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**THE FOLLOWING REPORT SPECIFIES HOW THESE ISSUES WERE TREATED ON SPECIFIC SHOWS AIRED ON
KBRT-AM DURING THIS QUARTER, THE DATES AND TIMES IN WHICH THEY AIRED AND LENGTH OF EACH
PROGRAM**

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QUARTERLY COMMUNITY ISSUES REPORT
4th QUARTER 2023- ISSUES/PROGRAM LIST
TREATMENT OF COMMUNITY ISSUES

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Police Hit and Run	10/03/23	4:00pm	15:00	The Bottom Line

State Issue – A retired police chief in the city of Bell passed away from his injuries after 2 teenagers deliberately hit him with a car. The 2 teens are being charged with murder in connection to the hit and run. The teen who recorded the incident was booked into the Clark County Juvenile Hall. The driver of the vehicle was later arrested and placed in the same juvenile hall.

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Demographic and Economic Statistics in Israel	10/7/23	7:30am	27:12	Eye to Eye

International Issue – This program is from the Jewish point of view. Ari and Norma discuss demographic and economic statistics in Israel that show that Israel is flourishing materially but many Israelis feel lonely, pressured, or discriminated against.

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COVID Booster Shot	10/10/23	3:45pm	15:00	The Bottom Line

National Issue – Studies have shown that people who have received the COVID-19 booster shot are more likely to get the virus than people who have never received the vaccine. A group of inmates were tested and turned out that inmates who received the vaccine was at 3.2% than others who didn't receive the vaccine at 2.7%. The infection rate was higher in elderly inmates over 65 years old.

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Two Court Rulings	10/11/23	4:00pm	30:00	The Bottom Line

Local/Regional Issue (City of License) – Two different courts in California, one in San Diego and one in San Bernardino County have ruled two different ways regarding gender secrecy in public schools. The San Bernardino Superior Court blocked a new policy that would make teachers notify parents if their child had any gender confusion. This policy stems from a lawsuit filed by California General Rob Bonta who is investigating the situation, calling it “forced outing policy.”

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Hamas Issues “Day of Blood”	10/12/23	3:00pm	15:00	The Bottom Line

National Issue – With the war between Israel and Gaza, the terrorist group Hamas has issued multiple days of “call to arms” throughout the world. The statement calls for the Arab and Islamic nation including Palestinian people everywhere to march. Hamas entered Israel on October 7th and slaughtered people at a music festival. Israel has said that this war is their 9/11.

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War in Israel	10/14/23	7:30am	27:26	Eye to Eye

International Issue – This program is from the Jewish point of view. Ari and Norma discuss the war that is going on in Israel. Ari, who is currently in Israel, gives an on-site report of the horrors, the intelligence failure, and what the Israelis are going through. During this recording there was a missile alert that occurred. Ari explains how he had to go to the shelter as the missile was destroyed by the Iron Dome system.

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Dementia Study	10/18/23	3:00pm	15:00	The Bottom Line

National Issue – Scientists have done a study that shows sitting too long can result in someone getting dementia. Studies show that people who sit for more than 10 hours a day are more likely to develop dementia. Having low energy while in a sitting or slouching posture could also cause this at an older age. Cerebral blood flow can also increase dementia.

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Israeli Forces Didn't Bomb Hospital	10/19/23	3:00pm	10:00	The Bottom Line

National Issue – President Biden has come out and acknowledged that Israeli forces did not bomb the Children's hospital in Gaza City. President Biden has also addressed the aid that will be set to Israel from the United States. Humanitarian aid will be sent and allow Egypt to deliver unlimited supplies. \$100 million of aid will be sent to Palestinians in Gaza and the West Bank but "if Hamas confiscates the aid it will end."

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Jenna Ellis Pleads Guilty	10/24/2023	4:00pm	30:00	The Bottom Line

National Issue – Attorney and public figure Jenna Ellis has pleaded guilty to a felony charge over former President Trump's Georgia election loss in 2020. Jenna Ellis is the fourth defendant in the case to enter a plea deal. Jenna pleaded guilty to one felony account of aiding and abetting false statements and writings. Jenna was sentenced to 5 years' probation, paying \$5,000 in restitution, and required to do 100 hours of community service.

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CA Scientist Lied	10/26/23	3:00pm	15:00	The Bottom Line

State Issue – A California scientist says he left out information to get his climate change wildfire study published. Patrick T. Brown came forward and said he blamed the study on human causes so it would appeal to the editors at different magazines he sent it to. Brown stated that he didn't publish that wildfires can be contributed to poor forest management and other factors that can affect fire conditions.

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New Speaker of the House	10/27/23	3:00pm	15:00	The Bottom Line

National Issue – Congressman Mike Johnson of Louisiana has been named the new House Speaker. On October 25th, Mike Johnson won with a vote of 220, needing around 217 to be elected. Before becoming congressman, he was an attorney and served in the Louisiana State Legislature from 2015 to 2017.

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Mike Pence Suspends Presidency	11/01/23	3:00pm	15:00	The Bottom Line

National Issue – Former Vice President Mike Pence has suspended his Presidential campaign. He made a statement that after traveling for the past six months, it's not his time to run. Pence stated that he knew it would be an uphill battle and that he will "never stop fighting to elect principled Republican leaders."

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Tustin's Hangar Fire	11/13/23	3:00pm	30:00	The Bottom Line

Local/Regional Issue (City of License) – A fire broke out at a Tustin hangar where many movies were located. The World War II-era hangar was in movies such as Pearl Harbor and Star Trek. Many people mourned the monument. The fire was under control around 5PM and firefighters remained on site overnight.

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10 Freeway Closes	11/13/23	3:45pm	15:00	The Bottom Line

Local/Regional Issue (City of License) – A fire broke out in Downtown Los Angeles that stretched over the 10 freeway. Governor Gavin Newsom stated that a team was working to clear burned materials to test whether the freeway could be opened. Other ways of transportation and other freeways like the 15 and the 60 would need to be used.

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Jewish Couple Targeted	12/21/23	3:00pm	15:00	The Bottom Line

State Issue – A Jewish couple was targeted on their way to a synagogue in Beverly Hills, California and they aren't the only ones. Jewish hate in California has risen since the Israel-Hamas War began by 300%. Residents in California have also gone out of their way to find protection, according to firearm shops who have seen an uptick in guns and ammunition being purchased.

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War in Israel, the Houthis of Yemen	12/23/23	7:30am	26:50	Eye to Eye

International Issue – This program is from the Jewish point of view. Ari and Norma continue the discussion of the war in Israel. This week they compare how illegal immigration in our country is similar to how Israel allowed Hamas to enter their country before the war began. They also compare what is taking place in the Red Sea with the Houthis from Yemen and what Hamas has done and is doing in Israel.