RADIO STATION KVNN-AM, VICTORIA, TEXAS QUARTERLY ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST 1st OUARTER - 2019

Listed below are some of the significant issues responded to by Radio Station KVNN-AM, along with the most significant programming treatment of those issues for the period January 1, 2019 to March 31, 2019. The listing is by no means exhaustive or all-inclusive. These issues were in part ascertained through discussions with service-providers and general interaction of station staff with the community, and staff knowledge of the community and area occurrences. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect any particular priority.

The following issues were principal topics or themes within the station's weekly public affairs program, "Issues Today" (IT), which is broadcast on Sunday Mornings at 7:00am. Each program has a normal running time (or length) in the range of 29 to 30 minutes. Each program is usually in two or three parts, each dealing with separate topics and issues.

Hunger/Poverty - 01/06/19 - IT - Interview with Noreen Springstead, Representative of Hunger Project, about the results of a hunger survey, and about the growing number of people who are experiencing hunger.

Social Media/Legal Defense – 01/06/19 – IT Interview with Joryn Jenkins, Attorney and Author, about the ramifications of tweeting in the courtroom, and about growing tolerance for communication devices in legal arenas.

Grief/Communication - 01/06/19 - IT - Interview with Dr. Lisa Shulman, Loss Expert and Author, with some tips for people dealing with loss in their lives, and about the need for better communication between family members.

Environment/Big Government - 01/13/19 - IT - Interview with Jamie Rapport-Clark, Environmental Expert, about the possible bad effects on the environment if a border wall is built, and about the loss of some conservation laws because of the Trump administration.

Legal System/Workplace Issues – 01/13/19 – IT – Interview with Chris Ayers, Attorney and Author, about the need for better protections for whistleblowers, and about the positive results of whistleblowers on society.

Addiction/Communication – 01/13/19 – IT – Interview with John Collopy, Addiction Recovery Expert, about why addiction recovery is so difficult, and about the need for better communication regarding addiction.

National Healthcare/Consumerism – 01/20/19 – IT – Interview with Eric Wilson, Health Care Advocate, about the changes in Obamacare that are taking place, and about the need for more flexible medical plans as a way to save cost.

Human Trafficking/Consumerism – 01/20/19 – IT – Interview with Raleigh Sadler, Founder of Let My People Go, about the growing problem of human trafficking around the country and in the U.S., and about ways the public can fight the problem as well.

Police Shootings/Community Outreach – 01/20/19 – IT – Interview with Lance LoRusso, Attorney and Author, about police shootings and how the proceedings against officers can sometimes be unfair, and about the need for better education to the public.

Health/Seniors – 01/27/19 – IT – Interview with Dr. Hooman Azmi, Director of the Division of Functional and Restorative Neurosurgery at Hackensack Meridian UMC, about new treatments for Parkinson's disease, and about the need for more information for caregivers.

Economy/Minimum Wage - 01/27/19 - IT - Interview with Jeff Socha, Managing Partner at ARK Financial, about the growing minimum wage controversy, and about the effects on the economy.

Economy/Stress – 01/27/19 – IT – Interview with Elizabeth Kozack, Vice President of Product Safety and Customer Experience at Marcus by Goldman Sachs, with some tips for financial fitness, and about how budgeting is necessary.

Seniors/Charitable Donations - 02/03/19 - IT - Interview with Yvonne Streit, Founder and Director of The Brookwood Community, about the need for more charitable giving, and about how to find the projects that suit you.

Youth/Health - 02/03/19 - IT - Interview with Dr. Steve Moravec, Orthodontist, about home braces and why people need professionals to help with the process, and about kid's oral health.

Obesity/Health - 02/03/19 - IT - Interview with Dr. Earl Mindell, Author of "New Vitamin Bible," with some tips on healthy snacking, and about the growing problem of obesity.

Women/Sexual Abuse - 02/10/19 - IT - Interview with Teresa Gil, Parenting Expert and Author, about the effects of abuse on parenting, and about the need for better communication between parents and kids.

Economy/Big Government - 02/10/19 - IT - Interview with Taylor Letterman, Cryptocurrency Analyst and Trader, about the pros and cons of cryptocurrency, and about the need for more education on how the currencies work.

Alcoholism/Stress - 02/10/19 - IT - Interview with Randy Mason, Psycho-Therapist and Author, about the growing problem of alcoholism, and about stress involved with addiction.

Youth/Health – 02/17/19 – IT – Interview with Dr. Kevin Ross Emery, ADHD Expert and Author, with some tips for parents who have kids with ADHD, and about some of the pharmaceutical treatments for the disease.

Unemployment/Stress - 02/17/19 - IT - Interview with Dr. Natalie Peart, Clinical Psychologist and Fortune 500 Consultant, about ways to have a successful career, and about stress in jobs and career building.

Opioid Crisis/Health - 02/17/19 - IT - Interview with Dr. Harold Minkowitz, Assoc. Professor and Assoc. Dir. Of Clinical Research at The University of Texas, about a new non-opioid treatment for pain called HTX-11, and about the need for more over-the-counter treatments.

Racism/Education - 02/24/19 - IT - Interview with Dr. Jomo Mutegi, Science Education Assoc. Professor at Indiana University Purdue University, Indianapolis, about possible racism in STEM education classes, and about the need for more women to join classes.

Stress/Economy - 02/24/19 - IT - Interview with Dan Keady, Chief Financial Planning Strategist at TIAA, about stress in the stock market and how people can be more calm about investments, and about the state of the economy.

Youth/Health - 02/24/19 - IT - Interview with Dr. Mary Dale Peterson, President-Elect of American Society of Anesthesiologists, about the increasing problem of children who take opioids, and about better dialogue between doctor and patients.

Education/Youth - 03/03/19 - IT - Interview with Ty Brown, Founder and Executive Director of Brooklyn United Music and Arts Program, about a new way to educate kids in the inner city, and about the legacy of Martin Luther King.

Big Government/High Taxes - 03/03/19 - IT - Interview with Richard Green, Former IRS Agent and Author, about the inner workings of the IRS, and about precautions taxpayers should take.

Youth/Education – 03/03/19 – IT – Interview with Lois Letchford, Education Author, about her work with her son in homeschooling him after negative test scores from public school, as well as some tips for parents.

Big Government/Inequality - 03/10/19 - IT - Interview with Dr. Gene Richard Moss, Psychiatrist at Science of Human Behavior, defining Democratic Socialism, and about inequality issues in the U.S.

Women/Sexual Harassment - 03/10/19 - IT - Interview with Dr. Warren Farrell, Author of "The Boy Crisis," about the state of males in U.S. society, and about sexual harassment scandals.

Culture/Spiritual Growth - 03/10/19 - IT - Interview with Kirk Taylor, Actor, about the importance of culture in society, and about spiritual growth.

Artificial Intelligence/Education – 03/17/19 – IT – Interview with Murat Bicak, Senior VP of Project Management Institute, about the ramifications of artificial intelligence, and about how education will have to change to create more jobs.

Education/Youth – 03/17/19 – IT – Interview with John Dunn, Former MY City School Board Member, about the increasing problem of helicopter parents, and about how educators have had to change their disciplinary tactics.

Diversity/Racism - 03/17/19 - IT - Interview with Patrick Kilpatrick, Actor and Author, about the culture in Hollywood and their efforts to increase diversity, and about racism.

Environment/Economy - 03/24/19 - IT - Interview with Jack Kerfoot, Author and Researcher, about the proposed provisions of the New Green Deal, and about effects on the economy.

Taxes/Communication - 03/24/19 - IT - Interview with Dan Pilla, Tax Litigation Consultant, about some do's and don'ts in dealing with the IRS, and about the effects of the new tax laws.

Artificial Intelligence/Consumerism - 03/24/19 - IT - Interview with DJ Sebastian, Artificial Intelligence Expert, about the increasing use of artificial intelligence in society, and about effects on the economy.

Environment/Conservation - 03/31/19 - IT - Interview with Noah Horowitz, Director of Center for Energy Efficiency Standards, about their efforts to set tougher energy efficiency standards for light bulbs, and about the plusses of LED bulbs and their energy savings.

Community Awareness/Communication – 03/31/19 – IT – Interview with Quint Studer, Founder of Studer Community Institute, about the importance of community, and about their efforts to make new neighbors welcome and involved.

Unemployment/Economy – 03/31/19 – IT – Interview with Beatrice Pang, Communications Director with WONOLO.COM, about their app that pairs employees with those looking for short-term gigs, and about the importance of the gig economy.