

Issues/Programs List

Quarterly Issues Programs List for WOCK-CD

Apr 1, 2021 – June 30, 2021

Section I. Issues

1. <Korean American Community>

- Teaching Equitable Asian American Community History (TEAACH) Act amended Illinois School Code in April 2021
- 'Trauma upon trauma': Asian Americans say mental health has suffered amid COVID-19, anti-Asian violence
- What do AAPI women think about U.S. AAPI policy?
- The Complicated Legacy and Future of Chicago's Koreatown
- Open Conversations about Microaggressions and the Asian American Community

<Immigration>

- Some immigrants shut out of stimulus; other mixed-status households will get COVID-19 relief check
- Census canvassing begins in Chicago, focusing on immigrant communities
- Hundreds gather in Union Park to fight for rights for workers on May Day
- May Day march activists call for US immigration reform, fair work accommodations
- White Supremacy's Impact on AAPI Communities

2. <Local Issues>

- A grocery store is coming to North Lawndale in area that has struggled with food access
- Lightfoot's plan for South and West sides gains traction
- Former meatpacking plant turned into collaborative community of farming and small food business
- Amazon plans warehouse, hundreds of jobs in Humboldt Park

- West Side groups unite to bring more healthy food options to Austin

<Korean American Community>

Apr 2 / 3 minutes: - Teaching Equitable Asian American Community History (TEAACH) Act amended Illinois School Code in April 2021

Apr 9 / 4 minutes: 'Trauma upon trauma': Asian Americans say mental health has suffered amid COVID-19, anti-Asian violence

Apr 30 / 4 minutes: What do AAPI women think about U.S. AAPI policy?

June 11 / 3 min: The Complicated Legacy and Future of Chicago's Koreatown

June 26 / 3 min: Open Conversations about Microaggressions and the Asian American Community

<Local Issues>

Apr 19 / 3 min: A grocery store is coming to North Lawndale in area that has struggled with food access

Apr 28 / 2 min: Lightfoot's plan for South and West sides gains traction

May 15 / 2 min: Former meatpacking plant turned into collaborative community of farming and small food business

June 22 / 3 min: Amazon plans warehouse, hundreds of jobs in Humboldt Park

June 30 / 3 min: West Side groups unite to bring more healthy food options to Austin

<National>

Apr 3 / 2 min: NASA's Ingenuity Mars Helicopter Gets Set for Historic First Flight on Another World

Apr 28 / 3 min: Biden to Seek \$80 Billion to Bolster IRS, Tax Enforcement

May 13 / 2 min: House Republicans Oust Liz Cheney From Leadership for Defying Trump

May 22 / 3 min: Biden Administration Grants Haitians Reprieve From Deportations

May 31 / 4 min: Biden Calls for Defense of Democracy on Memorial Day

<Immigration >

Apr 11 / 2 min: Some immigrants shut out of stimulus; other mixed-status households will get COVID-19 relief check

Apr 20 / 3 min: Census canvassing begins in Chicago, focusing on immigrant communities

May 1 / 3 min: Hundreds gather in Union Park to fight for rights for workers on May Day

May 2 / 2 min: May Day march activists call for US immigration reform, fair work

accommodations

May 30/ 3 min: White Supremacy's Impact on AAPI Communities