOPLE, BUT SAYS IT REACHED ONLY ABOUT 75 PERCENT OF THE TARGET. OPINION POLLS SUGGEST MANY YOUNG PEOPLE ARE WARY BECAUSE OF THE LIKELIHOOD OF BEING SENT TO SERVE IN IRAQ OR AFGHANISTAN. ONE OF EVERY SEVEN PEOPLE IN THE UNITED STATES IS HISPANIC. NEW NUMBERS RELEASED BY THE CENSUS BUREAU SHOWED THE COUNTRY'S LARGEST MINORITY GROUP ACCOUNTED FOR ONE-HALF OF THE OVERALL POPULATION GROWN OF TWO POINT NINE MILLION PEOPLE IN ONE YEAR. THE CENSUS ESTIMATES THERE ARE 41 POINT THREE MILLION HISPANICS IN THE U-S. PROSECUTORS IN ARUBA SAY THEY STILL DON'T HAVE ANY EVIDENCE THAT A MISSING ALABAMA TEENAGER WAS KILLED WHILE VISITING THE ISLAND. THEY ALSO SAY THEY DON'T HAVE ANY EVIDENCE TO LINK TWO MEN. CURRENTLY IN CUSTODY. TO THE DISAPPEARANCE OF NATALEE HOLLOWAY. THE TWO MEN WILL REMAIN BEHIND BARS UNTIL NEXT WEEK, WHEN A JUDGE WILL EVALUATE THE EVIDENCE COLLECTED BY POLICE. THE MEN ARE BEING HELD ON SUSPICION OF KIDNAPPING AND MURDER. THE 18 YEAR OLD HONORS STUDENT VANISHED MAY 30TH. POLICE IN ARUBA SAY THEY HAVE STOPPED SEARCHING IN WATER BUT WILL KEEP LOOKING FOR NATALEE ON LAND. STILL TO COME. WE'LL RECAP SOME OF OUR BIG STORIES AND TAKE ANOTHER LOOK AT THE WEATHER. HOPE YOU ARE HAVING A GREAT THURSDAY MORNING! REALLY IS THE LAW. SOUTH CAROLINA GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD CHOSE NOT TO VETO A PROPOSED SEAT BELT BILL. MEANING IT WILL BECOME LAW. THE LAW ALLOWS POLICE TO PULL YOU OVER SPECIFICALLY FOR NOT WEARING A SEATBELT. PREVIOUSLY, YOU COULD BE TICKETED FOR NOT WEARING A SEAT BELT, BUT ONLY IF YOU WERE PULLED OVER FOR A DIFFERENT OFFENSE. SANFORD HAD SAID HE WAS THINKING ABOUT VETOING THE BILL BECAUSE IT WASN'T STRONG ENOUGH. THERE ARE TWO SETS OF POLITICAL SHOES TO FILL. BUT EVERYTHING FROM THE CANDIDATES TO THE DATES IS UP IN THE AIR. WHEN A JURY CONVICTED CHARLES WALKER LAST WEEK HE AUTOMATICALLY LOST HIS SENATE SEAT. GOVERNOR PERDUE HAS TENTATIVELY SET THE DATE TO FILL HIS SEAT FOR SEPTEMBER 20TH. THE GOVERNOR CHOSE THE DATE BECAUSE HE'S TRYING TO HOLD THE ELECTION FOR WALKER'S SEAT ON THE SAME DAY AS THE ELECTION FOR AUGUSTA'S MAYOR. BUT RIGHT NOW IT SEEMS NEITHER ELECTION HAS A DEFINITE DATE. AN AUGUSTA COMMISSIONER IS LOOKING TO STEP INTO THE CITY'S HIGHEST ELECTED OFFICE. COMMISSIONER TOMMY BOYLES HAS TAKEN CARE OF THE PAPER WORK, TO ALLOW HIM TO COLLECT MONEY FOR A MAYORAL RACE. A SPECIAL ELECTION WILL BE HELD THIS FALL TO REPLACE MAYOR BOB YOUNG. BOYLES EXPECTS COMMISSIONERS WILL BE APPOINTING AN INTERIM MAYOR AT THEIR MEETING IN A COUPLE OF WEEKS. THE SMOKE THICKENS WHEN IT COMES TO AUGUSTA'S FIRE CHIEF SEARCH. ONE OF THE TWO FINALISTS, WISCONSIN FIRE CHIEF DAVID BEROUSEK, HAS WITHDRAWN HIS NAME. FRED RUSSELL SAYS HE'LL ASK COMMISSIONERS FOR AN UP OR DOWN VOTE ON THE REMAINING FINALIST, NILES FORD, AT THE NEXT COMMISSION MEETING. RUSSELL HAD PLANNED TO MAKE HIS

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NEWS THIS MORNING

[**05:00:00 AM**] RECOMMENDATION TUESDAY. BUT SAYS HE DID NOT WANT TO DO IT WHILE COMMISSIONERS WERE IN LEGAL SESSION. SAFETY. ITS SOMETHING MOST OF US TAKE FOR GRANTED. BUT THE FACT IS, DANGERS LURK IN A LOT OF PLACES. IN OUR HOMES AND IN THE

WORK PLACE. AN UPCOMING CONFERENCE SPONSORED BY SRS CAN HELP YOU KEEP YOUR FAMILY AND EMPLOYEES SAFE. WE'LL GIVE YOU ALL THE DETAILS TODAY ON WJBF NEWSCHANNEL SIX AT NOON. AD LIB TOSS TO WEATHER CHANNEL SIX, GOOD MORNING AUGUSTA. COVERAGE YOU CAN COUNT ON. TODAY'S BIG STORIES: THE MIDNIGHT DEADLINE PASSES WITHOUT A VETO. THE SOUTH CAROLINA SEATBELT BILL IS NOW A LAW. GOOD MORNING, TODAY IS THURSDAY JUNE 9TH, I'M MARY MORRISON. BUCKLE UP. IT REALLY IS THE LAW. SOUTH CAROLINA GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD CHOSE NOT TO VETO A PROPOSED SEAT BELT BILL. MEANING IT WILL BECOME LAW. THE LAW ALLOWS POLICE TO PULL YOU OVER SPECIFICALLY FOR NOT WEARING A SEATBELT. PREVIOUSLY, YOU COULD BE TICKETED FOR NOT WEARING A SEAT BELT, BUT ONLY IF YOU WERE PULLED OVER FOR A DIFFERENT OFFENSE. SANFORD HAD SAID HE WAS THINKING ABOUT VETOING THE BILL BECAUSE IT WASN'T STRONG ENOUGH. SOME SAY THE NEW SEAT BELT LAW IS A SAFETY ISSUE, NOT AN ISSUE OF PERSONAL FREEDOM. 'YOUR NOT WEARING YOUR SEAT BELT IMPACTS MY LIFE, BECAUSE IF YOU GET THROWN FROM YOUR VEHICLE, AND YOUR VEHICLE BECOMES A TORPEDO AND IT'S COMING AT ME AND I'M WEARING MY SEAT BELT YOU'RE ACTUALLY IMPACTING MY LIFE. YOU GET HURT, DON'T HAVE INSURANCE, I'M PAYING FOR YOUR COSTS. THE FACT THAT YOU DON'T HAVE A SEAT BELT ON IMPACTS THE REST OF US AND SO TO ME IT MAKES ABSOLUTE COMMON SENSE. A COMPROMISE BETWEEN THE HOUSE AND SENATE SETS A 25 DOLLAR FINE FOR SEATBELT OFFENSES. WITH NO POINTS ON A DRIVER'S RECORD. AS MANY OF YOU ARE PROBABLY AWARE. IT'S MOSQUITO SEASON. AND IT'S WORSE THAN EVER BECAUSE OF ALL THE RAIN. BUT SOME RELIEF IS ON THE WAY. W-J-B-F NEWSCHANNEL SIX'S PAIGE TUCKER TALKED TO SOME PEOPLE WHO SAY IT CAN'T COME SOON ENOUGH. SCRIPT: 'THAT'S A SPIDER PLANT' LOTTIE MCGEE LOVES TENDING TO HER PLANTS, BUT LATELY, SHE CAN'T EVEN SPEND MUCH TIME ON HER SUN PORCH. 'THE LITTLE ONES COME THROUGH THE SCREENS' MCGEE'S LIVED THROUGH PLENTY OF MOSQUITO SEASONS, BUT SHE

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1. WIS-NBC COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 9 2005 5:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 13,775

NEWS TEN FIRST NEWS

[**05:02:03 AM**] NEW THIS MORNING IT LOOKS LIKE A BILL FORCING PEOPLE WHO DON'T BUCKLE UP ON SOUTH CAROLINA'S HIGHWAYS TO PAY UP IS NOW LAW. THE SENATE CLERK'S OFFICE SAYS THE GOVERNOR DIDN'T VETO THE SEATBELT BILL BY THE DEADLINE OF MIDNIGHT, MEANING GOVERNOR SANFORD EITHER SIGNED THE BILL OR LET IT BECOME LAW WITHOUT HIS SIGNATURE. THE NEW LAW WILL LET OFFICERS PULL A DRIVER SIMPLY FOR NOT WEARING A SEATBELT. THE FINE WILL BE \$25.

2. WIS-NBC COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 9 2005 5:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 13,775

NEWS TEN FIRST NEWS

[**05:27:19 AM**] AND WE WILL TELL YOU WHY GOVERNOR SANFORD IS USING HIS VETO POWER ON A BILL TO TOUGHEN SOUTH CAROLINA'S SEATBELT LAWS.

3. WIS-NBC COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 9 2005 5:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 13,775

NEWS TEN FIRST NEWS

[**05:31:51 AM**] GOVERNOR SANFORD WILL SIGN A BILL TODAY INTO LAW THAT COULD OPEN THE DOOR TO CASINO BOATS IN SOUTH CAROLINA. UNDER THE NEW LAW, LOCAL GOVERNMENTS CAN DECIDE WHETHER TO ALLOW CASINO BOATS IN THEIR AREA. THE SIGNING WILL TAKE PLACE AT 2:00 THIS AFTERNOON AT CAPTAIN DICK'S MARINA IN MURRELL'S INLET.

4. WTOG-CBS SAVANNAH, GA

JUN 9 2005 5:30AM CT Nielsen Audience: 17,133

FIRST REPORT

[**05:36:52 AM**] ANOTHER BIG CHANGE FOR SOUTH CAROLINA. MORE MINIBOTTLES. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SIGNED A BILL YESTERDAY- ABOLISHING THE LAW REQUIRING BAR AND RESTAURANT OWNERS TO SERVE MINI BOTTLES IN ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES. NOW THEY'LL HAVE A CHOICE TO ADD EE POURTESO EIR BARS. IS BILL TAKES EFFECT JANUARY 1- ST. DAVID'S WEATHER TEASE MIKE, ITRA AND DAVID CHAT MIKE, DMITRA AND DAVID CHAT

5. WCBF-NBC CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 9 2005 5:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 4,446

NEWS 2 AT 5 AM

[**05:21:46 AM**] THE DORCHESTER COUNTY PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING. THAT'S AT THREE P-M AT COUNCIL CHAMBERS. A STRONGER SEATBELT LAW SLIDES PAST THE GOVERNORS DESK WITHOUT MARK SANFORD'S VETO. HE HAD UNTIL MIDNIGHT. AND THAT MEANS HE SIGNED IT. ... GOVERNOR SANFORD HEADS TO HORRY COUNTY TODAY. TO SIGN THE CASINO BOAT BILL. THE BILL LETS COUNTIES OUTLAW CASINO BOATS THAT NOW EMBARK ON SO- CALLED GAMBLING CRUISES TO NOWHERE.

6. WCBF-NBC CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 9 2005 5:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 4,446

NEWS 2 AT 5 AM

[**05:41:56 AM**] BOOKS. AFTER GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD FAILS TO STRIKE IT WITH HIS VETO PEN. WHAT THIS MEANS FOR DRIVERS WHO DON'T BUCKLE UP. BUT FIRST.

7. WCBD-NBC CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 9 2005 5:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 4,446

NEWS 2 AT 5 AM

[**05:44:41 AM**] THE DORCHESTER COUNTY PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING. THAT'S AT THREE P-M AT COUNCIL CHAMBERS. A STRONGER SEATBELT LAW SLIDES PAST THE GOVERNORS DESK WITHOUT MARK SANFORD'S VETO. HE HAD UNTIL MIDNIGHT TO SIGN IT OR IT BECOMES LAW WITHOUT HIS JOHN HANCOCK. THE NEW LAW WILL LET POLICE PULL A DRIVER OVER SIMPLY FOR NOT BUCKLING UP. ... GOVERNOR SANFORD HEADS TO HORRY COUNTY TODAY. TO SIGN THE CASINO BOAT BILL. THE BILL LETS COUNTIES OUTLAW CASINO BOATS THAT NOW EMBARK ON SO- CALLED GAMBLING CRUISES TO NOWHERE.

8. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 9 2005 5:30AM CT Nielsen Audience: 7,464

NEWS 13 FIRST MORNING

[**05:31:02 AM**] ABOUT 5:31 RIGHT NOW. A STRONGER SEAT BELT BILL AOWING POLICE TO PULL OVER ADULT DRIVERS FOR NOT WEARING THEIR SEAT BELTS HAS BECOME LAW, THAT AFTER GOVERNOR SANFORD DID NOT VETO IT. THE NEW LAW WILL LET A POLICE OFFICER PULL A DRIVER OVER BY NOT BUCKLING UP. THERE'S A \$25 FINE FOR SEAT BELT OFFENSES.

9. WPDE-ABC FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 9 2005 5:30AM CT Nielsen Audience: 1,434

GOOD MORNING CAROLINA

[**05:32:07 AM**] WEATHER PREVIEW TO GET YOUR MORNING STARTED. METEROLOGIST TED KING IS STANDING BY WITH A CHECK ON WEATHER. THE MIDNIGHT DEADLINE HAS COME AND GONE, AND GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD HAS NOT* VETOED A TOUGHER SEAT BELT BILL THIS MEANS, THE BILL HAS AUTOMATICALLY BECOME A LAW. THE HOUSE AND SENATE CAME TO A LAST-MINUTE COMPROMISE, SETTING A 25- DOLLAR FINE FOR PEOPLE WHO AREN'T BUCKLED UP.

10. WBTW-CBS CHARLOTTE, NC

JUN 8 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 54,236

NEWS 3 AT 6 AM

[**06:32:07 AM**] NEW THIS MORNING. MINI-BOTTLES ARE ON THE WAY OUT OF SOUTH CAROLINA BARS AND RESTAURANTS. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SIGNED THE BILL THAT WOULD DO AWAY WITH THE ONE-POINT-SEVEN OUNCE BOTTLES YESTERDAY. THE NEW LAW GOES INTO EFFECT ON JANUARY FIRST, 2006. COMING UP AT 6:45, A SAFETY ALERT THAT COULD COMING UP AT 6:45, A COMING UP AT 6:45, A SAFETY ALERT THAT COULD MEAN LIFE OR DEATH FOR YOU PETS.

11. WCCB-FOX CHARLOTTE, NC

JUN 8 2005 7:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 14,422

FOX NEWS RISING

[**07:32:04 AM**] RALEIGH REPORTED HIGH WINDS, QUARTER SIZED HAIL, FLOODING, AND A LIGHTENING STRIKE ON A HOME. MINI BOTTLES ARE NOW A THING OF THE PAST IN SOUTH CAROLINA. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SIGNED INTO LAW YESTERDAY A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT THAT HAD REQUIRED BARS TO SERVE BOOZE FROM THE ONE POINT SEVEN OUNCE CONTAINERS. SOUTH CAROLINA WAS THE LAST STATE TO REQUIRE BARS TO USE MINI BOTTLES. FURNITURE SALES WILL LEAVE OVER 600 PEOPLE WITHOUT JOBS BY NOVEMBER.

12. WSOC-ABC CHARLOTTE, NC

JUN 8 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 94,038

EYEWITNESS NEWS

[**06:14:51 AM**] THIS MORNING SOUTH CAROLINA HAS MORE THAN TWO DOZEN NEW LAWS!

THEY INCLUDE TOUGHER PENALTIES FOR DOMESTIC VIOLENCE OFFENDERS. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SIGNED THE BILLS TUESDAY AT THE STATE HOUSE IN COLUMBIA. THE NEW DOMESTIC VIOLENCE LAW WHICH GOES INTO EFFECT JANUARY FIRST. INCREASES FINES AND PENALTIES FOR FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD OFFENSES.

13. WSPA-CBS GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC

JUN 8 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 81,338

NEWS CHANNEL 7 AT 6 PM

[**06:00:03 PM**] CALL THE GREENVILLE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE. WE STILL DON'T KNOW YET. WHAT GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD IS GOING TO DO ON THE PRIMARY ENFORCEMENT SEAT BELT BILL. HE HAS UNTIL MIDNIGHT TONIGHT TO SIGN IT OR VETO IT. OR IT BECOMES LAW WITHOUT HIS SIGNATURE.

14. WSPA-CBS GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC

JUN 8 2005 5:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 71,805

NEWS CHANNEL 7 AT 5 PM

[**04:59:02 PM**] COMING UP ON NEWS CHANNEL 7 AT 6PM. HEAR WHAT CHESNEE'S POLICE CHIEF SAYS ABOUT THE INCIDENT AND HOW HIS ATTITUDE HAS CHANGED ABOUT THE SHOOTING. AMY AND TOM GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD HAS STILL NOT TAKEN. ANY ACTION YET. ON THE PRIMARY ENFORCEMENT SEAT BELT BILL. ... GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SAYS THAT DOESN'T MAKE SENSE. IF THE GOAL IS TO GET MORE PEOPLE TO BUCKLE UP. 15:45 "IN THIS CASE, THERE ARE SPECIFIC MORATORIUMS TO A WHOLE NUMBER OF THINGS THAT WOULD ACTUALLY INCREASE SEAT BELT USAGE.

15. WSPA-CBS GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC

JUN 8 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 39,738

DAYBREAK

[**06:00:34 AM**] AND 181 CASES IN SOUTH CAROLINA. ON THE STATEHOUSE WATCH. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD IS RUNNING OUT OF TIME TO FINISH UP WORK ON DOZENS OF BILLS. THE GOVERNOR HAS UNTIL MIDNIGHT TO FINISH SORTING THROUGH 60 BILLS THAT ARE READY TO BECOME LAW. THE DEADLINE FOR SOME OF THOSE MEASURES HAS PASSED.

16. WSPA-CBS GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC

JUN 8 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 39,738

DAYBREAK

[**06:31:10 AM**] AND 181- CASES ACROSS SOUTH CAROLINA. ON THE STATEHOUSE WATCH. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD IS RUNNING OUT OF TIME TO FINISH UP WORK ON DOZENS OF BILLS. HE HAS UNTIL MIDNIGHT TO FINISH SORTING THROUGH 60 BILLS. SANFORD HAS ALREADY SIGNED AT LEAST 30 BILLS INCLUDING ONE THAT TOUGHENS DOMESTIC VIOLENCE LAWS.

17. WYFF-NBC GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC

JUN 8 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 64,040

NEWS 4 AT 6 AM

[**06:01:33 AM**] I THINK IT WAS SENATOR GROOMS OR SENATOR COURSEN, THEY WERE JOKING ON THE SENATE FLOOR LAST WEEK. THEY WANTED TO RENAME THE STATE CAPITOL DOWN IN CHARLESTON. GOVERNOR SANFORD SAYS FEDERAL INFLUENCE IS AS IMPORTANT IF NOT MORE THAN STATE INFLUENCE. HE SAYS THE UPSTATE IS WELL REPRESENTED IN WASHINGTON WITH U.S. SENATORS LINDSEY GRAHAM AND JIM DEMINT.

18. WYFF-NBC GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC

JUN 8 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 64,040

NEWS 4 AT 6 AM

[**06:30:25 AM**] LET'S DO THE TOP STORY NOW. SOUTH CAROLINA IS JUST MONTHS AWAY FROM HAVING FREE POUR LIQUOR AT ITS RESTAURANTS AND BARS. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SIGNED A LAW THAT WOULD ALLOW MINI BOTTLES TO DISAPPEAR FROM STORE

SHELVES NEXT YEAR. VOTERS APPROVED A STATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT LAST FALL TO REQUIRE BARS TO SELL LIQUOR FROM 1.7 OUNCE BOTTLES. ... GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SAYS FEDERAL INFLUENCE IS AS IMPORTANT IF NOT MORE THAN STATE INFLUENCE. HE SAYS THE UPSTATE IS WELL REPRESENTED IN WASHINGTON WITH U.S. SENATORS LINDSEY GRAHAM AND JIM DEMINT. GREENVILLE COUNTY'S ELECTED OFFICIALS ARE GETTING A PAY RAISE.

19. WYFF-NBC GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC

JUN 8 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 64,040

NEWS 4 AT 6 AM

[**06:54:42 AM**] JIMMY, THANK YOU VERY MUCH. RECAPPING TODAY'S TOP STORIES. YESTERDAY, GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SIGNED A BILL THAT WOULD ALLOW FREE POOL LIQUOR IN BARS. VOTERS APPROVE AN AMENDMENT TO END A STATE LAW REQUIRING BARS TO SELL LIQUOR FROM 1.7 OUNCE MINI BOTTLES.

20. WIS-NBC COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 8 2005 11:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 83,877

NEWS TEN NIGHTCAST

[**10:59:18 PM**] ALSO IDENTIFYING MISSING CHILDREN THROUGH THEIR EYES. YOUR NEWS STARTS NOW A LIVE LOOK AT ROADS AROUND THE STATE A LAW FORCING PEOPLE WHO DO NOT BUCKLE UP ON SOUTH CAROLINA HIGHWAYS TO PAY UP HAS BEEN PASSED BY THE HOUSE AND SENATE. BUT IT WILL NOT BE LAW UNTIL GOVERNOR SANFORD SIGNS IT. GOOD EVENING. THANKS FOR JOINING US.

21. WIS-NBC COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 8 2005 7:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 89,341

SEVEN O CLOCK REPORT

[**07:28:31 PM**] TONIGHT AT 11:00 THE MID NIGHT DEADLINE. WILL GOVERNOR SANFORD SIGN THE SEAT BELT BILL INTO LAW PLUS HOW THE STRESS OF THE WAR IN IRAQ MAY BE TOO GREAT FOR SOME ACTIVE DUTY SOLDIERS TO MAINTAIN MARRIAGES. AND SPACE SHUTTLE FEARS WHY SOME NEWSCAST OFFICIALS SAY THE SHUTTLE MIGHT NOT BE SAFE ENOUGH FOR A TRIP TO OUTERSPACE. AND WATCHING THE WEATHER TONIGHT.

22. WIS-NBC COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 8 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 42,560

NEWS TEN FIRST NEWS

[**06:00:19 AM**] HERE'S SOME OF YOUR HEADLINES. POLICE ARE LOOKING FOR A PAIR OF ROBBERS THAT HELD UP A COLUMBIA JEWELRY STORE. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD HAS SIGNED THE NEW CRIMINAL DOMESTIC VIOLENCE BILL INTO LAW. STATE HEALTH OFFICIALS ARE OFFERING TIPS ON HOW TO CUT DOWN ON THE MOSQUITOS IN YOUR BACKYARD. LUCAS MCFADDEN IS LIVE WITH TIPS ABOUT THIS SUMMER'S FASHION TREND.

23. WIS-NBC COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 8 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 42,560

NEWS TEN FIRST NEWS

[**06:02:54 AM**] AFTER YEARS OF TRYING AND MONTHS OF PUSHING, THE PALMETTO STATE HAS A TOUGHER DOMESTIC VIOLENCE LAW. GOVERNOR SANFORD SIGNED IT INTO LAW. FINES FOR A FIRST OFFENSE WOULD BE \$1,000. A SECOND CONVICTION MEANS UP TO A YEAR IN JAIL AND UP TO A \$5,000 FINE.

24. WIS-NBC COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 8 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 42,560

NEWS TEN FIRST NEWS

[**06:30:18 AM**] 26 AT HARBISON, SIMILAR STORY. MOVING ON TO THE NEWS NOW MINIBOTTLES ARE ON THEIR WAY OUT IN SOUTH CAROLINA. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SIGNED A BILL INTO LAW YESTERDAY OPENING THE DOORS TO FREE POURS. STARTING

JANUARY 1ST, RESTAURANTS AND BARS WILL HAVE THE OPTIONS TO BEGIN USING THE LARGER FREE POUR BOTTLES IN ADDITION TO THE MINIBOTTLES. SOME RESTAURANTS SAY THEY'RE READY FOR THE CHANGE WE'LL DOUBLE UP ON OUR BARTENDERS.

25. WLTX-CBS COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 8 2005 12:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 25,256

NEWS 19

[**12:00:48 PM**] BUT HAS NOT RELEASED THAT PERSONS NAME. THAT INVESTIGATION IS ON-GOING. LATER TODAY WE'LL GET A HEADCOUNT OF THE BILLS GOVERNOR SANFORD HAS PASSED. AND IF ANY WERE VETOED. THE DEADLINE FOR MANY OF THE BILLS WAS LAST NIGHT AT MIDNIGHT. ... GOVERNOR SANFORD SAYS HE WANTS TOUGHER PENALTIES. THAN THE 25 DOLLAR FINE THE BILL CALLS FOR. IF HE DOESN'T DO ANYTHING.

26. WLTX-CBS COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 8 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 22,323

NEWS 19

[**06:00:43 AM**] LATER TODAY WE'LL GET A HEADCOUNT OF THE BILLS GOVERNOR SANFORD HAS PASSED. AND IF ANY WERE VETOED. THE DEADLINE FOR MANY OF THE BILLS WAS LAST NIGHT AT MIDNIGHT. ... GOVERNOR SANFORD SAYS HE'S DIVIDED ON THIS ISSUE. "IF YOU THROW TRASH OUT OF YOUR CAR IT IS A 200 HUNDRED DOLLAR FINE AND WE'RE SAYING SEATBELTS ARE A BIG ISSUE BUT IT'S A 25 DOLLAR FINE AND THERE ARE NO POINTS THERE IS A DISCREPANCY FOR ME AND THAT'S THE PART I AM STRUGGLING WITH">AGAIN THE GOVERNOR HAS UNTIL MIDNIGHT TO GIVE THIS BILL THE THUMBS UP OR DOWN. IF HE DOESN'T DO ANYTHING. ... LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR ANDRE BAUER SENT THE BILL ON TO GOVERNOR SANFORD YESTERDAY. THE BILL WORKS BY RE-PAYING MEDICAL SCHOOL DEBT FOR PHYSICIANS WHO COME TO THE PALMETTO STATE AND PRACTICE IN GERIATRIC MEDICINE. YOUNG PHYSICIANS COME OUT WITH ANYWHERE FROM 120, 180.

27. WLTX-CBS COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 8 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 22,323

NEWS 19

[**06:32:34 AM**] LATER TODAY WE'LL GET A HEADCOUNT OF THE BILLS GOVERNOR SANFORD HAS PASSED. AND IF ANY WERE VETOED. THE DEADLINE FOR MANY OF THE BILLS WAS LAST NIGHT AT MIDNIGHT. ... GOVERNOR SANFORD SAYS HE'S DIVIDED ON THIS ISSUE. "IF YOU THROW TRASH OUT OF YOUR CAR IT IS A 200 HUNDRED DOLLAR FINE AND WE'RE SAYING SEATBELTS ARE A BIG ISSUE BUT IT'S A 25 DOLLAR FINE AND THERE ARE NO POINTS THERE IS A DISCREPANCY FOR ME AND THAT'S THE PART I AM STRUGGLING WITH"> AGAIN THE GOVERNOR HAS UNTIL MIDNIGHT TO GIVE THIS BILL THE THUMBS UP OR DOWN. IF HE DOESN'T DO ANYTHING.

28. WOLO-ABC COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 8 2005 11:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 4,703

25 NEWS AT ELEVEN

[**11:05:36 PM**] MANY HOME OWNERS CAN EXPECT TO SEE AN INCREASE IN PROPERTY TAX. THE CLOCK IS TICKING TONIGHT. GOVERNOR SANFORD HAS UNTIL MIDNIGHT TO VETO OR SIGN MANY BILLS PASSED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY. BILLS THAT DIRECTLY AFFECT YOU. BILLS THAT ARE ARE NOT SIGNED OR VETOED WILL AUTOMATICALLY BECOME LAW. ... ONE BILL ALREADY GIVEN THE GO AHEAD BY GOVERNOR SANFORD WILL BRING THE END OF AN ERA. STARTING JANUARY FIRST OF NEXT YEAR. SOUTH CAROLINA WILL JOIN THE REST OF THE COUNTRY BY BECOMING A FREE POUR ALCOHOL STATE. ... GOVERNOR SANFORD WILL DISCUSS HIS DECISION ON LEGISLATION THAT WOULD ALLOW LAW OFFICERS TO PULL YOU OVER FOR NOT WEARING A SEATBELT. SANFORD SAYS HE IS STRUGGLING WITH THE DECISION. BUT MANY OF YOU TELL ABC 25.

29. WOLO-ABC COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 8 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 8,748

25 NEWS AT SIX

[**06:06:06 PM**] THAT'S RIGHT. MINI BOTTLES ARE ON THE WAY OUT OF SOUTH CAROLINA BARS AND RESTAURANTS. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD HAS SIGNED A BILL THAT GETS TV25 COLU THAT BARS AND RESTAURANTS USE THE MINIBOTTLES. THEY'LL BE REMOVED JANUARY FIRST. THE MINI BOTTLE BILL IS ONLY ONE OF HUNDREDS. ... GOVERNOR SANFORD HAS UNTIL MIDNIGHT TONIGHT TO VETO OR SIGN ALL THEM. IF HE DOESN'T DO ANYTHING WITH A BILL BY THEN, IT AUTOMATICALLY BECOMES LAW. NEXT TUESDAY, THE HOUSE AND SENATE WILL RETURN TO COLUMBIA V TO RECONSIDER ANY BILLS VETOED BY THE GOVERNOR.

30. WOLO-ABC COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 8 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 815

25 NEWS AT 6 AM

[**06:27:01 AM**] ONLY 30 DOCTORS IN SOUTH CAROLINA ARE TRAINED IN THE FIELD. THAT'S LESS THAN ONE PER COUNTY. THE BILL NOW AWAITS GOVERNOR SANFORD'S SIGNATURE. THANKS FOR JOINING US THANKS FOR THANKS FOR JOINING US HERE ON ABC A GREAT DAY!

31. WOLO-ABC COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 8 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 815

25 NEWS AT 6 AM

[**06:54:49 AM**] ONLY 30 DOCTORS IN SOUTH CAROLINA ARE TRAINED IN THE FIELD. THAT'S LESS THAN ONE PER COUNTY. THE BILL NOW AWAITS GOVERNOR SANFORD'S SIGNATURE. THANKS FOR JOINING US THANKS FOR THANKS FOR JOINING US HERE ON ABC A GREAT DAY!

32. WCBD-NBC CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 8 2005 11:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 18,540

NEWS 2 AT 11 PM

[**11:03:33 PM**] THE DORCHESTER COUNTY PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION WILL MEET TO DISCUSS WATSON HILL IN A PUBLIC HEARING. THAT'S AT THREE P-M AT COUNCIL CHAMBERS. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD HAS UNTIL MIDNIGHT TONIGHT. TO SIGN THE PRIMARY SEATBELT BILL. VETO IT.

33. WCBD-NBC CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 8 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 27,037

NEWS 2 AT 6 PM

[**06:01:19 PM**] AND TO CHARGE LESS. VOTERS SAID YES TO ENDING THE STATE'S MINIBOTTLE LAW LAST NOVEMBER. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SIGNED THAT DECISION INTO LAW YESTERDAY. NOW. BARS AND RESTAURANTS CAN EITHER CONTINUE USING MINIBOTTLES. ... GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD HAS TO DO SOMETHING WITH THE SEAT BELT LAW THAT'S SITTING ON HIS DESK. WHAT HIS OPTIONS ARE. AND WHY HE MIGHT VETO IT.

34. WCBD-NBC CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 8 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 27,037

NEWS 2 AT 6 PM

[**06:16:30 PM**] STILL TO COM WE'LL SHOW YOU THE MAIN REASON WHY GOVERNOR SANFORD MIGHT VETO THE BILL. WELCOME BACK. ONE OF THE BIGGEST BILLS THAT STATE LAWMAKERS PASSED

35. WCBD-NBC CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 8 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 27,037

NEWS 2 AT 6 PM

[**06:18:45 PM**] THIS Y IS STILL ON THE GOVERNOR'S DESK TONIGHT. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD HAS TO DO SOMETHING BY MIDNIGHT. WITH THE PRIMARY ENFORCEMENT SEAT BELT BILL. CAPITAL REPORTER ROBERT KITTLE TELLS US WHERE THE BILLS STANDS. ... GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SAYS THAT DOESN'T MAKE SENSE. IF THE GOAL IS TO GET MORE PEOPLE TO BUCKLE UP. 15:45 "IN THIS CASE, THERE ARE SPECIFIC MORATORIUMS TO A WHOLE NUMBER OF THINGS THAT WOULD ACTUALLY INCREASE SEAT BELT USAGE.

36. WCBD-NBC CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 8 2005 5:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 17,440

NEWS 2 AT 5 PM

[**04:59:03 PM**] GOOD EVENING, THANKS FOR JOINING US. I'M CAROLYN MURRAY AND, I'M JON ROBINSON IN FOR DARLA ROURK. A DAY AFTER GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SIGNED NEW MINIBOTTLE LEGISLATION INTO LAW. LOCAL BARS AND RESTAURANTS ARE TRYING TO FIGURE OUT HOW THEY'LL OPERATE NOW THAT LARGER BOTTLES ARE AN OPTION. COUNT ON TWO'S JENNY MCLENDON TALKED TO MANAGERS OF SEVERAL BARS AND RESTAURANTS TODAY AND JENNY.

37. WCBD-NBC CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 8 2005 12:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 3,227

NEWS AT NOON

[**11:59:04 AM**] LOCAL LEADERS WILL HEAD TO A REGIONAL HEARING IN CHARLOTTE LATER THIS MONTH. SOUTH CAROLINA NOW HAS TOUGHER PENALTIES AND FINES FOR DOMESTIC VIOLENCE OFFENDERS. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SIGNED THE BILL AT THE STATEHOUSE YESTERDAY. PROSECUTORS, VICTIMS, AND VICTIMS' ADVOCATES SHOWED UP IN SUPPORT. FIRST TIME OFFENDERS WILL NOW GET A ONE- THOUSAND DOLLAR FINE.

38. WCBD-NBC CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 8 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 9,309

NEWS 2 AT 6 AM

[**06:46:04 AM**] AFTER A LONG FIGHT. TOUGHER DOMESTIC VIOLENCE LAWS ARE ON THE BOOKS STARTING JANUARY FIRST. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SIGNED THE BILL AT THE STATEHOUSE. WHERE PROSECUTORS, VICTIMS, AND VICTIMS' ADVOCATES SHOWED UP IN SUPPORT. FIRST TIME OFFENDERS WILL NOW GET A ONE- THOUSAND DOLLAR FINE. ... GOVERNOR SANFORD MADE THAT BILL LEGAL AS WELL YESTERDAY. LAST FALL. VOTERS CHOSE TO DO AWAY WITH A STATE LAW REQUIRING BARS TO SERVE ALCOHOL FROM THE SMALL BOTTLES.

39. WCIV-ABC CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 8 2005 11:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 9,840

NEWS AT 11 PM

[**11:01:51 PM**] NEW LEGISLATION IN SOUTH CAROLINA MAY BE A JACKPOT FOR CASINO BOATS. BUT, THAT DEPENDS ON WHERE THEY ARE. GOVERNOR SANFORD SIGNED A BILL GIVING LOCAL GOVERNMENTS THE POWER TO DECIDE FOR THEMSELVES IF THEY WANT THE GAMBLING BOATS. AS ABC NEWS 4'S MELISSA REYNOLDS EXPLAINS. HIS DECISION, MEANS THEY'LL BE BANNED FROM EVERY LOWCOUNTRY LOCALITY, BUT 2. ... TOMORROW, GOVERNOR SANFORD WILL BE IN HORRY COUNTY FOR A CEREMONY TO SIGN THIS BILL INTO LAW. NOT A SURE BET ON JAMES ISLAND. THERE'S MORE CONTROVERSY OVER DEVELOPMENT IN THE AREA.

40. WCIV-ABC CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 8 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 4,605

NEWS AT 6 AM

[**06:33:31 AM**] CAMPBELL SAYS HE WILL CONTINUE TO WORK TO IMPROVE THE WELFARE OF THOSE RESIDENTS WHILE HIS COMPLAINT IS REVIEWED. STRICTER PENALTIES AND STIFFER FINES FOR DOMESTIC VIOLENCE OFFENDERS. GOVERNOR SANFORD SAYS VIOLENCE AT HOME IS NOT THE ANSWER. THE NEW LEGISLATION MAKES A THIRD OFFENSE A FELONY. WHILE DOUBLING THE FINE FOR FIRST TIME CONVICTIONS.

41. WTAT-FOX CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 8 2005 10:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 20,846

24 NEWS AT 10

[**10:03:36 PM**] "STATE REPRESENTATIVE JOHN GRAHAM ALTMAN PLANS TO RE-INTRODUCE

HIS BILL THAT WOULD GIVE COUNTY COUNCIL THE AUTHORITY OVER REASSESSMENT. A CHANGE IN THE STATE'S CONSTITUTION ALSO WOULD BE NECESSARY SO IT WON'T HELP PEOPLE WITH THIS YEARS TAX BILL. CITIZENS ARE WAITING TO SEE IF GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD WILL SIGN A NEW SEAT BELT BILL INTO LAW. TRACEY AMICK TELLS US WHAT WILL HAPPEN IF IT PASSES. AND.

42. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC
JUN 8 2005 11:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 45,529
NEWS 13 AT 11

[**11:07:39 PM**] SOUTH CAROLINA VOTERS PROBABLY WON'T HAVE INTERNET ACCESS TO INFORMATION ON HOW MONEY INFLUENCES THE GOVERNOR'S RACE NEXT YEAR. AT THE URGING OF GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD, THE LEGISLATURE APPROVED \$318,000 FOR AN ELECTRONIC CAMPAIGN FINANCE REPORTING SYSTEM. BUT THE STATE ETHICS COMMISSION EXEC EXIIVE DIRECTOR SAYS NOT OPERATING IN TIME. HERB SAYS JUST TAKE TOO MUCH TIME.

43. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC
JUN 8 2005 11:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 45,529
NEWS 13 AT 11

[**11:08:17 PM**] GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD HAS NOT TAKEN ACTION UPON THE PRARY ENFORCEMENT SEAT BELT BILL. MANY LAWMAKERS SAY ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT BILLS PASSED THIS YEAR. HE HAS TO DO SOMETHING BY MIDNIGHT, 51.

44. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC
JUN 8 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 73,028
NEWS 13 AT SIX

[**06:07:19 PM**] WE STILL DON'T KNOW IF GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD WILL SIGN SOUTH CAROLINA'S NEW SEAT BEL LAW. HE HAS UNTIL MIDNIGHT TONIGHT TO EITHER SEEN THE LAW OR VETO IT, OR IT WILL BECOME LAW WITHOUT HIS SIGNATURE. ADVANCED CLICK IT OR TICKET SEAT BELT CHECK POINTS, HE SAYS THAT DOESN'T MAKE A LOT OF SENSE IF THE GOAL IS TO GET PEOPLE TO BUCKLE UP.

45. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC
JUN 8 2005 7:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 30,221
NEWS 13 THIS MORNING

[**06:02:44 AM**] AND MINIBOTTLES WILL START DISAPPEARING FROM MANY BAR SHELVES ON JANUARY 1ST. GOVERNOR SANFORD SNED THE BILL TOOL IN LAW TUESDAY. LAST FALL VOTERS APPROVED A STATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO END A LAW THAT REQUIRED BARS TO SERVE LIQUOR FROM LITTLEOTTLES. NOW BARS AND RESTAURANTS WILL HAVE MORE CHOICES OF WITH A SIZED BOTTLES TO USE.

46. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC
JUN 8 2005 7:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 30,221
NEWS 13 THIS MORNING

[**06:34:04 AM**] KIMBERLY. THANK YOU. GOVERNOR SANFORD SIGNS A NUMBER OF BILLS INTO LAW YESTERDAY. YOU'LL GET A RECAP OF THE JOR LEGISLATION COMING UP.

47. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC
JUN 8 2005 7:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 30,221
NEWS 13 THIS MORNING

[**06:39:50 AM**] MINI BOTTLES WILL START DISAPPEARING FROM MAN BAR SHELVES ON JANUARY 1ST. GOVERNOR SANFORD SIGNED THE BILL INTO LAW TUESDAY. LAST FALL VOTERS APPROVED A STATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO END A LAW THAT REQUIRED BARS TO SERVE LIQUOR FROM THE LITTLE BOTTLES. NOW BARS AND RESTAURANTS WILL HAVE MORE CHOICES WHAT SIZED BOTTLES TO USE.

48. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 8 2005 7:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 30,221

NEWS 13 THIS MORNING

[**06:56:15 AM**] MINIBOTTLES WILL START DISAPPEARING FROM MANY BAR SHELVES ON JANUARY 1ST. GOVERNOR SANFORD SIGNED THE BILL INTO LAW TUESDAY. LA FALL VOTERS APPROVED A STATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO END A LAW THAT REQUIRED BARS TO SERVE LIQUOR FROM LITTLE BOTTLES. THE GOVERNOR ALSO SIGN 24 OTHEBILLS INTO LAW YESTERDAY.

49. WPDE-ABC FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 8 2005 11:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 9,463

15 NEWS AT 11PM

[**11:00:37 PM**] THE NEW LAW ALSO REQUIRES SEX OFFENDERS WHO OWN REAL ESTATE IN ANOTHER LOCATION TO REGISTER IN THAT COUNTY AS WELL. THERE ARE 8- THOUSAND REGISTERED SEX OFFENDERS IN SOUTH CAROLINA. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD HAS UNDER AN HOUR NOW TO VETO A TOUGHER SEAT BELT BILL IF HE DOESN'T* TAKE ANY ACTION. IT WILL AUTOMATICALLY BE LAW.

50. WPDE-ABC FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 8 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 23,088

15 NEWS AT 6

[**05:59:01 PM**] WPDE. COM WHERE YOU'LL FIND A LINK. IN ALL, GOVERNOR SANFORD MUST SIFT THROUGH MORE THAN 60 BILLS THAT MADE IT THROUGH THIS YEAR'S LEGISLATIVE SESSION. SOME OF THOSE HE'S ALREADY SIGNED. INCLUDING A NEW DOMESTIC VIOLENCE BILL, WHICH CREATES TOUGHER PENALTIES.

51. WPDE-ABC FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 8 2005 12:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 6,935

15 NEWS AT NOON

[**12:04:14 PM**] BUT, AFTER HEARING HIS PROTEST OF THOSE RESULTS, THE COURTS ORDERED THE NEW ELECTION. IN COLUMBIA. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD HAS SIGNED A NEW LAW, THAT WILL ALLOW BARS AND RETAURANTS TO HAVE THE OPTION TO SERVE LIQUOR FROM FREE-POUR BOTTLES OR* MINIBOTTLES. VOTERS APPROVED A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT LAST FALL, TO END A STATE LAW THAT REQUIRED THE USE OF THE ONE-POINT- SEVEN OUNCE MINIBOTTLES. GOVERNOR SANFORD PUSHED FOR THE BILL, WITH HOPES THAT IT WOULD DECREASE THE NUMBER OF D- U-I DEATHS AND ACCIDENTS IN SOUTH CAROLINA. THE CHANGE WILL TAKE EFFECT, JANUARY FIRST. GOVERNOR SANFORD SIGNED 23 OTHER BILLS INTO LAW, YESTERDAY. AMONG THEM A LAW TO MAKE TRAFFICKING OR MANUFACTURING METHAMPHETAMINE A VIOLENT CRIME, AND A BILL THAT STRENGTHENS RULES TO KEEP TRACK OF CONVICTED SEX OFFENDERS.

52. WPDE-ABC FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 8 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 7,294

GOOD MORNING CAROLINA

[**06:54:06 AM**] SVV PEOPLE CONVICTED OF CRIMINAL DOMESTIC VIOLENCE IN SOUTH CAROLINA WILL NOW FACE HARSHER PUNISHMENTS. TUESDAY, CAROLINA WILL NOW FACE HARSHER PUNISHMENTS. TUESDAY, GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SIGNED A NEW LAW THAT WILL HOLD ABUSERS MORE ACCOUNTABLE FOR THEIR ACTIONS. UNDER THE PREVIOUS LAW FIRST AND SECOND-TIME OFFENDERS FACED A FINE OF 500 DOLLARS, OR 30 DAYS IN JAIL. ... ALSO TUESDAY, GOVERNOR SANFORD SIGNED A NEW LAW THAT WILL ALLOW BARS AND RETAURANTS TO HAVE THE OPTION TO SERVE LIQUOR FROM FREE-POUR BOTTLES OR* MINIBOTTLES. VOTERS APPROVED A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT LAST FALL, TO END A STATE LAW THAT REQUIRED THE USE OF THE ONE-POINT- SEVEN OUNCE MINIBOTTLES. GOVERNOR SANFORD PUSHED FOR THE BILL, WITH HOPES THAT IT WOULD DECREASE THE NUMBER OF D- U-I DEATHS AND ACCIDENTS IN SOUTH CAROLINA. THE CHANGE WILL TAKE EFFECT JANUARY FIRST. ALONG THE GRAND STRAND.

53. WAGT-NBC AUGUSTA, GA

JUN 8 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 2,012

ACTION NEWS TODAY

[**06:00:00 AM**] TIME. TEMP THE TYPE OF COFFEE YOU DRINK COULD BE EFFECTING YOUR CHOLESTEROL LEVEL. RESEARCHERS SAY A COMPOUND CALLED CAFESTOL SUPPRESSES A GENE THAT HELPS BREAK DOWN CHOLESTEROL. CAEFSTOL IS FOUND IN UNFILTERED COFFEES LIKE FRENCH PRESS COFFEES, SCANDINAVIAN BOILED AND TURKISH COFFEE. RESEARCHERS SAY IT CAN BE REMOVED BY USING A FILTER. LET'S TAKE A LOOK BACK AT A BIG STORY ON THIS DATE IN HISTORY. IN 1968, JAMES EARL RAY WAS CAPTURED AND ARRESTED IN LONDON. RAY WAS CHARGED WITH THE ASSASSINATION OF CIVIL RIGHTS LEADER MARTIN LUTHER KING JUNIOR TWO MONTHS EARLIER. IN 1969, RAY PLEADED GUILTY TO KING'S MURDER IN ORDER TO AVOID THE ELECTRIC CHAIR, AND WAS SENTENCED TO 99 YEARS IN PRISON. HOW SOME LOCAL PEOPLE ARE JOINING THE FIGHT AGAINST HUNGER. TIME/TEMP TEASE WX BY THE SEARCH FOR THE SEARCH FOR AUGUSTA'S NEW MAYOR IS HEATING UP. CONVICTED DOMESTIC VIOLENCE OFFENDERS WILL SOON FACE HARSHER PENALTIES IN THE PALMETTO STATE. TIME/TEMP ON WEDNESDAY JUNE 8TH. GOOD MORNING, I'M AMY COWMAN. AC: AMY/BEN AD LIB ABOUT A MAN IS DEAD THIS MORNING AFTER A CAR ACCIDENT ON WHEELER ROAD. IT HAPPENED ABOUT THREE O'CLOCK IN FRONT OF FUNSVILLE IN COLUMBIA COUNTY. ACCORDING TO OFFICERS THE CAR FLIPPED SEVERAL TIMES PARTIALLY EJECTING AND KILLING THE DRIVER. OFFICIALS THEY DO NOT KNOW YET WHAT CAUSE THE ACCIDENT. MAYOR YOUNG WILL STEP DOWN IN TWO WEEKS TO TAKE A FEDERALLY APPOINTED POSITION IN ATLANTA. SEVERAL COMMISSIONERS HAD HOPED TO NAME A NEW CANDIDATE FOR INTERIM MAYOR LAST NIGHT. BUT THEY DECIDED TO HOLD OFF THE PROCESS UNTIL LATER. WAGT'S TINA TERRY HAS MORE ON WHEN A DECISION WILL BE MADE. AT MAYOR BOB YOUNG'S LAST COUNTY COMMISSION MEETING, SOME COMMISSIONERS HAD HOPED TO VOTE FOR AN INTERIM MAYOR TO TEMPORARILY FILL HIS SHOES. NATS)INSTEAD THE GROUP DEBATED FOR ABOUT AN HOUR. FINALLY COMMISSIONER MARION WILLIAMS MADE A MOTION TO TABLE THE ISSUE. NATS. WILLIAMS)THAT GIVES HIM MORE TIME TO DECIDE WETHER OR NOT HE'LL RUN FOR THE INTERIM SEAT. 28:49:I'M THE MAYOR PRO-TEM AND I SHOULD BE THE MAN TO STEP UP TO THE PLATE. I HADN'T MADE THAT OFFICIAL, BUT I'M REALLY CONSIDERING IT. 28:58. HE ADDED IF HE DOES, HE'LL ALSO RUN FOR THE MAYOR'S POSITION. 30:20'IF I'M NOT GONNA TAKE THE INTERIM POSITION AND SIT THERE FOR 2-3 MONTHS AND SIT DOWN IF I TAKE THE INTERIM AND I'M SERIOUSLY THINKING ABOUT IT I'M GONE RUN FOR THE MAYOR'S JOB. BUT OTHERS SAY THEY NEED MORE TIME TO SCREEN CANDIDATES. AND DETERMINE WHO'S THE BEST PERSON FOR THE JOB. 26:22'WE NEED TO COME UP WITH A REASONED PROCESS FOR SELECTING SOMEONE FOR THE POSITION. CERTAINLY IF SOMEONE WANTS TO BE INTERIM MAYOR THEY NEED TO HAVE ENOUGH DESIRE TO STEP FORWARD AND PUT THEIR NAME IN THE HAT PUBLICLY AND GO THROUGH AN INTERVIEW PROCESS. THE MAYOR WILL LEAVE OFFICE ON JUNE THE 20TH. COMMISSIONERS HAVE DECIDED TO TAKE UP THE ISSUE OF AN INTERIM MAYOR ON JUNE 21ST. BUT SOME ARE SKEPTICAL. ABOUT HOW MUCH PROGRESS THEY'LL MAKE THE SECOND TIME. 28:08:I THINK WE'RE GONNA CONTINUE TO DISCUSS AND CONTINUE TO DECIDE TO DECIDE ANOTHER DAY. IT'S AN AUGUSTA TRADITION AND IT'S SAD. COMMISSIONERS DID DECIDE ON A PROCESS FOR ELECTING A MAYOR. EACH COMMISSIONER WILL BE ABLE TO NOMINATE A CANDIDATE. THE FIRST CANDIDATE TO GET SIX VOTES WILL FILL THAT INTERIM POSITION. THERE'S NO FINAL DECISION YET FOR WHEN VOTERS WILL CHOOSE PERMANENT REPLACEMENTS FOR MAYOR AND THE DISTRICT 22 STATE SENATOR. GEORGIA GOVERNOR SONNY PERDUE RECOMMENDED A SEPTEMBER 20TH SPECIAL ELECTION. GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS SAY HE'S WAITING FOR A FINAL OPINION FROM HIS ATTORNEYS. AN AUGUSTA COMMISSIONER SUGGESTED A NOVEMBER ELECTION WHEN VOTERS WILL DECIDE ON A SPECIAL SALES TAX AND SEVERAL COMMISSION SEATS. 12:44)'IT WILL ALLOW THE PUBLIC MORE TIME TO LOOK OVER THE CANDIDATES, ALLOW THE CANDIDATES MORE TIME TO CAMPAIGN, AND BRING OUT ISSUES THAT WOULDN'T BE ADDRESSED IN THE SHORT TERM BETWEEN NOW AND SEPTEMBER. ELECTIONS OFFICIALS MUST GIVE 60 DAYS NOTICE BEFORE THE SET DATE. THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE ALSO HAS TO APPROVE THE DATE BECAUSE

OF THE CIVIL RIGHTS ACT. THE COUNTY COMMISSION PLANNED TO DISCUSS THE ELECTION OF A NEW FIRE CHIEF LAST NIGHT. BUT THEY DIDN'T TAKE ACTION ON THE ISSUE. INTERIM CHIEF WILLIS WILL CONTINUE TO HOLD THE POSITION UNTIL A DECISION IS MADE. HE'S NOT OFF THE JOB YET. AUGUSTA'S MAYOR PLANS TO MAKE A PUSH FOR RAILROAD SAFETY AT THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF MAYORS IN CHICAGO THIS WEEK. SINCE JANUARY'S DEADLY TRAIN CRASH AND CHEMICAL SPILL IN GRANITEVILLE, MAYOR YOUNG HAS BEEN PUSHING FOR CHANGE. HE WANTS ADVANCED NOTIFICATION OF HAZARDOUS RAILROAD SHIPMENTS. A JUMP IN HOME CONSTRUCTION WILL BRING SOME RELIEF TO TAXPAYERS IN COLUMBIA COUNTY. COMMISSIONERS SAY CONTRACTORS HAVE BUILT 13-HUNDRED NEW HOMES IN THE LAST YEAR. THE EXTRA BUSINESS INCREASED THE BOTTOM LINE IN THE COUNTY BUDGET. SO COMMISSIONERS VOTED AGAINST RAISING PROPERTY TAXES. FOR THE SECOND TIME. A STATE BOARD HAS DENIED PAROLE FOR A CONVICTED AUGUSTA KILLER. 39-YEAR-OLD CHARLES LOVETT JUNIOR WAS SENTENCED IN 1990 TO LIFE IN PRISON WITH A CHANCE FOR PAROLE. A JURY FOUND LOVETT GUILTY IN THE STABBING DEATH OF AN 89-YEAR-OLD BUSINESS MAN IN AUGUSTA. A JUDGE WILL HEAR A MOTION NEXT MONTH IN THE CASE OF AN ATLANTA DENTIST CHARGED WITH MURDER IN AUGUSTA AND GWINNETT COUNTY. DISTRICT ATTORNEY DANNY CRAIG WANTS TO INTRODUCE EVIDENCE FROM THE 2004 MURDER OF BARTON CORBIN'S WIFE IN GWINNETT COUNTY. CORBIN IS ALSO CHARGED IN THE 19-90 DEATH OF DOLLY HEARN IN AUGUSTA. CRAIG HASN'T SAID WHICH COUNTY WILL TRY HIM FIRST. THE SEARCH IS ON FOR A BANK ROBBERY SUSPECT WHO HELD EMPLOYEES UP AT GUNPOINT. IT HAPPENED AT THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF SWAINSBORO IN EMANUEL COUNTY. WITNESSES SAY A MASKED MAN USED A SMALL HANDGUN AND GOT AWAY WITH AN UNDISCLOSED AMOUNT OF CASH. NO ONE WAS HURT. A HEPHZIBAH MAN IS FREE ON BOND AFTER DEPUTIES SAY HE IMPERSONATED AN OFFICER. INVESTIGATORS SAY 51-YEAR-OLD CARL BERRIAN CLAIMED HE WAS A RICHMOND COUNTY DEPUTY SUNDAY NIGHT. THEY SAY HE THREATENED TO THROW A WOMAN IN JAIL AFTER SHE LET HER CHILD RIDE A BIKE AT NIGHT. DEPUTIES SAY THEY FOUND A BADGE AND CREDENTIALS IN HIS CAR. THIS IS THE SECOND TIME IN A MONTH RICHMOND COUNTY HAS MADE AN ARREST FOR IMPERSONATING AN OFFICER. AS WAGT'S JOSHUA QUINN EXPLAINS, DEPUTIES ARE CONCERNED ABOUT FAKE COPS ON THE STREETS. WITH THE AVAILABILITY OF UNIFORMS AND BADGES IN STORES AND ON THE INTERNET. IT'S HARD FOR MOST PEOPLE TO TELL THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN A REAL OFFICER. AND A FAKE ONE. STEVE FISHMAN KNOWS THIS BETTER THAN MOST. HE SELLS SHIRTS, SHOES, PANTS, AND JACKETS. ALL INTENDED FOR LEGITIMATE USE BY LAW ENFORCEMENT. BUT NOT EVERYONE CAN BUY JUST ANYTHING. HE'S VERY CAREFUL TO WHOM, AND WHAT HE SELLS, SINCE HE SAYS SOMETIMES A BADGE IS ALL IT TAKES TO FOOL AN UNSUSPECTING PERSON. BUT HE SAYS, DON'T FALL FOR IT. STEVE FISHMAN, UNIFORM SHOP OWNER: 'THERE IS NO LEGITIMATE POLICE OFFICER WHO WOULD BE UPSET IF A SINGLE FEMALE CONTINUED DRIVING AT A SLOW PACE TO A LIGHTED AREA FOR HER OWN SAFETY. I THINK MOST WOULD PROBABLY ENCOURAGE IT. IF SOMEONE STOPS YOU OR APPROACHES YOU CLAIMING TO BE A DEPUTY OR A SECURITY GUARD. ASK TO SEE SOME CREDENTIALS. OR CALL 9-1-1. IT'S PROTOCOL THAT POLICE NOTIFY DISPATCH BEFORE MAKING A STOP OF MOST ANY KIND IF THE PERSON'S REALLY LAW ENFORCEMENT, THEY'LL BE ABLE TO VERIFY IT. IF NOT, THEY PROBABLY WON'T BE AROUND WHEN THE REAL POLICE SHOW UP. IN THE NEWSROOM, JOSHUA QUINN, WAGT NEWS. IMPERSONATING AN OFFICER IS A FELONY IN GEORGIA. PUNISHABLE BY ONE TO TEN YEARS IN PRISON. A METH LAB BUST IN BURKE COUNTY LANDED TWO PEOPLE IN JAIL AND THEIR CHILDREN IN STATE CUSTODY. INVESTIGATORS SEARCHED A HOME ON ELLISON BRIDGE ROAD IN SARDIS TUESDAY NIGHT. DEPARTMENT OF FAMILY AND CHILD SERVICES FOUND TWO CHILDREN LIVING IN THE HOME. OFFICERS SAY THEY FOUND A WORKING METH LAB WITH DRUG-MAKING CHEMICALS. CONVICTED DOMESTIC VIOLENCE OFFENDERS WILL FACE TOUGHER PENALTIES AFTER A BILL SIGNED BY SOUTH CAROLINA GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD TAKES EFFECT. BEGINNING JANUARY FIRST THE CRIME WILL CARRY A MINIMUM ONE- THOUSAND DOLLAR FINE AND 30 DAYS IN JAIL. THE SENTENCE CAN BE SUSPENDED, IF THE OFFENDER SEEKS COUNSELING. A SECOND CONVICTION BRINGS A PENALTY OF UP TO YEAR IN JAIL AND FIVE-THOUSAND DOLLARS IN FINES. CURRENTLY, THE OFFENSE CARRIES A 500-DOLLAR FINE AND 30 DAYS IN JAIL. MORE THAN A HUNDRED NEW JOBS ARE HEADING TO ALLENDALE COUNTY. AN AREA

THAT HAS THE SIXTH HIGHEST UNEMPLOYMENT RATE IN SOUTH CAROLINA. GRANT FOREST PRODUCTS WILL BUILD A NEW PLANT THAT MAKES WOOD PANEL PRODUCTS. THE COMPANY WILL EMPLOY 120 PEOPLE. A SECOND PLANT WILL ALSO BE BUILT IN CLARENDON COUNTY. A NEW DENTISTRY FACILITY FOR THE MEDICAL COLLEGE OF GEORGIA HAS A BETTER CHANCE OF BEING BUILT. THE PROJECT WAS INCLUDED ON THE GEORGIA BOARD OF REGENTS PRIORITY LIST FOR FUTURE FUNDING. IT WOULD COST 78-MILLION IN STATE FUNDS. AND 30 MILLION IN PRIVATE DONATIONS. ONLY FIVE COLLEGES HAD PROJECTS ADDED. BUT, IT CAN TAKE FIVE TO SEVEN YEARS BEFORE ITEMS GET STATE CONSTRUCTION DOLLARS. IT'S A PROBLEM THAT CAN EASILY BE CURED. AND SEVERAL VOLUNTEERS IN AUGUSTA ARE TRYING TO PUT AN END TO HUNGER. THEY USED NATIONAL HUNGER AWARENESS DAY TO HIGHLIGHT HUNGER IN THE AREA. IN RICHMOND COUNTY, GOLDEN HARVEST FOOD BANK SPONSORED A HUNGER MARCH AND DISTRIBUTED FOOD. VOLUNTEERS ALSO HELD SIMILAR DRIVES IN SEVERAL SURROUNDING COUNTIES. SUMMER IS MOVING TIME FOR MANY FAMILIES. BUT IT'S THE YOUNGEST MEMBERS OF YOUR FAMILY THAT BE EFFECTED THE MOST, WE'LL HAVE SOME TIPS FOR HELPING THEM ADJUST. IT'S TIME/TEMP AND WE'LL

54. WJBF-ABC AUGUSTA, GA

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GOOD MORNING AUGUSTA

[**06:00:00 AM**] SOMETHING ELSE. IT'S AT EVERY TABLE, BUT YOU CAN'T SEE IT. OWNER KRISTI KINLAW PAYS FOR THE RESTAURANT TO HAVE FREE HIGH SPEED WIRELESS INTERNET ACCESS, AND ANYONE CAN USE IT. 'IT HAS WORKED WELL, AND IT'S CONVENIENT FOR US BECAUSE WE HAVE A LAPTOP SO WE USE IT ALL THE TIME AS WELL. BUT WE HAVE A LOT OF REGULAR PEOPLE THAT COME IN JUST FOR THAT REASON. BUT BEE'S KNEES IS ONE OF THE VERY FEW PLACES IN AUGUSTA WHERE YOU CAN GET FREE WIRELESS INTERNET, OR WI-FI. LAPTOPS ARE SELLING AS HOT AS EVER, BUT THE FREE WI-FI IS TOUGH TO FIND. 'LARGER METROPOLITAN AREAS, PEOPLE HAVE CAUGHT ON AND BASICALLY DEMANDED, YOU KNOW, THEY'RE NOT GOING TO GO TO A PLACE UNLESS THEY HAVE SOMETHING LIKE THAT. MICHAEL SAYS LOTS OF HOMES ARE GOING WIRELESS, AND-IF IT CATCHES ON LIKE THAT THEN THESE BUSINESS, THE LOCAL BUSINESSES ARE GOING TO REALIZE AND THEY'RE GOING TO START PUMPING IT OUT. THE NUMBER OF RESTAURANTS OFFERING WI-FI MAY GROW EVENTUALLY, AS WIRELESS NETWORKS BECOME MORE POPULAR. 'AND- BIG SURPRISE HERE- THE WIRELESS NETWORK TECHNOLOGY IS ALREADY CHANGING. THE EXPERTS SAY BEFORE TOO LONG ALL YOU'LL NEED TO GET ON THE INTERNET WITH YOUR LAPTOP IS A CELL PHONE SIGNAL. IN AUGUSTA, PETER ROBBINS, WJBF NEWS CHANNEL SIX. IN A RECENT SURVEY OF AMERICAN CITIES, SEATTLE WAS NAMED THE BEST CITY IN THE COUNTRY FOR FREE WIRELESS INTERNET ACCESS. COMING UP NEXT ON GOOD MORNING AUGUSTA. WHAT DOES THE FUTURE HOLD FOR THE CITY OF AUGUSTA? OUR GEORGE ESKOLA WILL BREAK DOWN THE GARDEN CITY MAYORAL RACE WHEN WE RETURN. FIRST THOUGH, CHECK OUT LAST NIGHT'S WINNING LOTTERY NUMBERS. 'YOU'RE WATCHING WJBF NEWS CHANNEL SIX, GOOD MORNING AUGUSTA. GLAD TO HAVE YOU WITH US THIS WEDNESDAY MORNING I'M MARY MORRISON. A WRECK OUTSIDE FUNSVILLE' IN COLUMBIA COUNTY CLAIMED A MAN'S LIFE EARLY THIS MORNING. THE ACCIDENT HAPPENED AROUND THREE O'CLOCK WHEN THE MAN LOST CONTROL OF HIS CAR ON WHEELER ROAD. HE WAS PRONOUNCED DEAD AT THE SCENE. HIS IDENTITY WILL NOT BE RELEASED UNTIL HIS FAMILY HAS BEEN NOTIFIED. NOBODY ELSE WAS HURT IN THE ACCIDENT. STAY TUNED TO W-J-B-F NEWSCHANNEL SIX FOR ANY UPDATES ON THE STORY. MAYOR BOB YOUNG IS ON THE WAY OUT, BUT AUGUSTA COMMISSIONERS FAIL TO NAME HIS REPLACEMENT. AS W-J-B-F NEWSCHANNEL 6'S GEORGE ESKOLA TELLS US, ONE TOP CITY LEADER SAYS THE JOB SHOULD BE HIS. MAYOR YOUNG'S TIME IS TICKING DOWN, IN LESS THAN TWO WEEKS HE'S OFF TO ATLANTA, BUT HE WOULD LIKE TO SEE COMMISSIONERS NAME AN INTERIM MAYOR TO EASE THE TRANSITION. C COMMISSIONERS DID DISCUSS NAMING YOUNG REPLACEMENT AT HIS LAST SCHEDULED MEETING, AND IT PROMPTED THIS BOMBHELL. MAYOR PRO TEM MARION WILLIAMS SAYS HE CONSIDERING RESIGNING HIS POSITION, AND TAKE UP THE CHALLENGE OF RUNNING THE CITY AS INTERIM MAYOR. I'M REALLY REALLY CONSIDERING IT I GOT SOME THINGS TO WORK OUT BUT I THINK I CAN SO JUST AS GOOD AS ANYBODY ELSE ON THIS BOARD TO AT LEAST BE INTERIM BUT IT

I'M INTERIM I'M CERTAINLY GOING TO RUIN FOR THE SEAT. BUT AFTER AN HOUR OF DEBATE COMMISSIONERS NEVER NOMINATED WILLIAMS OR ANY ONE ELSE TO SERVE AS INTERIM MAYOR, MAYOR YOUNG QUESTIONED IF THIS IS THE TYPE OF LEADERSHIP YOU WANT TO DISPLAY WITH A BIG BOND VOTE LESS THAN TWO WEEKS AWAY. THIS IS NOT THE TIME FOR TURBULENCE YOU WANT COME SMOOTH WATERS UP TO THE 21ST. CITY ATTORNEY STEVE SHEPARD SAYS THE COMMISSION CAN NOT OFFICIALLY APPOINT, A INTERIM MAYOR UNTIL YOUNG OFFICIALLY RESIGNS ON JUNE 20. GOVERNOR PERDUE DID ACCEPT YOUNG'S RESIGNATION EFFECTIVE, JUNE 20TH. YOUNG SAYS HE WILL BE IN ATLANTA ON THAT DAY TO BEGIN HIS NEW ROLE AS REGIONAL DIRECTOR FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT. THERE'S STILL NO CLEAR CUT DECISION ON WHO WILL BECOME AUGUSTA'S NEXT WILL BE IN ATLANTA ON THAT DAY TO BEGIN HIS NEW ROLE AS REGIONAL DIRECTOR FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT. THERE'S STILL NO CLEAR CUT DECISION ON WHO WILL BECOME AUGUSTA'S NEXT FIRE CHIEF. CITY MANAGER, FRED RUSSELL, HAD PLANNED TO RECOMMEND ONE OF TWO FINALISTS FOR THE JOB, SOMETIME YESTERDAY. THE CHIEF FROM BROWN DEER, WISCONSIN OR A DEPUTY FIRE CHIEF FROM ATLANTA. BUT NEITHER WAS BROUGHT FORWARD AT THE COMMISSION MEETING. SOME MEMBERS SAY THEY SUPPORT ANOTHER CHOICE FOR CHIEF. 16:15 CHIEF WILLIS HAS RECEIVE NATIONAL RECOGNITION FOR HANDLING OF THE SITUATION IN GRANITEVILLE THAT COUPLE WITH HIS MANAGEMENT AND RECOVERY OF OUR EMA SERVICE AND BUILDING RELATIONSHIPS WITH OUR LOCAL INDUSTRY HE HAS GOOD AS ANY BODY OR BETTER THAN ANYBODY WE GOT IN THE COUNTRY WILLIS APPLIED FOR THE FIRE CHIEF'S JOB. BUT WASN'T CONSIDERED BECAUSE HE DOESN'T HAVE THE REQUIRED COLLEGE DEGREE. COMMISSIONERS COULD VOTE TO WAIVE THAT REQUIREMENT. SOME IN SOUTH CAROLINA SAY YOU SHOULD BUCKLE UP. OR PAY UP. A BILL HAS PASSED THE STATE HOUSE AND AWAITS EITHER A VETO OR A SIGNATURE FROM GOVERNOR SANFORD. SOUTH CAROLINA HAS ALREADY SEEN NEARLY FIVE- HUNDRED DEATHS THIS YEAR FROM PEOPLE NOT WEARING THEIR SEATBELT. BUT GOVERNOR SANFORD IS STILL STRUGGLING WITH THE BILL'S FINE PRINT AND ISN'T SURE HE'S READY TO PUT PEN TO PAPER. ONE OF MY DIFFICULTIES WITH THIS BILL IS WE SAY IT CAN'T BE APART OF YOUR INSURANCE RECORD, IT CAN'T BE APART OF YOUR DRIVING RECORD, CAN'T BE USED IN A COURT OF LAW, AND NO CLICK IT OR TICKET CAMPAIGNS. WE SPOKE WITH STATE SENATOR GREG RYBERG FROM DISTRICT 24 IN AIKEN COUNTY. HE SAYS WHILE THE BILL MAY NOT BE PERFECT, IT'S A GOOD FIRST STEP. HE ALSO THINKS THE MEASURE HAS ENOUGH SUPPORT IN THE LEGISLATURE TO OVERRIDE A VETO. TO THE CRIMETRACKER. RICHMOND COUNTY INVESTIGATORS ARE LOOKING FOR SUSPECTS IN A RASH OF RESTAURANT ROBBERIES ROBBERIES YOU HEARD FIRST RIGHT HERE ON GOOD MORNING AUGUSTA. THIS VIDEO SHOWS A GROUP OF ARMED MEN AS THEY ROB THE HUDDLE HOUSE ON MIKE PADGETT HIGHWAY MONDAY. AROUND THE SAME TIME, DEPUTIES SAY AN ARMED MAN HELD UP THE KRYSTAL ON DEANS BRIDGE ROAD. A THIRD ROBBERY HAPPENED AT THE WAFFLE HOUSE ON RIVERWATCH PARKWAY, SHORTLY BEFORE FOUR-THIRTY YESTERDAY MORNING. INVESTIGATORS SAY, IN ALL THREE HOLDUPS, THE SUSPECTS LEFT ON FOOT. 57:59 58:16 JIMMY THERE'S A GREAT POSSIBILITY SOMEWHERE AROUND THE CORNER FROM THESE THERE MAY HAVE BEEN A VEHICLE PARKED, A GET AWAY VEHICLE WAITING. NO ONE WAS HURT IN THE ROBBERIES. IF YOU HAVE ANY INFORMATION, CALL THE RICHMOND COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE. THE SEARCH CONTINUES FOR ANOTHER ARMED ROBBERY SUSPECT. AIKEN COUNTY INVESTIGATORS SAY THIS MAN USED A GUN TO STEAL CASH FROM THE KANGAROO EXPRESS EARLY YESTERDAY MORNING. HE'S ALSO ACCUSED OF STEALING A CELL PHONE. IF YOU'VE SEEN HIM, CALL THE AIKEN COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY. RICHMOND COUNTY DEPUTIES NEED YOUR HELP TO FIND THIS KIDNAPPING SUSPECT. 19 YEAR OLD TARREL GILBERT IS ACCUSED OF USING A GUN TO TAKE HIS TWO YEAR OLD DAUGHTER FROM HER MOTHER. SHORTLY AFTER THE INCIDENT, A FRIEND OF GILBERT'S SAFELY RETURNED THE CHILD TO HER FAMILY. AND INVESTIGATORS ARE LABELLING AN AIKEN COUNTY MOTEL FIRE AS SUSPICIOUS. THE FIRE HAPPENED AT RAINBOW TERRACE OFF HIGHWAY ONE YESTERDAY. MORE THAN TWO DOZEN FIREFIGHTERS RESPONDED TO THE BLAZE, AND IT'S BELIEVED TO HAVE STARTED ON A MATTRESS. ONE ROOM SUSTAINED SIGNIFICANT DAMAGE, BUT NOBODY WAS HURT. THE CAUSE IS STILL UNDER INVESTIGATION. MATT. IT'S TIME TO COLOR THE WEATHER. HERE'S

YOUR WEATHER FROM FREDDY THE FORECASTER. GREAT PICTURE. HOW ABOUT THE WEATHER? STILL TO COME THIS MORNING. THE ALARMING TREND OF DISSAPPEARING PENSIONS. IT'S A GROWING PROBLEM. AND ONE WE WILL TACKLE IN JUST A FEW MOMENTS. ACCOUNTABILITY ON THE ROADS. WHAT THE GOVERNMENT IS DOING TO LET YOU COMPLAIN ABOUT STATE DRIVERS. NEXT. COMMERCIAL TRUCKS. NOW YOU MAY START SEEING THEM ON STATE- OWNED VEHICLES. GEORGIA GOVERNOR SONNY PERDUE HAS ANNOUNCED A NEW WEBSITE TO REPORT THE DRIVING HABITS OF STATE EMPLOYEES. IT ALLOWS YOU TO REPORT THE GOOD AND THE BAD. ALL STATE VEHICLES EXCEPT LAW ENFORCEMENT

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[**06:00:00 AM**] CARS WILL HAVE A BUMPER STICKER BEARING THE ADDRESS. FOR A LINK TO THE STATE DRIVING WEBSITE. JUST LOG ONTO OUR SITE AT W- W-W DOT W-J-B-F DOT COM. THE MEDICAL COLLEGE OF GEORGIA COULD SOON RECEIVE A NEW DENTISTRY FACILITY. THE NEWS COMES AFTER THE STATE BOARD OF REGENTS ANNOUNCES 254 MILLION DOLLARS WORTH OF BUILDING CONSTRUCTION. IT CAN TAKE FROM FIVE TO SEVEN YEARS FOR NEWLY ADDED PROJECTS TO REACH THE TOP OF THE PRIORITY LIST AND GET FUNDED. WHEN YOU TAKE A TEN MINUTE BREAK FROM NEWSCHANNEL SIX'S NEWS COVERAGE YOU CAN COUNT ON. YOU MAY WANT TO WATCH A NEW SHOW BEING FILMED IN THE TWO STATE. THE TEEN DRAMA IS CALLED 'PALMETTO POINTE' AND WILL BEGIN FILMING NEXT MONTH. THE DRAMA FOLLOWS SIX HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES HEADING OFF TO COLLEGE. THE SHOW WILL START AIRING IN AUGUST. THE PRODUCERS WILL NOT SAY ON WHICH NETWORK THE SHOW WILL APPEAR. NEW JOBS IN SOUTH CAROLINA. CANADIAN-BASED 'GRANT FOREST PRODUCTS' SAYS IT WILL CREATE 240 JOBS IN ALLENDALE AND CLARENDON COUNTIES. THEY'LL BUILD THE COMPANY'S FIRST TWO U-S MANUFACTURING PLANTS. THE PLANT IN ALLENDALE IS EXPECTED TO OPEN NEXT YEAR. WORK ON THE CLARENDON SITE IS SCHEDULED TO START SIX MONTHS TER GROUND IS BROKEN IN ALLENDALE. WRENCHING NEWS THIS MORNING FOR MORE THAN 100- THOUSAND AMERICAN WORKERS. TWO MAJOR AMERICAN CORPORATIONS ANNOUNCED UNSETTLING FUTURES FOR THEIR EMPLOYEES. THE WORRY IS HOW EASILY THEIR MISFORTUNES COULD SPREAD. ABC'S KEITH GARVIN IS IN WASHINGTON WITH THE DETAILS ON GENERAL MOTORS AND DELTA AIRLINES. SCRIPT: DELTA AIRLINES IS SENDING OUT A FINANCIAL DISTRESS SIGNAL. WITHOUT A RULES CHANGE THE COMPANY IS IN DANGER OF LANDING IN BANKRUPTCY AND DEFAULTING ON PENSION PLANS FOR 80-THOUSAND CURRENT AND FORMER WORKERS. NEW NUMBERS SHOW THAT 11- HUNDRED PENSION PLANS THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY ARE SERIOUSLY UNDERFUNDED. 'YOU'VE HAD A NUMBER OF COMPANIES THAT HAVE GONE FOR YEARS WITHOUT CONTRIBUTING TO THEIR PENSION PLANS, THAT HAVE BEEN ON PENSION HOLIDAYS. DELTA AND OTHER AIRLINES WENT TO CAPITOL HILL TUESDAY SEEKING RELIEF AND TIME TO FIX TO THE PROBLEM. THE ISSUE DREW A SHARP RESPONSE. KENTUCKY 'YOU ARE GOING TO LISTEN. OKAY, HOW BAD MANAGEMENT AT DELTA AIRLINES HAS COST THE EMPLOYEES OF DELTA, AND YOU BLAME IT ON EVERYBODY BUT YOUR OWN MANAGEMENT GROUP. 'THERE'S PROBABLY A LOT OF BLAME THAT CAN GO AROUND FOR THE PAST. OUR COLLECTIVE JOB IS TO FOCUS ON WHAT WE CAN DO TO MAKE THIS COMPANY OPERATE IN THE FUTURE. DELTA'S STRUGGLES COME AS GENERAL MOTORS ANNOUNCED LAYOFFS FOR 25-THOUSAND WORKERS. OFFICIALS POINT TO THEIR PENSION PLAN AS PART OF THE PROBLEM. 'IF GENERAL MOTORS WERE SELLING A MILLION MORE CARS, THEY'D BE MAKING A LOT OF MONEY AND YOU WOULDN'T BE HEARING THEM COMPLAIN ABOUT PENSION COSTS AND HEALTHCARE COSTS. NONE OF THIS IS GOOD NEWS FOR THE PRESIDENT. A NEW ABC NEWS POLL SHOWS THAT 58-PERCENT OF AMERICANS DISAPPROVE OF THE WAY MR. BUSH IS HANDLING THE ECONOMY. PENSION PROBLEMS ARE A FACTOR. ALTHOUGH SOME ARE URGING CONGRESS TO GET MORE INVOLVED AND TIGHTEN THE RULES FOR COMPANIES AND THEIR PENSION PLANS BUSINESS GROUPS SAY THAT WOULD ONLY PUSH COMPANIES TO DROP TRADITIONAL PENSION PLANS. KEITH GARVIN, ABC NEWS, WASHINGTON. STILL TO COME. ERASING DEBT IN AFRICA. WHAT TWO WORLD LEADERS PLAN TO DO TO. BUT FIRST WE TURN TO JOHN LYNN WITH THE R. MATT, WHO'S THE COFFEE CLUB WINNER TODAY? COFFEE CLUB WINNER STILL NO VERDICT

IN THE MICHAEL JACKSON TRIAL. THE JURY WILL RETURN TODAY FOR THE THIRD FULL DAY OF DELIBERATIONS. THE SINGER FACES TEN FELONY COUNTS, INCLUDING CONSPIRACY AND CHILD MOLESTATION. THE JURY ASSEMBLES IN A DIFFERENT UNDISCLOSED LOCATION EACH DAY. THE REVEREND JESSE JACKSON SAYS THE SINGER REMAINS OPTIMISTIC DESPITE THE UNCERTAINTY. A DEFENSE ATTORNEY IN ARUBA SAYS TWO FORMER SECURITY GUARDS ARE UNDER INVESTIGATION FOR KIDNAPPING AND MURDER IN THE CASE OF A MISSING ALABAMA TEENAGER. THE LAWYER SAYS A JUDGE WILL DECIDE TODAY WHETHER POLICE HAVE ENOUGH EVIDENCE TO KEEP THEM IN CUSTODY. THEY HAVE NOT BEEN CHARGED IN THE CASE OF 18 YEAR OLD NATALEE HOLLOWAY. SHE VANISHED MORE THAN A WEEK AGO. AID COULD SOON BE ON THE WAY TO AFRICA. PRESIDENT BUSH AND BRITAIN'S TONY BLAIR SAY AN AGREEMENT IS CLOSE ON A PLAN TO ERASE THE DEBT OF POOR AFRICAN COUNTRIES. BUSH SAYS AFRICAN COUNTRIES BUILDING DEMOCRACY AND FIGHTING CORRUPTION 'SHOULD NOT BE BURDENED BY MOUNTAINS OF DEBT. HOWEVER BUSH WILL NOT AGREE TO BLAIR'S PROPOSED DOUBLING OF DEVELOPMENT AID TO AFRICA. MORE U-S MILITARY DEATHS IN IRAQ. THE MILITARY SAYS THREE U-S SOLDIERS HAVE BEEN KILLED IN TWO SEPARATE ATTACKS NORTH OF BAGHDAD. TWO SOLDIERS WERE KILLED IN A FIRE ATTACK IN TIKRIT, 80 MILES NORTH OF BAGHDAD. AND A ROADSIDE BOMB EXPLODED NEAR A U-S VEHICLE IN BAGHDAD. FATALLY WOUNDING ANOTHER SOLDIER. AT LEAST 16 HUNDRED 79 U-S MILITARY MEMBERS HAVE DIED SINCE THE IRAQ WAR BEGAN ARCH 2003. COMING UP WE'LL RECAP SOME OF THE MORNING'S BIG STORIES AND GIVE YOU ANOTHER LOOK AT THE WEATHER. HOPE YOU ARE HAVING A GREAT WEDNESDAY MORNING! LIFE EARLY THIS MORNING. THE ACCIDENT HAPPENED AROUND THREE O'CLOCK WHEN THE MAN LOST CONTROL OF HIS CAR ON WHEELER ROAD. HE WAS PRONOUNCED DEAD AT THE SCENE. HIS IDENTITY WILL NOT BE RELEASED UNTIL HIS FAMILY HAS BEEN NOTIFIED. NOBODY ELSE WAS HURT IN THE ACCIDENT. STAY TUNED TO W-J-B-F NEWSCHANNEL SIX FOR ANY UPDATES ON THE STORY. A SEAT BELT BILL ON GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD'S DESK MAY BE VETOED. BECAUSE IT ISN'T STRICT ENOUGH. THE BILL ALLOWS OFFICERS TO PULL YOU OVER AND FINE YOU SPECIFICALLY FOR NOT WEARING A SEAT BELT. RIGHT NOW, THEY CAN TICKET YOU FOR THE OFFENSE, BUT YOU HAVE TO GET PULLED OVER FOR ANOTHER VIOLATION FIRST. THE GOVERNOR MAY NOT APPROVE THE MEASURE BECAUSE HE SAYS HE WANTS TO SEE STIFFER PENALTIES FOR DRIVERS WHO DON'T OBEY THE LAW. 'ONE OF MY DIFFICULTIES WITH THIS BILL IS WE SAY IT CAN'T BE APART OF YOUR INSURANCE RECORD, CAN'T BE APART OF YOUR DRIVING RECORD, CAN'T BE USED IN A COURT OF LAW, NO CLICK IT OR TICKET CAMPAIGNS. THE GOVERNOR SAYS HE THINKS THOSE PENALTIES WOULD MAKE DRIVERS MORE LIKELY TO BUCKLE UP. HE HASN'T MADE AN OFFICIAL DECISION ON THE BILL, BUT IS EXPECTED TO VETO IT BEFORE THE DEADLINE. MIDNIG HT TONIGHT. MAYOR YOUNG'S NEW FEDERAL GOVERNMENT JOB IN ATLANTA MEANS THE COMMISSION HAS TO NAME HIS REPLACEMENT. MAYOR YOUNG'S LAST DAY IS JUNE 20TH. MEANING AUGUSTA WILL NEED A NEW MAYOR IN A COUPLE OF WEEKS. MAYOR YOUNG SAYS HE WOULD LIKE TO SEE COMMISSIONERS NAME AN INTERIM MAYOR TO EASE THE TRANSITION. I'VE ALREADY HAD TALKS. AFTER I LEAVE. THE COMMISSION DEBATED FOR ABOUT AN HOUR

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GOOD MORNING AUGUSTA

[**05:30:00 AM**] HOLLOWAY. SHE VANISHED MORE THAN A WEEK AGO. AID COULD SOON BE ON THE WAY TO AFRICA. PRESIDENT BUSH AND BRITAIN'S TONY BLAIR SAY AN AGREEMENT IS CLOSE ON A PLAN TO ERASE THE DEBT OF POOR AFRICAN COUNTRIES. BUSH SAYS AFRICAN COUNTRIES BUILDING DEMOCRACY AND FIGHTING CORRUPTION 'SHOULD NOT BE BURDENED BY MOUNTAINS OF DEBT. HOWEVER BUSH WILL NOT AGREE TO BLAIR'S PROPOSED DOUBLING OF DEVELOPMENT AID TO AFRICA. MORE U-S MILITARY DEATHS IN IRAQ. THE MILITARY SAYS THREE U-S SOLDIERS HAVE BEEN KILLED IN TWO SEPARATE ATTACKS NORTH OF BAGHDAD. TWO SOLDIERS WERE KILLED IN AN INDIRECT FIRE ATTACK IN TIKRIT, 80 MILES NORTH OF BAGHDAD. AND A ROADSIDE BOMB EXPLODED NEAR A U-S VEHICLE IN BAGHDAD. FATALLY WOUNDING ANOTHER SOLDIER. AT LEAST 16 HUNDRED 79 U-S MILITARY MEMBERS HAVE DIED SINCE THE IRAQ WAR BEGAN IN MARCH 2003. COMING UP WE'LL RECAP SOME OF THE MORNING'S BIG STORIES AND GIVE YOU ANOTHER LOOK AT THE WEATHER. HOPE YOU ARE HAVING A GREAT WEDNESDAY MORNING! COLUMBIA COUNTY CLAIMED A LIFE EARLY THIS MORNING. THE ACCIDENT HAPPENED AROUND THREE O'CLOCK WHEN A PERSON DRIVING A WHITE CAR. LOST CONTROL ON WHEELER ROAD. OFFICIALS SAY THERE WAS NO INITIAL INDICATION OF ALCOHOL IN THE CAR. NO WORD YET ON WHO THE DRIVER WAS. NOBODY ELSE WAS HURT IN THE ACCIDENT. STAY TUNED TO W-J-B-F NEWSCHANNEL SIX FOR ANY UPDATES ON THE STORY. A SEAT BELT BILL ON GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD'S DESK MAY BE VETOED. BECAUSE IT ISN'T STRICT ENOUGH. THE BILL ALLOWS OFFICERS TO PULL YOU OVER AND FINE YOU SPECIFICALLY FOR NOT WEARING A SEAT BELT. RIGHT NOW, THEY CAN TICKET YOU FOR THE OFFENSE, BUT YOU HAVE TO GET PULLED OVER FOR ANOTHER VIOLATION FIRST. THE GOVERNOR MAY NOT APPROVE THE MEASURE BECAUSE HE SAYS HE WANTS TO SEE STIFFER PENALTIES FOR DRIVERS WHO DON'T OBEY THE LAW. 'ONE OF MY DIFFICULTIES WITH THIS BILL IS WE SAY IT CAN'T BE A PART OF YOUR INSURANCE RECORD, CAN'T BE A PART OF YOUR DRIVING RECORD, CAN'T BE USED IN A COURT OF LAW, NO CLICK IT OR TICKET CAMPAIGNS. THE GOVERNOR SAYS HE THINKS THOSE PENALTIES WOULD MAKE DRIVERS MORE LIKELY TO BUCKLE UP. HE HASN'T MADE AN OFFICIAL DECISION ON THE BILL, BUT IS EXPECTED TO VETO IT BEFORE THE DEADLINE. MIDNIGHT TONIGHT. MAYOR YOUNG'S NEW FEDERAL GOVERNMENT JOB IN ATLANTA MEANS THE COMMISSION HAS TO NAME HIS REPLACEMENT. MAYOR YOUNG'S LAST DAY IS JUNE 20TH. MEANING AUGUSTA WILL NEED A NEW MAYOR IN A COUPLE OF WEEKS. MAYOR YOUNG SAYS HE WOULD LIKE TO SEE COMMISSIONERS NAME AN INTERIM MAYOR TO EASE THE TRANSITION. I'VE ALREADY HAD TALKS. AFTER I LEAVE. THE COMMISSION DEBATED FOR ABOUT AN HOUR YESTERDAY. THEY DID NOT COME UP WITH ANY NAMES. STAY TUNED TO W-J-B-F NEWSCHANNEL SIX FOR THE LATEST AS THE COMMISSION DISCUSSES THE FUTURE OF AUGUSTA'S MAYOR POSITION. THE CITY OF AUGUSTA IS STILL WITHOUT A FIRE CHIEF. CITY MANER FRED RUSSELL WAS EXPECTED TO NOMINATE ONE OF TWO FINALISTS FOR THE JOB SOMETIME YESTERDAY. BUT NEITHER WAS BROUGHT FORWARD AT THE COMMISSION MEETING. COMMISSIONER ANDY CHEEK IS EXPECTED TO ASK THE COMMISSION TO WAIVE THE EDUCATION REQUIREMENT. THAT WOULD ALLOW INTERIM FIRE CHIEF HOWARD WILLIS TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR THE POSITION. A LOCAL PROFESSOR IS SHARING HIS LIFE STORY. JOSEPH GREENE WHO TEACHES AT AUGUSTA STATE UNIVERSITY HAS WRITTEN HIS MEMOIRS. ITS AN INSPIRING STORY OF HOW HE WENT FROM THE COTTON FIELDS TO THE BOARD ROOM. IF YOU ARE

WONDERING HOW TO REACH YOUR GOALS, PROFESSOR GREENE CAN SCHOOL YOU IN YOUR QUEST FOR SUCCESS. WE'LL TALK WITH HIM TODAY ON WJBF NEWSCHANNEL SIX AT NOON, AD LIB TOSS TO WEATHER FINAL WEATHER THERE'S STILL STATE WAITS FOR THE GOVERNORS DECISION. GOOD MORNING, TODAY IS WEDNESDAY JUNE 8TH, I'M MARY MORRISON. THANKS FOR JOINING US. WE'LL GET TO THE TOP STORY IN JUST A MOMENT, BUT FIRST. SOME NEW INFORMATION ON A WRECK THAT CLAIMED A LIFE OUTSIDE FUNSVILLE IN COLUMBIA COUNTY EARLY THIS MORNING. THE ACCIDENT HAPPENED AROUND THREE O'CLOCK WHEN A MAN LOST CONTROL OF HIS CAR ON WHEELER ROAD. THE DRIVER FLIPPED SEVERAL TIMES OVER THE FUNSVILLE SIGN. THE MAN WAS PRONOUNCED DEAD ON THE SCENE BY THE COUNTY CORONER. THE IDENTITY OF THE DRIVER WILL BE HELD UNTIL HIS FAMILY IS NOTIFIED. NOBODY ELSE WAS HURT IN THE ACCIDENT. STAY TUNED TO W-J-B-F NEWSCHANNEL SIX FOR ANY UPDATES ON THE STORY. SEAT BELTS CAN SAVE LIVES AND IN SOUTH CAROLINA, YOU MAY SOON HAVE AN EXTRA INCENTIVE FOR BUCKLING UP. THERE'S A SEAT BELT BILL SITTING RIGHT NOW ON THE GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD'S DESK. THE TOUGHER BILL HAS BEEN IN THE WORKS FOR YEARS IN SOUTH CAROLINA. IT'S PASSED THE STATE HOUSE AND NEEDS ONLY A SIGNATURE FROM GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD TO BECOME LAW. BUT AS THE MIDNIGHT DEADLINE FOR A DECISION GETS CLOSER, THE FATE OF THE BILL STILL ISN'T CLEAR. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SAYS HE ISN'T SURE HE'S READY TO PUT PEN TO PAPER. THE NUMBERS DON'T LIE. AT LEAST 467 FATALITIES ON SOUTH CAROLINA ROADS THIS YEAR. AND MORE THAN HALF THE PEOPLE KILLED WERE NOT WEARING SEAT BELTS. SOME SAY NOW IS THE TIME TO MAKE BUCKLING UP A PRIORITY. 'I THINK YOU SHOULD WEAR A SEATBELT ALL THE TIME, 100% EVEN IF YOU'RE ONLY DRIVING A HUNDRED YARDS' 'IT SAVES YOUR LIFE AND IT'S GOOD TO DO THAT' SAVING LIVES IS THE GOAL OF THE LEGISLATION HEADED TO GOVERNOR SANFORD'S DESK, BUT HE'S NOT SURE HE'S READY TO SIGN OFF ON THE BILL. 'WE ALL KNOW THAT IT MAKES A LOT OF SENSE TO WEAR YOUR SEATBELT, BUT RIGHT NOW THAT'S IN THE AREA OF PERSONAL JUDGMENT' THE BILL DOESN'T ALLOW FOR CLICK- IT-OR-TICKET CAMPAIGNS, LETTING OFFICERS SET UP ROADBLOCKS TO CHECK FOR SEATBELTS. THAT'S ONE REASON GOVERNOR SANFORD ISN'T COMPLETELY SATISFIED WITH THE LEGISLATION. BUT SANFORD SAYS IT'S NOT THE ONLY ONE. 'ONE OF MY DIFFICULTIES WITH THIS BILL IS WE SAY IT CAN'T BE APART OF YOUR INSURANCE RECORD, IT CAN'T BE APART OF YOUR DRIVING RECORD, CAN'T BE USED IN A COURT OF LAW' THE MEASURE CALLS FOR A 25- DOLLAR FINE IF YOU'RE CAUGHT WITHOUT YOUR BELT, BUT SANFORD SAYS THE PUNISHMENT DOESN'T FIT THE BILL. 'IF YOU DRIVE IN THE LEFTHAND LANE, IT'S A \$150 FINE. DRIVE IN THE LEFT LANE, \$150. BUT IF YOU DON'T WEAR YOUR SEATBELT, IT'S A \$25 FINE. I STRUGGLE WITH THAT' AS SANFORD STRUGGLES WITH THE BILL'S FINE PRINT, OTHERS WEIGH IN ON ITS IMPORTANCE. 'I THINK IT'S DEFINITELY NECESSARY. IT'LL CUT DOWN ON A LOT OF FATALITIES. 'THE SAFE WAY IS TO PUT YOUR SEATBELT ON. WE ALL HAVE OUR DIFFERENCES BUT I WOULD SAY WEAR YOUR SEATBELT AT ALL TIMES' AGAIN, GOVERNOR SANFORD HAS UNTIL MIDNIGHT TONIGHT TO VETO OR SIGN THE BILL. IF HE DOESN'T DO ANYTHING WITH IT BY THE DEADLINE, IT AUTOMATICALLY BECOMES LAW. THEN, NEXT TUESDAY, STATE LAWMAKERS WILL GO BACK TO COLUMBIA TO RECONSIDER ANY BILLS VETOED BY THE GOVERNOR. THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY CAN OVERRIDE HIS VETO WITH A TWO-THIRDS MAJORITY. A VICTORY THIS MORNING FOR VICTIMS OF ABUSE. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SIGNS INTO LAW A BILL THAT CRACKS DOWN ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE. PROSECUTORS, VICTIMS, AND VICTIMS' ADVOCATES WITNESSED THE SIGNING. THE LAW DOUBLES THE FINE FOR A FIRST OFFENSE. OR, A JUDGE CAN ORDER AN ABUSER TO GO THROUGH A TREATMENT PROGRAM. A THIRD OFFENSE IS NOW A FELONY. WITH A MINIMUM ONE YEAR PENALTY. LEGISLATORS SAY THEY HOPE THE TOUGHER LAWS WILL SEND A STRONG MESSAGE. 'SOUTH CAROLINA IS SAYING TO MEN AND WOMEN IN THIS STATE- WE WILL NOT TOLERATE VIOLENCE WITHIN OUR HOMES. WE WILL NOT TAKE IT LIGHTLY, WE TAKE IT SERIOUSLY. SOUTH CAROLINA RANKS AMONG THE WORST- STATES IN THE COUNTRY FOR DOMESTIC VIOLENCE CASES. LAWMAKERS SAY THEY HOPE THIS BILL WILL REVERSE THOSE NUMBERS. MINI-BOTTLES WILL DISAPPEAR FROM BARS IN THE PALMETTO STATE, BEGINNING NEXT JANUARY. A NEW LAW WILL ALLOW BARTENDERS TO SERVE LIQUOR FROM FREE-POUR BOTTLES. SOUTH CAROLINA WAS THE ONLY STATE TO REQUIRE BARS TO SERVE LIQUOR FROM MINI-BOTTLES. AUGUSTA COMMISSIONERS ARE PLAYING THE NAME GAME WHEN IT

COMES TO WHO WILL BE THE NEXT MAYOR. MAYOR BOB YOUNG IS TAKING A NEW JOB IN ATLANTA. HIS LAST DAY LESS THAN TWO WEEKS AWAY. AND THAT'S PUTTING THE COMMISSION TO WORK TO NAME A REPLACEMENT. AUGUSTA BUSINESSMAN, JAMES KENDRICK, IS COMMISSIONER BOBBY HANKERSON'S PICK FOR INTERIM MAYOR. KENDRICK IS CURRENTLY CHAIRING THE COMMUNITY TRUST INITIATIVE. THAT'S A GROUP WORKING TO IMPROVE RACE RELATIONS IN AUGUSTA. KENDRICK ISN'T CAMPAIGNING FOR THE JOB, BUT SAYS HE WOULD ANSWER THE CALL. I'AM NOT IN ANYWAY ACTIVELY PURSUING THIS HOWEVER IF THE COMMISSION AND THE MAYOR WOULD DECIDE THAT THEY THINK THIS WOULD BE SOMETHING THAT HAPPENS I'D BE HONORED TO DO THIS. KENDRICK SAYS HE ONLY WOULD SERVE UNTIL THE SPECIAL ELECTION. MAYOR PRO TEM MARION WILLIAMS SAYS HE CONSIDERING RESIGNING HIS POSITION, AND TAKE UP THE CHALLENGE OF RUNNING THE CITY AS INTERIM MAYOR. BUT AFTER AN HOUR OF DEBATE HE WASN'T NOMINATED AT THE COMMISSIONER'S MEETING. THE DEBATE WILL CONTINUE IN THE COMING DAYS. THE FUTURE OF CHARLES WALKER'S VACANT SENATE SEAT IS STILL UP IN THE AIR. WE TALKED TO ED TARVER AND FORMER SENATOR DON CHEEKS ABOUT THE POSITION. ED TARVER RAN AGAINST WALKER IN THE LAST ELECTION. HE OFFICIALLY PLANS TO RUN. HE SAYS HE BELIEVES HE CAN CONTRIBUTE GOOD POSITIVE LEADERSHIP. DON CHEEKS SAYS HE'S NOT SURE IF HE'S GOING TO RUN. HE SAYS RIGHT

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[**05:00:00 AM**] BETTER YET, HOW ABOUT A B-L-T SALAD? HERE'S QUICK COOKING'S KARIN CALLOWAY WITH THE RECIPE. WHEN THE SUMMER DAYS ARE HOT, COOL ENTRE SALADS ARE A NICE CHANGE OF PACE FROM STANDARD DINNER FARE. THIS WEEK'S SIX LAYER BLT SALAD PACKS THE FLAVORS OF YOUR FAVORITE BACON, LETTUCE AND TOMATO SANDWICH IN ONE DELICIOUS, HEARTY ENTRE SALAD. I'M GOING TO LAYER MY INGREDIENTS RIGHT IN MY TRIFLE BOWL-BEGINNING WITH A LAYER OF SHREDDED ICEBERG AND GREEN LEAF LETTUCE. DICE VINE-RIPENED TOMATOES GO ON NEXT-NOW SEASON THESE WITH SOME SALT AND PEPPER FOR ADDED FLAVOR, NEXT, I'M USING SOME SOURDOUGH CROUTONS- STRAIGHT FROM THE BAG. THE DRESSING IS SIMPLE TO WHIP UP WITH EQUAL PARTS OF REDUCED-FAT MAYONNAISE AND LIGHT BALSAMIC VINAIGRETTE. SPREAD THE DRESSING OVER THE TOP, THEN SPINKLE WITH SOME SHREDDED CHEDDAR CHEESE AND CRISP BACON. THIS LAYERED SALAD IS BEAUTIFUL IN A TRIFLE BOWL OR OTHER CLEAR GLASS BOWL. JUST GIVE IT A GOOD TOSSING BEFORE SERVING SO THAT YOU GET SOME OF EACH INGREDIENT IN EVERY BITE. BAKERY MUFFINS OR A FRENCH BREAD CAN COMPLETE THIS COOL SUMMER MENU. WANT TO TRY TODAY'S RECIPE? IF SO, JUST CLIP IT OUT OF TODAY'S AUGUSTA CHRONICLE. COMING UP NEXT ON GOOD MORNING AUGUSTA. WHAT DOES THE FUTURE HOLD FOR THE CITY OF AUGUSTA? OUR GEORGE ESKOLA WILL BREAK DOWN THE GARDEN CITY MAYORAL RACE WHEN WE RETURN. FIRST THOUGH, CHECK OUT LAST NIGHT'S WINNING LOTTERY NUMBERS. 'YOU'RE WATCHING CHANNEL SIX, GOOD MORNING AUGUSTA. COVERAGE YOU CAN COUNT ON. WELCOME BACK TO GOOD MORNING AUGUSTA! WE'RE GLAD TO HAVE YOU WITH US THIS WEDNESDAY MORNING I'M MARY MORRISON. A WRECK OUTSIDE FUNSVILLE IN COLUMBIA COUNTY KILLS A PERSON EARLY THIS MORNING. THE ACCIDENT HAPPENED AROUND THREE O'CLOCK WHEN A PERSON DRIVING A WHITE CAR. TRAVELLING EAST BOUND. LOST CONTROL GOING TOO FAST. THE DRIVER FLIPPED SEVERAL TIMES OVER THE FUNSVILLE SIGN. OFFICIALS SAY THERE WAS NO INITIAL INDICATION OF ALCOHOL IN THE CAR. NO WORD YET ON WHO THE DRIVER WAS. NOBODY ELSE WAS HURT IN THE ACCIDENT. STAY TUNED TO W-J-B-F NEWSCHANNEL SIX FOR ANY UPDATES ON THE STORY. MAYOR BOB YOUNG IS ON THE WAY OUT, BUT AUGUSTA COMMISSIONERS FAIL TO NAME HIS REPLACEMENT. AS W-J-B-F NEWSCHANNEL 6'S GEORGE ESKOLA TELLS US, ONE TOP CITY LEADER SAYS THE JOB SHOULD BE HIS. MAYOR YOUNG'S TIME IS TICKING DOWN, IN LESS THAN TWO WEEKS HE'S OFF TO ATLANTA, BUT HE WOULD LIKE TO SEE COMMISSIONERS NAME AN INTERIM MAYOR TO EASE THE TRANSITION. C COMMISSIONERS DID DISCUSS NAMING YOUNG REPLACEMENT AT HIS LAST SCHEDULED MEETING, AND IT PROMPTED THIS BOMBHELL. MAYOR PRO TEM MARION WILLIAMS SAYS HE CONSIDERING RESIGNING HIS POSITION, AND TAKE UP THE

CHALLENGE OF RUNNING THE CITY AS INTERIM MAYOR. I'M REALLY REALLY CONSIDERING IT I GOT SOME THINGS TO WORK OUT BUT I THINK I CAN SO JUST AS GOOD AS ANYBODY ELSE ON THIS BOARD TO AT LEAST BE INTERIM BUT IT I'M INTERIM I'M CERTAINLY GOING TO RUIN FOR THE SEAT. BUT AFTER AN HOUR OF DEBATE COMMISSIONERS NEVER NOMINATED WILLIAMS OR ANY ONE ELSE TO SERVE AS INTERIM MAYOR, MAYOR YOUNG QUESTIONED IF THIS IS THE TYPE OF LEADERSHIP YOU WANT TO DISPLAY WITH A BIG BOND VOTE LESS THAN TWO WEEKS AWAY. THIS IS NOT THE TIME FOR TURBULENCE YOU WANT COME SMOOTH WATERS UP TO THE 21ST. CITY ATTORNEY STEVE SHEPARD SAYS THE COMMISSION CAN NOT OFFICIALLY APPOINT, A INTERIM MAYOR UNTIL YOUNG OFFICIALLY RESIGNS ON JUNE 20. GOVERNOR PERDUE DID ACCEPT YOUNG'S RESIGNATION EFFECTIVE, JUNE 20TH. YOUNG SAYS HE WILL BE IN ATLANTA ON THAT DAY TO BEGIN HIS NEW ROLE AS REGIONAL DIRECTOR FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT. THERE'S STILL NO CLEAR CUT DECISION ON WHO WILL BECOME AUGUSTA'S NEXT FIRE CHIEF. CITY MANAGER, FRED RUSSELL, HAD PLANNED TO RECOMMEND ONE OF TWO FINALISTS FOR THE JOB, SOMETIME YESTERDAY. THE CHIEF FROM BROWN DEER, WISCONSIN OR A DEPUTY FIRE CHIEF FROM ATLANTA. BUT NEITHER WAS BROUGHT FORWARD AT THE COMMISSION MEETING. SOME MEMBERS SAY THEY SUPPORT ANOTHER CHOICE FOR CHIEF. 16:15 CHIEF WILLIS HAS RECEIVE NATIONAL RECOGNITION FOR HANDLING OF THE SITUATION IN GRANITEVILLE THAT COUPLE WITH HIS MANAGEMENT AND RECOVERY OF OUR EMA SERVICE AND BUILDING RELATIONSHIPS WITH OUR LOCAL INDUSTRY HE HAS GOOD AS ANY BODY OR BETTER THAN ANYBODY WE GOT IN THE COUNTRY WILLIS APPLIED FOR THE FIRE CHIEF'S JOB. BUT WASN'T CONSIDERED BECAUSE HE DOESN'T HAVE THE REQUIRED COLLEGE DEGREE. COMMISSIONERS COULD VOTE TO WAIVE THAT REQUIREMENT. SOME IN SOUTH CAROLINA SAY YOU SHOULD BUCKLE UP. OR PAY UP. A BILL HAS PASSED THE STATE HOUSE AND NEEDS ONLY A SIGNATURE FROM GOVERNOR SANFORD TO BECOME LAW. SOUTH CAROLINA HAS ALREADY SEEN NEARLY FIVE- HUNDRED DEATHS THIS YEAR ALREADY FROM PEOPLE NOT WEARING THEIR SEATBELT. BUT SANFORD IS STILL STRUGGLING WITH THE BILL'S FINE PRINT AND ISN'T SURE HE'S READY TO PUT PEN TO PAPER. ONE OF MY DIFFICULTIES WITH THIS BILL IS WE SAY IT CAN'T BE APART OF YOUR INSURANCE RECORD, IT CAN'T BE APART OF YOUR DRIVING RECORD, CAN'T BE USED IN A COURT OF LAW, AND NO CLICK IT OR TICKET CAMPAIGNS. WE SPOKE WITH STATE SENATOR GREG RYBERG FROM DISTRICT 24 IN AIKEN COUNTY. HE SAYS WHILE THE BILL MAY NOT BE PERFECT, IT'S A GOOD FIRST STEP. HE ALSO THINKS THE MEASURE HAS ENOUGH SUPPORT IN THE LEGISLATURE TO OVERRIDE A VETO. TO THE CRIMETRACKER. RICHMOND COUNTY INVESTIGATORS ARE LOOKING FOR SUSPECTS IN A RASH OF RESTAURANT ROBBERIES ROBBERIES YOU HEARD FIRST RIGHT HERE ON GOOD MORNING AUGUSTA. THIS VIDEO SHOWS A GROUP OF ARMED MEN AS THEY ROB THE HUDDLE HOUSE ON MIKE PADGETT HIGHWAY MONDAY. AROUND THE SAME TIME, DEPUTIES SAY AN ARMED MAN HELD UP THE KRYSTAL ON DEANS BRIDGE ROAD. A THIRD ROBBERY HAPPENED AT THE WAFFLE HOUSE ON RIVERWATCH PARKWAY, SHORTLY BEFORE FOUR-THIRTY YESTERDAY MORNING. INVESTIGATORS SAY, IN ALL THREE HOLDUPS, THE SUSPECTS LEFT ON FOOT. 57:59 58:16 JIMMY THERE'S A GREAT POSSIBILITY SOMEWHERE AROUND THE CORNER FROM THESE THERE MAY HAVE BEEN A VEHICLE PARKED, A GET AWAY VEHICLE WAITING. NO ONE WAS HURT IN THE ROBBERIES. IF YOU HAVE ANY INFORMATION, CALL THE RICHMOND COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE. THE SEARCH CONTINUES FOR ANOTHER ARMED ROBBERY SUSPECT. AIKEN COUNTY INVESTIGATORS SAY THIS MAN USED A GUN TO STEAL CASH FROM THE KANGAROO EXPRESS EARLY YESTERDAY MORNING. HE'S ALSO ACCUSED OF STEALING A CELL PHONE. IF YOU'VE SEEN HIM, CALL THE AIKEN COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY. RICHMOND COUNTY DEPUTIES NEED YOUR HELP TO FIND THIS KIDNAPPING SUSPECT. 19 YEAR OLD TARREL GILBERT IS ACCUSED OF USING A GUN TO TAKE HIS TWO YEAR OLD DAUGHTER FROM HER MOTHER. SHORTLY AFTER THE INCIDENT, A FRIEND OF GILBERT'S SAFELY RETURNED THE CHILD TO HER FAMILY. AND INVESTIGATORS ARE LABELLING AN AIKEN COUNTY MOTEL FIRE AS SUSPICIOUS. THE FIRE HAPPENED AT RAINBOW TERRACE OFF HIGHWAY ONE YESTERDAY. MORE THAN TWO DOZEN FIREFIGHTERS RESPONDED TO THE BLAZE, AND IT'S BELIEVED TO HAVE STARTED ON A MATTRESS. ONE ROOM SUSTAINED SIGNIFICANT DAMAGE, BUT NOBODY WAS HURT. THE CAUSE IS STILL UNDER INVESTIGATION. MATT. IT'S TIME TO COLOR THE WEATHER. HERE'S YOUR WEATHER

FROM FREDDY THE FORECASTER. GREAT PICTURE. HOW ABOUT THE WEATHER? STILL TO COME THIS MORNING. THE ALARMING TREND OF DISSAPPEARING PENSIONS. IT'S A GROWING PROBLEM. AND ONE WE WILL TACKLE IN JUST A FEW MOMENTS. ACCOUNTABILITY ON THE ROADS. WHAT THE GOVERNMENT IS DOING TO LET YOU COMPLAIN ABOUT STATE DRIVERS. NEXT. YOU'VE SEEN THOSE 'HOW'S MY

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NEWS THIS MORNING

[**05:00:00 AM**] DRIVING' BUMPER STICKERS ON COMMERCIAL TRUCKS. NOW YOU MAY START SEEING THEM ON STATE- OWNED VEHICLES. GEORGIA GOVERNOR SONNY PERDUE HAS ANNOUNCED A NEW WEBSITE TO REPORT THE DRIVING HABITS OF STATE EMPLOYEES. IT ALLOWS YOU TO REPORT THE GOOD AND THE BAD. ALL STATE VEHICLES EXCEPT LAW ENFORCEMENT CARS WILL HAVE A BUMPER STICKER BEARING THE ADDRESS. FOR A LINK TO THE STATE DRIVING WEBSITE. JUST LOG ONTO OUR SITE AT W- W-W DOT W-J-B-F DOT COM. THE MEDICAL COLLEGE OF GEORGIA COULD SOON RECEIVE A NEW DENTISTRY FACILITY. THE NEWS COMES AFTER THE STATE BOARD OF REGENTS ANNOUNCES 254 MILLION DOLLARS WORTH OF BUILDING CONSTRUCTION. IT CAN TAKE FROM FIVE TO SEVEN YEARS FOR NEWLY ADDED PROJECTS TO REACH THE TOP OF THE PRIORITY LIST AND GET FUNDED. WHEN YOU TAKE A TEN MINUTE BREAK FROM NEWSCHANNEL SIX'S NEWS COVERAGE YOU CAN COUNT ON. YOU MAY WANT TO WATCH A NEW SHOW BEING FILMED IN THE TWO STATE. THE TEEN DRAMA IS CALLED 'PALMETTO POINTE' AND WILL BEGIN FILMING NEXT MONTH. THE DRAMA FOLLOWS SIX HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES HEADING OFF TO COLLEGE. THE SHOW WILL START AIRING IN AUGUST. THE PRODUCERS WILL NOT SAY ON WHICH NETWORK THE SHOW WILL APPEAR. NEW JOBS IN SOUTH CAROLINA. CANADIAN-BASED 'GRANT FOREST PRODUCTS' SAYS IT WILL CREATE 240 JOBS IN ALLENDALE AND CLARENDON COUNTIES. THEY'LL BUILD THE COMPANY'S FIRST TWO U-S MANUFACTURING PLANTS. THE PLANT IN ALLENDALE IS EXPECTED TO OPEN NEXT YEAR. WORK ON THE CLARENDON SITE IS SCHEDULED TO START SIX MONTHS AFTER GROUND IS BROKEN IN ALLENDALE. WRENCING NEWS THIS MORNING FOR MORE THAN 100- THOUSAND AMERICAN WORKERS. TWO MAJOR AMERICAN CORPORATIONS ANNOUNCED UNTTLING FUTURES FOR THEIR EMPLOYEES. THE WORRY IS HOW EASILY THEIR MISFORTUNES COULD SPREAD. ABC'S KEITH GARVIN IS IN WASHINGTON WITH THE DETAILS ON GENERAL MOTORS AND DELTA AIRLINES. SCRIPT: DELTA AIRLINES IS SENDING OUT A FINANCIAL DISTRESS SIGNAL. WITHOUT A RULES CHANGE THE COMPANY IS IN DANGER OF LANDING IN BANKRUPTCY AND DEFAULTING ON PENSION PLANS FOR 80-THOUSAND CURRENT AND FORMER WORKERS. NEW NUMBERS SHOW THAT 11- HUNDRED PENSION PLANS THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY ARE SERIOUSLY UNDERFUNDED. 'YOU'VE HAD A NUMBER OF COMPANIES THAT HAVE GONE FOR YEARS WITHOUT CONTRIBUTING TO THEIR PENSION PLANS, THAT HAVE BEEN ON PENSION HOLIDAYS. DELTA AND OTHER AIRLINES WENT TO CAPITOL HILL TUESDAY SEEKING RELIEF AND TIME TO FIX TO THE PROBLEM. THE ISSUE DREW A SHARP RESPONSE. KENTUCKY 'YOU ARE GOING TO LISTEN. OKAY, HOW BAD MANAGEMENT AT DELTA AIRLINES HAS COST THE EMPLOYEES OF DELTA, AND YOU BLAME IT ON EVERYBODY BUT YOUR OWN MANAGEMENT GROUP. 'THERE'S PROBABLY A LOT OF BLAME THAT CAN GO AROUND FOR THE PAST. OUR COLLECTIVE JOB IS TO FOCUS ON WHAT WE CAN DO TO MAKE THIS COMPANY OPERATE IN THE FUTURE. DELTA'S STRUGGLES COME AS GENERAL MOTORS ANNOUNCED LAYOFFS FOR 25-THOUSAND WORKERS. OFFICIALS POINT TO THEIR PENSION PLAN AS PART OF THE PROBLEM. 'IF GENERAL MOTORS WERE SELLING A MILLION MORE CARS, THEY'D BE MAKING A LOT OF MONEY AND YOU WOULDN'T BE HEARING THEM COMPLAIN ABOUT PENSION COSTS AND HEALTHCARE COSTS. NONE OF THIS IS GOOD NEWS FOR THE PRESIDENT. A NEW ABC NEWS POLL SHOWS THAT 58-PERCENT OF AMERICANS DISAPPROVE OF THE WAY MR. BUSH IS HANDLING THE ECONOMY. PENSION PROBLEMS ARE A FACTOR. ALTHOUGH SOME ARE URGING CONGRESS TO GET MORE INVOLVED AND TIGHTEN THE RULES FOR COMPANIES AND THEIR PENSION PLANS BUSINESS GROUPS SAY THAT WOULD ONLY PUSH COMPANIES TO DROP TRADITIONAL PENSION PLANS. KEITH GARVIN, ABC NEWS, WASHINGTON. STILL TO COME. ERASING DEBT IN AFRICA. WHAT TWO WORLD LEADERS PLAN TO DO TO. BUT FIRST WE TURN TO JOHN LYNN WITH THE

WEATHER. JOHN? MATT, WHO'S THE COFFEE CLUB WINNER TODAY? COFFEE CLUB WINNER STILL NO VERDICT IN THE MICHAEL JACKSON TRIAL. THE JURY WILL RETURN TODAY FOR THE THIRD FULL DAY OF DELIBERATIONS. THE SINGER FACES TEN FELONY COUNTS, INCLUDING CONSPIRACY AND CHILD MOLESTATION. THE JURY ASSEMBLES IN A DIFFERENT UNDISCLOSED LOCATION EACH DAY. THE REVEREND JESSE JACKSON SAYS THE SINGER REMAINS OPTIMISTIC DESPITE THE UNCERTAINTY. A DEFENSE ATTORNEY IN ARUBA SAYS TWO FORMER SECURITY GUARDS ARE UNDER INVESTIGATION FOR KIDNAPPING AND MURDER IN THE CASE OF A MISSING ALABAMA TEENAGER. THE LAWYER SAYS A JUDGE WILL DECIDE TODAY WHETHER POLICE HAVE ENOUGH EVIDENCE TO KEEP THEM IN CUSTODY. THEY HAVE NOT BEEN CHARGED IN THE CASE OF 18 YEAR OLD NATALEE HOLLOWAY. SHE VANISHED MORE THAN A WEEK AGO. AID COULD SOON BE ON THE WAY TO AFRICA. PRESIDENT BUSH AND BRITAIN'S TONY BLAIR SAY AN AGREEMENT IS CLOSE ON A PLAN TO ERASE THE DEBT OF POOR AFRICAN COUNTRIES. BUSH SAYS AFRICAN COUNTRIES BUILDING DEMOCRACY AND FIGHTING CORRUPTION 'SHOULD NOT BE BURDENED BY MOUNTAINS OF DEBT. HOWEVER BUSH WILL NOT AGREE TO BLAIR'S PROPOSED DOUBLING OF DEVELOPMENT AID TO AFRICA. MORE U-S MILITARY DEATHS IN IRAQ. THE MILITARY SAYS THREE U-S SOLDIERS HAVE BEEN KILLED IN TWO SEPARATE ATTACKS NORTH OF BAGHDAD. TWO SOLDIERS WERE KILLED IN AN INDIRECT FIRE ATTACK IN TIKRIT, 80 MILES NORTH OF BAGHDAD. AND A ROADSIDE BOMB EXPLODED NEAR A U-S VEHICLE IN BAGHDAD. FATALLY WOUNDING ANOTHER SOLDIER. AT LEAST 16 HUNDRED 79 U-S MILITARY MEMBERS HAVE DIED SINCE THE IRAQ WAR BEGAN IN MARCH 2003. COMING UP WE'LL RECAP SOME OF THE MORNING'S BIG STORIES AND GIVE YOU ANOTHER LOOK AT THE WEATHER. HOPE YOU ARE HAVING A GREAT WEDNESDAY MORNING! COLUMBIA COUNTY CLAIMED A LIFE EARLY THIS MORNING. THE ACCIDENT HAPPENED AROUND THREE O'CLOCK WHEN A PERSON DRIVING A WHITE CAR. LOST CONTROL ON WHEELER ROAD. OFFICIALS SAY THERE WAS NO INITIAL INDICATION OF ALCOHOL IN THE CAR. NO WORD YET ON WHO THE DRIVER WAS. NOBODY ELSE WAS HURT IN THE ACCIDENT. STAY TUNED TO W-J-B-F NEWSCHANNEL SIX FOR ANY UPDATES ON THE STORY. A SEAT BELT BILL ON GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD'S DESK MAY BE VETOED. BECAUSE IT ISN'T STRICT ENOUGH. THE BILL ALLOWS OFFICERS TO PULL YOU OVER AND FINE YOU SPECIFICALLY FOR NOT WEARING A SEAT BELT. RIGHT NOW, THEY CAN TICKET YOU FOR THE OFFENSE, BUT YOU HAVE TO GET PULLED OVER FOR ANOTHER VIOLATION FIRST. THE GOVERNOR MAY NOT APPROVE THE MEASURE BECAUSE HE SAYS HE WANTS TO SEE STIFFER PENALTIES FOR DRIVERS WHO DON'T OBEY THE LAW. 'ONE OF MY DIFFICULTIES WITH THIS BILL IS WE SAY IT CAN'T BE APART OF YOUR INSURANCE RECORD, CAN'T BE APART OF YOUR DRIVING RECORD, CAN'T BE USED IN A COURT OF LAW, NO CLICK IT OR TICKET CAMPAIGNS. THE GOVERNOR SAYS HE THINKS THOSE PENALTIES WOULD MAKE DRIVERS MORE LIKELY TO BUCKLE UP. HE HASN'T MADE AN OFFICIAL DECISION ON THE BILL, BUT IS EXPECTED TO VETO IT BEFORE THE DEADLINE. MIDNIGHT TONIGHT. MAYOR YOUNG'S NEW FEDERAL GOVERNMENT JOB IN ATLANTA MEANS THE COMMISSION HAS TO NAME HIS REPLACEMENT. MAYOR YOUNG'S LAST DAY IS JUNE 20TH. MEANING AUGUSTA WILL

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NEWS AT 5:30

[**05:30:00 PM**] TOWN. WHO'S GOING TO BE AUGUSTA'S NEXT MAYOR? TALK OF THE TOWN. WHO'S GOING TO BE AUGUSTA'S NEXT MAYOR? THAT ANSWER COULD COME ANY MINUTE NOW. GOOD EVENING EVERYONE, I'M JENNIE MONTGOMERY. AND I'M BRAD MEANS. THANK YOU FOR JOINING US TONIGHT. IT'S DECISION TIME. COVERAGE YOU CAN COUNT ON BEGINS WITH THE SEARCH FOR AUGUSTA'S INTERIM MAYOR. IN JUST 2 WEEKS, MAYOR BOB YOUNG WILL BE GONE AND THERE'S A LONG LINE OF PEOPLE WHO WANT TO FILL HIS SEAT. THE MAYOR'S LAST DAY IS JUNE 20TH, AND AFTER THAT, HE'S OFF TO ATLANTA FOR A NEW FEDERAL JOB. THAT GIVES THE COMMISSION THE JOB OF NAMING HIS REPLACEMENT. COMMISSIONERS ARE MEETING RIGHT NOW, AND THEY'RE CONSIDERING WHO THEY WANT TO TAKE OVER. IN ABOUT 2 MINUTES, WE'LL TAKE A LOOK AT WHO MAY BE RUNNING FOR THE POSITION THIS FALL. FIRST TO THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING, WHERE WJBF NEWSCHANNEL 6'S GEORGE ESKOLA BEGINS TONIGHT'S BIG STORY. MAYOR YOUNG IS ON THE MOVE, HE'S

ALREADY TOLD COMMISSIONERS HE'LL BE GONE ON JUNE 21ST, SO THAT GIVES COMMISSIONERS NOW JUST TWO WEEKS TO DESIGNATE HIS REPLACEMENT. HE'S PACKING UP TO PULL OUT, MAYOR YOUNG WILL BE LEAVING THE MAYORS OFFICE IN TWO WEEKS. LEAVE COMMISSIONERS WITH A BIG JOB NAME HIS REPLACEMENT. WE NEED TO MOVE FORWARD AND PUT THAT PERSON IN PLACE SO THEY CAN BE THERE TO TAKE OVER JUNE 20TH AND ALSO HAVE DIALOGUE WITH OUR CURRENT MAYOR TO SEE HE'S BEEN WORKING ON. YOUNG SAYS NO COMMISSIONER HAS ASKED FOR HIS RECOMMENDATION ON WHO TO SELECT BUT YOUNG SAYS HE HAS MADE A RECOMMENDATION TO COMMISSIONERS. I'VE ENCOURAGED THE COMMISSION WHEN I TALKED TO THEM ABOUT MY DEPARTURE I URGED THEM TO DESIGNATE SOMEBODY EARLY SO WE CAN HAVE A TRANSITION. COMMISSIONER BOBBY HANKERSON SAYS WHOEVER THE COMMISSION APPOINTS FOR THE JOB SHOULD BE SOMEBODY NOT PLANNING ON RUNNING IN THE SPECIAL ELECTION HE WOULD LIKE TO SEE BOWTOWN TO SEE WHO THEY WOULD LIKE. NO CLOSED CAPTIONING AVAILABLE. COMMISSIONERS MUST ISSUE THE CALL FOR THE SPECIAL ELECTION TO FILL THE MAYOR'S SEAT. THAT CAN'T BE DONE UNTIL MAYOR YOUNG'S RESIGNATION IS OFFICIAL. BACK TO YOU. WE WOULD LOVE TO HEAR WHO YOU THINK AUGUSTA'S NEXT MAYOR SHOULD BE. EMAIL US. JUST GO TO OUR WEBSITE AT WJBF DOT COM, AND CLICK ON THE TALKBACK-6 LINK. OR, YOU CAN SEND US AN EMAIL DIRECTLY. THE ADDRESS IS TALKBACK SIX AT WJBF DOT COM. PLEASE KEEP THEM BRIEF, 25 WORDS OR LESS, AND BE SURE TO INCLUDE YOUR NAME, CITY, AND PHONE NUMBER. NOW AT 6: THREE DAYS AFTER A GUILTY VERDICT, CHARLES WALKER IS BACK IN COURT. TONIGHT: WHAT'S NEXT FOR THE SUSPENDED SENATOR AND HIS SEAT. IT'S POLLS VERSUS POCKETBOOKS. AUGUSTA'S GOT A HANDFUL OF ELECTIONS COMING UP. AND THEY'RE NOT IN THE BUDGET. LOSE THE BOWL FULL OF JELLY WITH A GOOD, LONG LAUGH. TURNS OUT YOUR SENSE OF HUMOR CAN HELP TRIM THAT WAISTLINE. WJBF NEWSCHANNEL 6 AT 6 STARTS NOW. TONIGHT'S BIG STORY: CONVICTED, SUSPENDED AND BACK IN COURT. AS CHARLES WALKER FACES HIS FATE, THE GOVERNOR WANTS HIS SENATE SEAT FILLED. GOOD EVENING EVERYBODY, I'M PETER ROBBINS, IN FOR BRAD MEANS. AND I'M JENNIE MONTGOMERY. THANK YOU FOR JOINING US TONIGHT. 3 DAYS AFTER A GUILTY VERDICT, AND THERE'S ALREADY TALK OF WHEN TO REPLACE CHARLES WALKER. COVERAGE YOU CAN COUNT ON BEGINS WITH A SPECIAL ELECTION TO FILL THE SUSPENDED SENATOR'S SEAT. THE ONLY SAID THIS. 1:31:31:29 'ANYTHING YOU WANT TO SAY?' THERE YOU GO. THIS IS THE STATEMENT HE GAVE US. 'NEEDLESS TO SAY, THIS IS A DIFFICULT HOUR. HOWEVER MY FAMILY AND I ARE SUSTAINED BY THE MANY EXPRESSIONS OF KINDNESS AND SUPPORT. WE THANK EACH AND EVERY ONE OF YOU. WITH RESPECT TO THE VERDICT LET ME SAY I HAVE CONFIDENCE IN OUR JUDICIAL SYSTEM WHICH HAS THE POWER WITHIN IT TO SET THINGS RIGHT. I MOVE FORWARD WITH AN ABIDING FAITH IN THE FUTURE. I ASK FOR YOUR PRAYERS THAT I BE KEPT FREE OF MALIROBBERIES HAS RICHMOND COUNTY INVESTIGATORS LOOKING FOR SEVERAL SUSPECTS. YOU COULD HAVE THE INFORMATION THAT WILL HELP BRING THESE BANDITS TO JUSTICE. WJBF NEWSCHANNEL 6'S CHIP CREAMER CONTINUES TONIGHT'S CRIME TRACKER REPORT. SURVEILLANCE VIDEO CATCHES ROBBERY SUSPECTS ON TAPE THE HUDDLE HOUSE ON MIKE PADGETT HIGHWAY WAS ROBBED MONDAY EVENING JUST BEFORE TEN O'CLOCK. 56:45 JIMMY THREE SUSPECTS GO INTO THERE ARMED, DEMANDING THE CUSTOMERS AND EVERYBODY TO GET ON THE FLOOR AND ROBBED IT. 1:46 ANGIE LUCKILY, NO ONE WAS HURT AND DID WHAT THEY WERE SUPPOSED TO, THEY COOPERATED. ON THE WAY OUT, ONE WOUND UP ROBBING ONE OF MY CUSTOMERS. AT ABOUT THE SAME, THE KRYSTAL ON DEANS BRIDGE ROAD WAS HELD UP. 56:23 JIMMY ONE SUBJECT DESCRIBED AS AN OLDER BLACK MALE WITH SALT AND PEPPER HAIR AND BEARD CAME IN AND SHOWED THE BUTT OF A PISON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE HIRED A PRIVATE LAB TO DO A DNA ANALYSIS ON THE BONES. THOSE RESULTS ARE EXPECTED BACK LATER THIS MONTH. IN A FEW WEEKS, WE SHOULD KNOW IF REMAINS FOUND IN BURKE COUNTY BELONG TO A MISSING NINE YEAR OLD AUGUSTA GIRL. TIFFANY ON DISAPPEARED ON A BIKE RIDE IN JUNE OF 1994. SHE HAS NOT BEEN SEEN OR HEARD FROM SINCE. LAST MONTH, LOGGERS FOUND SKELETAL REMAINS IN A WOODED AREA OFF FARMERS BRIDGE ROAD. AUTHORITIES SAY A CHILD'S SKULL AND SHOE WERE FOUND IN A GRAVE. THE CASE IS BEING TREATED AS A MURDER INVESTIGATION. THE RICHMOND COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE HIRED A PRIVATE LAB TO DO A DNA ANALYSIS ON THE BONES. THOSE RESULTS ARE EXPECTED BACK

LATER THIS MONTH. RICHMOND COUNTY DEPUTIES NEED YOUR HELP TO FIND A KIDNAPPING SUSPECT. 19 YEAR OLD TARREL GILBERT IS ACCUSED OF USING A GUN TO TAKE HIS 2 YEAR OLD DAUGHTER FROM HER MOTHER. THOUGH SHORTLY AFTER THE INCIDENT, A FRIEND OF GILBERT'S SAFELY RETURNED THE CHILD TO HER FAMILY. IF YOU'VE SEEN THIS MAN, CALL THE RICHMOND COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE. SOUTH CAROLINA'S GOVERNOR HAS STACKS OF BILLS ON HIS DESK AND ABOUT 24 HOURS TO DECIDE ON THEM. THE DOMESTIC VIOLENCE BILL MADE THE CUT THIS MORNING. IT WILL RAISE FINES AND INCREASE JAIL TIME. RIGHT NOW, THE PALMETTO STATE HAS ONE OF THE NATION'S HIGHEST RATES OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE, AND LAWMAKERS HOPE THE NEW LAW SENDS A MESSAGE. 'SOUTH CAROLINA IS SAYING TO MEN AND WOMEN IN THIS STATE- WE WILL NOT TOLERATE VIOLENCE WITHIN OUR HOMES. WE WILL NOT TAKE IT LIGHTLY, WE TAKE IT SERIOUSLY. THE NEW PENALTIES WILL GO INTO EFFECT JANUARY FIRST. ANOTHER BILL ON GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD'S DESK MIGHT NOT GET HIS SIGNATURE. IT LETS OFFICERS PULL YOU OVER AND FINE YOU FOR NOT WEARING A SEAT BELT. RIGHT NOW, THEY CAN TICKET YOU FOR THE OFFENSE, BUT YOU HAVE TO GET PULLED OVER FOR ANOTHER VIOLATION FIRST. THE GOVERNOR MAY NOT APPROVE THE MEASURE, BECAUSE HE SAYS HE WANTS TO SEE STIFFER PENALTIES FOR DRIVERS WHO DON'T OBEY THE LAW. 'ONE OF MY DIFFICULTIES WITH THIS BILL IS WE SAY IT CAN'T BE APART OF YOUR INSURANCE RECORD, CAN'T BE APART OF YOUR DRIVING RECORD, CAN'T BE USED IN A COURT OF LAW, NO CLICK IT OR TICKET CAMPAIGNS. THE GOVERNOR SAYS HE THINKS THOSE PENALTIES WOULD MAKE DRIVERS MORE LIKELY TO BUCKLE UP. HE HASN'T MADE AN OFFICIAL DECISION ON THE BILL, BUT IS EXPECTED TO VETO IT BEFORE TOMORROW NIGHT. WHY FUSS WITH DISPOSABLE CAMERAS. IF YOU CAN GET A DISPOSABLE CAMCORDER? IT'S THE LATEST 'MUST-HAVE, AND IT WON'T COST AN ARM AND A LEG. IS NOT THE COOKIES IT'S THE MILK. RESEARCHERS HAVE A NEW WARNING FOR PARENTS, IN TONIGHT'S MEDICAL REPORT. IN TONIGHT'S MEDICAL REPORT: RESEARCHERS SAY CHANCES ARE, YOU'VE EXPERIENCED SYMPTOMS OF MENTAL ILLNESS AT SOME POINT IN YOUR LIFE. A NEW SURVEY FOUND THAT'S THE CASE WITH ONE IN TWO AMERICANS, AND MOST SERIOUS CASES START

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NEWS 6 AT 5

[**05:00:00 PM**] COMMISSIONERS ARE PLAYING THE NAME GAME WHEN IT COMES TO WHO WILL BE THE NEXT MAYOR. MAYOR BOB YOUNG IS TAKING A NEW JOB, MAKING HIS LAST DAY LESS THAN TWO WEEKS AWAY. AND THAT'S PUTTING THE COMMISSION TO WORK TO NAME A REPLACEMENT. AUGUSTA BUSINESSMAN, JAMES KENDRICK, IS COMMISSIONER BOBBY HANKERSON'S PICK FOR INTERIM MAYOR. KENDRICK IS CURRENTLY CHAIRING THE COMMUNITY TRUST INITIATIVE. THAT'S A GROUP WORKING TO IMPROVE RACE RELATIONS IN AUGUSTA. KENDRICK ISN'T CAMPAIGNING FOR THIS JOB, BUT SAYS HE WOULD ANSWER THE CALL. I'AM NOT IN ANYWAY ACTIVELY PURSUING THIS HOWEVER IF THE COMMISSION AND THE MAYOR WOULD DECIDE THAT THEY THINK THIS WOULD BE SOMETHING THAT HAPPENS I'D BE HONORED TO DO THIS. KENDRICK SAYS HE ONLY WOULD SERVE UNTIL THE SPECIAL ELECTION. MAYOR YOUNG IS ASKING COMMISSIONERS TO DESIGNATE HIS REPLACEMENT SOON, SO HE CAN HELP IN THE TRANSITION. YOUNG STEPS DOWN IN TWO WEEKS. ED TARVER SAYS IT'S OFFICIAL, DON CHEEKS SAYS IT'S NOT. TODAY WE TALKED TO BOTH MEN ABOUT CHARLES WALKER'S VACANT SENATE SEAT. ED TARVER HAS OFFICIALLY PUT HIS HAT IN THE RING. HE SAYS HE BELIEVES HE CAN CONTRIBUTE GOOD POSITIVE LEADERSHIP. DON CHEEKS A FORMER SENATOR SAYS HE'S NOT SURE IF HE'S GOING TO RUN. HE SAYS RIGHT NOW HE'S ENJOYING TIME WITH HIS FAMILY. 23:58:09 I AM NOT RULING OUT THAT I WOULD NOT BUT WE ARE. LIFE AFTER POLITICS. FORMER SENATOR CHEEKS ALSO TOLD US RIGHT NOW HE'S UPSET THAT THERE IS NO SENATOR IN POWER. HE SAYS HE WORRIES ABOUT CONSTITUENTS HAVING A PROBLEM AND HAVING NO SENATOR TO TALK TO ABOUT IT. RICHMOND COUNTY INVESTIGATORS ARE LOOKING FOR SUSPECTS IN A RASH OF OVERNIGHT ROBBERIES THIS VIDEO SHOWS A GROUP OF ARMED MEN AS THEY ROBBED THE HUDDLE HOUSE ON MIKE PADGETT HIGHWAY LAST NIGHT AROUND 9:45. AROUND THE SAME TIME, DEPUTIES SAY AN ARMED MAN HELD UP THE KRYSTAL ON DEANS BRIDGE ROAD. A THIRD

ROBBERY HAPPENED AT THE WAFFLE HOUSE ON RIVERWATCH PARKWAY, SHORTLY BEFORE 4:30 THIS MORNING. INVESTIGATORS SAY, IN ALL 3 HOLDUPS, THE SUSPECTS LEFT ON FOOT. 57:59 58:16 JIMMY THERE'S A GREAT POSSIBILITY SOMEWHERE AROUND THE CORNER FROM THESE THERE MAY HAVE BEEN A VEHICLE PARKED, A GET AWAY VEHICLE WAITING. NO ONE WAS HURT IN THE ROBBERIES. IF YOU HAVE ANY INFORMATION, CALL THE RICHMOND COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE. TIME IS RUNNING OUT FOR ALMOST SIXTY BILLS IN THE PALMETTO STATE. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD MUST VETO OR SIGN EVERY BILL ON HIS DESK BY TOMORROW AT MIDNIGHT, OTHERWISE THE BILLS BECOME LAW. THIS MORNING THE GOVERNOR SIGNED A BILL CRACKING DOWN ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE OFFENSES. HE IS ALSO EXPECTED TO PASS LEGISLATION THAT WOULD LET BARS AND RESTAURANTS FREE POUR LIQUOR INSTEAD OF USING MINIBOTTLES. AND A BILL THAT WOULD GIVE TAX BREAKS TO COMPANIES THAT USE SOUTH CAROLINA'S PORTS. BUT STATE LEADERS ARE MOST EXCITED ABOUT THE DOMESTIC VIOLENCE LEGISLATION. 'SOUTH CAROLINA IS SAYING TO MEN AND WOMEN IN THIS STATE- WE WILL NOT TOLERATE VIOLENCE WITHIN OUR HOMES. WE WILL NOT TAKE IT LIGHTLY, WE TAKE IT SERIOUSLY. CURRENTLY SOUTH CAROLINA IS ONE OF THE WORST STATES IN THE COUNTRY IN DOMESTIC VIOLENCE CASES. LAWMAKERS SAY THEY HOPE THIS BILL WILL CUT DOWN ON THE NUMBER OF CASES IN THE PALMETTO STATE. BAD NEWS TODAY FOR EMPLOYEES OF THE WORLD'S NUMBER ONE AUTOMAKER. THE TOUGH TIMES JUST KEEP ON COMING FOR GENERAL MOTORS. JUST THIS MORNING, THE COMPANY'S C-E-O ANNOUNCED HUGE LAYOFFS AND UPCOMING PLANT CLOSURES. THE COMPANY PLANS TO ELIMINATE 25- THOUSAND JOBS IN THE U-S. ALL PART OF A FOUR-STEP STRATEGY TO REVIVE BUSINESS IN NORTH AMERICA. THE CAR MAKER HAS ALREADY CLOSED SEVERAL FACTORIES THIS YEAR, INCLUDING PLANTS IN NEW JERSEY AND BALTIMORE. AND JUST LAST MONTH, TWO PLANTS WERE SHUT DOWN IN MICHIGAN. VIOLENCE AND THE THREAT OF VIOLENCE ARE A GROWING PROBLEM IN THE AMERICAN WORKPLACE. A NEW STUDY FINDS THE LOSS OF MILLIONS OF AMERICAN JOBS TO CHEAP FOREIGN LABOR MARKETS IS BEHIND THE RAGE. BILL TUCKER HAS OUR REPORT AND ALL THE DETAILS. SCRIPT: SCENES LIKE THIS. FROM A SHOOTING AT JEEP'S TOLEDO OHIO PLANT BY A DISGRUNTLED EMPLOYEE EARLIER THIS YEAR ARE TOO FAMILAR. A ANGRY EMPLOYEE UNLEASHES THAT WRATH IN THE WOACE. NOT EVERY UNHAPPY EMPLOYEE COMMITS MURDER AND SUICIDE BUT THERE IS AN ALARMING INCREASE IN VIOLENCE IN THE WORKPLACE. A SURVEY OF MORE THAN 600 HUMAN RESOURCES AND SECURITY EXECUTIVES FOUND 82-PERCENT REPORTED AN INCREASE IN WORKPLACE VIOLENCE IN THE LAST TWO YEARS. THE REASONS FOR THE RISE ARE BASIC. 'WE'VE SEEN A LOT OF COMPANIES BEING DOWNSIZED OVER THE LAST SEVERAL YEARS AS A RESULT OF THAT THEY'VE TURNED TO A LOT OF OFFSHORING AND OUTSOURCING A LOT OF THEIR ACTIVITIES. AS A RESULT OF THAT SOME OF THE EMPLOYEES ARE TASKED WITH TRAINING THEIR REPLACEMENTS. WHICH CREATES A SOMEWHAT HOSTILE ENVIROMENT. 58-PERCENT OF THOSE RESPONDING TO THE SURVEY BY RISK CONTROL STRATIES SAY EMPLOYEES HAVE THREATENED TO ASSAULT OR KILL SENIOR MANAGERS. IT'S THE UNCERTAINTY OF THE JOB PLACE COMPOUDED WITH ECONOMIC PRESSURES THAT OFTEN PUSH EMPLOYEES OVER THE EDGE. THE NEW BANKRUPTCY BILL WHICH ALLOWS WAGES TO BE GARNISHED IS EXPECTED TO WORSEN THE PROBLEM. 'WITH THE DOWNTURN IN THE ECONOMY AND WITH THE LOSS OF JOBS ON A RELATIVE MASSIVE SCALE AH IT'S NOT GOING RELEASED SURVEY SHOWS 88- PERCENT OF COMPANIES SURVEYED SAY THEY ARE MORE CONCERNED ABOUT EMPLOYEE BACKLASH FROM OUTSOURCING THAN ABOUT EMPLOYEE SEVERANCE COSTS OR THE REACTION FROM CUSTOMERS. ALSO ON TONIGHT'S CRIMETRACKER, A BOLD BURGLARY IS CAUGHT ON TAPE. A GROUP OF BRAZEN ROBBERS SMASHED IN THE DOOR OF A DISCOUNT STORE IN KANSAS CITY KNOCKING OVER THE CASH MACHINE. BUT THEY DON'T STOP THERE. TWO MEN JUMP OUT AND GRAB THE A-T-M, WHILE A THIRD MAN HELPS LOAD IT INTO THE BACK OF THE TRUCK. POLICE SAY THE MEN DROVE AWAY BEFORE POLICE GOT THERE. AUTHORITIES ARE NOW ASKING THE PUBLIC FOR HELP IN CATCHING THE MEN. STUDENTS AT ONE NEW YORK SCHOOL HAD A DAY OFF TODAY, BUT IT'S NOT WHAT YOU THINK. WE'RE NOT TALKING SUMMER VACATION. WE'RE TALKING ABOUT A STRONG DOSE OF MOTHER NATURE. STRAIGHT AHEAD, WE'LL SHOW YOU WHY SEVERE STORMS ARE GIVING THE STUDENTS A BREAK FROM CLASS. SCHOOL'S OUT FOR STUDENTS AT ONE NEW YORK SCHOOL, BUT IT HAS NOTHING TO DO WITH SUMMER! INSTEAD, BLAME

MOTHER NATURE! STUDENTS AT THE CENTRAL NEW YORK SCHOOL ARE GETTING THE DAY OFF TODAY AFTER STRONG STORMS DID A NUMBER ON THEIR SCHOOL BUILDING. HIGH WINDS RIPPED PART OF THE THE ROOF OFF. THE SCHOOL WAS IN SESSION AT THE TIME OF THE STORM, BUT NO ONE WAS HURT. IT'S BEING TOUTED AS THE MOST PROMISING VACCINE IN MORE

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GOOD MORNING AUGUSTA

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NEWS THIS MORNING

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ACTION NEWS TODAY

[**06:00:00 AM**] S> TIME. TEMP AD LIB WX THE STORY OF A ZOO LION MAKES FOR A WILD RIDE AT THE BOX OFFICE THIS WEEKEND. 'MADAGASCAR' ROARED ITS WAY TO THE NUMBER ONE SPOT IN ITS SECOND WEEKEND, TAKING IN NEARLY TWENTY-NINE MILLION DOLLARS. ADAM SANDLER'S 'THE LONGEST YARD' ALSO SCORED BIG AT THE BOX OFFICE ENOUGH FOR SECOND PLACE. 'STAR WARS: EPISODE III REVENGE OF THE SITH' LOST SOME OF ITS FORCE WITH MOVIE GOERS. THE FILM HAD HELD THE TOP SPOT FOR TWO WEEKENDS BUT SLIPPED THIS WEEK INTO THIRD PLACE. A NEW PIECE OF TECHNOLOGY IS TAKING THE MYSTERY OUT OF CARS. THE CAR CHIP IS A DATA RECORDER THE SIZE OF A KEY THAT CAN TAKES READINGS AS YOU DRIVE. IT THEN MAKES GRAPHS ABOUT COOLANT, FUEL PRESSURE, TIMING AND BATTERY LEVEL JUST TO NAME A FEW. AT THE END OF ANY PERIOD YOUR REMOVE THE CHIP FROM YOUR CAR, TAKE IT TO OUR COMPUTER, DOWNLOAD IT, AND IT GIVES GRAPHS. THE CAR CHIP STARTS AT ABOUT 140 DOLLARS. THE COMPANY SAYS AT LEAST ONE INSURANCE COMPANY IS TESTING A PROGRAM WHERE DRIVERS GET DISCOUNTS

FOR PUTTING THE CAR CHIPS ON THEIR CAR. WORKING FOR THE STATE IS PAYING OFF IN THE PALMETTO STATE. TIME/TEMP Q? QQQ7X7Q/X/X_Q? X? XT~R FEMALE ANNOUNCER WHY SHAVE THE OLD WAY, WHEN MILLIONS OF WOMEN HAVE ALREADY FOUND A SIMPLER WAY. WITH SCHICK INTUITION. IT'S A TRIPLE-BLADE RAZOR. SURROUNDED BY A SKIN CONDITIONING SOLID. WITH JUST WATER, INTUITION LATHERS, SHAVES AND MOISTURIZES. FOR SOFT, SMOOTH SKIN. IN ONE EASY STEP. SCHICK INTUITION. YOUR INTUITION TEASE WX BY MONITOR)THE GOVERNOR COULD VETO IT, BUT SOME SOUTH CAROLINA LAWMAKERS STILL PLAN TO GET A BILL PASSED. PEOPLE GOT A GLIMPSE AT THE WORLD DURING THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR AS HISTORY CAME TO LIFE IN NORTH AUGUSTA. TIME/TEMP ON MONDAY JUNE 6TH. GOOD MORNING, I'M AMY COWMAN. AND I'M BEN PEINE. AC: WALKER SENTENCING AMY/BEN AD LIB ABOUT SOUTH CAROLINA LAWMAKERS ARE POISED TO PASS A BILL LETTING OFFICERS PULL YOU OVER FOR NOT BUCKLING UP. BUT THE MEASURE STILL NEEDS EXECUTIVE APPROVAL. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD IS EXPECTED TO VETO THE MEASURE WHEN IT REACHES HIS DESK. BUT AS WAGT'S MICHAEL BUCZYNER REPORTS, ONE ELECTED OFFICIAL SAYS THEY'LL RALLY FOR SUPPORT TO OVERRIDE IT. IT TAKES SECONDS AND COULD SAVE A LIFE. BUT SOUTH CAROLINA GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SAYS THE PROPOSED PENALTIES FOR FAILING TO BUCKLE-UP AREN'T TOUGH ENOUGH. 1:12-1:21)'THE FINES ARE NOT AS GREAT AS THE GOVERNOR WOULD LIKE TO HAVE THEM, ALL THE PUNISHMENT NOT AS GREAT AS HE WOULD LIKE TO HAVE IT. THE BILL WHICH ALREADY RECEIVED FINAL APPROVAL FROM LAW MAKERS WOULD ALLOW OFFICERS TO STOP DRIVERS WHO AREN'T BUCKLED-UP RESULTING IN A 25 DOLLAR FINE. BUT GOVERNOR SANFORD SAYS HE WILL VETO THE BILL HE WANTS TOUGHER PENALTIES FOR THOSE WHO DON'T BUCKLE UP. BUT SOME LOCAL LAWMAKERS ARE READY TO MOVE FORWARD. 1:20-1:32)'LETS FACE IT, THIS IS A BEGINNING AND TO SEND A WARNING LOOK, THERE'S A PROBLEM OUT THERE AND WE'RE ADDRESSING IT. HOPEFULLY YOU'RE LISTENING TO US AND BUCKLING UP, IT SAVES LIVES. THE CURRENT LAW PREVENTS OFFICERS FROM PULLING DRIVERS WHO AREN'T SEAT-BELTED. THEY CAN ONLY BE STOPPED FOR ANOTHER TRAFFIC OFFENSE. BUT THE NEW LAW WORRIES SOME SOUTH CAROLINA DRIVERS. 9:49-9:59)'SOMETIMES YOU NOT HAVE TO PUT YOUR SEAT BELT ON, YOU MAY JUST LEAVE A STORE AND THEY MAY PULL YOU OVER BEFORE YOU GET YOUR BELT ON. 12:57-13:05)'ON ONE HAND, IT'S A GOOD THING. ON THE OTHER HAND, IF THAT'S THE ONLY REASON THEY'RE PULLING YOU OVER, I'M THINKING THAT MAY BE A LITTLE HARSH. ALTHOUGH SOME SAY IT'S HARSH, LAWMAKERS SAY IT'S NEEDED TO HELP SAVE LIVES. 1:50-1:59)'IT IS NEEDED BECAUSE OUR CASUALTY RATES CONTINUOUSLY GOING UPWARD AND A MAJORITY OF THOSE FOLKS ARE NOT BUCKLING UP. NOW GOVERNOR SANFORD DOESN'T THINK THE BILL IS TOUGH ENOUGH. HE SAYS OFFENDERS SHOULD BE REPORTED TO INSURANCE COMPANIES WHEN THEY DON'T BUCKLE UP. AND REPEAT OFFENDERS SHOULD PAY MORE IN INSURANCE. BUT A LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE THINKS THERE'S ENOUGH SUPPORT FOR A TWO-THIRDS VOTE TO OVERRIDE A VETO IF HE DOESN'T SIGN THE MEASURE. MORE MONEY FROM THE LEGISLATURE IN SOUTH CAROLINA GAVE STATE EMPLOYEES A BOOST IN THIS YEARS BUDGET. THE SURPLUS ALLOWED FOR PAY INCREASES, NEW OFFICERS AND OTHER RESOURCES. THE HIGHLIGHTS INCLUDE A 4 PERCENT ACROSS-THE-BOARD RAISE FOR ALL STATE EMPLOYEES AND ANOTHER 6 PERCENT FOR OFFICERS. PAUSE FOR NATS THEY SAY HISTORY REPEATS ITSELF, AND YESTERDAY IN NORTH AUGUSTA THAT SAYING WAS TRUE. THE COLONIAL TIMES EVENT TOOK PLACE THIS WEEKEND IN NORTH AUGUSTA'S LIVING HISTORY PARK. RE-ENACTORS AT THE EVENT SHOWED WHAT LIFE WAS LIKE DURING THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR. MOST RE-ENACTORS SAY THEY LOVE LIVING THE LIFE THEIR FOREFATHERS DID. 'I JUST LOVE DOING IT. IT'S A HOBBY AND I LOVE DOING IT. HOPEFULLY ONE OF THESE DAYS I'LL BE ABLE TO MAKE A LIVING DOING IT. BUT I LOVE DOING IT' THE RE-ENACTORS ALSO DID A LITTLE SEWING, SPINNING, AND BLACKSMITHING. A NEW STATE LAW IN GEORGIA WILL MAKE IT TOUGHER ON STUDENTS WHO CHOOSE TO SKIP SCHOOL. SCHOOL DISTRICTS ACROSS THE STATE ARE USING SUMMER BREAK TO FINE TUNE TRUANCY POLICIES. IN COLUMBIA COUNTY, STUDENTS WILL HAVE FEWER DAYS TO MISS SCHOOL BEFORE THEY'RE REFERRED TO THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE. IN RICHMOND COUNTY PARENTS OF TRUANT CHILDREN WILL HAVE TO SEE A JUDGE SOONER THAN BEFORE. THE ALL WORLD CHESS CLUB HELD THEIR ANNUAL CHESS TOURNAMENT IN DOWNTOWN AUGUSTA YESTERDAY. THIS IS THE 13TH YEAR THE CLUB HAS HELD THE

TOURNAMENT. THE EVENT'S ORGANIZER SAYS THE TOURNAMENT IS MORE ABOUT REACHING OUT THAN PLAYING THE GAME. 'THAT'S THE POINT LET THEM USE THEIR MINDS. TO STOP THE VIOLENCE. AND KEEP KIDS OFF THE STREET. THAT'S THE MAIN OBJECTIVE' ABOUT 5 YOUNG PEOPLE PARTICIPATED. EVEN THOUGH THE TURNOUT WAS LOW THE CLUB PLANS TO HOST THE EVENT AGAIN NEXT YEAR. JURY DELIBERATIONS WILL RESUME LATER THIS MORNING IN THE MICHAEL JACKSON MOLESTATION TRIAL. JAY GRAY REPORTS ON THE JURY'S DUTIES AND THE 'KING OF POP'S' TRIP TO THE EMERGENCY ROOM. NATS UP FULL AT HOSPITAL- MICHAEL JACKSON WAS RUSHED TO COTTAGE HOSPITAL SUNDAY AFTERNOON. TAPE RAYMONE BAIN JACKSON SPOKESWOMAN 'MR. JACKSON'S BACK HAS FLARED UP ON HIM AGAIN, SO HE HAS COME IN TO SEE A DOCTOR ABOUT THAT. THIS IS THE LATEST IN A STRING OF MEDICAL PROBLEMS FOR THE POP STAR DURING HIS 14-WEEK TRIAL. EARLY IN THE CASE JACKSON WAS TREATED FOR 'FLU- LIKE SYMPTOMS. NEXT, IT WAS BACK PROBLEMS THAT SENT JACKSON TO THE HOSPITAL. CAUSING HIM TO BE LATE FOR COURT. 'HE WAS SEEN IN THE EMERGENCY ROOM, AND HE WAS RELEASED. THAT WAS IT. WHEN JUDGE RODNEY MELVILLE ISSUED A WARRANT FOR HIS ARREST. JACKSON RUSHED BACK TO THE SANTA MARIA COURTHOUSE. WHERE HE WAS HELPED INSIDE STILL WEARING HIS PAJAMAS AND SLIPPERS. AND LATE LAST WEEK. AS TESTIMONY WAS WRAPPING UP IN THE CASE. JACKSON MADE A BRIEF VISIT TO THE HOSPITAL TO BE TREATED FOR DEHYDRATION. TAPE/SUSAN FILAN LEGAL ANALYST 'WE'VE TALKED ABOUT PATTERN WITH MICHAEL JACKSON AND HERE'S ANOTHER PATTERN WITH HIM. WHEN THE GOING GETS TOUGH, MICHAEL GETS SICK. HIS LATEST HEALTH ISSUE SHOULD HAVE LITTLE EFFECT ON THE TRIAL. TAPE JIM MORET LEGAL ANALYST 'THE JURORS HAVE A GREAT DEAL OF EVIDENCE TO SIFT THROUGH AND I THINK THAT THEIR JOB IS A VERY DIFFICULT ONE. JACKSON IS NOT REQUIRED TO BE AT THE COURTHOUSE AS THE FOUR MEN AND EIGHT WOMEN WHO WILL DECIDE HIS FATE. BEGIN THEIR FIRST FULL DAY OF DELIBERATIONS MONDAY MORNING. IN SANTA MARIA. JAY GRAY. NBC NEWS. JURORS WILL SPEND SIX STRAIGHT HOURS. REVIEWING THE CASE. THEN ASK THE JUDGE FOR EVEN MORE TIME EACH DAY IF THEY FEEL IT WILL HELP THEM REACH A VERDICT. ARUBAN AUTHORITIES HAVE TWO MEN IN CUSTODY IN CONNECTION WITH THE MISSING TEEN FROM ALABAMA. STILL AUTHORITIES SAY THEY'RE NO CLOSER TO LOCATING THE HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR. 18-YEAR-OLD NATALLE HOLLOWAY HAS BEEN MISSING ON THE CARIBBEAN ISLAND SINCE LAST MONDAY. 'THE INVESTIGATION HAS TWO GOALS: FIRST, TO FIND HER ALIVE AND BRING HER BACK TO HER MOTHER FAMILY, AND THE SECOND IS TO DO AN INVESTIGATION IN THE CASE THAT SOMETHING TERRIBLE HAPPENS. POLICE SEARCHED THE MEN'S HOMES. AND CONFISCATED THEIR CARS. BUT HAVEN'T SAID WHAT THEY'VE BEEN CHARGED WITH. CONTROVERSY OVER THE CONFEDERATE FLAG BROUGHT PEOPLE ON BOTH SIDES OF THE ISSUE TO HIGGINSVILLE, MISSOURI YESTERDAY. CONFEDERATE FLAGS WERE FLYING DURING THE ANNUAL CEREMONY AT THE CONFEDERATE MEMORIAL SITE. SERVICES ARE HELD EACH YEAR TO REMEMBER CONFEDERATES BURIED THERE. PROTESTORS SAY THEY DISAGREE WITH DECISION TO FLY THE CONFEDERATE FLAG OVER THE CAPITAL BUILDING TO COINCIDE WITH THE SERVICE. 'WHEN THE KLAN HAD IT'S RALLY, HOW THEY RAISED THE FLAG AND I REMEMBER WHEN THEY WANTED TO INTIMIDATE PEOPLE IN THE COMMUNITY HOW THEY STUCK THAT FLAG IN THEIR CAR WINDOWS AND DROVE PAST. I KNOW WHAT ALL THE PAIN THAT FLAG HAS INFLICTED, AND I KNOW THAT IT IS MEANT TO BE A SYMBOL OF FEAR. THOSE PARTICIPATING IN THE CEREMONY SAY THE EVENT IS DESIGNED TO HONOR THEIR ANCESTORS, NOT THE FLAG ITSELF. TIGHTER AIRLINE SECURITY IS BEING DISCUSSED IN WASHINGTON FOLLOWING THE RELEASE OF A CONFIDENTIAL REPORT FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY. THE PROPOSAL INCLUDES MORE ARMED GUARDS. AND EXPANDING THE USE OF EXPLOSIVES DETECTION EQUIPMENT. THE REPORT SUGGESTS EXPANDING CHECKPOINTS AND LONGER CHECK-IN TABLES TO SPEED UP THE PROCESS. 'AT THE TOP OF THE LIST, OF COURSE, IS THE USE OF BETTER DETECTION EQUIPMENT, PARTICULARLY FOR EXPLOSIVES. BECAUSE THE TWO GREATEST DANGERS WE FACE IN THE AIR IS SHOULDER-HELD MISSILES AND, GOD FORBID, SOMEONE SMUGGLING EXPLOSIVES ON A PLANE. A SUICIDE BOMBER. SCHUMER SAID TECHNOLOGY FOR EXPLOSIVES DETECTION EXISTS BUT STILL NEEDS TO BE INSTALLED IN THE NATION'S AIRPORTS. LOOKING FOR SUMMER WORK COULD PROVE ESPECIALLY CHALLENGING FOR TEENS DURING THIS SCHOOL BREAK. F

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DIRECTOR OF NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE, FOR INSTANCE. BUT COMMISSION MEMBERS COMPLAIN OF SLOW PROGRESS IN CONGRESS CHANGING ITS OVERSIGHT OF INTELLIGENCE MATTERS AND IN WORK TO SECURE LOOSE NUCLEAR MATERIAL AROUND THE WORLD. NOW THE COMMISSION OPERATES ON PRIVATE CONTRIBUTIONS, NOT TAX DOLLARS, WITH NO POWER TO SUBPOENA WITNESSES OR FORCE COOPERATION. TODAY'S HEARING, THE FIRST OF EIGHT SCHEDULED, WILL FOCUS ON THE C-I-A AND F-B-I, THE TARGETS OF THE SHARPEST CRITICISM IN THE COMMISSION'S FINAL REPORT. INSERT ENDS) AUDIO OUTCUE: BROOKE HART NBC NEWS WASHINGTON. REPORTER LIVE TAG IT WAS RELENTLESS PUBLIC PRESSURE, ESPECIALLY FROM 9-11 VICTIMS FAMILIES, SO CRITICAL TO THE CREATION OF THE 9-11 COMMISSION. COMMISSIONERS HOPE THAT WILL PLAY A BIG ROLE NOW AS WELL AS THEY LOOK FOR GOVERNMENT FOLLOW-THROUGH. IN WASHINGTON BROOKE HART NBC NEWS SOUTH CAROLINA LAWMAKERS ARE POISED TO PASS A BILL LETTING OFFICERS PULL YOU OVER FOR NOT BUCKLING UP. BUT THE MEASURE STILL NEEDS EXECUTIVE APPROVAL. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD IS EXPECTED TO VETO THE MEASURE WHEN IT REACHES HIS DESK. BUT AS WAGT'S MICHAEL BUCZYNER REPORTS, ONE ELECTED OFFICIAL SAYS THEY'LL RALLY FOR SUPPORT TO OVERRIDE IT. IT

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1:50-1:59)'IT IS NEEDED BECAUSE OUR CASUALTY RATES CONTINUOUSLY GOING UPWARD AND A MAJORITY OF THOSE FOLKS ARE NOT BUCKLING UP. GOVERNOR SANFORD DOESN'T THINK THE BILL IS TOUGH ENOUGH. HE SAYS OFFENDERS SHOULD BE REPORTED TO INSURANCE COMPANIES WHEN THEY DON'T BUCKLE UP. AND REPEAT OFFENDERS SHOULD PAY MORE IN INSURANCE. BUT A LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE THINKS THERE'S ENOUGH SUPPORT FOR A TWO-THIRDS VOTE TO OVERRIDE A VETO IF HE DOESN'T SIGN THE MEASURE. HERE'S WHAT'S NEXT ON THE TODAY SHOW. AT 8:12 THEY'LL TALK WITH EXPERTS ABOUT KIDS AND SUN CANCER. AND AT 8:44 THEY'LL TALKIVE WITH CEDRIC THE ENTERTAINER ABOUT HIS NEW MOVIE. CHG GFX TO TOMORROW TIME/TEMP HERE'S WHAT WE'LL HAVE FOR YOU TOMORROW ON WAGT NEWS TODAY. WHO HASN'T STEPPED ON A WAD OF GUM OR GOTTEN IT STUCK IN THEIR HAIR? WHAT IF THERE WAS A GUM THAT DIDN'T STICK, WE'LL CHECK IT OUT WITH SUMMER ABOUT HERE, THE KIDS WILL BE OUT RIDING THEIR BIKES. SO DO YOUR CHILDREN WEAR HELMETS? WE'LL HAVE A REPORT TO TELL YOU WHY SOME SAY THEY SHOULD. PLUS, ALL YOUR OVERNIGHT NEWS AND WEATHER. THAT WRAPS THINGS UP FOR US THIS MORNING. THE TODAY SHOW IS TOMORROW MORNING AT WAGT NEWS TODAY. I'M AMY COWMAN ALMOST HERE AND SO WE'LL HEAR WHY YOUR CHILDREN SHOULD PROTECT THEMSELVES WITH WE'LL HEAR WHY YOUR THE KIDS WILL BE OUT SUMMERTIME IS I'M BEN PEINE. I'M AMY COWMAN WAGT NEWS TODAY. START YOUR DAY

WITH GOOD MORNING. NIGHTMARE IN PARADISE. THE FAMILY OF MISSING TEENAGER NATALEE HOLLOWAY STILL HOPING TO FIND HER ALIVE ONE WEEK AFTER SHE DISAPPEARED IN ARUBA. HEALTH SCARE. MICHAEL JACKSON TREATED AND RELEASED FROM A HOSPITAL AS HIS JURY RETURNS TO DELIBERATE HIS FATE. AND. I AM A DECENT WOMAN. I KNOW I AM. ANGELINO JOLIE ON RUMORS SHE BROKE UP BRAD PITT'S MARRIAGE. THE ELECTROCARDIOGRAM THE EXCLUSIVE INTERVIEW 'TODAY, MONDAY, JUNE 6TH, 2005. FROM NBC NEWS, THIS IS 'TODAY' WITH KATIE COURIC AND MATT LAUER LIVE FROM STUDIO 1-A IN ROCKEFELLER PLAZA. WELCOME TO 'TODAY' ON MONDAY MORNING. I AM KATIE COURIC. I AM MATT LAUER. NATALEE HOLLOWAY HAS BEEN MISSING IN ARUBA FOR A WEEK. IMAGINE WHAT HER PARENTS ARE GOING THROUGH. IT'S HEART BREAKING. I SPOKE WITH HER MOTHER OVER THE WEEKEND. SHE IS SHOWING EXTRAORDINARY COURAGE UNDER TREMENDOUS PRESSURE. AND 2 MEN ARE IN CUSTODY IN CONNECTION WITH HER DISAPPEARANCE. WHAT HAVE THEY TOLD AUTHORITIES? WE WILL TALK TO SOME AUTHORITIS AND A FAMILY FRIEND. AND IT WAS ANNOUNCED OVER THE WEEKEND THAT SADDAM HUSSEIN WILL BE TRIED IN AN IRAQI COURT WITHIN 2 MONTHS. WHAT KIND OF EFFECT WILL THAT HAVE ON WORLD OPINION ABOUT THE UNITED STATES? WE WILL TALK TO A TOP STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL. HE SAYS THIS COUNTRY HAS AN UNPRECED TED OPP TUNITY TO TRANSFORM U.S. FOREIGN POLICY. HIS NAME IS RICHARD HAASS. 2 STORIES PARENTS SHOULD NOT MISS. IF YOU ARE SENDING YOUR CHILDREN TO SUMMER CAMP, WHAT QUESTIONS DO YOU NEED TO ASK ABOUT MEDICAL EMERGENCY AND FOOD ALLERGIES AND HOME SICKNESS. AND THE SUN. THIS IS AN INCREASE IN THE NUMBER OF CASES OF MELANOMA AMONG YOUNG PEOPLE. AND COMING UP. ANGELINO JOLIE. SO EVERYBODY IS LOOKING FORWARD TO HEARING WHAT SHE SAID TO ANN CURRY ABOUT HER MOVIE 'MR. AND MRS. SMITH' AND A FEW OTHER THINGS. WE LOOK FORWARD TO THAT IN OUR 7:30 HALF HOUR. NOW LET'S GET THE MORNING'S TOP STORIES FROM ANN CURRY AT THE NEWSDESK. GOOD MORNING, EVERYONE. AS YOU JUST HEARD, TWO MEN WERE ARRESTED OVER THE WEEKEND IN THE DISAPPEARANCE OF AN 18-YEAR-OLD ALABAMA GIRL IN ARUBA. BUT THERE IS STILL NO SIGN OF NATALEE HOLLOWAY, WHO'S BEEN MISSING NOW FOR A WEEK. NBC'S MARTIN SAVIDGE IS IN ARUBA. MARTIN FLETCHER IS IN ARUBA WITH MORE. GOOD MORNING. OFFICIALS ARE HOPEFUL THAT NATALEE HOLLOWAY WILL BE FOUND ALIVE AND WELL BUT THEY SAY EACH DAY THOSE HOPES GROW LESS AND LESS LIKELY. REPORTER: IN THE SHADOW OF ONE OF ARUBA'S MOST FAMOUS LANDMARKS, FAMILY, TOURISTS AND STRANGERS PRAYED FOR THE YOUNG GIRL WHOSE DISAPPEARANCE TURNED THIS TROPICAL PARADISE UPSIDE DOWN. CONTINUE TO PROY. CONTINUE TO LOOK. REPORTER: POLICE AND THE FBI ARRESTED 2 MEN IN CONNECTION WITH THE CASE OF 18-YEAR-OLD NATALEE HOLLOWAY BUT WERE VAGUE ON HOW THE MEN MIGHT BE INVOLVED. THEY ARE A SUSPECT OF VARIOUS SORTS OF CRIMES WHICH ALL HAVE A CONNECTION WITH THE MISSING. REPORTER: BOTH MEN ARE FORMER SECURITY GUARDS IN A CLOSED HOTEL NOT FAR FROM WHERE HOLLOWAY WAS STAYING. THE MOTHER OF ONE OF THE SUSPECTS DENIES HER SON HAD ANYTHING TO DO WITH THE GIRL. NO, NO, NO. HE NEVER GET INTO NOTHING. REPORTER: AUTHORITIES CONTINUE TO QUESTION 3 MEN HOLLOWAY WAS LAST SEEN WITH. THE LATEST SEARCH INVOLVED MARINES AID BY A HELICOPTER PROBING THICK UNDERBRUSH IN DIFFICULT TERRAIN FOR ANY SIGN OF THE ALABAMA HONOR STUDENT. THE MISFORTUNE OF ONE ON THIS SMALL ISLAND IS FELT BY ALL. ONE OF THE THINGS THAT HAS BEEN TROUBLING FOR AUT RITIES IS ON THE NIGHT THAT NATALEE DISAPPEARED, A NUMBER OF HER FRIENDS SAW HER GO OFF WITH 3 STRANGE MEN BUT NOBODY SAID OR DID ANYTHING. AUTHORITIES WANT TO KNOW WHERE WERE THE CHAPERONS. MARTIN, THANK YOU VERY MUCH. TODAY, PAKISTAN SAID IT HAS HANDED SENIOR AL QAEDA SUSPECT ABU FARRAJ AL-LIBBI OVER TO THE U.S. AL-LIBBI, THE NUMBER THREE MAN IN AL QAEDA, WAS CAPTURED EARLIER THIS YEAR. SADDAM HUSSEIN COULD GO ON TRIAL WITHIN MONTHSES ON CHARGES OF CRIMES AGAINST HUMANITY. A SPOKESMAN FOR IRAQ'S PRIME MINISTER SAID THE TRIAL WILL FOCUS ON 12 DOCUMENTED COUNTS INCLUDING THE GASSING OF KURDS IN NORTHERN IRAQ. U.S. MARINES SAY THEY FOUND A HUGE UNDERGROUND BUNKER IN WESTERN IRAQ. ONE OF THE LARGEST INSURGENTS HIDEOUTS DISCOVERED IN IRAQ. TODAY, THE JURY BEGINS ITS FIRST FULL DAY OF DELIBERATIONS IN THE MICHAEL JACKSON CASE, AFTER JACKSON WAS BACK IN A HOSPITAL ON SUNDAY. NBC'S CHIEF LEGAL CORRESPONDENT DAN ABRAMS IS IN SANTA

MARIA. DAN, DO WE KNOW WHY JACKSON WAS IN THE HOSPITAL? WELL, GOOD MORNING. THE OFFICIAL EXPLANATION IS SEVERE BACK PAIN. THIS IS THE FIFTH TIME MICHAEL JACKSON HAS PAID A VISIT TO THE HOSPITAL DURING THIS CASE. THIS AFTER JURORS DELIBERATED FOR 2 HOURS ON FRIDAY. TODAY WILL BE THE FIRST FULL DAY OF DELIBERATIONS. THESE JURORS DON'T KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT MICHAEL JACKSON'S MEDICAL PROBLEMS HAVE BEEN INSTRUCTED NOT TO WATCH OR READ ANYTHING ABOUT THIS CASE. BUT MANY QUESTIONING THE TIMING. NO QUESTION MANY OF HIS HOSPITAL VISITS HAVE COINCIDED WITH CRUCIAL POINTS IN THIS CASE. DURING THE JURY SELECTION, AND THE ACCUSER'S TESTIMONY AND CLOSING ARGUMENTS. BUT I CAN TELL YOU FROM BEING INSIDE THE COURTROOM LAST WEEK, MICHAEL JASON LOOKED TERRIBLE. HE LOOKED WEAK. NOW HE IS BACK AT THE NEVERLAND RANCH AWAITING NEWS FROM THE JURY. THANK YOU VERY MUCH. ACTOR RUSSELL CROWE IS UNDER ARREST IN NEW YORK, CHARGED WITH SECOND DEGREE ASSAULT. HE'S ACCUSED OF THROWING A PHONE AT A HOTEL EMPLOYEE. UTILITY CREWS ARE STRUGGLING TO RESTORE POWER TO MORE THAN 100,000 HOMES IN MICHIGAN AND INDIANA FOLLOWING VIOLENT STORMS ON SUNDAY. THERE'S A CHANCE OF SEVERE WEATHER IN THE NORTHEAST TODAY. NOW BACK TO MATT, KATIE AND AL THIS MORNING. ALL RIGHT. THANK YOU VERY MUCH. AL ROKER IS HERE WITH THE WEATHER. CAN I JUST SAY THANK YOU FOR GIVING US SUCH A BEAUTIFUL WEEKEND. IT WAS A LOVELY WEEKEND. IT WAS ALL YOUR DOING. NO. THEN I HAVE TO TAKE CREDIT FOR THE BAD STUFF. WE HAVE WARM AND HUMID AIR IN THE NORTHEAST. A COLD FRONT WILL TRICKER OFF HEAVY THUNDERSTORMS MOVING THROUGH OHIO AND WESTERN NEW YORK. ALSO STRONG STORMS THROUGH THE PLAI WET WEATHER POPPING UP THROUGH WEST TEXAS WHERE SEVERE STORMS COULD OCCUR. AND LATER THIS AFTERNOON INTO CENTRAL NEW YORK, AND EASTERN NEW YORK AND PENNSYLVANIA. THAT'S WHAT IS GOING ON AR THAT'S THE WEATHER. ALL RIGHT. ON CLOSE-UP THE SEARCH FOR NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE. THE THE SEARCH FOR NATALEE HOLLOWAY. SHE VANISHED IN ARUBA. AUTHORITIES ARRESTED 2 MEN. VIVIAN VANDERBIEZEN IS THE SPOKESPERSON FOR THE ARUBA PROSECUTION SERVICE. SHE JOINS US BY CELLPHONE OR VIDEO PHONE HOPEFULLY. CAN YOU HEAR ME? APPARENTLY WE HAVE LOST HER. WE WILL MOVE ON TO A FAMILY FRIEND OF THE HOLLOWAY'S. CARLA CACCADALE IS A SPOKESPERSON FOR THE HOLLOWAY FAMILY. GOOD MORNING. GOOD MORNING. TELL ME HOW NATALEE'S PARENTS ARE HOLDING UP IN LIGHT OF THIS DEVELOPMENT OVER THE LAST 24 HOURS THAT THESE 2 MEN HAVE BEEN TAKEN INTO DUST DEE IN CONNECTION WITH NATALEE'S DISAPPEARANCE? ANY DEVELOPMENT IS A POSITIVE ONE. IT REINFORCES THE FACT THAT AUTHORITIES ARE WORKING HARD TO BRING NATALEE HOME. BETH HER MOM IS VERY STRONG. PEOPLE SAY WHERE DO YOU GET PPORT? SHE SAID BECAUSE I AM NATALEE'S MOM. WHEN WE ARE TALKING ABOUT 2 MEN BEING TAKEN INTO CUSTODY, DO THEY NOT SEE IT ALL AS AN OMINOUS SIGN AS WE HIT THE ONE WEEK MARK SINCE NATALEE WAS LAST SEEN? WELL, WE ARE HOPING WITH THESE MEN IN CUSTODY, THEY CAN TELL US WHERE NATALEE IS. AS FAR AS THE PASSING OF TIME GOES, THE FAMILY IS SO FIREWORK SO FOCUSED ON THE GOAL OF BRINGING NATALEE HOME, THEY ARE NOT LETTING TIME BRING THEM DOWN. HAVE FRIENDS OF NATALEE TOLD HER PARENTS ANYTHING THAT CAN SHED LIGHT ON WHAT HAPPENED BEFORE HER DISAPPEARANCE? UNFORTUNATELY, I AM NOT SURE. I WAS NOT IN ON THOSE CONVERSATIONS. WHERE DO HER PARENTS GET THIS STRENGTH FROM? I KNOW FIRST OF ALL THEY ARE NOT JUST SITTING BY THE PHONE OR WAITING FOR AUTHORITIES TO GIVE THEM INFORMATION. NO. I KNOW NATALEE'S FATHER HAS BEEN OUT TAKING PART IN THE SEARCH. WHERE DO THEY GET THIS STRENGTH FROM? BECAUSE THEY WANT NATALEE HOME SO BADLY. DAVE, HER DAD, IS COMBING THE STREETS AND BEACHES OF ARUBA. YESTERDAY THEY HAD THE DUTCH MARINES OUT A HELICOPTERS, ATVS AND YOU NAME IT. BETH IS GOING ARUBA WITH FLYERS. I WAS WITH HER THE OTHER DAY AND THERE WAS A PERSON WHO STOPPED TO LOOK AT NATALEE'S PICTURE. SHE STOPPED JUST TO THANK THEM AND INTRODUCE HERSELF. SHE IS AN AMAZING WOMAN. WE ARE HOPING THAT NATALEE COMES HOME SOON. THE FBI SENT MORE PEOPLE TO ARUBA TO AID IN THE SEARCH. THEY SENT DIVERS. ARE THE HOLLOWAY'S SURPRISED BY THE RESPONSE TO THEIR DAUGHTER'S DISAPPEARANCE? THE HOLLOWAYS ARE EXTREMELY GRATEFUL THAT THE FBI IS HERE AND THIS IS A TREMENDOUS AMOUNT OF U.S. SUPPORT BEHIND THIS EFFORT. THE MORE HANDS ON DECK THE BETTER. THE DEPUTY

POLICE CHIEF ON ARUBA GERALD DOMPICK SAID HE HINTED AT A SWIFT RESOLUTION TO THE CASE AND SAID, 'I WANT EVERYBODY TO HOLD THEIR BREATH FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS. THERE WILL BE DEVELOPMENTS AFTER THIS WEEKEND. DO YOU KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT WHAT HE IS REFERRING TO? THAT QUOTE IS NEWS TO ME, MATT. HOPE IT'S ACCUR E AND I HOPE THAT WE HAVE NEWS WITHIN MINUTES. ALL RIGHT, CARLA CACCADALE, THANKS SO MUCH FOR TALKING TO US THIS MORNING. PLEASE TELL NATALEE'S PARENTS OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS ARE WITH THEM. I ABSOLUTELY WILL. THANK YOU. HERE'S KATIE. THANKS. SADDAM HUSSEIN COULD GO ON TRIAL IN IRAQ WITHIN 2 MONTHS BUT A LOT OF PEOPLE ARE ASKING WAS IT WORTH GOING TO WAR TO REMOVIE HIM FROM POWER. RICHARD HAASS HAS A SURPRISING ANSWER IN HIS NEW BOOK CALLED THE OPPORTUNITY. WELCOME BACK. GOOD MORNING. OVER THE WEEKEND A HUGE UNDERGROUND BUNKER USED BY INSURGENTS WAS DISCOVERED ABOUT 30 MILES AWAY WEST OF BAGHDAD. AND THERE HAVE BEEN MORE SUICIDE BOMBINGS IN MAY THAN THERE WERE IN THE WHOLE OF 2004. CAN YOU PUT WHAT IS HAPPENING IN IRAQ ON A DAILY BASIS INTO SOME KIND OF PERSPECTIVE? IS THIS THE PRICE OF ESTABLISHING DEMOCRACY? IF WE ARE LUCKY THIS IS THE PRICE OF ESTABLISHING DEMOCRACY, BUT IT'S TOO SOON TO SAY WHICH WAY THE TREND LINES ARE GOING. EVERY DAY THERE ARE GOOD AND BAD THINGS. WE FOUND THIS BUNKER. THAT'S GREAT. MORE SUICIDE BOMBINGS IS AWFUL.

67. WJBF-ABC AUGUSTA, GA

JUN 6 2005 5:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 9,867

NEWS THIS MORNING

[**05:00:00 AM**] LOOKING FOR NEW HOMES. THE FIRE IN FLORIDA KILLED 10-DOGS, AND NOW MORE THAN 60- OTHERS ARE UP FOR ADOPTION. WE ARE GOING TO HAVE OUR HANDS FULL AS WILL THE OTHER AGENCIES IN THE REGION, BECAUSE EVERYBODY WILL TAKE AS MANY AS THE CAN. HOW MANY WE TAKE WILL DEPEND ON HOW MANY PEOPLE VOLUNTEER FOR FOSTER HOMES. IF YOU'RE INTERESTED IN PROVIDING A HOME FOR ONE OF THE DOGS, CONTACT THE C-S-R-A GREYHOUND ADOPTION AGENCY AT 833-2177. IN TODAY'S SCHOOL REPORT SOME AUGUSTA AREA SCHOOL DISTRICTS ARE GETTING CREATIVE IN THEIR FIGHT AGAINST TRUANCY. THE FIGHT IS IN RESPONSE TO A NEW STATE LAW REQUIRING GEORGIA COMMUNITIES TO CREATE TRUANCY COMMITTEES BY JUNE FIRST. IN COLUMBIA COUNTY, IF A STUDENT HAS SEVEN UNEXCUSED ABSENCES IN A SEMESTER, THE STUDENT COULD BE HANDED OVER TO THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE. IN RICHMOND COUNTY. NEW POLICIES WILL FORCE THE SCHOOL SYSTEM TO REFER CASES TO JUVENILE COURT JUDGES. A GEORGIA CIVIL RIGHTS WORKER SAYS HE WILL CHALLENGE THE STATE BOY SCOUTS TO PROVE THEIR ENROLLMENT STATISTICS. THE ATLANTA AREA COUNCIL RELEASED AN AUDIT CLAIMING MORE THAN 53- HUNDRED AFRICAN- AMERICAN BOYS WERE REGISTERED. HOWEVER, JOSEPH BEASLEY FROM THE RAINBOW-PUSH COALITION CLAIMS THAT ONLY 5- HUNDRED ARE ACTUALLY REGISTERED. MATT. IT'S TIME TO COLOR THE WEATHER. HERE'S YOUR WEATHER FROM FREDDY THE FORECASTER. GREAT PICTURE. HOW ABOUT THE WEATHER? STILL TO COME THIS MONDAY MORNING. ON THIS DAY IN 19-44 A MIGHTY ARMADA CROSSED A NARROW STRIP OF SEA FROM ENGLAND TO NORMANDY, FRANCE AND CRACKED THE NAZI GRIP ON WESTERN EUROPE. WE'LL REMEMBER D-DAY WHEN WE RETURN. DECISION OF STEM CELL DONATION. THAT'S IN OUR MEDICAL REPORT. NEXT. TIME NOW FOR A LOOK AT SOME OF THE NEWS AROUND THE NATION THIS MORNING. HERE'S A-B-C'S RON CORNING INSERTS: MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY 5:07 5:16 AMRYOS IS DESTROYING LIFE ITSELF. ELIZABETH COHEN TALKS TO TWO WOMEN. WOMEN WHO'VE MADE THEIR OWN CHOICES ABOUT WHAT TO DO WITH THEIR LEFTOVER EMBRYOS. THESE FOUR CHILDREN SAVANNAH AND MARSHAL GRAY TYLER AND SPENCER MADSEN ALL BEGAN LIFE IN A PETRI DISH. THE PRODUCTS OF IN-VITRO FERTILIZATION AND THE DILEMMA THEIR PARENTS FACED IS NOW AT THE HEART OF THE NATIONAL DEBATE OVER STEM CELLS. IN THE PROCESS OF CONCEIVING THEIR CHILDREN. THE MADSENS AND THE GRAYS HAD UNUSED EMBRYOS THAT WERE SITTING IN FREEZERRIES FOUND IN A MEDIUM SQUARE OF CHOCOLATE. STILL TO COME. WE'LL HAVE THE LATEST ON SINGER MICHAEL JACKSON'S HOSPITAL VISIT AND TRIAL. PLUS ALL YOUR LOCAL SPORTS. NEXT. THE JURY IN THE MICHAEL JACKSON CASE BEGINS ITS FIRST FULL DAY OF DELIBERATIONS THIS MORNING. WHILE THE JURORS HAD THE WEEKEND OFF, JACKSON WAS

DEALING WITH MORE MEDICAL PROBLEMS. ABC'S ERIC HORNG HAS THE LATEST. MICHAEL JACKSON LEFT THE HOSPITAL LATE SUNDAY SIX HOURS AFTER ARRIVING IN THIS BLACK S-U-V. HIS CONVICTED FORMER STATE SENATOR CHARLES WALKER? WE'LL TELL YOU WHEN WE RETURN. 'YOU'RE WATCHING WJBF NEWS CHANNEL SIX, GOOD MORNING AUGUSTA. COVERAGE YOU CAN COUNT ON. WELCOME BACK TO GOOD MORNING AUGUSTA! WE'RE GLAD TO HAVE YOU WITH US THIS MONDAY MORNING, I'M MARY MORRISON. THIS MORNING, JUST FOUR HOURS FROM HERE IN BIRMINGHAM, FAMILY AND FRIENDS OF NATALEE HOLLOWAY ARE STILL PRAYING FOR HER SAFE RETURN. THE TEENAGER DISAPPEARED WHILE ON A SENIOR TRIP ON THE ISLAND NATION OF ARUBA. AUTHWASHINGTON. A BLOODY MATTRESS WAS FOUND THIS WEEKEND NEAR WHERE NATALEE WENT MISSING. BUT OFFICIALS SAY THE BLOOD WAS A DEAD DOG'S. NOT HUMAN BLOOD. EX-STATE SENATOR CHARLES WALKER WILL MEET A FEDERAL PROBATION OFFICER LATER TODAY. THE AUGUSTA CHRONICLE REPORTS THE PROBATION OFFICER WILL SUBMIT A REPORT WHICH WILL AFFECT WALKER'S PRISON SENTENCE. IN A SEPARATE HEARING, WALKER WILL ALSO FIND OUT IF HE CAN TRAVEL BEFORE HIS SENTENCE IS PASSED DOWN. THE SENTENCE IS EXPECTED TO BE GIVEN IN ABOOKING FOR HOMES FOR SEVERAL DOGS THAT SURVIVED A FIRE AT A DOG TRACK IN FLORIDA. THE DOGS WILL JOIN SOME OF THESE OTHER GREYHOUNDS LOOKING FOR NEW HOMES. THE FIRE IN FLORIDA KILLED 10-DOGS, AND NOW MORE THAN 60- OTHERS ARE UP FOR ADOPTION. WE ARE GOING TO HAVE OUR HANDS FULL AS WILL THE OTHER AGENCIES IN THE REGION, BECAUSE EVERYBODY WILL TAKE AS MANY AS THE CAN. HOW MANY WE TAKE WILL DEPEND ON HOW MANY PEOPLE VOLUNTEER FOR FOSTER HOMES. IF YOU'RE INTERESTED IN PROVIDINRYING TO HELP A SECURITY GUARD CHASE DOWN SHOP LIFTERS. HE FOLLOWED THE FAMILY OUT TO THE CAR AND GOT IN AN ALTERCATION WITH ONE OF THE MEMBERS. HE WAS HIT WITH A CAR DOOR, KNOCKED TO THE GROUND, AND THEN THE GROUP DROVE OVER THE MAN. TO SOUTH CAROLINA. WHERE GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD IS TRYING TO PUSH FOR LOWER INCOME TAXES IN THE NEXT LEGISLATIVE SESSION. BUT HE'S FACING SOME ADVERSITY. THE REPUBLICAN LEADERSHIP OF THE HOUSE AND SENATE SAY THEY'RE MORE CONCERNED WITYEARS AGO. BURT JONES HAS MORE ON THE D- DAY INVASION. NO TRANSCRIPT AVAILABLE STILL TO COME. U-S DEFENSE SECRETARY DONALD RUMSFELD IS IN BANGKOK. WE'LL TELL YOU WHY IN JUST A FEW MINUTES. BUT FIRST JOHN HAS THE WEATHER. JOHN? MATT, WHO'S THE COFFEE CLUB ARE YOU HUNGRY? MY FAVORITE CEREAL IS HONEY BUNCHES OF OATS. EVERY SPOONFUL IS A LITTLE DIFFERENT. YOU GOT 3 KINDS OF FLAKES THE CLUSTERS ARE MORE OF A CRUNCH. YOU KNOW WHERE THE FLAKES ARE MORE OF A CRISP. IT'S THE CEREAL YOU'D MAKE IF YOU MADE CEREAL. IT'S LIKE A MOUTHFUL OF JOY. R

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1. WCCB-FOX CHARLOTTE, NC

JUN 7 2005 5:30AM CT Nielsen Audience: 5,479

FOX NEWS RISING

[**05:33:22 AM**] POLICE SAY A BIG RIG RAN INTO THE GIRL'S CAR AROUND 10:30 YESTERDAY MORNING AS SHE WAS HEADED TO OLYMPIC HIGH SCHOOL. THE WRECK HAPPENED AT BROWN GRIER ROAD AND SANDY PORTER ROAD. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD'S OFFICE SAYS HE WILL SIGN A TOUGHER CRIMINAL DOMESTIC VIOLENCE BILL TODAY. THE LAW WOULD TAKE EFFECT JANUARY FIRST AND DOUBLE THE MINIMUM FINE FOR A FIRST TIME CONVICTION TO ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS WITH THE POSSIBILITY OF 30 DAYS IN JAIL. A SECOND CONVICTION COULD BRING A YEAR IN JAIL AND FIVE THOUSAND IN FINES.

2. WSPA-CBS GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC

JUN 7 2005 5:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 20,939

DAYBREAK

[**05:01:00 AM**] THE GOVERNOR IS EXPECTED TO SIGN A BILL TODAY THAT TOUGHENS OUR STATE'S DOMESTIC VIOLENCE LAWS THE LAW INCREASES JAIL TIME AND FINES FOR PEOPLE WHO COMMIT DOMESTIC VIOLENCE. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SIGNS THE BILL INTO LAW DURING A SEPCIAL CEREMONY IN COLUMBIA THIS MORNING IT TAKES EFFECT JANUARY FIRST. THE PEOPLE WITH THE FINAL SAY ON BASE CLOSINGS ACROSS THE COUNTRY VISIT SOUTH CAROLINA TODAY.

3. WSPA-CBS GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC

JUN 7 2005 5:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 20,939

DAYBREAK

[**05:15:28 AM**] WHO ARE SEEING THEIR POWER IN COLUMBIA DECLINE: WILLIS ALREADY HAS COMPETITION IN HIS OWN PARTY. BEFORE HE CAN RUN AGAINST GOVERNOR SANFORD. STATE SENATOR TOMMY MOORE OF AIKEN IS RUNNING FOR THE DEMOCRATIC NOD.

4. WSPA-CBS GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC

JUN 7 2005 5:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 20,939

DAYBREAK

[**05:30:57 AM**] DEPUTIES THINK THE KILLERS MAY HAVE BEEN AFTER SOMEONE ELSE. THE TWO SUSPECTS WERE SEEN DRIVING A DARK BLUE FORD TAURUS OR TEMPO. GOVERNOR SANFORD IS EXPECTED TO SIGN A TOUGHER DOMESTIC VIOLENCE BILL INTO LAW TODAY. THE MEASURE INCREASES JAIL TIME AND FINES FOR DOMESTIC ABUSERS. THE GOVERNOR IS SET TO SIGN THE BILL DURING A SPECIAL CEREMONY IN COLUMBIA THIS MORNING.

5. WSPA-CBS GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC

JUN 7 2005 5:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 20,939

DAYBREAK

[**05:47:40 AM**] WILLIS IS BUSY OUTLINING HIS AGENDA WILLIS ALREADY HAS COMPETITION IN HIS OWN PARTY. BEFORE HE CAN RUN AGAINST GOVERNOR SANFORD. STATE SENATOR TOMMY MOORE OF AIKEN IS RUNNING FOR THE DEMOCRATIC NOD.

6. WYFF-NBC GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC

JUN 7 2005 5:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 26,187

NEWS 4 AT 5 AM

[**05:03:12 AM**] IN FOUR HOURS, GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD WILL SIGN A BILL THAT TOUGHENS VIOLENCE. IT INCREASES FINES FOR FIRST AND SECOND OFFENSE AND SETS A

MANDATORY 30 DAY SENTENCE. THEY COULD SERVE THE TIME ON WEEKENDS.

7. WYFF-NBC GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC

JUN 7 2005 5:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 26,187

NEWS 4 AT 5 AM

[**05:04:30 AM**] FRANK WILLIS ANNOUNCED HIS BID YESTERDAY AT GREENVILLE'S DOWNTOWN AIRPORT. HE HAS BEEN MAYOR OF FLORENCE. HE SAYS HE WANTS THE CHANCE TO FACE INCUMBENT GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD. BUT OUR STATE'S FOUNDATION IS CRACKING. OUR STATE AND OUR PEOPLE ARE BEING HURT BY THAT. ... FRANK WILLIS JOINED SENATOR TOMMY MOORE OF CLEARWATER AS THE TWO DEMOCRATS VYING FOR A CHANCE TO FACE GOVERNOR SANFORD IN NOVEMBER 2006.

8. WYFF-NBC GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC

JUN 7 2005 5:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 26,187

NEWS 4 AT 5 AM

[**05:30:24 AM**] ABOUT FOUR HOURS, GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD WILL SIGN A BILL THAT TOUGHENS THE PENALTY FOR CRIMINAL DOMESTIC VIOLENCE IN SOUTH CAROLINA. THE ISSUE HAS BEEN HOT PRETTYCALLY ALL YEAR LEAPING TO THE FRONT PAGES AFTER A BILL MAKING COKE FIGHTING ILLEGAL. A ECONOMIC BILL FAILED.

9. WYFF-NBC GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC

JUN 7 2005 5:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 26,187

NEWS 4 AT 5 AM

[**05:57:26 AM**] AND THERE IS A NEW CONTENDER FOR THE GOVERNOR'S SEAT HERE IN SOUTH CAROLINA. AFTER THE BREAK, GOVERNOR SANFORD'S NEWEST POLITICAL OPPONENT. TELEVISION OFTEN GETS BLAMED FOR TURNING FOLKS INTO COUCH POTATOES. BUT NOW DOCTORS ARE USING TV TO HELP SOME PATIENTS LOSE WEIGHT.

10. WLTX-CBS COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 7 2005 5:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 8,676

NEWS 19

[**05:27:51 AM**] WHEN NEWS19 CONTINUES. GOVERNOR SANFORD HAS A BIG DAY AHEAD OF HIM TODAY. WE'LL EXPLAIN. PLUS.

11. WLTX-CBS COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 7 2005 5:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 8,676

NEWS 19

[**05:32:02 AM**] HE SAYS IT'S ALSO TIME TO FIND A GOVERNOR WHO CAN UNITE THE STATE. SOUTH CAROLINA IS A DIVERSE STATE WITH A LOT OF DIFFERENT BACKGROUNDS, DIFFERENT RACES, DIFFERENT INCOME LEVELS AND OUR GOVERNOR NEEDS TO FOCUS ON WHAT BRINGS US TOGETHER AND NOT WHAT PULLS US APART WILLIS JOINS STATE SENATOR TOMMY MOORE OF CLEARWATER. AS THE TWO DEMOCRATS WHO WANT TO CHALLENGE MARK SANFORD NEXT YEAR. A GROUP OF SOUTH CAROLINA MARINES ARE NOW HOME FROM AFGHANISTAN. THE 35 MARINES FROM THE AIR CONTROL SQUADRON 2ND DETACHMENT ARRIVED IN BEAUFORT YESTERDAY.

12. WCBD-NBC CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 7 2005 5:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 4,446

NEWS 2 AT 5 AM

[**05:33:33 AM**] CLOSER TO HOME. STIFFER PENALTIES AGAINST DOMESTIC VIOLENCE OFFENDERS HITS THE BOOKS TODAY. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD WILL SIGN THE BILL AT 10:30 AT THE STATEHOUSE. THE BILL GIVES SIGNIFICANT JAIL TIME FOR REPEAT OFFENDERS. IT ALSO INCREASES THE MINIMUM FINE FOR A FIRST CONVICTION TO ONE-THOUSAND DOLLARS.

13. WCBD-NBC CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 7 2005 5:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 4,446

NEWS 2 AT 5 AM

[**05:44:29 AM**] THE PRIMARY IS NEXT JUNE. AND OTHER CANDIDATES ARE ALREADY ON THE CAMPAIGN TRAIL CLEARWATER SENATOR TOMMY MOORE DECLARED HIS RUN FOR GOVERNOR DURING THE STATE DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION IN APRIL. ALL THE CANDIDATES ARE VYING TO TAKE ON REPUBLICAN GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD IN THE 2006 RACE. A MIDLANDS RESTAURANT IS APOLOGIZING FOR A MASSIVE SALMONELLA OUTBREAK. THAT LEFT ONE MAN DEAD.

14. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 7 2005 5:30AM CT Nielsen Audience: 7,464

NEWS 13 FIRST MORNING

[**05:32:22 AM**] GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD'S OFFICE SAYS HE WILL SIGN A TUVRM CRIMINAL DOMESTIC VIOLENCE BILL TODAY. AMONG OTHER THINGS, THE NEW LAW WILL MEAN MANDATORY \$1,000 FINES FOR FIRST OFFENSE, AND MANDATORY ONE-YEAR PRISON SENTENCES FOR THIRD AND MORE CONVICTIONS. WHILE THE GOVERNOR WILL SIGN THAT BILL, IT'S EXPECTED HE'LL VETO SOME INCLUDING A TOUGHER SEATBELT BILL.

15. WPDE-ABC FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 7 2005 5:30AM CT Nielsen Audience: 1,434

GOOD MORNING CAROLINA

[**05:32:13 AM**] OFFICIALS AREN'T SURE HOW THE FIRE STARTED. AT THE STATE HOUSE THIS MORNING. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD WILL SIGN A NEW DOMESTIC VIOLENCE BILL INTO LAW. LAWMAKERS HAVE BEEN BATTLING FOR THE PAST FEW MONTHS, TO GET THE BILL PASSED IT WILL CREATE TOUGHER PENALTIES, AND HOLD ABUSERS MORE ACCOUNTABLE.

16. WHNS-FOX GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC

JUN 6 2005 10:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 70,173

FOX TEN O CLOCK NEWS

[**10:12:43 PM**] UP. TODAY, FLORENCE MAYOR FRANK WILLIS ANNOUNCED HE IS ENTERING THE RACE. HE JOINS SENATOR TOMMY MOORE OF CLEARWATER AS THE SECOND DEMOCRAT WHO WILL BE VYING FOR A CHANCE TO FACE INCUMBENT GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD IN NOVEMBER 2006. WILLIS SAYS HIS BIGGEST OBSTACLES ARE NAME RECOGNITION AND FUNDRAISING. FUNDRAISING.

17. WSPA-CBS GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC

JUN 6 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 81,338

NEWS CHANNEL 7 AT 6 PM

[**06:08:03 PM**] WILLIS ALREADY HAS COMPETITION IN HIS OWN PARTY. BEFORE HE CAN RUN AGAINST GOVERNOR SANFORD. STATE SENATOR TOMMY MOORE IS ALSO RUNNING FOR THE DEMOCRATIC NOMINATION. TWO KILLINGS.

18. WSPA-CBS GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC

JUN 6 2005 5:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 71,805

NEWS CHANNEL 7 AT 5 PM

[**05:00:17 PM**] WHO ARE SEEING THEIR POWER IN COLUMBIA DECLINE: WILLIS ALREADY HAS COMPETITION IN HIS OWN PARTY. BEFORE HE CAN RUN AGAINST GOVERNOR SANFORD. STATE SENATOR TOMMY MOORE OF AIKEN IS RUNNING FOR THE DEMOCRATIC NOD.

19. WSPA-CBS GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC

JUN 6 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 39,738

DAYBREAK

[**06:17:05 AM**] THE CITY OF GREENVILLE IS TRYING TO DECIDE WHETHER TO MARKET IT AS ONE PARCEL, OR DIVIDE IT INTO SMALLER PIECES. ON THE STATEHOUSE WAH. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SAYS. HE'S STILL DECIDING WHETHER HE'LL VETO. THE TOUGHER SEAT BELT BILL

20. WSPA-CBS GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC

JUN 6 2005 5:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 20,939

DAYBREAK

[**05:14:19 AM**] THE CITY MANAGER SAYS THEY'RE NOT TRYING TO SELL THE PROPERTY NOW, BUT THE CITY OF GREENVILLE IS TRYING TO DECIDE MARKET IT AS ONE PARCEL, OR DIVIDE IT INTO SMALLER PIECES. ON THE STATEHOUSE WATCH. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SAYS. HE'S STILL DECIDING WHETHER HE'LL VETO. THE TOUGHER SEAT BELT BILL

21. WYFF-NBC GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC

JUN 6 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 105,801

NEWS 4 AT 6 PM

[**06:13:42 PM**] FRANK WILLIS ANNOUNCED THE BID TODAY. WILLIS IS A DEMOCRAT AND MAYOR OF FLORENCE FOR THE PAST 10 YEARS. HE SAYS HE WANTS A CHANCE TO FACE THE UNWUM DENT GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD. I ASSURE YOU THE STATE'S LEADER LOST THE AIN'T TO SOLVE PROBLEMS. SOMETIMES I THINK THE STATE'S LEADERSHIP IS MORE WORRIED ABOUT WHETHER WE MOVE TO THE LEFT OR WHETHER WE MOVE TO THE RIGHT INSTEAD OF MOVING FORWARD, WHICH IS THE ONLY DIRECTION TO GO IN. FRANK JOINS SENATOR TOMMY MOORE OF CLEAR WATER, VYING FOR A CHANCE TO FACE GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD IN NOVEMBER 2006.

22. WYFF-NBC GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC

JUN 6 2005 5:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 80,806

NEWS 4 AT 5 PM

[**05:16:04 PM**] DEMOCRAT FRANK WILLIS SEEN THERE. A BUSINESS MAN FOR THE PAST 30-YEARS AND MAYOR OF FLORENCE FOR THE LAST 10. HE DISAGREES, HE SAYS, WITH GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SCHOOL CHOICE PROPOSAL AND SAYS HE'S ABOVE POLITICS. IT'S TIME WE MOVE FORWARD FOR CREATING MORE JOBS AND MAKING BETTER SCHOOLS FOR ALL KIDS NO MATTER WHERE THEY LIVE. INVESTING IN THE FUTURE.

23. WIS-NBC COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 6 2005 7:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 89,341

SEVEN O CLOCK REPORT

[**07:07:35 PM**] INSIDE THE STATEHOUSE, THE CLOCK IS TICKING FOR A NUMBER OF BILLS PASSED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY. GOVERNOR SANFORD HAS UNTIL MIDNIGHT TOMORROW TO SIGN OFF OR VETO THEM. TOMORROW THE GOVERNOROR IS EXPECTED TO SIGN A TOUGHER CRIMINAL DOMESTIC VIOLENCE BILL. STARTING JANUARY 1 THE LAW WOULD INCREASE PENALTIES INCLUDING MAKING A THIRD OFFENSE A FELONY.

24. WIS-NBC COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 6 2005 7:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 89,341

SEVEN O CLOCK REPORT

[**07:08:01 PM**] I AM A BUILDER. THAT'S WHAT I'VE DONE ALL MY LIFE AND THAT'S WHAT I'LL DO AS YOUR GOVERNOR. DEMOCRATIC STATE SENATOR TOMMY MOORE IS ALSO VYING FOR A CHANCE TO FACE INCUMBENT REPUBLICAN MARK SANFORD. THE DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY IS NEXT JUNE

25. WIS-NBC COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 6 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 91,959

NEWS TEN AT SIX

[**06:08:40 PM**] AT THE STATEHOUSE A BILL TO STIFFEN THE PENALTIES FOR DOMESTIC VIOLENCE IS EXPECTED TO BE SIGNED INTO LAW TOMORROW BY GOVERNOR SANFORD. IT WOULD TAKE EFFECT JANUARY JANUARY 1ST

26. WLTX-CBS COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 6 2005 11:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 29,571

NEWS 19

[**11:06:59 PM**] SOUTH CAROLINA IS NOT ONE OF THE TWELVE STATES THAT ALLOWS MEDICAL MARIJUANA. NEWS AT THE STATE HOUSE. GOVERNOR SANFORD WILL SIGN A TOUGHER CRIMINAL DOMESTIC VIOLENCE BILL TOMORROW. THE LAW MAKES A FIRST OFFENSE PUNISHABLE BY A 25- HUNDRED DOLLAR FINE. AND 30 DAYS IN JAIL.

27. WLTX-CBS COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 6 2005 7:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 18,919

NEWS 19

[**07:00:33 PM**] HE SAYS IT'S ALSO TIME TO FIND A GOVERNOR WHO CAN UNITE THE STATE. SOUTH CAROLINA IS A DIVERSE STATE WITH A LOT OF DIFFERENT RACES, DIFFERENT INCOME LEVELS AND OUR GOVERNOR BRINGS US TOGETHER AND NOT WHAT PULLS US APART WILLIS JOINS STATE SENATOR TOMMY MOORE OF CLEARWATER. AS THE TWO DEMOCRATS WHO WANT TO CHALLENGE MARK SANFORD NEXT YEAR. FOR 59 YEARS.

28. WLTX-CBS COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 6 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 38,928

NEWS 19

[**06:05:03 PM**] WILLIS SAYS HIS EXPERIENCE AS A BUSINESSMAN FOR THE LAST 30 YEARS GIVES HIM THE PROPER KNOW- HOW TO BE THE STATE'S NEXT LEADER. I KNOW WHAT IT MEANS TO MEET DEADLINES I KNOW WHAT IT MEANS TO MAKE SACRIFICES AND I'VE LEARNED TO WORK AS A TEAM TO GET THINGS DONE WILLIS JOINS AIKEN COUNTY SENATOR TOMMY MOORE AS THE TWO DEMOCRATS CHALLENGING MARK SANFORD NEXT YEAR. MEANWHILE. GOVERNOR SANFORD INTRODUCES A TOUGHER CRIMINAL DOMESTIC VIOLENCE BILL INTO LA W TOMORROW.

29. WOLO-ABC COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 6 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 8,748

25 NEWS AT SIX

[**05:58:39 PM**] IN THE NEXT. LEGISLATIVE SESSION. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD HAS A NEW FOE. WHO PLANS TO CHALLENGE HIM. FOR THE STATE'S TOP SEAT.

30. WCBD-NBC CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 6 2005 11:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 18,540

NEWS 2 AT 11 PM

[**11:04:24 PM**] WILLIS ISN'T THE ONLY CANDIDATE RUNNING FOR THE DEMOCRATIC NOMINATION. CLEARWATER SENATOR TOMMY MOORE DECLARED HIS RUN FOR GOVERNOR DURING THE STATE DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION IN APRIL. ALL THE CANDIDATES VYING FOR NOMINATION WANT TO TAKE ON REPUBLICAN GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD IN THE 2-THOUSAND-6 RACE. HOLLYWOOD RESIDENTS WILL VOTE FOR THREE TOWN COUNCIL SEATS TOMORROW. HERE'S A LOOK AT WHOSE ON THE BALLOT INCUMBANTS.

31. WCBD-NBC CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 6 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 27,037

NEWS 2 AT 6 PM

[**06:00:01 PM**] STATE SENATOR TOMMY MOORE FROM CLEARWATER DECLARED HIS RUN FOR GOVERNOR DURING THE STATE DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION IN APRIL. ALL THE CANDIDATES VYING FOR NOMINATION WANT TO TAKE ON REPUBLICAN GOV. MARK SANFORD IN THE 2-THOUSAND-6 GOVERNATORIAL RACE. TOMORROW. HOLLYWOOD RESIDENTS WILL HEAD TO THE POLLS TO VOTE FOR THREE EMPTY TOWN COUNCIL SEATS.

32. WCBD-NBC CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 6 2005 5:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 17,440

NEWS 2 AT 5 PM

[**05:04:18 PM**] STATE SENATOR TOMMY MOORE FROM CLEARWATER DECLARED HIS RUN FOR GOVERNOR DURING THE STATE DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION IN APRIL. ALL THE

CANDIDATES VYING FOR NOMINATION WANT TO TAKE ON REPUBLICAN GOV. MARK SANFORD IN THE 2-THOUSAND-6 GUMERNATORIAL RACE. TIME TO TAKE A LOOK AT YOUR EVENING COMMUTE. HOLLY ANDERSON HAS THE LATEST FROM THE NEWSRADIO 94-THREE TRAFFIC CENTER.

33. WCIV-ABC CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 6 2005 11:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 9,840

NEWS AT 11 PM

[**11:01:07 PM**] CANCER RESEARCH CENTER, THIS EVENING" SO FAR, 20 LOCAL RESTAURANTS HAVE SIGNED UP. SO HAVE SEVERAL IN THE GEORGETOWN AND PAWLEYS ISLAND AREA. GOVERNOR SANFORD WILL SOON SIGN INTO ACTION TOUGHER PENALTIES FOR DOMESTIC VIOLENCE. THE LEGISLATION TOPS TONIGHT'S NEWS FROM AROUND THE CAROLINAS. THE NEW BILL IS SET TO RECEIVE APPROVAL TOMORROW. ... THE WINNER WILL FACE OFF AGAINST GOVERNOR SANFORD IN NOVEMBER OF '06. HE TOOK OFFICE BACK IN 2002. A MEDICAL DEBATE ENDS WITH A NO-VOTE FROM THE U.S. SUPREME COURT.

34. WCIV-ABC CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 6 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 16,968

NEWS AT 6 PM

[**06:03:10 PM**] THE HOME OWNER'S ASSOCIATION ATTORNEY'S ARE MEETING WITH RESIDENTS TONIGHT TO BETTER EXPLAIN THE LAWSUIT. THE NEXT ELECTION FOR GOVERNOR OF SOUTH CAROLINA IS FIFTEEN MONTHS AWAY. BUT TODAY A DEMOCRATIC CONTENDER ANNOUNCED HIS PLAN TO RUN AGAINST MARK SANFORD. FRANK WILLIS DREW ABOUT 75 SUPPORTERS. TO THE BOATHOUSE RESTAURANT TODAY. ... IF I WAS GOVERNOR, WHATEVER DECISIONS I MADE WOULD BE MADE BASED ON: "HOW'S THIS GOING TO AFFECT POOR PEOPLE, HOW'S THIS GOING TO AFFTEC THE RATE PAYERS AT SANTEE COOPER, AND THE SCHOOLS IN RURAL SOUTH CAROLINA WILLIS JOINS SENATOR TOMMY MOORE OF CLEARWATER AS THE TWO DEMOCRATS WHO PLAN TO RUN AGAINST GOVERNOR SANFORD IN 2006. ANOTHER CASE INVOLVING ANTI- DEPRESSANTS IS EXPECTED TO PLAY OUT SOON IN A CHARLESTON COURTROOM. THE CIVIL SUIT CLAIMS THE MAKER OF

35. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 6 2005 11:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 45,529

NEWS 13 AT 11

[**11:03:53 PM**] WE'VE GOT PLENTY OF TIME TO DO THAT. WE'VE GOT A STRATEGY. MAYOR WILLIS SAYS THE CURRENT REPUBLICAN GOVNROR, MARK SANFORD, HASN'T DONE ANYTHING FOR HORRY COUNTY, AND THAT AGAIN WOULD BE GOVERNOR SANFORD. MAYOR WILLIS SAYS SENSE HE'S FROM THE PEE DEE, HE'LL HAVE HORRY COUNTY'S BEST INTERESTS IF MIND. NOW, THE ONLY OTHER DEMOCRAT IS SENATE TOMMY MOORE OUT OF AIKEN COUNTY. ... THE TWO REPUBLICANS IN THE RACE RIGHT NOW ARE GOVERNOR SANFORD AND NEWBERRY AREA DOCTOR OSCAR LOVELESS.

36. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 6 2005 11:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 45,529

NEWS 13 AT 11

[**11:05:53 PM**] GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD'S OFFICE SAYS HE WILL SIGN A TOUGHER CRIMINAL DOMESTIC VIOLENCE BILL TOMORROW. THAT LAW WILL MEAN A MANDATORY MINIMUM 000 FE FOR A FIRST CONVICTION, AND PERHAPS A YEAR IN PRISON FOR A SECOND. A YEAR IN PRISON IS GUARANTEED FOR A THIRD.

37. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 6 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 73,028

NEWS 13 AT SIX

[**06:01:43 PM**] GOVERNOR SANFORD WILL SIGN A TOUGHER DOMESTIC VIOLENCE BILL TOMORROW. THAT IS ACCORDING TO A SPOKESMAN TO BE THE GOVERNOR. THE NEW LAW WILL MEAN MANDATORY \$1,000 FINES FOR A FIRST OFFENSE, A MINIMUM 30-DAY JAIL

SENTENCE FOR SECOND OFFENDERS, AND MANDATORY ONE-YEAR PRISON SENTENCES FOR THIRD AND MORE CONVICTIONS.

38. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 6 2005 7:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 30,221

NEWS 13 THIS MORNING

[**06:00:57 AM**] WILLIS SAYS HE'LL TOUR THE STATE TODAY HEADINGS TO COLUMBIA CHARLESTON AND WRAPPING UP IN MYRTLE BEACH. WILLIS SAYS ONE THING HE MUST WORK ON ACROSS THE STATE IS GETTING HIS NAME RECOGNIZED IN THE DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY WILLIS WILL FACE SENATOR TOMMY MOORE OF AIKEN COUNTY. THE WINNER MR. CHALLENGE INCUMBENT GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD. WILLIS SAYS A WIN FOR HIS CAMPAIGN WILL BE A WIN FOR THE PEE DEE AND GRAND STRAND. LOOK AT THE UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, THOSE ARE ALL UNACCEPTABLE.

39. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 6 2005 7:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 30,221

NEWS 13 THIS MORNING

[**06:17:05 AM**] WILLIS SAYS ONE THING HE MUST WORK ON ACROSS THE STATE IS GETTING HIS NAME RECOGNIZED. IN A DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY, WILLIS WILL FACE STATE SENATOR TOMMY MOORE OF AIKEN COUNTY. THE WINNER OF THAT PRIMARY WILL CHAENGE INCUMBENT GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD. WILLIS SAYS A WIN FOR HIS CAMPAIGN WOULD BE A WIN FOR THE PEE DEE AND THE GRAND STRAND. LOOK AT THE UNEMPLOYMENT RATE IN DILLON COUNTY MARION COUNTY, MARLBO COUNTY, WILLIAMSBURG COUNTY.

40. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 6 2005 7:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 30,221

NEWS 13 THIS MORNING

[**06:37:04 AM**] WELCOME BACK. ONE OF THE MOST HIGHLY BLICIZED BILLS THAT STATE LAWMAKERS PASSED WAS PRIMARY SEATBELT ENFORCEMENT. SAFETY ADVOCATES HAVE BEEN PUSHING THAT FOR YEARS BUT GOVERNOR SANFORD MAY VETO THE BILL. CAPITOL REPORTER ROBERT KITTLE ASKED THEM WHY. REPORTER: LISA IS A STRONG ADVOCATE FOR SEATBELTS AFTER HER OLDEST SON CHAD WAS KILLED IN SEPTEMBER OF 2003.

41. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 6 2005 7:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 30,221

NEWS 13 THIS MORNING

[**06:54:39 AM**] WILLIS SAYS ONE THING HE MUST WORK ON ACROSS THE STATE IS NAME RECOGNITION. IN THE DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY, WILLIS WILL FACE STATE IN A TOMMY MOORE OF AIKEN COUNTY. THE WINNER OF THAT PRIMARY WILL CHALLENGE INCUMBENT MARK SANFORD. IN GEORGETOWN, A CITY COUNCILWOMAN WILL RUN FOR MAYOR. PEGGY WAY SS SHE'LL RUN AGAINST WILSON.

42. WPDE-ABC FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 6 2005 11:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 9,463

15 NEWS AT 11PM

[**11:04:00 PM**] THE BUSINESS MAKES BOAT TRAILERS. FIRE OFFICIALS AREN'T YET SURE HOW THE FIRE STARTED. AT THE STATE HOUSE TOMORROW MORNING, GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD WILL SIGN A NEW DOMESTIC VIOLENCE BILL INTO LAW. LAWMAKERS HAVE BEEN BATTLING FOR THE PAST FEW MONTHS TO GET THE BILL PASSED IT WILL CREATE STIFFER PENALTIES, AND HOLD ABUSERS MORE ACCOUNTABLE.

43. WPDE-ABC FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 6 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 23,088

15 NEWS AT 6

[**05:59:01 PM**] LIVE IN MYRTLE BEACH, I'M JOEL ALLEN JIM BACK TO YOU. IN COLUMBIA TOMORROW, GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD WILL SIGN A NEW DOMESTIC VIOLENCE BILL INTO

LAW LAWMAKERS HAD BATTLED FOR THE PAST FEW MONTHS TO GET THE BILL PASSED IT WILL CREATE STIFFER PENALTIES, AND HOLD ABUSERS PAST FEW MONTHS HOLD ABUSERS MORE ACCOUNTABLE.

44. WPDE-ABC FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 6 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 7,294

GOOD MORNING CAROLINA

[**06:01:19 AM**] SOUTH CAROLINA CURRENTLY HAS THE FOURTH HIGHEST JOBLESS RATE IN THE NATION. IN COLUMBIA. EXPERTS SAY, GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD'S SHORT LIST OF ACCOMPLISHMENTS PROBABLY WON'T HURT HIS CHANCES FOR RE-ELECTION. SANFORD HAD A LIST OF FIVE PRIORITIES THIS YEAR DOWN FROM THREE TIMES THAT IN THE PAST.

45. WSPA-CBS GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC

JUN 5 2005 8:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 30,926

NEWS CHANNEL 7 SUNDAY

[**08:01:53 AM**] FRANK WILLIS, THE MAYOR OF FLORENCE, WILL ANNOUNCE HIS INTENTIONS TO GAIN THE DEMOCRATIC NOMINATION FOR GOVERNOR TOMORROW AT THE GREENVILLE DOWNTOWN AIRPORT. HE IS UP AGAINST TOMMOY MOORE FOR THE NOMINATION. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SAYS HE WILL CONTINUE TO PUSH FOR LOWERING INCOME TAXES IN THE NEXT LEGISLATIVE SESSION. BUT THE REPUBLICAN LEADERSHIP OF THE HOUSE AND SENATE SAY THEY'RE MORE CONCERNED WITH PROPERTY TAX RELIEF. NEW SENATE MAJORITY LEADER HARVEY PEELER AND NEW HOUSE SPEAKER BOBBY HARRELL SAY THEY'LL WORK TO BUILD BRIDGES WITH SANFORD IN THE COMING MONTHS.

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2. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC
JUN 5 2005 11:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 37,703
NEWS 13 AT 11
[**11:00:08 PM**] EVERYBODY HAS AN OPPORTUNITY TO JOIN THAT PUBLIC SQUARE OF IDEAS. I LOOK FORWARD TO THE MANY OPPORTUNITIES TO DCUSS THE AL ISSUES, WHICH FACE SOUTH CAROLINA. REPORTER: IF WILLIS BEATS MOORE, THEN FACE GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD, WHO WANTS TO KEEP S SEAT. WIIS SAYS A WIN WOULD BE A WIN FOR THE PEE DEE. AS GOVERNOR, DO EVERYTHING IN MY POWER TO SEE THAT WE RAISTHE LEVEL OF UNEMPLOYMENT
3. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC
JUN 5 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 19,453
NEWS 13 AT SIX
[**06:00:38 PM**] WILLIS SAYS ONE THING HE MUST WORK ON ACROSS THE STATE IS GETTING HIS NAME RECOGNIZED. IN THE DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY ELECTION, WILLIS WILL FACE STATE SENATOR TOMMY MOORE OF AIKEN COUNTY. THE WINNER OF THAT PRIMARY WILL THEN CHALLENGE THENCUMBENT GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD. HE SAYS A WINOR HIS CAMPAIGN WOULD BE A WIN FOR THE PEE DEE AND GRAND STRAND REGION. YOU LOOK AT THE UNEMPLOYMENT RATE IN DILLON COUNTY, MARION COUNTY, WILLIAMS BURG COUNTY.
4. WSPA-CBS GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC
JUN 4 2005 8:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 21,142
NEWS CHANNEL 7 SATURDAY
[**08:01:39 AM**] NO-SENSE CONSIDERING SOUTH CAROLINA'S JOBLESS RATE. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SAYS. HE'S STILL DECIDING WHETHER HE'LL VETO THE TOUGHER SEAT BELT BILL THAT LAWMAKERS PASSED THIS WEEK. THE BILL WOULD GIVE THE STATE PRIMARY ENFORCEMENT. ... EXPERTS SAY GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD'S SHORT LIST OF ACCOMPLISHMENTS PROBABLY WON'T HURT HIS CHANCES FOR RE-ELECTION. SANFORD HAD A LIST OF FIVE PRIORITIES THIS YEAR, DOWN FROM THREE TIMES THAT IN THE PAST. BUT WHEN THE LEGISLATURE ADJOURNED THIS WEEK, THE GOVERNOR ONLY HAD TWO ACCOMPLISHMENTS: LIMITING LAWSUITS AND CHANGING SENATE RULES.
5. WYFF-NBC GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC
JUN 4 2005 7:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 73,661
NEWS 4 AT 7 AM
[**07:37:41 AM**] SOME OFFICIALS WITH THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TOOK A CRACK AT GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD IN A SONG. THE LYRICS OF THE SELLING SONG DESCRIBE WHAT EACH LETTER OF SANFORD'S NAME STAND FOR, AND ONE VERSE REFERS TO HIM AS AN INTELLECTUALLY CHALLENGED DONKEY. SANFORD SAYS THAT THE D.O.T. HAS SHOWN A LOT OF TALENT FOR DOING THINGS THAT HAS NOTHING TO DO WITH BUILDING ROADS.

6. WCIV-ABC CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 4 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 5,024

NEWS AT 6 PM

[**06:07:46 PM**] OUT-OF-STATE TUITION AND FEES WILL COST TEN-THOUSAND-751 DOLLARS. THAT'S UP ONE-THOUSAND-50 DOLLARS. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD HAD A LIST OF FIVE PRIORITIES FOR THIS LEGISLATIVE YEAR, BUT ONLY ACCOMPLISHED THREE. HOWEVER, EXPERTS SAY THAT PROBABLY WON'T HURT HIS CHANCES FOR RE-ELECTION.

7. WPDE-ABC FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 4 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 16,130

15 NEWS AT 6

[**06:15:26 PM**] SIXTEEN OF THE 34 WORKERS WITH THE FEDERAL WORKFORCE INVESTMENT ACT PROGRAM WERE TOLD YESTERDAY THEY'D BE OUT OF WORK JULY 1ST. SOUTH CAROLINA CURRENTLY HAS THE FOURTH HIGHEST JOBLESS RATE IN THE NATION. EARLIER THIS YEAR GOVERNOR SANFORD ORDERED THE PROGRAM'S TRANSFER TO COMMERCE FROM THE EMPLOYMENT SECURITY COMMISSION. A GROUP OF LEE COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS IS HELPING BAKE THE WORLD'S TALLEST CAKE. HOME ECONOMICS STUDENTS AT LEE CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL ARE BUSY WRAPPING SHEETS OF CAKE.

8. WSOC-ABC CHARLOTTE, NC

JUN 3 2005 5:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 151,008

EYEWITNESS NEWS

[**05:39:45 PM**] IT APPEARS THE FINAL CHAPTER IN SOUTH CAROLINA'S YEARS' LONG SAGA OVER MINI-BOTTLES. IS ABOUT TO BE WRITTEN. ALL THAT'S REQUIRED NOW IS GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD'S SIGNATURE. BARS AND RESTAURANTS HAVE BEEN REQUIRED TO POUR LIQUOR DRINKS USING THESE ONE-POINT-SEVEN OUNCE BOTTLES. YESTERDAY THE STATE HOUSE GAVE FINAL APPROVAL TO A PLAN TO ELIMINATE THE BOTTLES.

9. WSPA-CBS GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC

JUN 3 2005 11:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 93,714

NEWS CHANNEL 7 AT 11

[**10:59:43 PM**] THE CITY MANAGER SAYS THEY'RE NOT TO SELL THE PROPERTY NOW, BUT THEY WILL BE. THE CITY OF GREENVILLE IS TRYING TO DECIDE WHETHER TO MARKET IT AS ONE PARCEL, OR DIVIDE IT INTO SMALLER PIECES. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SAYS HE'S STILL DECIDING THE TOUGHER SEAT BELT BILL THAT LAWMAKERS PASSED THIS WEEK.

10. WSPA-CBS GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC

JUN 3 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 81,338

NEWS CHANNEL 7 AT 6 PM

[**06:00:02 PM**] 8- STUDENTS HAVE BEEN CHARGED WITH INCITING A RIOT. THE DIRECTOR HAS NOT SAID EXACTLY WHAT HAPPENED. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SAYS HE HASN'T DECIDED FOR SURE. BUT HE'S LEANING TOWARDS VETOING THE PRIMARY ENFORCEMENT SEAT BELT BILL. HE SAYS WEARING A SEAT BELT IS A MATTER OF PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY.

11. WSPA-CBS GREENVILLE-SPARTANBURG,SC-ASHEVILLE,NC-ANDERSON,SC

JUN 3 2005 5:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 71,805

NEWS CHANNEL 7 AT 5 PM

[**05:14:19 PM**] SAFETY ADVOCATES HAVE BEEN PUSHING THAT FOR YEARS. BUT GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD MAY VETO THE BILL. EVEN THOUGH IT WOULD SAVE HUNDREDS OF LIVES. ... BUT GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD IS LEANING TOWARDS VETOING THE BILL. HE'S CONCERNED THAT NOT USING A SEAT BELT WOULDN'T BE ADMISSIBLE IN COURT IN LAWSUITS. AND WOULDN'T AFFECT YOUR INSURANCE RATES.

12. WIS-NBC COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 3 2005 7:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 89,341

SEVEN O CLOCK REPORT

[**07:05:03 PM**] ANGIE GOFF, WIS NEWS 10. STATE LAWMAKERS ARE CALLING THE LEGISLATIVE TERM JUST ENDED THEIR MOST SUCCESSFUL IN YEARS. THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY PASSED BILLS RANGING FROM TOUGHER PENALTIES FOR DOMESTIC VIOLENCE TO TAX CUTS TO LEGAL ADOPTION BUT THE SAME CAN'T BE SAID FOR GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD WHO SAW MOST OF HIS PRIORITIES STALL. AT A MORNING NEWS CONFERENCE HIS OFFICE THE GOVERNOR LOOKED AHEAD. I THINK WE NEED TO ACTUALLY SET TARGETS AS TO WHAT WE WANT TO SPEND OR DON'T WANT TO SPEND AND THEN HAVE A LEGITIMATE FIGHT WITHIN THAT TARGET AS TO WHERE THE MONEY GOES THROUGHOUT THE STATE.

13. WIS-NBC COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 3 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 42,560

NEWS TEN FIRST NEWS

[**06:03:39 AM**] THE HOUSE AND SENATE COMPROMISED ON THAT ONE AND THEY ALSO COMPROMISED ON A TOUGHER SEAT BELT LAW. UNDER THE NEW BILL, YOU CAN GET PULLED OVER SOLELY FOR NOT WEARING THE BELT AND YOU WOULD BE FINE \$25. GOVERNOR SANFORD SAYS THE BILL DOESN'T GO FAR ENOUGH. SOME BELIEVE HE'LL VETO IT. MUCH OF THIS YEAR'S DEBATE CENTERED ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE.

14. WIS-NBC COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 3 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 42,560

NEWS TEN FIRST NEWS

[**06:05:44 AM**] HE SAYS HE WON'T TAKE THE GAVEL UNTIL JUNE 21. DOUG SMITH, PRO TEM, WILL TAKE OVER UNTIL THEN. GOVERNOR SANFORD HAS UNTIL NEXT WEDNESDAY NIGHT TO 11:59 P.M. TO VETO ANY OF THE BILLS. YOU CAN COUNT ON WISTV. COM FOR MORE INFORMATION.

15. WLTX-CBS COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 3 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 38,928

NEWS 19

[**06:06:02 PM**] ASSAULTING A POLICE OFFICER. AND RESISTING ARREST. GOVERNOR SANFORD SAYS IT'S TIME FOR THE PEOPLE TO DECIDE. HOW THE STATE SPENDS THE MONEY IT HAS. SANFORD WANTS A MEASURE TO RESTRICT STATE GOVERNMENT FROM SPENDING MONEY IT DOESN'T HAVE.

16. WLTX-CBS COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 3 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 22,323

NEWS 19

[**06:19:00 AM**] THERE WERE SOME VERY POSITIVE STEPS TAKEN THIS YEAR BUT SOME OF THE BIGGEST ISSUES STILL REMAIN UNADDRESSED. THOSE TWO WOULD BE PROVIDING NECESSARY FUNDING AND REFORMS FOR OUR EDUCATION SYSTEM AND PROPERTY TAX RELIEF FOR CITIZENS OF OUR STATE. GOVERNOR SANFORD RELEASED A STATEMENT ON THE SESSION. SAYING HE WISHED MORE HAD BEEN DONE ON INCOME TAX RELIEF, GOVERNMENT RESTRUCTURING AND CHARTER SCHOOLS. HE ALSO SAID HE WOULD KEEP PUSHING FOR THOSE AND MANY OTHER NEEDED REFORMS THAT WILL MAKE OUR STATE MORE COMPETITIVE.

17. WOLO-ABC COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 3 2005 11:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 4,703

25 NEWS AT ELEVEN

[**11:02:56 PM**] THE EMPLOYEES WERE TOLD YESTERDAY THAT THEY WOULD BE OUT OF WORK BY FIRST, AS THE AGENCY STREAMLINES ITS POSITIONS. TONIGHT LAWMAKERS ARE BACK HOME. BUT GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD IS AT WORK. EVALUATING HOW PRODUCTIVE THIS LEGISLATIVE SESSION WAS. SANFORD SAYS TAX BREAKS FOR SMALL

BUSINESSES AND CHANGES TO THE WAY LAWSUITS ARE HANDLED IN THE STATE SHOULD MAKE SOUTH CAROLINA MORE COMPETITIVE IN ATTRACTING NEW JOBS.

18. WOLO-ABC COLUMBIA, SC

JUN 3 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 8,748

25 NEWS AT SIX

[**06:03:11 PM**] ALWAYS COOK MEAT TO PROPER TEMPERATURES. AND REMEMBER TO REFRIGERATE QUICKLY. TONIGHT GOVERNOR SANFORD IS REACTING TO ALL THAT WAS DONE. AND NOT DONE. ON YOUR BEHALF.

19. WCBD-NBC CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 3 2005 11:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 18,540

NEWS 2 AT 11 PM

[**11:05:32 PM**] THE PRIMARY SEAT BELT ENFORCEMENT BILL JUST PASSED IN SESSION. IT'S A BILL SAFETY ADVOCATES HAVE BEEN PUSHING FOR YEARS. BUT, GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SAYS HE MAY VETO THE BILL. WHEN IT REACHES HIS DESK. THE NEW SEAT BELT BILL WOULD ALLOW POLICE TO PULL OVER PEOPLE WHO AREN'T BUCKLED UP. GOVERNOR SANFORD SAYS HE'S CONCERNED THAT NOT USING A SEAT BELT WOULDN'T BE ADMISSIBLE IN COURT IN LAWSUITS. AND WOULDN'T AFFECT YOUR INSURANCE RATES. HE SAYS IT'S A MATTER OF PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY.

20. WCBD-NBC CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 3 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 27,037

NEWS 2 AT 6 PM

[**06:08:23 PM**] AND FOR MORE SPOLETO EVENTS LOG ONTO COUNT ON 2 DOT COM. STRAIGHT AHEAD ON NEWS TWO AT SIX. GOVERNOR SANFORD. AT ODDS WITH STATE LAWMAKERS OVER THE SEAT BELT BILL. WE'LL TELL YOU WHY AND WHAT HAPPENS NEXT.

21. WCBD-NBC CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 3 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 27,037

NEWS 2 AT 6 PM

[**06:18:59 PM**] PASS WAS PRIMARY SEAT BELT ENFORCEMENT. BUT GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD MAY VETO THE BILL. EVEN THOUGH IT COULD SAVE HUNDREDS OF LIVES. CAPITAL REPORTER ROBERT KITTLE HAS MORE ON THE SEAT BELT CONTROVERSY.

22. WCIV-ABC CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 3 2005 6:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 16,968

NEWS AT 6 PM

[**06:00:50 PM**] DURING THE CEREMONY MAYOR RILEY ALSO SIGNED A STATEMENT OF SUPPORT TO ENCOURAGE OTHER CITY EMPLOYERS TO GO OUT OF THEIR WAY FOR RESERVES AS WELL. THE CITY EMPLOYS 49 RESERVISTS FROM ALL BRANCHES OF THE MILITARY. SOUTH CAROLINA HOUSE SPEAKER-ELECT REPRESENTATIVE BOBBY HARRELL OF CHARLESTON SAYS HE AND GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD HAVE A GOOD RELATIONSHIP. DESPITE DISAGREEMENTS OVER FUNDING LOWCOUNTRY PROJECTS. HARRELL HELPED OVERRIDE SANFORDS VETOES OF FUNDING FOR CHARLESTOWNE LANDING, PRESERVATION OF THE OLD EXCHANGE BUILDING AND EXPANSION OF THE NURSING PROGRAM AT MUSC.

23. WCIV-ABC CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 3 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 4,605

NEWS AT 6 AM

[**06:00:10 AM**] THAT APPROVED WITHOUT THE GOVERNOR'S SIGNATURE. AND DRIVERS COULD NOW BE PULLED FOR NOT WEARING A SEAT BELT AND FINED. GOVERNOR SANFORD IS EXPECTED TO VETO THE BILL. AND THE CONTROVERSIAL SCHOOL CHOICE TAX CREDIT BILL. WAS KILLED ON THE HOUSE FLOOR.

24. WCIV-ABC CHARLESTON, SC

JUN 3 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 4,605
NEWS AT 6 AM

[**06:31:19 AM**] ANOTHER LAST MINUTE DEAL IN THE STATE HOUSE, MINIBOTTLES COULD SOON BE A THING OF THE PAST IN SOUTH CAROLINA. THE HOUSE VOTED TO ELIMINATE THE STATE REQUIREMENT THAT RESTAURANTS AND BARS CAN ONLY SERVE FROM MINI-BOTTLES. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD IS EXPECTED SIGN THE LEGISLATION. IF SO, FREE POOR WOULD BE ALLOWED AS EARLY AS JANUARY 2006. SPAWAR CHARLESTON IS ALSO WAKING UP TO A NEW LEADER THIS MORNING.

25. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC
JUN 3 2005 11:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 45,529
NEWS 13 AT 11

[**11:00:04 PM**] GOOF DPOF TALK GOLF GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD TALKS ABOUT A SEAT BELT BIL HE MAY VETO IT.

26. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC
JUN 3 2005 11:00PM CT Nielsen Audience: 45,529
NEWS 13 AT 11

[**11:04:08 PM**] ONE OF THE MOST HIGHLY PUBLICIZED BILLS THAT ENDED THE PRIMARY SEAT BELT ENFORCEMENT. SAFETY ADVOCATES PUSHING FOR YEARS. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD MAY VETO THE BILL, EVEN THOUGH SAIFNL HUNDREDS OF LIVES. NEWS 13'S CAPITOL REPORTER ROBERT KITTLE ASKED GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD WHY. REPORTER: LISA IS A STRONG ADVOCATE FOR SEAT BELTS. AFTER HER OLDEST SON CHAD KILLED IN SEPTEMBER OF 2003. ... GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD IS LEANING TOWARDS VETOING THE BILL. NOT USING A SEATBELT WOULDN'T BE ADD MIBILITYD F ADMISSIBLE IN COURT.

27. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC
JUN 3 2005 7:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 30,221
NEWS 13 THIS MORNING

[**06:02:31 AM**] LAWMAKERS ADJOURNED THURSDAY. AMONG OTHER THINGS, AN INCOME TACK CUT FOR SMALL BUSINESSES AND LIMITED FRIVOLOUS LAWSTLESS HELP BUSINESSES GROW AND CREATE JOBS. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SIGNED BOTH OF THOSE BILLS INTO LAW. THE GOVERNOR HAS TO SIGN OR REJECT SEVERAL OTHER KEY BILLS INCLUDING A TOUGHER DOMESTIC VIOLENCEILL AND A PRIMARY ENFORCEMENT SEAT BELT BILL. HE'S PROBABLY VETO THE SEAT BELT BILL.

28. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC
JUN 3 2005 7:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 30,221
NEWS 13 THIS MORNING

[**06:18:18 AM**] THAT PROBLEM IS NOW FIXED. AND NOW A LOT OF PEOPLE ON THE NORTH END WA SOMETHING ELSE DONE. A PETITION WITH NEARLY 1,000 SIGNATURES WAS SENT TO GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD AND OTHER STATE OFFICIALS REQUESTING THE BRIDGE OPERATE ON A SCHEDULE. THOSE CITIZENS WANT THE BRIDGE TO OPEN ON AN HOURLY SCHEDULE FROM 6:00 A.M. UNTIL 6:00 P.M. INSTEAD OF ON DEMAND WHEN A LARGE BOAT APPROACHES. SUPPORTERS SAY A SET SCHEDULE WOULD CUTOWN ON TRAFFIC BACK-UPS.

29. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC
JUN 3 2005 7:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 30,221
NEWS 13 THIS MORNING

[**06:55:03 AM**] THE PROBLEM IS FIXED. NOW A LOT OF PEOPLE ON THE NORTH END WANT SOMETHING ELSE DONE. A PETITION WITH 1,000 SIGNATURES SENT TO GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD AND OTHER STATE OFFICIALS REQUESTING THE BRIDGE OPERATE ON A SCHEDULE. THE CITIZENS WANT THE BRIDGE TO OPEN ON AN HOURLY SCHEDULE, INSTEAD ON ON DEMAND WHEN A LARGE BOAT APPROACHES. SUPPORTERS SAY THAT WOULD CUT DOWN ON TRAFFIC BACK-UPS.

30. WBTW-CBS FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 3 2005 7:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 30,221

NEWS 13 THIS MORNING

[**06:55:48 AM**] LAWMAKERS ADJOURNED THURSDAY. AMONG OTHER THING AN INCOME TAX CUT FOR SMALL BUSINESSES AND LIMITING FRIIVE LOWSES LAWSUITS WILL HELP BUSINESSES GROW AND CREATE JOBS. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SIGNED BOTH OF THE BILLS INTO LAW. TAXES SMALL BUSINESS HAVE BEEN REDUCED FROM 7% TO 5%THE GOVERNOR STILL HAS TO SIGN OR REJECT SEVERAL OTHER KEY BILLS, INCLUDING A TOUGHER DOMESTIC VIOLENCE BILL AND A PRIMARY ENFORCEMENT SEAT BELT BILL.

31. WPDE-ABC FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 3 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 7,294

GOOD MORNING CAROLINA

[**06:02:15 AM**] 08 "TO ME, IT WOULD MEAN SAVING LIVES. CANDACE SMITH, REPORTING, THERE. NOW THAT GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD HAS THE BILL ON HIS DESK, HE WILL HAVE THE FINAL SAY ON WHETHER OR NOT THE BILL BECOMES LAW. LAST NOVEMBER, SOUTH CAROLINA VOTERS GAVE THE LEGISLATURE THE GO-AHEAD TO END THE REQUIREMENT OF MINI-BOTTLES IN OUR STATE. AND YESTERDAY, BEFORE THEY ADJOURNED FOR THE YEAR, THE LEGISLATURE WORKED OUT THE DETAILS TO DO JUST THAT. ... IT'S NOW ON GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD'S DESK, AND HE'S EXPECTED TO SIGN IT. SOUTH CAROLINA IS THE ONLY STATE THAT REQUIRES BARS AND RESTAURANTS TO SERVE LIQUOR FROM A MINIBOTTLE. SOUTH CAROLINA'S SENIOR SENATOR MADE A STOP ON THE GRAND STRAND THURSDAY, TO TALK ABOUT A VARIETY OF TOPICS, INCLUDING THE FUTURE OF INTERSTATE 73. ... NOW THAT GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD HAS THE BILL ON HIS DESK, HE WILL HAVE THE FINAL SAY ON WHETHER OR NOT THE BILL BECOMES LAW. VON DELBRIDGE IS UP NEXT. SHE'LL HAVE YOUR LOCAL FORECAST COMING UP AFTER THE BREAK.

32. WPDE-ABC FLORENCE-MYRTLE BEACH, SC

JUN 3 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 7,294

GOOD MORNING CAROLINA

[**06:53:34 AM**] VICTIMS LIKE SISSY RUTHERFORD SAY, THE CURRENT LAWS DON'T GIVE VICTIMS THE CHANCE TO ESCAPE FROM THEIR ABUSERS. "I GOT MY FIRST DON'T CALL THE COPS BEATING VERY SHORTLY AFTER I WAS MARRIED AND I DIDN'T CALL THE COPS AFTER THAT, BECAUSE HE WOULD GO TO JAIL AND HE WOULD BE HOME IN A FEW HOURS. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD IS EXPECTED TO SIGN THE BILL. ALONG THE GRAND STRAND. THIS YEAR'S SUN FUN FESTIVAL HAS A NEW CORPORATE* FEEL TO IT.

33. WAGT-NBC AUGUSTA, GA

JUN 3 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 2,012

ACTION NEWS TODAY

[**06:00:00 AM**] SHE SAYS THE NEW BILL MAY HAVE A SIGNIFICANT IMPACT ON AIKEN COUNTY CASES. SOUTH CAROLINA LAWMAKERS WILL BE BACK LATER THIS MONTH TO CONSIDER ANY BILLS THE GOVERNOR VETOES. AMONG THE BILLS GOVERNOR SANFORD WILL CONSIDER: ONE GIVING POLICE AUTHORITY TO STOP AND FINE DRIVERS NOT WEARING SEAT BELTS. SANFORD IS EXPECTED VETO THE BILL BECAUSE HE SAYS IT'S NOT TOUGH ENOUGH. THE GOVERNOR DID SIGN AN INCOME TAX CUT FOR SMALL BUSINESSES INTO LAW. ... SOUTH CAROLINA'S GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD IS EXPECTED TO SIGN A BILL TO INCREASE PENALTIES FOR PEOPLE CONVICTED OF CRIMINAL DOMESTIC VIOLENCE. GEORGIA GOVERNOR SONNY PERDUE VISITED PHINIZY SWAMP AS PART OF A TOUR THAT'S PROMOTING SAVING THE WETLANDS ACROSS THE STATE. THE LAST TIME DIRECTOR RON HOWARD TEAMED UP WITH RUSSELL CROWE THE RESULT WAS 'A BEAUTIFUL MIND.

34. WJBF-ABC AUGUSTA, GA

JUN 3 2005 6:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 24,493

GOOD MORNING AUGUSTA

[**06:00:00 AM**] THE NEW LAW WILL CHARGE REPEAT OFFENDERS WITH FELONIES AND AT

LEAST ONE YEAR IN PRISON. 'I THINK THOSE ARE BOTH EXCELLENT, EXCELLENT
DETERRENTS TO THE CRIMINAL DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PROBLEM WE HAVE IN SOUTH
CAROLINA. GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD SAYS HE WILL SIGN THE BILL INTO LAW SOON. ONE
TEEN IN THE C-S-R-A WILL NEVER FORGET THE DEFINITION OF THE WORD TOMBOLO'. IT'S A
SANDBAR THAT CONNECTS AN ISLAND TO THE MAINLAND. ... LAWMAKERS WILL BE BACK
LATER THIS MONTH TO CONSIDER GOVERNOR MARK SANFORD'S VETOES. PEOPLE RETIRING
COULD SOON RECEIVE A COST OF LIVING ALLOWANCE. A BILL APPROVED IN THE FINAL
HOURS OF THE SESSION WOULD GUARANTEE AT LEAST A ONE PERCENT COST OF LIVING
ALLOWANCE EACH YEAR.

35. WJBF-ABC AUGUSTA, GA

JUN 3 2005 5:00AM CT Nielsen Audience: 9,867

NEWS THIS MORNING

[**05:00:00 AM**] THE NEW LAW WILL CHARGE REPEAT OFFENDERS WITH FELONIES AND AT
LEAST ONE YEAR IN PRISON. 'I THINK THOSE ARE BOTH EXCELLENT, EXCELLENT
DETERRENTS TO THE CRIMINAL DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PROBLEM WE HAVE IN SOUTH
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