

# TRACtion Texas

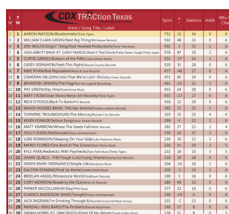
## #1

**WHISKEY MYERS**  
"Rolling Stone"

Wiggy Thump / Thirty Tigers

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## Whiskey Myers stays #1 this week!



### Dear Readers;

**WHISKEY MYERS** keeps the #1 position this week with "Rolling Stone." **JAMIE RICHARDS'** "Whiskey's Workin' Well" enters the chart this week as the *Most Added*, *Greatest Spin Gainer* and *Highest Debut* at position #44! Great work everyone!

The following stations have been frozen for this week.

KHLB-FM (Mason, TX)  
KKAJ-FM (Ardmore, OK)  
KRRG-FM (Laredo, TX)

The following stations have been added to the chart reporters panel.

KDLO-FM (Watertown, SD)  
KTNN-AM (Window Rock, AZ)  
KSDR-FM (Watertown, SD)  
KVMK-FM - College Station, TX)

The following songs have been moved to RECURRENT status.

BEN MARSHAL / Tan Lines  
COMANCHE MOON / Goin' To The Country  
GOODNGONE / Just Another  
HILL COUNTRY REVIVAL / Cheese Enchiladas  
PANHANDLE DIRT / Free Gypsy  
RECKLESS KELLY / Ragged As The Road (Live 2018)

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Stay tuned,  
**Joe Kelly**


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L W	T W	<div>  </div> <div>           Artist / Song Title / Label           <div>2 Weeks At #1!</div> </div>	Spins	+ -	Stations	Adds	Wks On Chart
1	1	WHISKEY MYERS/Rolling Stone/Wiggy Thump/Thirty Tigers	747	34	39	0	20
3	2	KEVIN FOWLER/Better With Beer/Kevin Fowler Records	696	51	43	0	17
2	3	RANDY ROGERS BAND/I'll Never Get Over You/Tommy Jackson/Thirty Tigers	624	-85	43	1	19
5	4	AARON WATSON/Country Radio/BIG Label Records	608	43	45	1	11
4	5	CODY JOHNSON/Nothin' On You/Cojo Music LLC	604	-7	44	0	18
6	6	MARK POWELL/This Bar Needs A Town/Mark Powell Music	570	27	34	0	17
9	7	CODY JINKS/Same Kind Of Crazy As Me/Late August Records	567	116	37	5	4
7	8	CORY MORROW/Let's Take This Outside/CM Music	551	21	36	1	12
10	9	JODY BOOTH/Life of My Love/S.O.T. Records	530	130	32	1	15
12	10	DERYL DODD W/ RANDY ROGERS/A Bitter End/Little Red Truck Music	492	118	30	2	9
13	11	PARKER MCCOLLUM/Pretty Heart/MCA Records (UMGN)	490	116	29	3	7
8	12	WYNN WILLIAMS/Yeah Buddy/Wynn Williams Music	485	-15	35	0	17
11	13	DREW FISH/The Devil You Know/Reel Records	457	63	35	2	22
17	14	CHAD COOKE BAND/Life Behind Bars/King Hall Music	401	76	24	0	9
14	15	KYLE PARK/Every Day Kind of Love/Kyle Park Music	392	30	30	0	10
15	16	RODNEY CROWELL/Flatland Hillbillies/RC1 Records	376	33	28	0	14
16	17	DUSTIN SONNIER/Between The Stones & Jones/Dustin Sonnier Music	372	38	26	0	16
21	18	JAMES LANN/Watered Down Whiskey/Ari-Tex Records	325	50	25	0	10
22	19	DONICE MORACE/The Blues Are Alive And Well/Donice Morace Music	300	27	21	1	20
23	20	MIKE RYAN/Dear Country Music,/Mike Ryan Music	295	33	21	2	6
19	21	HAYES CARLL/If I May Be So Bold/Dualtone Records	273	-22	22	0	18
26	22	JESSE RAUB JR/Good Times/Jesse Raub Jr. Music	271	57	22	0	7
30	23	WILLIAM CLARK GREEN/She Loves Horses/Bill Grease Records	270	89	21	5	3
24	24	GARY KYLE/American Flags/Gary Kyle Music	259	9	20	1	17
25	25	MICKY & THE MOTORCARS/Road To You/Thirty Tigers	257	11	19	0	7
18	26	SHANE SMITH AND THE SAINTS/Heaven Knows/Geronimo West Records	252	-49	28	0	24
27	27	CLAY HOLLIS/Strait to Jones/Clay Hollis Music	243	42	19	0	7
29	28	JEFF JACOBS BAND/Can't Get Her Out of My Head/Jeff Jacobs Band Music	226	39	19	0	12
35	29	JON STORK/Facts and Lies/Jon Stork Music	216	70	20	4	5
20	30	MARK MCKINNEY/Cinnamon Shore/Mark McKinney Music	212	-75	23	1	21


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L W	T W	 Empowering Artist Careers Artist / Song Title / Label	Spins	+ -	Stations	Adds	Wks On Chart
36	31	FLATLAND CAVALRY/Come Back Down/Flatland Cavalry Music	198	58	13	2	3
32	32	DOS BORRACHOS/Barroom Buddies/Dos Borrachos Music	186	26	23	1	7
42	33	BRI BAGWELL/Asphalt and Concrete/Bri Bagwell Music	170	42	16	4	2
31	34	CASEY BAKER/Life Has Taken Its Toll On Me/Casey Baker Music	169	3	12	0	14
34	35	ADAM HOOD/Real Small Town/Southern Songs	165	16	15	0	5
37	36	MIKE AND THE MOONPIES/You Look Good In Neon/Mike And The Moonpies Music	165	28	10	1	5
28	37	CHRIS KNIGHT/I'm William Callahan/Drifter's Church/Thirty Tigers	155	-40	11	0	13
39	38	DAVID ADAM BYRNES/I Can Give You One/David Adam Byrnes Music	153	19	18	1	4
45	39	HAYDEN HADDOCK/Everywhere I Need To Be/Hayden Haddock Music	153	42	14	0	13
43	40	KIN FAUX/Teardrops on the Rocks/Kin Faux Music	144	17	14	1	5
38	41	NO JUSTICE/More To Live For/Smith Music Group	141	5	12	1	11
33	42	JARROD MORRIS/Coyote/Jarrold Morris Music	139	-15	13	1	15
40	43	STONE LARUE/Message In A Bottle/One Chord Song	135	1	11	0	3
--	44	JAMIE RICHARDS/Whiskey's Workin' Well/Jamie Richards Music	135	135	10	10	1
46	45	GRANT GILBERT/Denying Desires/Grant Gilbert Music	119	14	11	0	2
41	46	BRANDI BEHLEN/Daddy's Money/Brandi Behlen Music	114	-15	13	1	4
50	47	HOLLY TUCKER/Take Me Fishin'/Holly Tucker Music	114	26	12	2	2
47	48	DALTON DOMINO/Love Is Dangerous/Lightning Rod Records	92	-12	9	0	6
44	49	MATT CALDWELL/Highways and Honkytonks/Matt Caldwell Music	91	-31	13	0	12
--	50	GEORGE DUCAS/I'm All In/Loud Records	85	2	8	0	1

Number 1 = 

Most Added = 

Spin Gainer = 

Bubbling Under	Position
TURNPIKE TROUBADOURS/Unrung/Thirty Tigers	51
STEVE HELMS BAND/Friday Night Fever/Steve Helms Band Music	52
MATT MERCADO/I Should've Never Left Mexico/Matt Mercado Music	53
EVAN FELKER/Whiskey In Your Water/The Next Waltz	54
POWELL BROTHERS, THE/Whatever Is Left/Tolar Powell Entertainment	55
ROBERT RAY/I Found You/Big R.I.G. Country, LLC	56
DARRIN MORRIS BAND/Dancing in the Rain/DMB Music	57
COPPER CHIEF/Broken Promised Land/RiFT Music Group	58
CREED FISHER/A Few Good Ol' Cowboys/Creed Fisher Music	59
RAGLAND/Love, Liquor, And A Place To Die/Ragland Music	60

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<b>KDLO-FM</b>	<b>Watertown, SD</b>	KORA-FM	Bryan, TX	KTTU-FM HD4 (K226CH-FX)	Lubbock, TX	texasboundradio.com
KERP-FM	Dodge City, KS	KOKE-FM	Brownwood, TX	KTTX-FM	Brenham, TX	texashomegrownradio.com
KFLP-FM	Floydada, TX	KPAK-FM	Alva, OK	KTXM-FM	Hallettsville, TX	TexasRedHotRadio.com
KFTX-FM	Corpus Christi, TX	KPUR-FM	Canyon, TX	KUSH-AM	Cushing, OK	TBJS Radio Poteau, OK
KFWR-FM	Ft. Worth, TX	KQSC-AM	Colorado Springs, CO	KUSQ-FM	Worthington, MN	
KFYN-FM	Paris, TX	KQZQ-FM	Kiowa, KS	<b>KVMK-FM</b>	<b>College Station, TX</b>	
<u>KHLB-FM</u>	<u>Mason, TX</u>	KRBL-FM	Levelland, TX	KVST-FM	Montgomery, TX	
KHYI-FM	Howe, TX	KRMX-FM	Waco, TX	KWOX-FM	Woodward, OK	
KIKK-FM (HD2)	Houston, TX	KRRG-FM	Laredo, TX	KXKZ-FM	Ruston, LA	
<u>KKAJ-FM</u>	<u>Ardmore, OK</u>	KRUN-AM	Ballinger, TX	KXOX-FM	Sweetwater, TX	
KKCN-FM	San Angelo, TX	KRVF-FM	Kerens, TX	KYKC-FM	Ada, OK	
KMOM-FM	Aberdeen, SD	KRVN-FM	Lexington, NE	KYKM-FM	Yoakum, TX	
KNES-FM	Fairfield, TX	KSAM-FM	Huntsville, TX	KYKX-FM	Longview, TX	
		<b>KSDR-FM</b>	<b>Watertown, SD</b>	KYYK-FM	Palestine, TX	

Strikethrough = Removed Bold = Newly Added Underlined = Frozen this Week Double Underlined = Frozen 2 Weeks

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## Chart Recurrent Methodology

When does a song move to recurrent on the chart? It is one of the more challenging issues we encountered in creating the CDX TRACtion Texas chart system. Rather than relying on subjective editorial decisions, we’ve chosen to automate this process using the weekly chart data as a marker.

We strive to avoid having singles past their prime create a logjam on the chart, because that stifles upward momentum for up-and-coming singles. But we also try to ensure that singles “on the bubble” are not removed prematurely. As long-time chart watchers know, singles often take a while to establish a solid base among early believers at radio before they truly find their legs. Due to any number of reasons, the path to peak chart position rarely includes straight-line, week-over-week spin and/or chart position growth.

On a monitored airplay chart like CDX TRACtion Texas, the reality is that new singles bounce around a bit spin-wise and position-wise, particularly in the lower half of the chart. Even small spin increases and decreases can be magnified as fairly significant up-or-down chart position moves.

With this in mind, the CDX TRACtion Texas recurrent policy grades each chart position on a curve, using an algorithm that considers the chart position and spin history for that song. Newly serviced singles are allowed 20 weeks to chart before being removed from chart consideration. Once a status change is actively being considered by the algorithm, the cumulative amount of spin loss from the single’s previous peak spin count is the trigger. The allowable spin loss varies as a percentage, depending on the chart position.

In addition to making sure that only singles with significant downward movement become recurrent, this methodology also benefits slow-developing singles in several ways. For instance, the allowable spin loss (as a percentage) is very generous at the lower reaches of the chart to accommodate the lower spin counts. Additionally, if a single is at risk of being moved to recurrent status with two consecutive weeks of minor spin loss, it can still return to positive spin growth the following week, which will reset the clock.

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Most Added	Adds
JAMIE RICHARDS/Whiskey's Workin' Well Jamie Richards Music	10
CODY JINKS/Same Kind Of Crazy As Me Late August Records	5
WILLIAM CLARK GREEN/She Loves Horses Bill Grease Records	5
TURNPIKE TROUBADOURS/Unrung Thirty Tigers	5
JON STORK/Facts and Lies Jon Stork Music	4
BRI BAGWELL/Asphalt and Concrete Bri Bagwell Music	4
EVAN FELKER/Whiskey In Your Water The Next Waltz	4
KYLIE FREY/One Night in Tulsa Kylie Frey Music	4
PARKER MCCOLLUM/Pretty Heart MCA Records (UMGN)	3
WILL CARTER/You Feel Like Home Way Back Records	3



Darrin Morris with Kat in Palestine and Jim and Buzz In Fairfield, TX.

Greatest Spin Gainers	Increase
JAMIE RICHARDS/Whiskey's Workin' Well Jamie Richards Music	135
JODY BOOTH/Life of My Love S.O.T. Records	130
DERYL DODD W/ RANDY ROGERS/A Bitter End Little Red Truck Music	118
CODY JINKS/Same Kind Of Crazy As Me Late August Records	116
PARKER MCCOLLUM/Pretty Heart MCA Records (UMGN)	116
WILLIAM CLARK GREEN/She Loves Horses Bill Grease Records	89
CHAD COOKE BAND/Life Behind Bars King Hall Music	76
JON STORK/Facts and Lies Jon Stork Music	70
DREW FISH/The Devil You Know Reel Records	63
KYLIE FREY/One Night in Tulsa Kylie Frey Music	60



Creed Fisher with Jeff and Landy in Ballinger and Ken in Lampasas TX.

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