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Issue #1: Weather and Wildfires. During October, November,and December in 2022 KUNC served the community by reporting on major weather instances and wildfire coverage. Close to the one year aniversary of the Marshal Fire that desatroyed more than 1,000 homes in Boulder County. Another fire broke out, the Sunshine Wildland Fire. Although not as devestating as the Marshal Fire, the KUNC Newsroom was quick to react and inform the listening area. Late in December, the listening area experienced some significant weather, again, the KUNC Newsroom was present to deliver important information the community.				
12/27/2022	Morning Edition / All Things Considered	6:00AM, 8:00AM, 10:00AM & 3:30PM, 4:30PM	45 Seconds	Southwest cancels over 300 flights from Denver International Airport. Southwest Airlines canceled over 300 flights Tuesday at Denver International Airport. This is just one of the thousands of cancellations nationwide over the past few days.
12/20/2022	Morning Edition / All Things Considered	6:30AM, 8:30AM, 9:30AM & 4PM, 5PM, and 6PM	45 Seconds	KUNC live hosts provided live resoutces for those affected by the Sunshine Wildland Fire. KUNC newscasters also provided ways for people to assist outside of the affected area. This brought the community together in Weld, Larimer, and Boulder Counties.
12/19/2022	Morning Edition / All Things Considered	6:00AM, 8:00AM, 10:00AM & 3:30PM, 4:30PM	45 Seconds	A wildfire on Monday afternoon has prompted an evacuation order in Boulder County. Evacuations are in place for Pine Brook Hills and the area west of Foothills Community Park. Hikers are also being evacuated from Mount Sanitas. The Boulder County Sheriff's Department issued an evacuation order around 2:12 p.m. KUNC Newscasters and reporters delivered vital information in real time serving Boulder County.
Issue #2: Water Conservation Across Colorado and the West. KUNC has a dedicated reporting desk that focuses exclusively on water conservation and the Coloraod River Watershed. As the Coloraod River continues to expereince declines, the ability for dams to generate power and agricultural impacts continue to loom. KUNC focuses on water and water conservation issues becasue our community in Boulder, Larimer, Weld, and the Denver metro area have provided feedback that this is a crucial issue they care about.				
12/21/2022	Morning Edition / All Things Considered	7:45AM, 9:45AM & 4:44PM	4 minutes 30 seconds	The Ogallala Aquifer is a vast, underground water supply that lies beneath 8 states, including parts of Eastern Colorado. Many farmers on the eastern plains depend on it as a reliable source of water to irrigate their crops. But the aquifer is drying up. The future of what it means for KUNC's argicultural listeners was a focus of this story.
12/12/202	Morning Edition / All Things Considered	7:45AM, 9:45AM & 4:44PM	4 minutes 10 seconds	New forecasts for the Colorado River paint a grim picture. Climate change and steady demand are shrinking the water supply for 40 million people. At the nation's largest dams, that means the ability to generate hydropower could soon be under threat. KUNC reporters introduced us to the Glen Canyon Dam. Once a mighty piece of Western infrastructure, now possibly unable to function.
12/19/2022	Morning Edition	6:45AM, 8:45AM	3 minutes, 45 seconds	'It is going to take real cuts to everyone': Leaders meet to decide the future of the Colorado River. Policymakers from the seven states that use water from the Colorado River gathered in Las Vegas to discuss its future as climate change shrinks supply. KUNC newscasters and editors helped craft stories and important facts from this conference.
12/22/2022	Morning Edition / All Things Considered	6:45AM, 8:45AM & 3:44PM	4 minutes 10 seconds	Colorado River Compact. The Colorado River's foundational legal document turns 100 years old this month. The agreement among seven western states was groundbreaking for its time. However, the Compact continues to contribute to the southwest's water crisis. KUNC reporters continue to report and analyze that main points of the Compact and get the facts to the listeners in Weld, Larimer, and Boulder Counties.
Issue #3: Politics -State Capitol reporting. KUNC reporters serve the listeners of Weld, Larimer, Boulder Counties, and the Denver metro area by reporting on politics and legislative issues from Colorado's capitol. During the 4th quarter of 2022, there were the mid term elections and in addition to live coverage on election night, KUNC reporters, newscasters, and editors informed the audience with in depth analysis of major ballot issues.				
12/27/2022	Morning Edition / All Things Considered	6:30AM, 8:30AM, 9:30AM & 4PM, 5PM, and 6PM	45 Seconds	Colorado's egg-laying hens get room to spread their wings in 2023. Egg-laying hens in Colorado will get more living space starting January 1. The new rule will limit how many chickens can be kept in each cage, and it's part of legislation passed in 2020. According to that same legislation, all eggs sold in Colorado must come from cage-free hens — but that rule doesn't fully kick in until January 1, 2025.
12/19/2022	Morning Edition / All Things Considered	7:45AM, 9:45AM & 4:44PM	4 minutes, 14 seconds	Some Colorado lawmakers are upset with the state's new office of Gun Violence Prevention. Legislators created the office almost two years ago. They said it would save lives by focusing on things like firearm safety and using the state's new red flag law to take guns away from dangerous people. KUNC's Investigave Reporting Unit found the office has done little of that work, and lawmakers have questions.
11/7/2022	Morning Edition / All Things Considered	7:45AM, 9:45AM & 4:44PM	4 minutes, 27 seconds	Election Security. Colorado's election workers are on high alert. Threats have caused many of the state's county clerks to reinforce their offices with new locks, walls and bulletproof glass. And some are taking other surprising steps to keep themselves safe despite new laws meant to protect them. KUNC reporters and editors reported on how election workers are adapting to the increased scrutiny, and stress.
11/2/2022	Morning Edition / All Things Considered	7:45AM, 9:45AM & 4:44PM	4 minutes, 23 seconds	Prop 124 Analysis. One of Colorado's statewide ballot questions could shake up the liquor store industry. Some store owners are fighting for a chance to expand their business. But others fear relaxing liquor laws meant to discourage chains could allow an out of state superstore to wipe out several mom and pop shops. The battle over Proposition 124 is expensive, and personal.
10/31/2022	Morning Edition / All Things Considered	7:45AM, 9:45AM & 3:44PM	4 minutes, 30 seconds	Latino Victory Project. The midterm elections are next Tuesday. And many Coloradans will be voting based on the issues they care about most… like climate change. This includes Latino Voters. To help them make an informed decision about this issue, the Latino Victory Project started the "Vote Like a Madre" movement in 2020. KUNC aired an interview with the group's President and CEO Nathalie Rayes.
Issue #4: Indigenous and Underserved Communities' Stories. Part of KUNC's commintment to Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion means we dedicate a portion of our reporting to issues of underserved and marginalized communites. As a critical news service in Weld, Boulder, and Larimer counties, our reporting on these communites serves the listener by educating them on issues they may not have realized, and gives a voice to those communities that are often ignored and overlooked.				
12/23/2022	Morning Edition / All Things Considered	6:30AM, 8:30AM, 9:30AM & 4PM, 5PM, and 6PM	55 seconds	The number of Indian boarding schools in Colorado grows as researchers continue investigation. Colorado was home to roughly 10 schools that assimilated Native students during the late 1800s and early 1900s, according to a new report by History Colorado. The U.S. government established the schools to forcibly dismantle the cultural identities of young Native Americans. A Department of Interior investigation released earlier this year identified five schools in Colorado.
12/14/2022, 12/15/2022, 12/16/2022	Morning Edition / All Things Considered	SERIES ran daily at 7:45AM, 9:45AM & 3:44PM	4 minutes, 30 seconds	Saving Amache Series. It's been some 80 years since thousands of Japanese Americans were sent to live in internment camps in our region. Now the National Park Service is developing plans to restore one of those sites. KUNC reporter Emma VandenEinde reported on the plan a 3 part series, 'Saving Amache'.
12/9/2022	Morning Edition / All Things Considered	7:45AM, 9:45AM & 4:44PM	4 minutes, 4 seconds	Native Student Grant. Native students have the lowest college attendance rates of any ethnic and racial group. One of the biggest barriers is the cost. To tackle this, Colorado lawmakers passed a bill last year that requires state schools to offer in-state tuition to any student who is a member of a Native Nation with historical ties to the state… regardless of where they live. One public university took this a step further, removing this financial barrier altogether.
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