

**KREA 1540**  
**Honolulu, Hawaii**

## **Quarterly Issues and Programs Lists**

Q2 April – June, 2019

In accordance with the Commission's Rules, the following in the opinion of station KFOX (1650 AM) Torrance is representative of the problems and needs of the Korean American and Asian American communities for the time period mentioned above.

They are not necessarily listed in order of importance. Each issue has been addressed by significant public affairs and/or public service announcement programming in response to these needs.

Public Affairs Department of KFOX1650 has determined the issues list below:

### **ISSUES:**

1. 'Large ticket' for vehicles and unauthorized crossing that violate pedestrian regulations
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#### QUARTERLY ISSUES AND PROGRAMS LISTS

##### **Topic – 'Large ticket' for vehicles and unauthorized crossing that violate pedestrian regulations**

The LA Police Department (LAPD) has launched a massive crackdown on drivers and pedestrians violating traffic laws in the accident-prone area of the town, amid frequent pedestrian and vehicle-related accidents at the intersection of Wilshire and Vermont in central Los Angeles.

The LAPD imposed a trap crackdown on the mobilization of undercover officers on Vermont Avenue on the 4th, which includes representative accidental intersections, and one person was caught every five minutes, especially during high traffic hours.

The LAPD Western Transportation Headquarters conducted intensive crackdowns at intersections of Vermont and Wilshire in Korean Town, Los Angeles, West and Wilshire, Vermont and 3rd Street, Vermont, Hollywood and Vine, 3rd Street, and Fairplex.

According to the 2018 traffic accident data from the LAPD Western Transportation Headquarters, Wilshire and Vermont Avenue were selected as the intersection with the most traffic accidents in the jurisdiction.

As the number of accidents caused by traffic violations increased, the LAPD Western Transportation Headquarters began to prevent traffic accidents by increasing nearby patrols and strengthening traps for violators.

Police issued tickets to violating vehicles and jaywalking pedestrians who make excessive right turns when pedestrians cross the intersection, hiding near alleys or intersections in the accident-prone area of Koreatown.

The LAPD said signal violations and speeding were the biggest causes of pedestrian traffic accidents, and in particular, it has expanded its crackdown to pedestrians, away from driver-oriented crackdowns. In addition, police issued tickets to drivers who were touching or texting their cell phones while waiting for a signal at the intersection.

In particular, roads where traffic is heavy and pedestrians are frequent are Western, Vermont, Beverly, and the Olympics, and pedestrians can be caught crossing the street when red lights of jaywalking or pedestrian traffic lights flash.

A LAPD official said, "In particular, pedestrians who go out to cross the street when the 'Don't Walk' signal to not cross the street glitters are subject to crackdown unconditionally."

**Responsive Programming**

Radio Program to discuss about the LAPD's stand for heavier follow up on those violating traffic laws. Many civilians accordingly have been disregarding the rule of 'jay walking' which leads to huge accidents.

**Date / Time (Duration)**

April 5<sup>th</sup>, 2019 / 12 Minutes

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##### **Topic – Descendants of independence fighters, Korean nationality will be restored easily**

Since the revision of the Nationality Act was implemented in December last year, the ceremony for the first time in the world to award a certificate of nationality to descendants of independent patriots was held at the Consulate General in LA on the 10th.

At the "Nationality Certificate of Merit for Independence" ceremony held at the Consulate General in LA at 11 a.m. on the same day, two descendants of American independence fighters with U.S. citizenship were granted permission to restore their Korean nationality.

The two descendants of independence activists who regained their nationality this time were Kim Woong-cheon, grandson of Kim In-jeup, who was honored with the Order of Merit for National Foundation in 1990, and Baek Soon-ok, daughter of Baek Kyung-joon, who was honored with the Order of Merit for National Foundation in 1990.

Under the Nationality Act revised in 2010, many of the descendants of independence fighters or those of national merit can apply for nationality restoration at any time regardless of age, but there were not many applicants due to lack of promotion.

However, since May last year, the LA Consulate General began to inform them in earnest, a total of 18 people, including 12 for independence and 6 for national merit, have applied for the restoration of their nationality, and 14 of them have been granted permission to restore their Korean nationality. The other four are currently waiting for the Justice Department's review.

So far, 14 cases of independence fighters from abroad have been granted permission to restore their nationalities, one in Sao Paulo, Brazil, and one in New Zealand, and 95 percent of the descendants of independence fighters from all over the world have been recovered in LA.

There are two ways in which descendants of independence fighters acquire nationality recovery, and if they have never held a Korean nationality in their lives, they must visit Korea in person and apply for a special naturalization.

In addition, if they enter Korea within a year and pledge to die a foreign national misfortune, they can maintain multiple nationalities without giving up their U.S. citizenship.

Consul General Kim Wan-joong said, "We will continue to honor the will of those who have worked hard for the independence of the Republic of Korea and will do our best to find their descendants and restore their nationality."

Meanwhile, unlike the past, when the Justice Minister granted permission to restore nationality and the Korean nationality under the revision of the Enforcement Decree of the Nationality Act, which took effect on December 20 last year, the Korean nationality is now allowed in front of the Minister of Justice.

### **Responsive Programming**

Radio Program to discuss about the news for the descendants of Korean independence fighters to be more easily be able to regain Korean Nationality.

### **Date / Time (Duration)**

April 11<sup>th</sup>, 2019 / 12 Minutes

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**Topic – “Easy Runners” Marathon club and classroom is flourishing**

The “Lee Ji-runus” marathon club (Chairman Kim Tae-jin) successfully completed the “19th Marathon Class,” which has been held every Sunday at the Cerritos Regional Park (19500 Bloomfield Ave., Cerritos). On the same day, more than 100 students including students participated in the actual mock 5K short marathon. Members are shouting fighting. Contact: (213)446-0916 Coach Kim Jae-song

**Responsive Programming**

Radio Program to discuss about community’s newly set club as for runners at every age could join the marathon club that’s being held every Sunday. More information on contact and such.

**Date / Time (Duration)**

April 19<sup>th</sup>, 2019 / 12 Minutes

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##### **Topic – L.A. is also a measles emergency. Infected people in university districts**

There is also a measles emergency in Los Angeles. Amid the rapid spread of measles throughout the country, Los Angeles health authorities said they quarantined more than 900 UCLA and Calstate students and faculty members who were exposed to the measles virus at home.

According to the Los Angeles Times on Wednesday, more than 900 students and faculty members in UCLA, Calstate LA who have not been vaccinated or have not been proven to have been vaccinated were shot at home due to possible exposure to the measles virus. As of Friday afternoon, the number of people quarantined at their homes was reduced to 700.

The health authorities asked them to stay at home for 24 to 48 hours to avoid contact with others and report measles symptoms to the authorities immediately.

The quarantine order is the toughest state-level measure, with a total of five confirmed cases of measles in LA County so far, with infections coming from university campuses vulnerable to measles such as UCLA and Calstate LA.

"Highly populated places, such as cramped dormitories and crowded classrooms, are highly contagious," experts said. "Young adults in California have relatively lower measles vaccination rates than other age groups."

The state of California implemented the strictest vaccination law in the U.S. in 2016 to increase vaccination rates for local residents, but teenagers who had already completed their elementary, middle and high school courses by the time the law took effect did not have to comply. Due to this background, many college students and adults in California are now relatively vulnerable to infection.

The number of measles cases across the U.S. reached nearly 700 this year, the highest in 25 years. In particular, about three-quarters of patients are concentrated in New York State, with 38 reported cases in California.

The highly contagious measles can easily be infected through the channels of contact and air, and propagation speed is also very fast. Even if you have an infection, prevention is more important because it is difficult to diagnose unless you have a skin rash and cold symptoms, which are typical symptoms of measles, for about two weeks on average. The best preventive measure is actively recommended for vaccination of MMR, a measles vaccine, and even if it comes into contact with a measles patient, vaccination within 72 hours can reduce the infection rate.

**Responsive Programming**

Radio Program to discuss about emerging 'Measles' cases in LA. Talked about importance to get vaccinated to the public.

**Date / Time (Duration)**

April 27<sup>th</sup>, 2019 / 15 Minutes



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**QUARTERLY ISSUES AND PROGRAMS LISTS**

**Topic – Free defense attorney in her late 20s.**

Chelsea Christ (28), the 2019 Miss USA winner, is drawing attention from the U.S. media for being somewhat different from the usual beauty pageant winner.

Christ put an honorable crown on his head at the Miss USA pageant held in Grand Sierra Resort, Reno, Nevada, on the night of the 2nd.

According to CNN, Christ, a native of North Carolina, was born in April 1991 and is 28 years old. As a beauty contestant, she is quite old.

He's a lawyer by profession. Piner Sprueil, a North Carolina-based law firm, is primarily in charge of civil litigation. Personally, he is actively engaging in free arguments for prisoners who are on the verge of receiving unfair rulings.

In addition to his career as a lawyer, Christ also runs fashion-related blogs.

Christ is an MBA who graduated from the same school as the University of South Carolina in business administration, graduated from the Weic Forest University Law School and holds a bar certificate in North Carolina and South Carolina.

**Responsive Programming**

Radio Program to mention Chelsea Christ who is the 2019 Miss USA winner and is drawing attention for her unique public approach to serve community at no cost.

**Date / Time (Duration)**

May 4<sup>th</sup>, 2019 / 10 Minutes

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**Topic – Korean Trade Associations to build Business Center for Startups in Manhattan, New York**

The Korea International Trade Association announced on the 12th that it opened "Start-Up Branch New York" in Manhattan, New York on the 9th to support Korean startups' global expansion.

Branch New York, a startup in Midtown, New York, known for its Rockefeller Center, has a dedicated area of 190 square meters with facilities such as a video conference system, a shared office space, a business center, and a rest lounge.

The Korea International Trade Association invited officials from BrandDNA, a U.S. brand marketing company, and New York branch of Hanwha Asset Management, to arrange a business meeting with Korean startups on the 7th and 10th.

The Korea International Trade Association plans to expand cooperation with related organizations so that local companies, startup experts, and investors can recognize startup Branch New York as a mecca for Korean startups.

First of all, next month, Hanwha Dream Plus will sign a business agreement (MOU) with major contents such as cooperation to attract accelerators, investors and buyers.

In addition, it has decided to carry out joint projects with the Korea Small and Medium Business Promotion Agency and KOTRA to advance to start-ups overseas.

**Responsive Programming**

Radio Program to discuss about the newly established Business center for Startups in Manhattan supporting many Korean-American startup businesses.

**Date / Time (Duration)**

May 11<sup>th</sup>, 2019 / 15 Minutes

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**Topic – Korean companies enter the U.S. public education market**

MSC Brain Consulting Group (CEO Kim Hyun-woo), a big data company in the Korean education field, has entered the mainstream education field and is drawing attention.

MSC Brain Consulting Group (CEO Kim Hyun-woo) announced on the 9th that it signed a service supply contract with iSafe Enterprise, an online education platform company.

MSC Brain Consulting Group is a U.S. corporation established in Los Angeles last year by Korea's Brain OS Research Institute (CEO Ahn Jin-hoon), which developed a brain cognitive analysis model, and is conducting businesses such as brain aptitude analysis, career and start-up design consulting, HR consulting, healthcare, and artificial intelligence (AI).

With the signing of the contract between the two companies, Brain OS Research Institute is expected to develop a brain cognitive analysis model (ASEC) to tap the public education market, and iSafe Enterprise will use it for public education.

CEO Ahn Jin-hoon said, "iSafe Enterprise is the No. 1 online education platform company in the U.S., providing a platform used to deliver reports, notices and other documents online to more than 15,000 schools across the U.S.

"The contract will provide customized career coaching services to students, which will help teachers understand each student better and increase the efficiency of education," Ahn said. "We expect that the efforts of the two companies will help students choose a better life."

**Responsive Programming**

Radio Program to discuss about Korean companies entering the Public education business in the US.

**Date / Time (Duration)**

May 16<sup>th</sup>, 2019 / 10 Minutes

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**Topic – Global Children's Foundation Regular Board**

The San Diego Branch of the Global Children's Foundation (hereinafter referred to as the GCF SD Branch, Chairman Kim Jung-ah) held a regular board meeting and decided to attend the 2019 Regular Board meeting in Washington DC from June 7 to 9. The GCF SD branch will attend the board meeting and report various projects that have been promoted in San Diego and suggest expanding the size of support. Board of Directors attendees.

**Responsive Programming**

Radio Program to discuss about Global Children's foundation regular board being established.

**Date / Time (Duration)**

May 25<sup>th</sup>, 2019 / 15 Minutes

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**Topic – Disneyland's Star Wars Theme Park opens today.**

"Star Wars Theme Park," one of Anna Heim Disneyland's biggest projects, will officially open on the 31st.

Prior to this, Disneyland unveiled the "Star Wars: Galaxy's Edge" theme park to its customers and invited reporters on the 29th in advance.

Standing in front of the spaceship model of "Star Wars," Walt Disney's director of planning, Scott Trowridge said, "I'm happy to invite guests and Disney fans to the Galaxy's Edge."

"We've always thought of our fans," Trolbridge said. "Now we can reveal the Star Wars theme park to our fans and invite them to this remote planet."

Disney invited director George Lucas of "Star Wars," Harrison Ford of "Han Solo," Mark Hamill of "Luke Skywalker" and Billy Dee Williams of "Rando Kalisian" along with fireworks celebrating the opening of the movie.

An official said it took more than five years to come up with and complete the "Star Wars Theme Park."

Disneyland said it has invested as much as \$1 billion to create the "Star Wars Theme Park" expansion.

"Star Wars: Galaxy's Edge" is based on the theme of the war between the resistance forces "Registance" and the evil group "First Order" along with the adventures taking place in the planet Batuu.

The single theme park in Disneyland reaches 14 aircars, the largest, and is divided into three sections: "Registance," "First Order" and "Village." Visitors can also create their own AI robot, "Droid," and "Light Sword," and communicate with aliens.

You can also enter the cockpit of "Millennium Falcon," which has moved the super-sized spaceship in the movie, and you will be given a chance to drive the spaceship as a team of six.

Visitors can visit Temapaknae to meet characters such as Rey, Finn, and Chubaka in the movie, and also taste frozen lemon-flavored sherbet that reproduces blue milk in "Star Wars: New Hope."

According to Disneyland, one of the three Disneyland resort hotels must be booked and accommodated to enter the Disneyland Star Wars theme park, which will officially open on the 31st.

Daypass tickets, which do not require reservations at Disney hotels, will be available from June 24.

### **Responsive Programming**

Radio entertainment program to talk about the exciting news for Disneyland's newly opened 'Starwars themed park' being open soon.

### **Date / Time (Duration)**

May 31<sup>st</sup>, 2019 / 15 Minutes

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#### **Topic – "I learned a lot of Korean."**

The Korean-American Federation (KAC) youth Korean language program Saturday in Irvine held an end of the semester on the 1st.

The program has three middle and high school classes and one high school student on weekdays and weekends. Soon after, a four-week middle school Star Talk Korean program will be launched from July 8 to August 2. The regular Korean language program is scheduled to begin in the fall semester in September. Contact [www.KoreanAmericanCenter.org](http://www.KoreanAmericanCenter.org) (949) 535-3355

Meanwhile, Sejong Institute will hold an end of the semester at 11 a.m. on the 15th. On this day, there will be a Korean speaking contest, sharing experiences in Korea and experience in Korea, demonstration classes on folk paintings, and a party on the part truck.

#### **Responsive Programming**

Radio program to talk about Korean language learning center to start its semester. More information is discussed on how to apply and etc.

#### **Date / Time (Duration)**

June 7<sup>th</sup>, 2019 / 15 Minutes

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**Topic – indiscriminate assault at Buena park bus stop.**

A man in his 30s who indiscriminately assaulted and fled an elderly man in his 60s on the Buenapak Street, a region where Koreans are concentrated, was arrested by police two days after the crime.

Buenapak police arrested Kennet Heimlick (33, Placentia) on the 14th on charges of indiscriminately assaulting and fleeing an unidentified 65-year-old man at a bus stop across the source mall on the Buenapak Beach Blobird on the 12th.

According to the police, Heimlick trampled several times on the head and body of the victim, who collapsed on the road, and also stole the victim's bike at a bus stop in Beach Blubird and Orange Thorpe Avenue at 8:15 a.m. on the same day. The police began with an argument. Further investigation is under way as the perpetrator believed to have spread to assault due to anger.

At that time, the scene of the man brutally assaulting a 65-year-old victim, such as kicking and mashing, was recorded intact on a bus dashboard passing through the streets at the time, and the video spread to SNS, infuriating netizens.

The police, who secured the footage taken by the dashcam immediately after the incident, arrested the criminal two days after receiving a tip that there was a second crime in Fullerton.

The victim suffered serious head injuries from the man's assault and was taken to a nearby hospital, but has yet to wake up from a coma.

Heimlick is currently charged with aggravated assault and robbery and is in Orange County Detention Center.

**Responsive Programming**

Radio news program to discuss about the indiscriminate assault incident happened recently in Buena Park.

**Date / Time (Duration)**

June 15<sup>th</sup>, 2019 / 15 Minutes



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**QUARTERLY ISSUES AND PROGRAMS LISTS**

**Topic – 103-year-old grandmother won the senior 100-meter race..**

Julia Hawkins, the 103-year-old oldest athlete in the U.S., won the 100-meter sprint with a record of 46 seconds, CBS News reported.

Hawkins won the gold medal at the 100-meter National Senior Games (NSG) held in Albuquerque, New Mexico on the 18th, recording 46.07 seconds. He participated alone in the category as one of his competitors withdrew due to injury.

It was about six seconds behind the 39-second world record set by Hawkins at the age of 101 in the same competition in 2017, USA Today reported. She also participated in the 50-meter event (women's 100 years old or older) held the previous day and won the championship.

"I want to inspire others to be healthy," Hawkins said in a local media interview. He also cited gardening at home in Louisiana as his secret to training.

She started track and field at the age of 100 and set three world records until she was 102. This is why it is nicknamed "Hurricane Hawkins" in the United States.

**Responsive Programming**

Radio news program to discuss about the 103 year old grandmother who won the senior 100-meter race.

**Date / Time (Duration)**

June 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2019 / 15 Minutes

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#### **QUARTERLY ISSUES AND PROGRAMS LISTS**

##### **Topic – Processing within one week of overseas marriage and birth registration**

As the family relations registration office of overseas Koreans marks its fourth anniversary, marriage registration and birth registration of the child in question have more than doubled.

Since July 1, 2015, the Korean court administration and the foreign ministry have set up an organization dedicated to registration of family relations among foreigners in the court administration to reduce the processing period from nearly three months to less than a week.

Previously, various ministries had to contact each other to file complaints about family relations, military service, and criminal history, but the establishment of a registration office reduced the processing time by up to one week. In addition, the number of overseas missions that can use the "Authorized Electronic Postal System" has been expanded from 77 overseas missions in 35 countries to 170 overseas missions in 117 countries so that Koreans living in foreign countries can receive certificates by family relations registration within a week.

As a result, the number of family registration reports among overseas Koreans has more than doubled from 11,704 in 2014 to 24,992 in 2018. The issuance of certificates by family registration also increased 3.6 times from 97,795 in 2014 to 351,526 in 2018.

##### **Responsive Programming**

Radio news program to discuss about the recent changes in Korean law where overseas marriage must be processed within 1 week of its event.

##### **Date / Time (Duration)**

June 28<sup>th</sup>, 2019 / 15 Minutes

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#### QUARTERLY ISSUES AND PROGRAMS LISTS

##### **Topic – A new face for Kim Jong Un's interpreter... Shin Hye-young, have you been replaced?**

North Korean leader Kim Jong-un accompanied a new male interpreter instead of a female interpreter who raised a "purge rumor" at the truce village meeting with U.S. President Donald Trump on the 30th.

At the meeting between Chairman Kim and President Trump at the truce village of Panmunjom, a rather young man wearing glasses was seen behind Kim and interpreting the conversation between the two leaders.

Shin Hye-young, who was Kim's interpreter at the second U.S.-North Korea summit held in Hanoi in February, was not seen.

Shin Hye-young is known to have been deployed as the first interpreter to act as the "ear" and "mouth" of the supreme leader in Hanoi on behalf of Kim Joo-sung, Kim's regular English interpreter.

However, it is observed that Shin Hye-young did not show up at the third meeting between Kim and Trump, and that he was replaced because he did not translate properly in Hanoi or because he did not receive Kim's trust.

Earlier, CNN quoted anonymous sources on the 4th and reported that Kim's interpreter was under investigation in detention regarding the breakdown of the talks in Hanoi, but the truth was not confirmed.

The new male interpreter, who appeared on behalf of Shin Hye-young, is an unknown figure, whose name and history have yet to be disclosed.

However, it is believed that North Korea has excellent English skills as it is known to strictly manage the first interpreter.

Following the first and second U.S.-North Korea summit, President Trump's Korean interpreter was Lee Yeon-hyang, the director of the U.S. State Department.

**Responsive Programming**

Radio news program to report new face for Kim Jong Un's interpreter. As to provide views on how it could affect foreign affairs for US and the South Korea with North Korean government.

**Date / Time (Duration)**

June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2019 / 15 Minutes