

Description of Issue	Program/Segment	Date	Time	Duration	Narration of Type and Description of Program/Segment
1. Changes to law in Los Angeles County and the State of California	Inside America	4/11/22	10:00 – 10:20 a.m.	20 min.	In the California Legislature, AB2932 seeks to create the nation's first 4-day work week law. The goal of this bill is to reduce the current work week from 5 days/40-hours to 4 days/32-hours. Not all California workers would be eligible, but companies with at least 500 employees would qualify. Not all companies, however, support this proposal, saying that the change will result in additional labor costs for them.
2. Community: Hate Crimes	In the News	4/15/22	2:00 – 2:20 p.m.	20 min.	The recent surge in hate crimes against Asians and Asian-Americans has changed the daily lives of Asians across the country including, of course, in California and Los Angeles County. It is difficult for people to even feel at ease going out to work or doing other routine activities without some degree of apprehension for their own safety.
3. Law/Small Businesses	Reporter's Notebook	4/30/22	10:00 – 10:20 a.m.	20 min.	Public Interest Litigation is a system designed to protect the rights and interests of citizens and residents, but indiscriminate litigation that exploits this system has resulted in many business closures. In particular, Korean and other minority-owned small businesses have suffered enormous financial damage. In these instances, it remains to be seen whether or not the Los Angeles and San Francisco prosecutors will be able to reduce the number of Public Interest lawsuits that are filed by large law firms against small businesses in the name of Public Interest Litigation.
4. Public Health/Covid-19	Reporter's Notebook	5/7/22	9:30 – 9:50 a.m.	20 min.	Federal Census Bureau data released in December 2021 show that, because of the Covid-19 Pandemic, the number of people moving into the United States from abroad has dropped to its lowest level in decades. California cites the pandemic, the affordable housing shortage, and enhanced immigration screening policies as factors that have led to a decline in the state.
5. Community: Housing	Inside America	5/17/22	2:00 – 2:20 p.m.	20 min.	The search for affordable housing in Southern California, especially in the rental market, has become fiercely competitive. The supply of available units cannot keep pace with the demand; this results in astronomical monthly rents that continue to rise annually at the maximum amount allowed by law.
6. Community: Gun Violence	Reporter's Notebook	5/28/22	2:00 – 2:20 p.m.	20 min.	Data shows that while deaths from gun violence are on the rise in the United States, as seen in the recent school shooting of 19 students at Robb Elementary in Uvalde, Texas, deaths from gun violence in California have decreased 10% since 2005. This points to the success of more stringent legislation governing the sale and possession of guns.
7. Economy: Inflation	Morning Focus	6/6/22	9:30 – 9:50 a.m.	20 min.	In this time of record high inflation, consumers are feeling frustrated with companies large and small passing on increased oil/energy costs directly on to the consumer. These increases, sometimes called "fee bombs", include increased prices at the pump and on menus, credit card transaction fees, and subsidizing the cost of employee health insurance, among others.
8. Politics: CA Primary	Into the News	6/10/22	10:00 – 10:20 a.m.	20 min.	The CA Primary Election was held on June 7. California has historically been a solid Democratic stronghold; however, preliminary analysis of these primary results is raising concerns that the winds of change may be blowing even here. There is increasing dissatisfaction with the Democratic Party as inflation soars, gas prices continue to spike, affordable housing seems unattainable, robberies and other crimes are on the increase, and the huge problem of homelessness looms over many communities in the state.
9. Economics: Interest Rates	Press Handbook	6/25/22	9:30 – 9:50 a.m.	20 min.	Last week, the Federal Reserve raised a key interest rate by 0.75%, the largest single increase in many years. This was done in an attempt to rein in inflation and prevent the economy from sliding into recession. If the June CPI numbers which will be released in July do not change dramatically, the Federal Reserve's options will be very limited. Many economists now believe that the economy will enter a recession in the first or second quarter of 2023.