

Hello General Managers & News Directors,

I'm excited to announce KTTC has found a new News Director, and he's already a part of the Gray family!

Michael Oder will join the KTTC team in early March. He is currently the Asst. News Director at KBTX in Bryan/College Station, Texas.

Michael's leadership and passion for journalism will help to continue and expand KTTC's dominance on-air AND on our digital platforms.

Michael has grown as a news leader thanks to the guidance of many including his current management team at KBTX – Vice-President & General Manager, Lori Bruffet, and News Director, Josh Gorbutt.

"We will miss Michael's energy and contributions at KBTX, but we are excited for him to continue his growth in Gray at KTTC" -- Lori

"From coordinating coverage in the eye of Hurricane Harvey to managing a congressional debate with more than a dozen candidates, Michael has skillfully overseen an incredible amount of landmark events during his time at KBTX. I know he's well-prepared to help the KTTC newsroom continue to thrive and grow. " – Josh

The staff, here in Rochester, has already witnessed his energy and excitement – something even the winter cold couldn't stop. 😊

Stephanie Hedrick
Vice-President/General Manager