

88.9 KETR  
 Issues and Programs Report  
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Discussion: 88.9 KETR airs a number of long-form programs that give significant treatment to issues facing its audiences and the local community.

Issue	Date	Time	Duration	Description
Immigration	4/15/2023	17:00	0:54:01	Latino USA: Unaware they're being deceived, Diego and Mario join the H-2A visa program through a local recruiter in Mexico. Meanwhile, the program is experiencing explosive growth.
immigration	4/22/2023	17:00	0:54:00	Latino USA: We examine the discriminatory and exploitative practices inside a seasonal farm worker program developed during World War II that set the basis for the creation of H-2A.
Crime	4/29/2023	17:00	0:54:01	Latino USA: Gloria Martinez's son walked out the door one day and never came back. His disappearance would be revealed to be part of a massive scandal in Colombia involving the military.
Immigration	5/20/2023	17:00	0:54:01	Latino USA: The story of Reyes, who would leave school early in spring and return late in fall, spending the months between picking asparagus, weeding fields, and earning money to help support his family.
Government	6/3/2023	17:00	0:54:01	Latino USA: Maria Hinojosa meets Caitlyne Gonzales, a young survivor of the Uvalde massacre and learns how she's doing since the mass shooting. We also look at the lack of response from law enforcement that day.
Health	6/10/2023	17:00	0:54:01	Latino USA: There are 28 million uninsured people in the United States, and for some of them, free clinics are their safety net. Latino USA goes inside the biggest free clinic in the nation.
Government	6/17/2023	17:00	0:54:01	Latino USA: We meet Martha López, one of the participants of Los Angeles' guaranteed income program.
Government	4/8/23	12:00	0:29:00	Texas Matters: The Texas GOPs anti-voting bills in the legislature and a Texas business man secretly paid for Justice Clarence Thomas's lavish vacations
Government	4/22/2023	12:00	0:29:00	Texas Matters: Texas legislature engages in voter suppression again. The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality isn't and How Texas is being held back from renewable power.
Government	4/29/2023	12:00	0:29:00	Texas Matters: What happens when the penalty for illegal voting is a felony and State Senator Roland Gutierrez on the legislative session and challenging Ted Cruz
Health	5/6/2023	12:00	0:29:00	Texas Matters: He stood up to Gov. Greg Abbott and SB8 when he performed an illegal abortion, and he dared people to sue him — and they did. Dr. Alan Braid tells his story
Government	5/13/2023	12:00	0:29:00	Texas Matters: Sen Roland Gutierrez on legislative update, the racist history of school vouchers and the battle over Texas History
Government	5/20/2023	12:00	0:29:00	Texas Matters: Rep Colin Alred and his running for U.S. Senate. And Texas taxes electric cars
Crime	5/27/2023	12:00	0:29:00	Texas Matters: the pending impeachment of Texas Attorney General Ken Paxton
Government	6/3/2023	12:00	0:29:00	Texas Matters: what the legislature did to voting rights and how a stripper is fighting back against San Antonio's anti-nudity ordinance
Government	6/10/2023	12:00	0:29:00	Texas Matters: Chandra Villanueva is the director of policy and advocacy at Every Texans. She explains the fight over lowering property taxes.
Health	6/17/2023	12:00	0:29:00	Texas Matters: The dangers of urban heat islands and what can be done about them.

Health	4/22/2023	12:30	0:30:00	51%: The accessibility of the key abortion medication mifepristone hangs in the balance after a federal judge in Texas ruled earlier this month to suspend the Food & Drug Administration's approval of the drug. On this week's 51%, we discuss the ins and outs of the case.
Government	4/29/2023	12:30	0:30:00	51%: The Supreme Court has ruled to protect access to the key abortion pill mifepristone for now, as a legal battle over its 23-year approval by the Food and Drug Administration makes its way through the courts. On this week's 51%, we speak with Columbia Law School's Katherine Franke about the Texas case that started it all, and what lies ahead in America's struggle over abortion rights.
Health	5/20/2023	12:30	0:30:00	On this week's 51%, we speak with Dr. Brooke Ellison, associate professor of health policy and medical ethics at Stony Brook University. After a car accident left her paralyzed from the neck down at just 11 years old, Ellison became the first quadriplegic to graduate from Harvard University, with degrees in cognitive neuroscience and public policy. In her latest memoir, "Look Both Ways," Ellison reflects on how her understanding of her disability has matured – and how we can all thrive as a result of our experiences.
Crime	6/3/2023	13:30	0:30:00	On this week's 51%: the month of June is National Gun Violence Awareness month. We hear from Jaclyn Schildkraut, executive director of the Regional Gun Violence Research Consortium, about how the country's epidemic is impacting children and schools.