

# *Radio Bilingüe Network and Affiliates Stations - Problems and Issues Report*

## *4th Quarter October 1, 2023 - December 31, 2023*

<i>AIR DATE</i>	<i>TIME</i>	<i>TYPE</i>	<i>ORIGIN</i>	<i>TOPIC1</i>	<i>TOPIC2</i>
10/2/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	ARTS	
<b>FUND</b>					
<b>HEADLINE</b> "100 Ways to Cross the Border."					
<b>PROGRAM</b> This is a conversation with writer, performance artist and activist Guillermo Gómez-Peña about a film that documents his career and his performance troupe La Pocha Nostra. The documentary, titled "100 Ways to Cross the Border," features footage from his personal archive, highlighting the impact of his work on Latinx identity, gender politics and border perspectives.					
Guest: Guillermo Gómez-Peña, Mexican/Chicano Performance Artist, Writer, Activist, Artistic Director La Pocha Nostra, San Francisco, CA.					
10/3/2023	11:00-12:00	REPEAT	FRESNO	MUSIC	
<b>FUND</b>					
<b>HEADLINE</b> Extra Edition: Suni Paz: Bandera Mía. (Program repeat).					
<b>PROGRAM</b> This is a conversation with veteran folk singer and songwriter Suni Paz on her album 'Bandera Mía', a collection of Argentine folk rhythms and her autobiography book titled 'Destellos y Sombras'. She also premieres her arrangement Corrido de la Educación, a tune from the Chicano movement adapted to the current cry for literacy and excellence in education. This program was the prologue for Línea Abierta's kick off of a year-long series to help Latino kids use their best cultural values to make it through college. This archival program, originally aired on November 19, 2007, is repeated on occasion of Latino Heritage Month..					
Guests: Suni Paz, New Song Singer and Songwriter, Henderson, NV.					
10/3/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	IMMIGRATION	
<b>FUND</b>					
<b>HEADLINE</b> Immigration Edition.					
<b>PROGRAM</b> Venezuelan migrants who are finding shelter in New York speak of their urgent need to get a work permit, while advocates give their perspective on President Biden's decision to give TPS protection to Venezuelans. In other news, a Mexican national arrested in Florida for human smuggling, became the first case under a new law targeting people who drive migrants. The Mexican consul, who is providing legal representation, examines this case. Finally, despite widespread feelings of pessimism among white people in the US, a large majority of migrants surveyed in a national poll reported feeling good about their quest to seek a better future for themselves and their kids. Despite facing a number of challenges, such as hard work, poor living conditions and discrimination, they say they would do it again. Listeners are encouraged to call in.					
Guests: Marco Vinicio González, Reporter, New York City, NY; Gerardo Guzmán, Reporter, Atlanta, GA; Juan Sabines Guerrero, Consul of Mexico in Orlando, Orlando, FL.					

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10/4/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	POLITICS	
<b>FUND</b>	McCarthy Ousted, Earlier Avoids Government Shutdown.				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	The ouster of Kevin McCarthy as Speaker of the U.S. House of Representatives stoked an internal power struggle in Congress, where negotiations are ongoing to avoid another looming government shutdown that could affect more than 40 million low-income people. How is this struggle between Democrats and Republicans actually happening? Why are these events of concern in interpreting the efficiency of Washington's current tasks?				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	<p>Guests: John Duarte, US House Representative, R-California, Washington, DC; José López Zamorano, US Capitol Reporter, Washington, DC; Mariafernanda "Marifer" Zacarias, National Engagement Director, Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee-DCCC, Washington, DC.</p> <p>Sen. Dianne Feinstein's Replacement is Announced. Senator Dianne Feinstein, a powerful politician who spent more than 30 years in office, has died. Her death prompted intense pressure on Gov. Newsom to quickly designate a replacement, as a divided Congress faced a government shutdown over a spending plan. Newsom had promised to appoint a Black woman as an interim replacement. And he delivered. He appointed Laphonza Butler to fill the vacant seat, becoming the first LGBTQ+ and Black person to represent California in the Senate. Who is Laphonza Butler? How does her appointment impact the Senate race?</p> <p>Guest: Alexei Koseff, State Capitol Reporter, CalMatters, Sacramento, CA.</p> <p>Menéndez, Under Pressure to Resign. Despite resignation calls from many Democrats, Sen. Bob Menéndez is defiant and says he will stay. The senator from New Jersey was indicted and pleaded not guilty of bribery charges. What's the position of Latino lawmakers in Congress?</p> <p>Guest: José López Zamorano, US Capitol Reporter, Washington, D.C.</p> <p>Photo: Speaker Kevin McCarthy via Facebook</p>				
10/5/2023	11:00-12:00	LIVE	FRESNO	POLITICS	
<b>FUND</b>	CVJV-2561				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Extra Edition: New Laws in California.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	<p>In recent days, California Gov. Gavin Newsom has signed a number of bills expanding protections. Analysts comment on some new laws, including one raising wages for fast food workers, another one raising taxes on guns to pay for school safety, one more strengthening access to abortion, and a new law banning book bans.</p> <p>Guest: Araceli Martínez, Reporter, Los Angeles, CA.</p> <p>Doctors Encouraged to Work in Underserved Areas. Communities in California's San Joaquin Valley are served by very few doctors. In an effort to fill this critical shortage, US legislators are pushing to bring more doctors to those communities in most need by expanding training opportunities in local hospitals. The California legislature is also joining efforts to recruit Spanish-speaking doctors.</p> <p>Guest: Esther Quintanilla, Diverse Communities Reporter, KVPR – Central Valley News Collaborative, Fresno, CA.</p>				

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10/5/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	HEALTH	
<b>FUND</b>	TCE-2442				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Mexican Doctors Come to Help Rural California.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	Hospitals and clinics around California have faced a critical shortage of Latino doctors for years. This could lead to worsen the health situation for the state's Latino communities. To address this need of tens of thousands of doctors, the state is bringing physicians from Mexico to see patients. How is this program working?				
	Guests: Laura Castro Castrezana, MD, Licensed Physicians from Mexico Pilot Program-LPMPP, AltaMed, Huntington Park, CA; Sandra Sanchez, Program Manager, Licensed Physicians from Mexico Pilot Program-LPMPP, AltaMed, Los Angeles, CA.				
	Toxic Recovery Work. As natural disasters become more intense, exacerbated by climate change, building companies in the disaster recovery business are reaping huge profits. Their workers, on the other hand, many of them immigrants, end up poisoned and sick after the clean up. A reporter involved in the journalistic investigation discusses their findings.				
	Guest: María Inés Zamudio, Author, Center for Public Integrity, Chicago, IL.				
10/6/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	MEXICO	MEXICO	
<b>FUND</b>	Mexico Edition.				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	55 years after Mexico was shaken by the worst massacre of modern history against mostly students, some marched in Mexico City to remember and others denounce similarities with the mass disappearance of rural students from Ayotzinapa. This is a report about the acts of remembrance. Also, political analysts comment on the upcoming summit of foreign ministers from Mexico and Central America on migration, protective measures for transmigrants, and the migrant crisis in Chiapas, on the Mexican southern border.				
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	Guest: Prof. José María Ramos, Social Researcher, El Colegio de la Frontera Norte-COLEF, Tijuana, Baja California, Mexico.				
10/9/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	RACIAL JUSTICE	
<b>FUND</b>	TCE-2442				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Saving Indigenous Languages from Disappearing.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	Almost 2/3 of Mexico's 68 indigenous languages are on the verge of disappearing. More than half of the world's languages will become extinct in this century. Every two weeks a language disappears. What's threatening the survival of indigenous languages? What else is lost when a language disappears? How to save them from extinction? On the day the US celebrates Indigenous Peoples, promoters of the teaching of indigenous languages in the United States discuss the issue.				
	Guests: Dr. Américo Mendoza-Mori, Director of the Latinx Studies Working Group, Harvard University, and founder of the Quechua Initiative on Global Indigenism, Cambridge, MA; Prof. Natalia Brizuela, Endowed Chair of the Class of 1930, Center for Latin American and Caribbean Studies, Professor in the departments of Film & Media and Spanish & Portuguese, UC Berkeley, Berkeley, CA.				
	Banning Caste Discrimination. Fresno, California, became the second US city to ban caste discrimination to protect some communities from India and Mexico from bias. Now, a bill at Gov. Newsom's desk could extend the ban to the whole state, making California the first state in the country to officially outlaw caste-based discrimination. Promoters of the bill explain the details.				
	Guests: Dr. Gaspar Rivera-Salgado, Project Director, UCLA Labor Center Director, UCLA Center for Mexican Studies, Los Angeles, CA.				

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10/10/2023	11:00-12:00	REPEAT	FRESNO	MUSIC	
<b><i>FUND</i></b>					
<b><i>HEADLINE</i></b>	Extra Edition: Mariachi Pioneer Nati Cano (Program repeat).				
<b><i>PROGRAM</i></b>	Maestro Nati Cano, a virtuoso of traditional Mexican music, joined this program in anticipation of Radio Bilingue's XIX Annual Viva el Mariachi! Festival in Fresno, CA. Natividad "Nati" Cano talked about the first years of Los Camperos and of his lifetime commitment to promote folk music and popular composers, as opposed to innovative or classical or modern musical styles. He founded Los Camperos in Los Angeles nearly forty years ago. Nati spoke about his plans to celebrate the fortieth anniversary of Mariachi Los Camperos with a CD recording produced with Orquesta Sinfonica de Guadalajara. This archival program, originally aired on February 27, 2001, is repeated on occasion of Latino Heritage Month and to mark the anniversary of the passing of Cano nine years ago.				
	Guest: Natividad "Nati" Cano, Mariachi Pioneer, NEA's National Heritage Fellow, Los Angeles, CA.				
10/10/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	IMMIGRATION	
<b><i>FUND</i></b>					
<b><i>HEADLINE</i></b>	Immigration Edition.				
<b><i>PROGRAM</i></b>	Denver, Chicago and San Jose, and other US cities, are seeing a massive influx of migrants being bused from Texas. In Denver, the number of migrants has increased so rapidly that the temporary shelters are filling to capacity and the city is asking the state for help from the National Guard. In other news, the Biden administration announced it will use executive powers to allow for continuing border wall construction. This action has renewed the political debate on the border wall.				
	Guest: David Donatti, Attorney, ACLU of Texas, Houston, TX				
10/11/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	HEALTH	
<b><i>FUND</i></b>					
<b><i>HEADLINE</i></b>	Kidney Care for Everyone.				
<b><i>PROGRAM</i></b>	Despite being the most at risk of dying and facing more challenges due to chronic kidney disease, Latinos and Blacks do not have the equal access to kidney care and kidney transplants. In response, a national organization that advocates for kidney patients is reaching out to Latino communities to promote kidney exams and health screenings and is launching a campaign to promote public policies that bring equity in kidney care.				
	Guest: Dr. Sylvia Rosas, Nephrologist, Epidemiologist, National President, National Kidney Foundation, Boston, MA.				

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<b><i>FUND</i></b>	CVJV-2561				
<b><i>HEADLINE</i></b>	Extra Edition: Largest Strike in the Healthcare Sector.				
<b><i>PROGRAM</i></b>	Tens of thousands of health workers went on strike last week in California, Colorado, Oregon and Washington and threaten more strikes if their demands over staffing and job outsourcing are not met. The strike against Kaiser Permanente, the largest healthcare non profit in the nation, is the largest ever in the US healthcare sector. What does this strike mean for patients and the healthcare industry? What's the state of the negotiations?				
	Guests: Valeska Castañeda Puerto, Representative, United Healthcare Workers West-UHW, Los Angeles, CA; Víctor Rodríguez, Labor Representative, Encino Medical Hospital Center, Los Angeles, CA.				
	How to Avoid Medi-Cal Disenrollment. Thousands continue getting disenrolled from Medi-Cal, despite being eligible. Most enrollees are unaware that the state is resuming disenrollments, and they may not know that they will need to renew their coverage. Why are Medicaid beneficiaries being kicked off of the program? What can they do to stay in the program or get reinstated?				
	Guest: Dr. Ilan Shapiro, Chief Health Correspondent and Chief Medical Officer, AltaMed, Los Angeles, CA.				
	Flood Victims Set to Sue Over Damage. Seven months after a series of heavy rains flooded farm working communities in California's San Joaquin Valley, neighbors from the city of Woodlake are taking steps to sue local and state agencies. They are holding local authorities responsible for the floods that destroyed their homes. What remedies do they seek?				
	Guest: Melissa Montalvo, Contributing Reporter, Fresno Bee, Central Valley News Collaborative, Fresno, CA.				
10/12/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	CONSUMER	
<b><i>FUND</i></b>	California Sues Oil Giants.				
<b><i>HEADLINE</i></b>	California is suing five of the biggest oil companies in the world, charging them with decades of deception, cover-up and tens of billions of dollars in damage. The state claims the five oil giants misled the public over the risks posed by fossil fuels and climate change and seeks to create a special fund to pay for recovery. What remedies are sought? What are the precedents? What remedies are sought? What to expect from the US Supreme Court?				
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	Guest: Javier Sierra, Environmental Expert, Washington, DC.				
	Indefinite national strike in Guatemala. After almost two weeks of protests, Guatemalan indigenous leaders maintain an indefinite strike to demand, among other things, the resignation of Attorney General Consuelo Porras, whom they accuse of plotting a coup d'état against President-elect Bernardo Arévalo and preventing him from taking office on January 14. What is causing the conflict in Guatemala? What are the solutions that can pave the way for the transfer of power?				
	Guests: Francisco Simón, Editor, Prensa Comunitaria, Researcher, San Carlos University-USAC, Guatemala City, Guatemala; Walter Batres, Activist, Guatemalan Migrant Network, Los Angeles, CA.				

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10/13/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	MEXICO	MEXICO	
<i><b>FUND</b></i>					
<i><b>HEADLINE</b></i>	Mexico Edition.				
<i><b>PROGRAM</b></i>	Mexico's immigration system is subjected to a tidal wave of people determined to reach the United States, with migrants from the southern part of the continent outnumbering those from Central America for the first time. Faced with the desperate situation and mass migration, the government's resources are put to the test, while repatriated migrants use their experiences to reinvent themselves upon their return to Mexico. In this program, an analyst explains the current migrant crisis in Mexico's southern border region, while a migrant explains how he has adapted to live and work back in his country.				
	Guests: Abbdel Camargo Martínez, CONACYT professor assigned to El Colegio de la Frontera Sur-ECOSUR, Tapachula Unit, within the Migration and Cross-Border Processes Studies Group; Salvador Carreón, Mexican migrant who returned to the country after his wife was deported.				
10/16/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	WAR	
<i><b>FUND</b></i>					
<i><b>HEADLINE</b></i>	Israeli-Palestinian Conflict Worsens.				
<i><b>PROGRAM</b></i>	After Hamas' brutal attack on Israeli cities, Israel forces responded with a ruthless counter strike on Gaza. Experts and journalists report on news developments as the humanitarian crisis reaches catastrophic proportions. What do we need to know about the conflict? What are the recent causes and consequences? What does it mean for Latinos in the US?				
	Guests: Gilberto Conde, Professor of Middle East and North Africa issues, Centro de Estudios de Asia y África, El Colegio de México, Mexico City, MX; Témoris Grecko, Journalist and Documentary Filmmaker, Mexico City, MX.				
	A Leaderless House. After Kevin McCarthy was ousted as Speaker, the US House entered a third week leaderless. With no one in charge, the House is unable to legislate. How is this Republican infighting and chaos impacting the nation?				
	Guest: Gerardo Guzmán, Reporter, Atlanta, GA.				
	What's New for Medicare. The Medicare Open Enrollment period begins this week. It's the annual time when more than 65 million people with Medicare can review their health and prescription drug coverage options and make changes. What's new this year? Who can participate in Medicare Open Enrollment? How to benefit from financial relief? What happens if people miss the deadline?				
	Guest: Carolina Fortín-García, Spokeswoman, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid, Washington, DC.				
10/17/2023	11:00-12:00	LIVE	FRESNO	EDUCATION	
<i><b>FUND</b></i>					
<i><b>HEADLINE</b></i>	Extra Edition: Colleges Helping Undocumented Students.				
<i><b>PROGRAM</b></i>	During Undocumented Student Action Week, community colleges throughout California reach out to students and their families to let them know about available resources that have been designed especially for them. What are the challenges undocumented students face? What help is available?				
	Guest: Linda Vazquez, Assistant Vice Chancellor for State and Federal Relations, California Community Colleges, Sacramento, CA.				
	More Support for ESL Teachers in California. California Gov. Newsom signed a bill to provide guidance and new educational resources to teachers of newcomer students in the state. The new law is set to boost the education of foreign-born students. An education reporter explains the new law.				
	Guest: Zaidee Stavely, Reporter, EdSource, Oakland, CA.				

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<b>FUND</b>	COLORADO				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Immigration Edition.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	<p>The US labor department is investigating a farm company in Colorado that has been penalized in the past for, among many violations, not paying foreign workers their due wages. This case is raising new questions about the workplace policies to protect H-2A workers. In other news, Denver, Chicago, and other US cities, are seeing a massive influx of migrants being bused from Texas. In Denver, the number of migrants has increased so rapidly that the temporary shelters are filling to capacity and the city is asking the state for help from the National Guard. How are Denver and other cities responding to this crisis?</p> <p>Guests: Alfredo Bonilla, Community Navigator, English and Computer Teacher, El Grupo Vida, Denver, CO; Jenifer Rodriguez, Jenifer Rodriguez, Managing Attorney, Colorado Legal Services, Migrant Farm Worker Division, Denver, CO.</p>				
10/18/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	ECONOMIC CRISIS	
<b>FUND</b>					
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Free School Meals in Every State? (IN-KIND)				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	<p>New Mexico, Colorado and four other states are joining California and Maine in offering school breakfasts and lunches for free for all students this school year. Other states are considering similar initiatives and federal lawmakers reintroduced a bill to extend universal free meals to every state.</p> <p>Guest: Luis Guardia, President, Food Research and Action Center-FRAC, Washington, DC.</p> <p>Semiconductors Boost: What's in it for Latinos? Semiconductor manufacturing companies in the US are based mostly in areas with higher proportions of Latino populations. Are Latinos reaping the rewards? Are federal investments in semiconductors and electronics boosting the economy of Latino communities? A political analyst comments about a recent study on the topic.</p> <p>Guest: Rafael Medina, Director of Media Relations, The Center for American Progress Action Fund, Washington, DC.</p>				
10/19/2023	11:00-12:00	LIVE	FRESNO	CITIZEN PARTICIPATION	
<b>FUND</b>					
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Extra Edition: 50 Years of Bilingual Community Radio.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	<p>KBBF, the first bilingual station in the nation, is celebrating 50 years on the air. Veteran leaders of this volunteer-driven station join this program to share memories of the history, challenges and vision ahead for this pioneering station.</p> <p>Guests: Javier Guzmán, Community Advocate and Health Program Advisor, Fresno, CA; Alicia Sánchez, President of the Board of Directors, KBBF 89.1 FM, Santa Rosa, CA; Dr. Magdalena Manzanarez, Vice President for External Relations and Professor of Political Science, Western New Mexico University-WNMU, Silver City, NM.</p>				

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10/19/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	ECONOMIC CRISIS	
<b>FUND</b>	TCE-2442				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Debunking the Myth of the Latino Monolith.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	Latinos have often been seen as a monolith. To demystify this notion, researchers have created a new digital platform to provide data to better understand Latinos in areas impacting their communities, such as child wellbeing, voting, employment, and housing. A leader of the research team of UCLA's Latino Data Hub explains their findings.				
	Guest: Dr. Rodrigo Dominguez-Villegas, Director of Research, Latino Policy and Politics Institute, University of California Los Angeles-UCLA , Los Angeles, CA.				
	More on the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict. The latest on the war between Israel and the Hamas group in Gaza, with a focus on understanding the support and actions that protesters around the world expect the international community to take.				
	Guests: Larry Kleinman, Co-Founder, PCUN and Political Commentator, KTUP Radio, Woodburn, OR; Mtro. Ángel Rabih Rayes El-Kantar, Professor and Coordinator, Anáhuac Middle East Seminar, School of Global Studies, Anáhuac University, Mexico City, MX.				
10/20/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	MEXICO	MEXICO	
<b>FUND</b>	Mexico Edition.				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	While the US is challenging Mexico's ban on genetically modified corn, an environmental foundation in the US is recognizing Demanda Colectiva Maíz, the coalition of Mexican activist groups who have protected for decades native varieties of corn against the agribusiness push to introduce genetically modified organisms (GMOs) to the country. This and other topics are discussed in this edition.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	Guests: Pánfilo Hernández Ortiz, Member of the Corn Class Action Lawsuit, Mexico City, MX; Antonio Navarrete, Spokesperson, Section 65, National Mine Workers Union, Cananea, MX.				
10/23/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	MOVIE	
<b>FUND</b>	"A Million Miles Away."				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Based on the memoir book "Reaching for the Stars," the new movie "A Million Miles Away" tells the inspiring story of José Hernández, a farmworker who rose from the fields of California to become an astronaut. Raised in a family of migrant workers, Hernández studied to be an engineer and achieved his dream to fly into space when he was selected for the crew of the International Space Station. Hernandez explains what he learned in the process.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	Guest: Dr. José Hernández, Engineer and Former NASA Astronaut, Author of "Reaching for the Stars," Stockton, CA.				
	Watch Out for a New Wave of Covid-19 Infections. Having observed an increase in Covid-19 cases during the past month, experts assure that the best protection against Covid-19 is still vaccination. Today we review the latest recommendations and information to protect the most vulnerable groups of the population, and everyone in general, as the winter season approaches.				
	Guests: Gerardo Guzmán, Reporter, Atlanta, GA; Dr. Cristina Dominguez De Quezada, Member, International Family Nursing Associations, El Paso, TX.				



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10/24/2023	11:00-12:00	LIVE	FRESNO	COVID	
<i><b>FUND</b></i>	CVJV-2561				
<i><b>HEADLINE</b></i>	Extra Edition: Keeping Guard Up Against COVID.				
<i><b>PROGRAM</b></i>	<p>While many people are letting down their guard believing COVID is no longer a concern, COVID hospitalizations increased last month. To address the growing COVID vaccination fatigue, doctors and nurses are launching a campaign aiming to educate about the importance of helping yourself stay protected against COVID, as well as encourage family decision-makers and caregivers to educate themselves about the different vaccine options currently available.</p> <p>Guest: Dr. José Torradas, Urgent Care Physician and Co-Founder, Médicos Unidos Inc., Philadelphia, PA.</p> <p>Fresno Teacher Strike Could Begin Within Days. Thousands of teachers in Fresno could go on strike next week if negotiations with the school district fail to reach an agreement. How is California's third-largest school district preparing for a disruption in education for its more than 70,000 students? What is the status of negotiations?</p> <p>Guest: Melissa Montalvo, Contributing Reporter, Fresno Bee, Central Valley News Collaborative, Fresno, CA.</p> <p>California Bans Diagnosis of "Excited Delirium." California is the first state to ban the diagnosis of "excited delirium" syndrome, which some say will make it more difficult for police to justify excessive force, and will no longer be used as a cause of death of people in police custody. This is an analysis of what is meant by the syndrome of "excited delirium" and the causes that led to its prohibition in such diagnoses.</p> <p>Guest: Araceli Martínez, Reporter, Los Angeles, CA.</p>				
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<i><b>FUND</b></i>	Immigration Edition.				
<i><b>HEADLINE</b></i>	Immigration Edition.				
<i><b>PROGRAM</b></i>	<p>Under a major settlement, the Biden administration agreed to ban family separations for years and provide support to the thousands of families forcibly separated by the zero-tolerance policy of the Trump era. What immigration benefits will the affected families get? What are the next steps? In another story, as Texas and other Republican states continue busing thousands of asylum-seeking migrants to Democratic-led cities, California is assigning funds to help them and Los Angeles is quickly integrating them while other cities struggle because of lack of resources. Two reporters bring the story. Finally, the Biden administration is announcing a family reunification program to allow eligible Ecuadorians to apply in the US for temporary work permits if their US-resident relatives sponsor their visa. An expert explains this expedited path for Ecuadorians to enter the US.</p> <p>Guests: Justo Robles and Alejandra Reyes-Velarde, Contributing Reporters, CalMatters, Sacramento, CA; Daniel Galindo, Staff Attorney, ACLU's Immigrants' Rights Project, New York, NY; Maribel Hastings, Director, America's Voice en Español, Washington, DC.</p>				

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10/25/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	WAR	
<i><b>FUND</b></i>					
<i><b>HEADLINE</b></i>	Rise of False Claims and Hate Crimes Over Mideast Conflict.				
<i><b>PROGRAM</b></i>	As violence escalates in the Israel-Palestine conflict, misinformation and hate speech are flooding social media platforms. How to fact-check the news? How to tell what's fake, what's true? Also, officials fear this violent rhetoric is leading to a surge in hate crimes against Jews and Muslims in the US. A synagogue in Utah was the target of bomb threats and a Palestinian child was killed and his mother injured in an anti-Muslim attack in Chicago.				
	Guests: Medea Benjamin, Co-founder, Codepink, Washington, DC; Jorge Mújica Murias, Activist, Arise Chicago, Chicago, IL; Rafael Olavarría, Fact Checker, Factchequeado.com, Atlanta, GA.				
	Hurricane Otis makes landfall in Guerrero as a category 5. Hurricane Otis made landfall Wednesday in the vicinity of Acapulco, in the Mexican state of Guerrero, as a category 5 hurricane, with maximum sustained winds of about 167 miles per hour and gusts above 205 miles per hour, according to Mexico's National Meteorological Service. Flooding and damage to homes, businesses and hotels, and loss of communication in the affected area have been reported in the aftermath of the catastrophe.				
	Great Painter and Activist Ernesto Palomino Dies at 89. Noted Chicano artist, educator and activist Ernesto "Ernie" Palomino died October 24, at the age of 89. Palomino was a prominent participant in the Chicano cultural movement of the 1970s and 1980s and his works won national recognition from the National Endowment for the Arts and the National Endowment for the Humanities.				
	Mike Johnson, New Speaker of the House of Representatives. Republican Congressman Mike Johnson of Louisiana was elected House speaker Wednesday after a 22-day stalemate in which three Republican candidates were nominated and then defeated in the House. Johnson came in second to Tom Emmer, R-Minnesota, in an internal vote to replace the ousted Kevin McCarthy, R-California.				

10/26/2023	11:00-12:00	REPEAT	FRESNO	EDUCATION	
<i><b>FUND</b></i>					
<i><b>HEADLINE</b></i>	Extra Edition: Colleges Help Undocumented Students. (Program Repeat).				
<i><b>PROGRAM</b></i>	During Undocumented Student Action Week, community colleges throughout California reach out to students and their families to let them know about available resources that have been designed especially for them. What are the challenges undocumented students face? What help is available? This archival program was originally aired on October 17, 2023.				
	Guest: Linda Vázquez, Assistant Vice Chancellor for State and Federal Relations, California Community Colleges, Sacramento, CA.				
	More Support for ESL Teachers in California. California Gov. Newsom signed a bill to provide guidance and new educational resources to teachers of newcomer students in the state. The new law is set to boost the education of foreign-born students. An education reporter explains the new law.				
	Guest: Zaidee Stavely, Reporter, EdSource, Oakland, CA.				

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10/26/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	HEALTH	
<b>FUND</b>	IRVINE				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Loving Your Mind.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	A national campaign entitled "With Love, Your Mind" aims to change the cultural conversation and fight the stigma around mental health. One in two US residents between the ages of 16 and 65 report having a mental health condition. Less than half say they are receiving help or treatment. The campaign seeks to turn this around, inspire adults who may be going through mental health challenges and who may have beliefs that do not allow them to seek help.				
	Guest: Dr. Jorge Partida, Psychologist and Executive Director of the United States Green Building Council at Los Angeles-USGBC, Los Angeles, CA.				
	Champions Pro Healthy Kids. A conversation with honorees of the Healthier Generation's annual recognition, a program that honors schools for adopting best practices to advance the physical, mental, and social-emotional health of staff and students. This year, hundreds of schools and youth-serving organizations from around the nation were recognized for their leading work in promoting better health-oriented practices, recess with fitness activities, gardening and meals with fruits and vegetables.				
	Guests: Rocio Tovar, Principal, Namaste Charter School, Chicago, IL; Sharon Perez, Community School Liaison, Sargent Shriver Elementary, Montgomery County Public Schools, Montgomery, MD.				
10/27/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	MEXICO	MEXICO	
<b>FUND</b>	MEXICO EDITION.				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Mexico Edition.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	Claudia Sheinbaum, the front-runner in the race for Mexico's presidency, visited Los Angeles, California, where she held a rally with sympathizers, under severe restrictions by Mexico's election authorities. Sheinbaum has been invited to dialogue with the migrant community and discuss her plans to address critical issues faced by the millions of Mexican émigrés living in the US. This program includes a summary of the work being done to provide relief and recovery to victims of Hurricane Otis in and around Acapulco, in the Mexican state of Guerrero.				
	Guest: Claudia Sheinbaum, Virtual Presidential Candidate, MORENA; David Huerta, President, Service Employees International Union-United Service Workers West (SEIU-USWW) Local 1877; Rosa López, member, board of directors of the United Service Workers West (USWW); Raúl Hinojosa-Ojeda, economist and professor, University of California Los Angeles-UCLA, active promoter of the financial empowerment of migrant workers; Teresa Romero, President, United Farm Workers-UFW; Angélica Salas, Director, Coalition for Humane Immigrant Rights-CHIRLA; all convened in Los Angeles, CA.				
10/30/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	POLITICS	
<b>FUND</b>	HOUSE FINALLY ELECTS NEW SPEAKER.				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	House Finally Elects New Speaker.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	After weeks of infighting, House Republicans elect a new Speaker: Mike Johnson, a staunch Trump ally. Who is the new Speaker? What are his priorities? What's the road ahead? What does it mean for the 2024 elections?				
	Guest: Laura Rodriguez, Vice President for Government Affairs, Center for American Progress Action Fund, Washington, DC.				
	Hurricane Otis: Response, Relief, Recovery. Hurricane Otis, the worst hurricane in the history of the Mexican Pacific coast, killed at least 30 and devastated Acapulco and many communities in the state of Guerrero. This is a report about the surprising rapid intensification of the storm, the widespread destruction that it caused and the emergency aid for the people in the disaster area.				
	Guests: Daniel Agis Eslava, General Director of Liaison with International Organizations, Department of Attention to Migrants, Government of the State of Guerrero, Chilpancingo, Guerrero, MX; Julieta Altamirano Crosby, Director, Washington-Guerrero Foundation and City Councilmember, Lynnwood, WA, native of the town of Dos Caminos Guerrero / Julián Blanco, today from Guerrero, MX; Martha Neidecker, Anthropologist, victim of Hurricane Otis in her Acapulco residence, today from Mexico City, MX; Román Sánchez, President, Federation of Clubs United for Guerrero in California-FECU Guerrero, native of the town of Iguala de la Independencia Guerrero, Anaheim, CA.				

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10/31/2023	11:00-12:00	LIVE	FRESNO	EDUCATION	
<i><b>FUND</b></i>					
<i><b>HEADLINE</b></i>	Extra Edition: Fresno Teachers Will Not Go on Strike.				
<i><b>PROGRAM</b></i>	The Fresno Unified School District and the teachers union announced a preliminary agreement that apparently ends the strike call after an overwhelming majority of educators voted in favor of the work stoppage, which was expected to begin on November 1. What was new at the negotiation table? What can be expected now from the parties involved?				
	Guest: José Sandoval, Fresno High School Teacher and Spanish Media Spokesperson/Leader, Fresno Teacher Association-FTA, Fresno, CA.				
	First Health Brigades Arrive in Guerrero. In view of the large number of victims and the increased risk of disease faced by the people of Guerrero after Hurricane Otis, the state of Oaxaca sent a health brigade to the affected area. A doctor who recently arrived with one of the first groups of health workers explains the activities being carried out to help the victims and the risks being observed in the region.				
	Guest: Dr. Ana Lilia Rojas Lechuga, Disaster and Emergency Program in Oaxaca, today from Acapulco, Guerrero, MX.				
	Life-Saving Alerts in English Only. Despite the San Francisco Bay Area being so diverse and at constant risk of major natural disasters, many local agencies are not prepared to send out life-saving alerts in the native language of thousands of residents. Why are local authorities lagging behind in providing critical alerts to so many people? A reporter investigated the matter.				
	Guest: Maye Primera, Editorial Director, El Timpano, Oakland, CA.				
10/31/2023	12:00-1:00	REPEAT	FRESNO	BOOK	
<i><b>FUND</b></i>					
<i><b>HEADLINE</b></i>	Elena Poniatowska. (Program Repeat).				
<i><b>PROGRAM</b></i>	This is a conversation with well-known Mexican journalist and writer Elena Poniatowska about her new novel "Dos veces única," in which she tells about the life and times of diva Lupe Marín, the second wife of celebrated muralist Diego Rivera. Marín was a well-known model and novelist who lived her life with a singular passion and intensity and left a mark on important artists and intellectuals of the time. The writer also speaks about the electoral and literary situation in Mexico. This archival program was originally aired on May 30, 2018.				
	Guest: Elena Poniatowska, Journalist and Writer, Mexico City.				
	Guadalupe Rivera. This is an interview with Guadalupe Rivera Marín, daughter of two celebrated figures in Mexican culture: the great master muralist Diego Rivera and writer Lupe Marín. Guadalupe Rivera, attorney, academic, former political leader and tireless promoter of Mexican art, is the author of several books. The most recent one is titled "My Dad Diego and I," a book for children in which she narrates anecdotes of her times with her father.				
	Guest: Guadalupe Rivera, Promoter of Artworks of Diego Rivera, San Francisco, CA.				

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11/1/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	WAR	
<b>FUND</b>					
<b>HEADLINE</b> Gaza Catastrophe.					
<b>PROGRAM</b> As Israel intensifies bombardment and prepares for a ground invasion, hundreds of thousands in Gaza become displaced, doctors warn about an unprecedented "humanitarian catastrophe" and the UN calls for a "humanitarian truce." What's the situation on the ground in Gaza and other Palestinian areas? What's ahead in this conflict? What role is the Biden administration playing? A contributing journalist reports from Cisjordania.					
Guests: Témoris Grecko, Mexican Journalist and Correspondent in the West Bank, Ciudad de México, MX; Ernesto Ledesma, Director, Rompeviento TV, Correspondent in the West Bank, Ciudad de México, MX.					
Día de los Muertos: End-of-Life Issues. As we approach Día de los Muertos, an expert discusses dying well and other issues faced by people at the end of life. In California, patients with disabilities and doctors are urging a court to dismiss a case challenging California's Medical-Aid-in-Dying law. California is one of ten states that have passed medical aid in dying laws, a choice for terminally ill adults that is supported by a wide majority of people in the state.					
Guest: Patricia González Portillo, National Latino Communications Manager, Compassion and Choices, Los Angeles, CA.					

11/2/2023	11:00-12:00	REPEAT	FRESNO	COVID	
<b>FUND</b>					
<b>HEADLINE</b> Extra Edition: "A Million Miles Away." (Program Repeat).					
<b>PROGRAM</b> Based on the memoir book "Reaching for the Stars," the new movie "A Million Miles Away" tells the inspiring story of José Hernández, a farmworker who rose from the fields of California to become an astronaut. Raised in a family of migrant workers, Hernández studied to be an engineer and achieved his dream to fly into space when he was selected for the crew of the International Space Station. Hernandez explains what he learned in the process. This program was first aired the week before. This archival program was originally aired on October 23, 2023.					
Guest: Dr. José Hernández, Engineer and Former NASA Astronaut, Author of "Reaching for the Stars," Stockton, CA.					
Watch Out for a New Covid-19 Wave. After a surge in Covid-19 cases during the past month, experts assure that the best protection against the infection is still vaccination. What plan should vulnerable people prepare as the winter season approaches?					
Guest: Dr. Cristina Dominguez De Quezada, Member, International Family Nursing Associations, El Paso, TX.					

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11/2/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	CHILDREN	
<b>FUND</b>	States Sue Over Social Media Harm to Kids.				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Dozens of bipartisan states, including California, Utah and New York, are suing major tech giants claiming their social media platforms are addictive and toxic for kids and are contributing to the youth mental health crisis. Representatives of a plaintiff state explain the grounds of the lawsuit.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	<p>Monarch Butterflies and Day of the Dead. The Day of the Dead coincides with the arrival of monarch butterflies at overwintering sites. Monarchs have been classified as endangered and researchers share the idea that several actions are necessary to guarantee the future of the monarch migration phenomenon, especially protecting their habitat. An expert on wildlife and climate-resilient habitats explains the historical and cultural connection between Día de Muertos and monarch butterfly conservation efforts.</p> <p>Guest: Dr. Rebeca Quiñonez-Piñón, Climate-Resilient Habitats Program Director and Monarch Recovery Strategist, National Wildlife Federation, Washington, DC.</p> <p>The Legacy of Ernie Palomino. Chicano artist and educator Ernesto "Ernie" Palomino passed away last week at the age of 89. As a posthumous tribute, we air a segment of an archival interview with the renowned painter. In this segment, he comments on his early themes of his artwork, his influences to become a muralist, and his values as a Chicano cultural arts activist. The interview was originally aired on Dec 5, 1997.</p> <p>Guest: Ernesto "Ernie" Palomino, Prominent Chicano Painter, Muralist, Artist, Professor, Fresno, CA.</p>				
11/3/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	MEXICO	MEXICO	
<b>FUND</b>	Mexico Edition.				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	On the day after Mexico's holiday celebrating the dead, Mexico City residents comment about the ways they remember and keep their departed loved ones alive. How alive are the traditional rituals of altars and offerings? What do they mean for Mexicans? This program includes an update on the emergency efforts to help victims of Hurricane Otis in the state of Guerrero recover from the disaster.				
11/6/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	POLITICS	
<b>FUND</b>	WALTON				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	The Farm Bill Limbo.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	<p>The deadline for Congress to pass a new five-year farm has passed and, because of the political strife to keep the government open, it may take months to reach agreement on a new bill. Meantime, lawmakers have advanced a number of bipartisan items to set policy and funds for farm, food and conservation programs. How are farm, food and climate programs being impacted? This is a conversation with the author of a bill pushing for smart farming through digital technology, automated operations and mechanization in the fields and retraining impacted workers, and a lawmaker spearheading a bill to help farmers improve soils and deal with the climate crisis.</p> <p>Guests: Rep. Andrea Salinas, US House of Representatives, D-Oregon, Washington, DC; Rep. Salud Carbajal, US House of Representatives, D-California, Washington, DC; Joe L. Del Bosque, Farmer, Del Bosque Farms, Firebaugh, CA.</p> <p>Demonstrators Call for an End to Israeli Bombardment of Gaza. Demonstrators around the world are calling for freedom for Palestine, expressing their disappointment with their governments over Israel's bombardment of the Gaza Strip, most recently against a Palestinian refugee center. In recent days, tens of thousands of people demonstrated in Washington, D.C., thousands more in West Los Angeles, California and several dozen at the government center in Fresno, California. This program includes some of those voices calling for an end to the conflict.</p> <p>Guests: Samai Muñoz, Mexican demonstrator and member of Peace for Fresno, Fresno, CA; Mitzy Esquivel, Salvadoran demonstrator, Los Angeles, CA.</p>				

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11/7/2023	11:00-12:00	LIVE	FRESNO	HEALTH	
<b>FUND</b>					
<b>HEADLINE</b> Extra Edition: Kidney Care for Everyone. (Program Repeat)					
<b>PROGRAM</b> Despite being the most at risk of dying and facing more challenges due to chronic kidney disease, Latinos and Blacks do not have the same access to kidney care and kidney transplants that are available to them. In response, a national kidney advocacy organization is reaching out to Latino communities to promote kidney exams and treatments, and is launching a campaign to promote public policies that provide equity in kidney care. This archival program was originally aired on October 11, 2023.					
Guest: Dr. Sylvia Rosas, Nephrologist and Epidemiologist, National President, National Kidney Foundation, Boston, MA.					

11/7/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	IMMIGRATION	
<b>FUND</b>					
<b>HEADLINE</b> Immigration Edition.					
<b>PROGRAM</b> Federal legislators urge President Biden to use his parole authority to keep families together and help reunite US citizens with their spouses who have been separated by the harsh and outdated immigration policies. What exactly can Biden do? In other news, Texas' House passed a bill allowing state and local officers to detain, arrest and deport immigrant families. What's in the bill? What are its expected consequences? Finally, immigrant advocates in the state of Washington decry the use of a controversial restraint device for deportees who are boarding flights. They also express concern about the new multibillion-dollar request from President Biden to fund border security operations.					
Guests: Rep. Delia Ramírez, US House of Representatives, D-Illinois, Washington, DC; Fernando Garcia, Director, Border Network for Human Rights, El Paso, TX; Maru Mora Villalpando, Executive Director, Latino Advocacy, Seattle, WA.					

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11/8/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	COLORADO	
<b>FUND</b>	COLORADO				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	First Unemployment Fund for Undocumented Workers.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	The state of Colorado is launching the Benefit Recovery Fund, a pot of money that will provide aid to laid-off undocumented workers in a way similar to the Unemployment Insurance Fund. Colorado is the first state in the nation to create such a benefit. Who is eligible? How will a worker receive unemployment pay? How to file a claim? How to overcome distrust? How does the state benefit from this investment?				
	Guest: Raquel Lane-Arellano, Communications Manager Colorado Immigrant Rights Coalition-CIRC Denver, CO.				
	Undocumented Coloradans Eager to Enroll in Health Plan. Undocumented Coloradans who can now apply for health insurance under the new state program OmniSalud turned out to enroll in such numbers that in two days they hit the cap for enrollment with financial assistance. Officials say they are astonished. What does it mean for the system? What can eligible beneficiaries do now?				
	Guest: Raquel Lane-Arellano, Communications Manager Colorado Immigrant Rights Coalition-CIRC Denver, CO.				
	Lung Health for All. Common respiratory diseases such as asthma and lung cancer continue wreaking havoc in many communities, aggravated by smoking, air pollution and climate change. Continuing with the message of "Access to Prevention and Treatment for All. Leave No One Behind," of this year's World Lung Day, a public health advocate talks about common lung diseases, prevention measures and latest advancements in care.				
	Guest: Jose Luis Betrian, expert on lung health, asthma screening, and the latest advancements in related care.				
	Lung Cancer Screenings, a Lifesaver. Lung cancer is the leading cancer killer in the country, accounting for 25% of cancer deaths in the United States. In observance of Lung Cancer Awareness Month and National Smoking Cessation Month, the American College of Surgeons is promoting access to lung cancer screening while raising awareness of the disease. Who should be screened for lung cancer? Where to get more information and resources?				
	Guest: Dr. Luis Armando Godoy, Associate Professor and Director of Diversity and Inclusion, Section of General Thoracic Surgery, School of Medicine, University of California at Davis-UC Davis and American College of Surgeons Fellow, Davis, CA.				
11/9/2023	11:00-12:00	LIVE	FRESNO	CITIZEN PARTICIPATION	
<b>FUND</b>	CVJV-2561				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Extra Edition: Historic Funds for Radio Bilingüe.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	This week, Radio Bilingüe and California Assemblymember Joaquin Arambula are announcing an historic investment in Radio Bilingüe that will allow the Latino public radio network to empower the next generation of community media producers and bring its multilingual program services to new levels of quality and responsiveness for audiences in the San Joaquin Valley, California and beyond.				
	Fresno Arts Funding Plan Under Scrutiny. Measure P is a tax-funded plan approved by voters to support parks and arts programs in the city of Fresno, CA. Now the city is working on plans and guidelines to spend the money on local cultural arts. Is everyone in the arts community equally at the table?				
	Guests: Hugo Morales, Executive Director and Co-founder, Radio Bilingüe, Fresno, CA; Josie Tizcareño Pereira, Network News Producer, Radio Bilingüe, Fresno, CA.				
	Central Valley Latinos: Are They Making It Through College? Enrollment in college across the nation has plunged after the pandemic, including among Latino students, who lost ground gained in previous years. How are Latino students in California's Central Valley doing? State and Central Valley education leaders convene in a virtual forum to discuss this matter.				
	Guest: Melissa Montalvo, Contributing Reporter, Fresno Bee, Central Valley News Collaborative, Fresno, CA.				



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11/9/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	POLITICS	
<b><i>FUND</i></b>					
<b><i>HEADLINE</i></b>	Third Republican Presidential Debate.				
<b><i>PROGRAM</i></b>	Nine weeks before the Iowa caucuses, the first election in the Republican primary season, five candidates have qualified for the third Republican presidential debate in Miami. Former President Trump did not participate in the first two debates and was unlikely to take part in the third. This is a report and analysis about the debate.				
	Guests: Rosario Marín, Former Treasurer of the US, Republican Analyst, Los Angeles, CA; José López Zamorano, US Capitol Reporter, Washington, DC.				
11/10/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	MEXICO	MEXICO	
<b><i>FUND</i></b>					
<b><i>HEADLINE</i></b>	Mexico Edition.				
<b><i>PROGRAM</i></b>	A new study reports that Mexico is the country where people consume the most sugary drink servings per week, followed by Ethiopia and the US. Sugary drinks are widely associated with obesity, diabetes, disability and death. Why do people drink so much soda in Mexico? What is being done to reduce sugary drink consumption? In other news, a virtual concert next week is intended to raise funds to bring donations in the form of food and supplies to those affected by hurricane Otis, which recently hit the tourist area of Acapulco and its surroundings, in the Mexican state of Guerrero. The concert will be presented by Las Hermanas Garcia along with other Guerrero musicians based in Mexico City. These and other topics are discussed in this edition.				
	Guests: Las Hermanas García -Laura and Celia-, Mexico City, MX.				
11/13/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	HEALTH	
<b><i>FUND</i></b>					
<b><i>HEADLINE</i></b>	"Public Charge" and Cancer Deaths.				
<b><i>PROGRAM</i></b>	A cancer patient advocacy group joined a public health coalition trying to convince a Texas court to uphold the "public charge" policy that the Biden administration issued last year to ensure that immigrants can access health care without negatively impacting their immigration cases. They say access to health care for everyone is essential to reduce cancer incidence and death, especially for immigrant communities that, in many cases, are not offered health coverage at work.				
	Guest: María González Albuixech, Media Advocacy and Communications Senior Director, American Cancer Society Cancer Action Network (ACS CAN), Boston, MA.				
	Schools in the 2024 Elections Debate. Education is taking center stage in the 2024 elections. From ending the Department of Education to taking over school boards in order to promote "parental rights" in schools, school choice programs and book bans, to plans to forgive debt and repay student loans, Republicans and Democrats are offering contrasting answers on critical education issues.				
	Guest: Jorge Elorza, Former Mayor and Leader of Democrats for Education Reform, Providence, RI.				
	Gaza Invasion: Latest News. As the Israeli military continues heavy bombardments and pushes deeper into Gaza city, the humanitarian crisis worsens and the international outcry grows. Analysts comment on the latest news developments in Gaza.				
	Guest: Abdul Jawad, Palestinian, Member of Peace for Fresno, Fresno, CA.				

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11/14/2023	11:00-12:00	LIVE	FRESNO	HEALTH	
<b>FUND</b>	Extra Edition: California's Open Enrollment.				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	While most uninsured Americans cite cost as the main barrier to health coverage, one program is attempting to reduce out-of-pocket expenses of people in California by offering an unprecedented amount of financial help. With the slogan "Closing the Gap," California is reaching out to uninsured residents to sign up for health insurance as part of the new Open Enrollment period. It focuses on those who do not qualify for Medi-Cal or have lost their coverage at work. Will more uninsured Californians respond to the call?				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	<p>Guest: Patricia Izquierdo, Spokesperson, Covered California, Los Angeles, CA.</p> <p>World Diabetes Day. On World Diabetes Day today, medical experts and specialists reach out to the community to promote awareness of the risks of the disease, who is most vulnerable, how to prevent it and what to know about family and loved ones with diabetes. What information and services are available to children and adults with Type 1, Type 2 diabetes, gestational diabetes, and prediabetes?</p> <p>Guest: Guadalupe Bravo, Registered Nurse and Quality Coordinator, Diabetes Education Center, Natividad Medical Center Salinas, CA.</p>				

11/14/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	IMMIGRATION	
<b>FUND</b>	Immigration Edition.				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Today, thousands are expected to descend on Washington, DC, to urge President Biden to provide work permits to long-term immigrants. Called the "Here to Work" Day of Action, the campaign seeks to get the President to expand parole, TPS and DED for long-term immigrants who are at risk of being separated from their US-citizen families. In more news, Latinos immigrant voters go to the polls during presidential elections at higher rates than native-born Latinos. Given that the immigrant electorate has doubled in the last two decades, what impact can be expected from naturalized Latinos? Will those who apply for citizenship now get it in time to vote in 2024? An expert in citizenship law answers listeners' questions. And the 10 Freeway in downtown Los Angeles will not be demolished, as it is expected to reopen in three to five weeks. About 100 columns were damaged in the weekend fire that authorities say was arson.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	<p>Guests: Ruben Tapia, Reporter, Los Angeles, CA; Consuelo Martinez, Community Leader, The Resurrection Project, Chicago, IL; Sergio Suárez, President, North American Institute for Mexican Advancement-NAIMA, Melrose Park, IL; Rosalba Piña, Immigration Attorney, Chicago, IL.</p>				

11/15/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	COLORADO	
<b>FUND</b>	COLORADO				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	The Future of Higher Education.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	<p>A top leader of higher education in Colorado talks about her career, rising in the ranks of higher education as a Latina woman. She also discusses her challenges ahead as she leads Colorado's community college system, whose student body is one third Latinx, two thirds are the first in their family to attend college, and most self-identify as underrepresented.</p> <p>Guest: Dr. Marielena "Marie" DeSanctis, President, Community College of Denver, Denver, CO.</p> <p>Colorado No-Cost Preschool: Rollout Woes. Last year, Colorado established a universal preschool program. Education officials and parents enthusiastically hailed the new program as a historic milestone for the state. The problem is the tremendous enrollment has plagued the rollout with a number of challenges. What is the state doing to fix the glitches?</p> <p>Guest: Yesenia Robles, Suburban Reporter, Chalkbeat, Denver, CO.</p>				

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11/16/2023	11:00-12:00	REPEAT	FRESNO		
<b><i>FUND</i></b>	COLORADO				
<b><i>HEADLINE</i></b>	Extra Edition: First Unemployment Fund for Undocumented Workers. (Program Repeat).				
<b><i>PROGRAM</i></b>	<p>The state of Colorado is launching the Benefit Recovery Fund, a pot of money that will provide aid to laid-off undocumented workers in a way similar to the Unemployment Insurance Fund. Colorado is the first state in the nation to create such a benefit. Who is eligible? How will a worker receive unemployment pay? How to file a claim? How to overcome distrust? How does the state benefit from this investment? This archival program was originally aired on November 8, 2023.</p> <p>Guest: Raquel Lane-Arellano, Communications Manager Colorado Immigrant Rights Coalition-CIRC Denver, CO.</p> <p>Undocumented Coloradans Eager to Enroll in Health Plan. Undocumented Coloradans who can now apply for health insurance under the new state program OmniSalud turned out to enroll in such numbers that in two days they hit the cap for enrollment with financial assistance. Officials say they are astonished. What does it mean for the system? What can eligible beneficiaries do now?</p> <p>Guest: Raquel Lane-Arellano, Communications Manager Colorado Immigrant Rights Coalition-CIRC Denver, CO.</p> <p>Lung Health for All. Common respiratory diseases such as asthma and lung cancer continue wreaking havoc in many communities, aggravated by smoking, air pollution and climate change. Continuing with the message of "Access to Prevention and Treatment for All. Leave No One Behind," of this year's World Lung Day, a public health advocate talks about common lung diseases, prevention measures and latest advancements in care.</p> <p>Guest: Jose Luis Beltran, Expert on Lung Health.</p> <p>Lung Cancer Screenings, a Lifesaver. Lung cancer is the leading cancer killer in the country, accounting for 25% of cancer deaths in the United States. In observance of Lung Cancer Awareness Month and National Smoking Cessation Month, the American College of Surgeons is promoting access to lung cancer screening while raising awareness of the disease. Who should be screened for lung cancer? Where to get more information and resources?</p> <p>Guest: Dr. Luis Armando Godoy, Associate Professor and Director of Diversity and Inclusion, Section of General Thoracic Surgery, School of Medicine, University of California at Davis-UC Davis and American College of Surgeons Fellow, Davis, CA.</p>				
11/16/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	POLITICS	
<b><i>FUND</i></b>					
<b><i>HEADLINE</i></b>	Puerto Rico: The Great Debate.				
<b><i>PROGRAM</i></b>	<p>Supporters of changing Puerto Rico's political status introduced the Puerto Rico Status Act in the US Senate. The legislation, a compromise between opposing sides in the issue, would let voters choose among statehood, independence and independence with free association with the US. What's included in the bill? What are the odds for the bill?</p> <p>Guest: Roberto Cruz, Managing Attorney, LatinoJustice PRLDEF Southeast Region, Orlando, FL.</p> <p>US Salvadoran Seeks Vice Presidency in Home Country. This is an interview with Werner Marroquin, a US resident who is vying to become the nation's vice president in El Salvador, his native country. Werner is an opposition candidate with Farabundo Martí National Liberation Front, a former guerrilla movement. The electoral campaign for the presidency of El Salvador includes the current president, Nayib Bukele, who was allowed to seek re-election even though the Constitution prohibits it.</p> <p>Guest: Werner Marroquín, Candidate to Vice Presidency, FMLN Party, Los Angeles, CA.</p>				

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11/17/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	MEXICO	MEXICO	
<b>FUND</b>					
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Mexico Edition.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	On the eve of the start of the presidential pre-campaigns in Mexico, analysts comment on the news and shed light on the electoral process. In addition, electoral officials clarify the steps that Mexicans living abroad must follow to process their voting credentials at their consulates. In other news, because "the cities of Chiapas are in chaos" due to the occupation of "disorganized crime," Zapatistas announce the disappearance of their autonomous municipalities and government boards.				
11/20/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	ENVIRONMENT	
<b>FUND</b>	WALTON				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Run Off Pollution Ravaging River Communities.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	Advocacy groups in California are suing a state agency charging it has failed to protect rivers and wetlands from ag toxic pollution. They claim the extensive nitrate pollution in the Central Coast region is endangering low income rural and fishing coastal communities. Community leaders convene to discuss the issues. What's the proposed remedy? Can farm and fishing communities coexist?				
	Guests: Ileana Miranda, General Manager, San Jerardo Cooperative, Salinas, CA; Maricruz Ladino, Member, Comité de Salinas, Salinas, CA; Mayra Hernandez, Community Organizer, Community Water Center, Watsonville, CA; Glen Spain, Executive Director, Pacific Coast Federation of Fishermen's Associations – PCFFA, San Francisco, CA; Marisol Aguilar, Deputy Director, California Rural Legal Assistance-CRLA, Modesto, CA.				
11/21/2023	11:00-12:00	LIVE	FRESNO	CITIZEN PARTICIPATION	
<b>FUND</b>					
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Extra Edition: Radio Bilingue Headlines Community Radio Congress.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	Leading members of Radio Bilingüe provided the keynote speech at the opening of the Fourth National Congress of Community Radio: Latin American and Caribbean Expressions 2023, a virtual gathering of more than 200 community radio stations hosted by the Benemérita Universidad Autónoma de Puebla (BUAP). The keynote address focused on the rights of access to media for indigenous and underserved communities and Radio Bilingüe's vision, journalistic model, and multilingual broadcast service. This program features the keynote address.				
	Guests: Hugo Morales, Founding Executive Director, Radio Bilingüe, Fresno, CA; Filemón López, Coordinator, La Hora Mixteca, Radio Bilingüe, Fresno, CA; Samuel Orozco, News and Information Director, Oakland, CA.				
11/21/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	IMMIGRATION	
<b>FUND</b>					
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Immigration Edition.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	The Texas' legislature has passed an anti-immigration bill championed by Gov. Abbot. The new state legislation, SB4, would make crossing the U.S.-Mexico border into Texas a state crime, would allow county leaders to order migrants returned to the border, and face up to 20 years in prison. Advocates talk about the future of this new measure. Also, family members of two DACA recipients who are stuck in limbo in Mexico and were denied re-entry to the US are urging the Biden administration to use discretion and allow them to be reunited with their families in time for Thanksgiving. Finally, at a traditional Thanksgiving luncheon in Miami, dozens of minors asked President Biden to grant their parents work permits. Like millions of immigrants, these workers continued working and were essential during the pandemic. This program includes a conversation with one of these parents who grows and harvests sweet potatoes, a staple of many Thanksgiving dinners.				
	Guests: Karla Aguayo, Legal Immigration Services Department Director and Immigration Attorney, CHIRLA, Los Angeles, CA; Jessie F. Fuentes, Member, Eagle Pass Border Coalition, Eagle Pass, TX; Gerardo Guzmán, Anchor and Collaborator, Atlanta, GA; Jovita, Farm Worker, Homestead, FL.				

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11/22/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	BOOK	
<b>FUND</b>					
<b>HEADLINE</b>	"American Shield."				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	Sgt. Aquilino Gonell, who immigrated as a kid from Dominican Republic and eventually joined the US Capitol police, wrote the book "American Shield: The Immigrant Sergeant Who Defended Democracy," where he tells the story of Jan 6, the day when he faced a violent, insurrectionist mob and sustained serious blows with pipes and battering rams. Some feel that Gonell, who received the Presidential Citizenship Medal, was in the frontlines in the battle for US democracy on Jan 6. The Spanish edition of the book is about to be released.				
	Guest: Sgt. Aquilino Gonell, Former Capitol Police Officer, Author of the Book "American Shield: The Immigrant Sergeant Who Defended Democracy."				
	The Inflation Reduction Act and Latino Families. Since the passage of the Inflation Reduction Act last year, health care and prescription drugs have become more affordable for Latinos through the Affordable Care Act and Medicare. A new report examines this development and reveals the positive impact of that legislation in states with the highest Latino populations, from California to Florida. This is a report about the findings.				
	Guests: Rep. Ruben Gallego, US Congressman (D-AZ-03), Washington, DC; Rafael Collazo, Executive Director, UnidosUS Action Fund, Washington, DC; Yamelisa Taveras, Founder, The Unidos Foundation, Allentown, PA.				
	New National Latino Civil Rights Leader. The League of United Latin American Citizens, LULAC, the oldest Latino civil rights organization, has a new leader. Juan Proaño is now the new executive director. What are his plans to tackle the discrimination and major civil rights issues that Latinos face in areas such as jobs, education, political representation, housing, and health care? This is an interview with Proaño.				
	Guest: Juan Proaño, CEO, United Latin American Citizens-LULAC, Miami, FL.				
11/23/2023	11:00-12:00	REPEAT	FRESNO		
<b>FUND</b>					
<b>HEADLINE</b>	50 Years of Bilingual Community Radio. - check with samuel				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	KBBF, the first bilingual station in the nation, is celebrating 50 years on the air. Veteran leaders of this volunteer-driven station join this program to share memories of the history, challenges and vision ahead for this pioneering station. This archival program, originally aired on October 19, is repeated as a Holiday edition.				
	Guests: Javier Guzmán, KBBF Co-founder Community Advocate and Health Program Advisor, Fresno, CA; Alicia Sánchez, President of the Board of Directors, KBBF 89.1 FM, Santa Rosa, CA; Dr. Magdaleno Manzanarez, Vice President for External Relations and Professor of Political Science, Western New Mexico University-WNMU, Silver City, NM.				
11/23/2023	12:00-1:00		FRESNO		
<b>FUND</b>					
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Extra Edition: California's Open Enrollment. (Repeat). CHECK WITH SAMUEL				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	While most uninsured Americans cite cost as the main barrier to health coverage, one program is attempting to reduce out-of-pocket expenses of people in California by offering an unprecedented amount of financial help. With the slogan "Closing the Gap," California is reaching out to uninsured residents to sign up for health insurance as part of the new Open Enrollment period. It focuses on those who do not qualify for Medi-Cal or have lost their coverage at work. Will more uninsured Californians respond to the call? This archival program was originally aired on November 14, 2023.				
	Guest: Patricia Izquierdo, Spokesperson, Covered California, Los Angeles, CA.				
	World Diabetes Day. On World Diabetes Day today, medical experts and specialists reach out to the community to promote awareness of the risks of the disease, who is most vulnerable, how to prevent it and what to know about family and loved ones with diabetes. What information and services are available to children and adults with Type 1, Type 2 diabetes, gestational diabetes, and prediabetes?				
	Guest: Guadalupe Bravo, Registered Nurse and Quality Coordinator, Diabetes Education Center, Natividad Medical Center Salinas, CA.				

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11/24/2023	12:00-1:00	PRERECORDED	MEXICO	MEXICO	
<i><b>FUND</b></i>					
<i><b>HEADLINE</b></i>	Mexico Edition. (Program Repeat).				
<i><b>PROGRAM</b></i>	While the US is challenging Mexico's ban on genetically modified corn, an environmental foundation in the US is recognizing Demanda Colectiva Maíz, the coalition of Mexican activist groups who have protected for decades native varieties of corn against the agribusiness push to introduce genetically modified organisms (GMOs) to the country. This and other topics are discussed in this edition. This archival program was originally aired on October 20. Also, as the US celebrates Thanksgiving, historians remember how in addition to raising turkey, pilgrims learned traditional farming practices from Native Americans. The Wampanoag peoples grew squash, beans and corn together as "sisters" in a plot and they thrived for hundreds of years. Why has the indigenous "milpa" practice declined and what can we gain by bringing it back?				
	Guests: Pánfilo Hernández Ortiz, Member of the Corn Class Action Lawsuit, Mexico City, MX				
11/27/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	POLITICS	
<i><b>FUND</b></i>					
<i><b>HEADLINE</b></i>	A Truce Deal in Gaza.				
<i><b>PROGRAM</b></i>	Israel and Hamas have agreed to a cease-fire to stop the devastation in Gaza and allow for the release of hostages. What's the situation on the ground in Gaza? What does the truce deal mean? What's the cost of US staunch support to Israel? How are Biden and Congress responding to intense public pressure? What are the prospects for a peace agreement?				
	Guests: José López Zamorano, News Correspondent, Washington, DC; Ernesto Ledesma, Director, Envoy to Cisjordania, Rompeviento TV, Mexico City				
	A Blow to Voting Rights Law. A federal court of appeals ruled that only the US Attorney General can file cases over discrimination in redistricting and voting under the federal Voting Rights Act. This ruling denies private individuals and groups, most of them Latinos and other people of color, the right to challenge cases of discrimination in the voting process. What's the prospective impact of this ruling in the ability of people of color to elect responsive candidates? What future awaits this case in the US highest court? This and other electoral news developments are discussed in this edition.				
	Guest: Lydia Camarillo, President, Director, Southwest Voter Registration Project, San Antonio, TX.				
11/28/2023	11:00-12:00	REPEAT	FRESNO	ENVIRONMENT	
<i><b>FUND</b></i>					
<i><b>HEADLINE</b></i>	Extra Edition: Run Off Pollution Ravaging River Communities. (Repeat).				
<i><b>PROGRAM</b></i>	Advocacy groups in California are suing a state agency charging it has failed to protect rivers and wetlands from ag toxic pollution. They claim the extensive nitrate pollution in the Central Coast region is endangering low income rural and fishing coastal communities. Community leaders convene to discuss the issues. What's the proposed remedy? Can farm and fishing communities coexist? This archival program was originally aired on November 20, 2023.				
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11/28/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	IMMIGRATION	
<b>FUND</b>	COLORADO				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Immigration Edition.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	In Denver, pro immigrant advocates will begin a four-day march on December 1 to get Congress to support a path to citizenship by updating the Registry Act. An activist who last year rode a bicycle from Denver to Washington DC to urge for immigration reform joins this conversation. Also, after ten years of negotiations, all the motor vehicle offices in Colorado are offering driver's licenses to all. Finally, an activist talks about the power of the personal testimony of those who have lived the experience of dealing with ICE firsthand, when seeking changes to Colorado laws.				
	Guests: Omar Gómez, Community Leader, Denver, CO; Raquel Lane-Arellano, Communications Manager Colorado Immigrant Rights Coalition-CIRC Denver, CO; Jesús Castro, Community Leader, Fuerza Latina and Student, Colorado State University-CSU, Fort Collins, CO; Hans Meyer, Immigration Attorney, The Meyer Law Office, PC, Denver, CO.				
11/29/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	HEALTH	
<b>FUND</b>					
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Eve of World AIDS Day.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	World AIDS Day is celebrated on December 1 to raise awareness about HIV/AIDS and pay tribute to those affected by the disease. Although much progress has been made in the fight and people with HIV are now living longer due to improved treatments, it remains a common disease. While Latinos represent less than 20 percent of the US population, they make up nearly 30 percent of new HIV cases and many do not know that they have it. Leaders in the efforts to combat the AIDS epidemic talk about the importance of having routine screening tests and early diagnosis.				
	Guests: Michelle Sandoval Rosario, Region 9 Director, Prevention Through Active Community Engagement-PACE Program, Department of Health and Human Services and Director, HIV.gov/Office of the Assistant Secretary for Health-OASH, San Diego, CA; Martha Robles, AIDS Survivor and Peer Navigator Program Coordinator, Christie's Place, San Diego, CA; Guillermo Chacon, President, Latino Commission on AIDS, New York City, NY.				
11/30/2023	11:00-12:00	LIVE	FRESNO	MENTAL HEALTH	
<b>FUND</b>					
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Extra Edition: Tackling a Maternal Health Crisis.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	Pregnancy-related deaths in California reached a 10-year high in 2020, according to state data. With this dramatic backdrop, dozens of hospitals in California have cut labor and delivery services in the last decade. The closures are disproportionately affecting low-income and Latino communities and the closures mean some mothers are having to drive hours to get care. A team of journalists investigated this story and now share their findings.				
	Guest: Ana Ibarra, Health Reporter, CalMatters, Sacramento, CA.				
	Sexual Harassment in the Fields. In the isolation of agricultural fields, foremen or supervisors often get too close to girls under the pretext of teaching them how to pick or pack. This and other forms of sexual harassment against farm working women often go unreported for fear of retaliation. A news reporter and a farmworker advocate give an update on the efforts to protect women in the fields.				
	Guests: Maria G. Ortiz-Briones, Reporter and Photojournalist, Vida en el Valle, Central Valley Journalism Collaborative-CVJC, Fresno, CA; Sandra Garcia, President, Campesinas Unidas del Valle de San Joaquin y Sexual Harassment Survivor, Poplar, CA.				

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11/30/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	MEDICAID	
<b>FUND</b>	CHCF				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Millions Purged from Medicaid.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	More than 10 million people have been disenrolled from Medicaid over the past six months after the end of federal pandemic protections. The numbers of people losing coverage for procedural reasons continue growing even though most may be eligible. More than half of the affected people come from communities of color. Why are so many losing health coverage so fast? What can the states do to help? What are health care advocates doing to reach out to people at risk?				
	Guests: Paula Andalo, KFF Health News Editor, Silver Spring, MD; Dr. Efraín Talamantes, CEO and Primary Care Physician, AltaMed Health Services, Los Angeles, CA.				
12/1/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	MEXICO	MEXICO	
<b>FUND</b>	Mexico Edition.				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Mexico's President López Obrador issued a decree to revive passenger train services, after they were canceled in 1995. Under his plan, railways will be modernized and trains will be acquired in six years. The President said if there is no interest from private companies to operate rail transportation, the government would do it. This and other news developments are discussed with political analysts.				
12/4/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	WAR	
<b>FUND</b>	News from Israel and the Occupied Palestinian Territories.				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	A news contributor from California visited Israel and the Occupied Palestinian territories. She provides a report on life in Israel, the West Bank and the Gaza Strip. Now that the fighting has resumed after a weeklong truce, can a permanent ceasefire be achieved? Is a peace dialogue possible? Will Israel resume the devastating bombing again?				
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	Guest: Araceli Martínez, Reporter, Los Angeles, CA.				
	COP28 Climate Summit. The UN's annual climate summit enters its fifth day, after world leaders approved a climate disaster fund to help vulnerable nations ravaged by drought and floods. Coming on the heels of the hottest year in history, many are skeptical of COP28 and talk about cutting pollution, since fossil fuel emissions are reaching record highs.				
	Guest: Antonieta Cádiz, Deputy Executive Director, Climate Power En Acción, Houston, TX.				
	Newsom v. DeSantis. Gov. Ron DeSantis of Florida and his California counterpart, Gavin Newsom, faced off in a rare debate between a Republican presidential candidate and a high-profile Democratic governor. Newsom is said to be positioning himself as a national figure within the Democratic Party ahead of the 2028 elections, while DeSantis faces worsening odds in the race to get the nomination from the Republican party. What was at stake at this debate?				
	Automating Voter Registration. Despite efforts to reduce barriers to voting, California still has the largest number of unregistered but eligible voters in the country. Grassroots groups are pushing for legislation to increase voter participation by automating registration of eligible voters at DMV offices.				
	Guest: Luis Aleman, Lead Project Coordinator, Orange County Labor Federation, Santa Ana, CA.				



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12/5/2023	11:00-12:00	LIVE	FRESNO	MEDICAID	
<b>FUND</b>					
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Extra Edition: Millions Purged from Medicaid. (Repeat).				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	More than 10 million people have been disenrolled from Medicaid over the past six months after the end of federal pandemic protections. The numbers of people losing coverage for procedural reasons continue growing even though most may be eligible. More than half of the affected people come from communities of color. Why are so many losing health coverage so fast? What can the states do to help? What are health care advocates doing to reach out to people at risk? This archival program was originally aired last week, on Nov 30.				
	Guests: Paula Andalo, KFF Health News Editor, Silver Spring, MD; Dr. Efraín Talamantes, CEO and Primary Care Physician, AltaMed Health Services, Los Angeles, CA.				
12/5/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	IMMIGRATION	
<b>FUND</b>					
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Immigration Edition.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	Plaintiffs in a federal court case allege that CBP and DHS border officials are systematically violating U.S. and international law by denying people the opportunity to request asylum. What violations and solutions are being debated? Also, a recent study shows that dangerous chases of vehicles thought to contain migrants under Texas' Operation Lone Star program led to crashes that killed at least dozens of people and injured many more in more than two years. What else do these findings indicate? In another story, a vigil was underway this week in a Texas' border town to remember those who have perished or gone missing on the US-Mexico border in recent days. Finally, Latino leaders talk about conservative attempts in the US Senate to use the short-term funding process to enact draconian policy changes regarding asylum and immigration and House Republicans' plans to launch an impeachment of DHS Secretary Alejandro Mayorkas.				
	Guests: Vanessa Cárdenas, Executive Director, America's Voice, Washington, DC; Sarah Rich, Attorney and Policy Analyst, Southern Poverty Law Center's Immigrant Justice Project, Atlanta, GA; Norma Herrera, Consultant to the US Program, Human Rights Watch, Pharr, TX; Julio Vásquez, Pastor, Iglesia Luterana San Lucas, Eagle Pass, TX (TBC)				
12/6/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	ENVIRONMENT	
<b>FUND</b>					
<b>HEADLINE</b>	COP Climate Summit Tensions.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	On the 7th day of the UN Summit on Climate Change in Dubai, world leaders are split over moving fast in eliminating oil, gas and coal production or ramp up technologies to capture carbon and clean up. A political analyst comments on the mass displacement caused by natural disasters and policies, the grassroots pressure to end fossil fuels, the transition plans to green energy, and the proliferation of misinformation about climate change fueled by political polarization.				
	Guest: Frances Colón, Senior Director for International Climate Policy, Center for American Progress, Washington, DC.				
	The Perspective of the Latino Voter. Major Latino organizations released a report that gives a glimpse into the opinions of Latino voters on priority issues towards the 2024 election. How big is the Latino electorate? How fast is it growing? What are the most competitive congressional districts where the Latino vote will be decisive? How critical will the Latino vote in the race for the White House and the control of Congress?				
	Guest:Clarissa Martinez de Castro, Vicepresidenta, Latino Vote Initiative, UnidosUS, Washington, DC.				
	"Local Lockout in Georgia." In Georgia, Latino communities make up 10 percent of the state's population, but hold less than 1 percent of seats on school boards and county boards of commissioners. No person of color has ever been elected as sole commissioner of a county in this Southern state. What are the barriers that prevent Latinos and people of color from having a fair representation at the local level?				
	Guest: Ricardo Ramírez, Advisor, Brennan Center for Justice at NYU School of Law, Washington, DC.				

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12/7/2023	11:00-12:00	LIVE	FRESNO	MEDICARE	
<b>FUND</b>					
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Extra Edition: Medicare: Last Chance!				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	The Medicare Open Enrollment period ends today, December 7. This is the last day when people with Medicare can review their health and prescription drug coverage options and make changes. Those who don't make changes on time might have to wait a year before they can make changes to their plan. What's new this year? What does the landmark law provide for millions of people with Medicare both now and in the long term?				
	Guest: Carolina Fortin-García, Bilingual Spokesperson, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, Washington, DC.				
	Buy Safely, Beware of Scams. Every year, tens of thousands of people report suspected cases of fraud. While in 2022 losses resulting from fraud and scams exceeded \$9 billion, everything seems to indicate that in 2023, the figure could be even higher. How to detect and avoid scams this holiday season? What to do if you have already been the target of scams or fraud? What should we keep in mind before buying gifts at this year's end? And since gift cards are a common option for the holidays, is there anything that buyers should avoid?				
	Guest: Gilberto Cabrera, External Relations Advisor, AARP, Washington, DC.				
12/7/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	POLITICS	
<b>FUND</b>					
<b>HEADLINE</b>	The 4th Republican Primary Debate.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	Weeks before the early caucuses in Iowa, Republican presidential candidates meet in Alabama for the 4th debate. Four of them were able to qualify for the stage. The embattled Donald Trump, who is skipping the debate again, is pushing to cancel all future debates. Political analysts discuss the highlights of the debate.				
	Guests: José López Zamorano, News Correspondent, Washington, DC; María Teresa Kumar, President, Voto Latino, Washington, D.C.				
12/8/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	MEXICO	MEXICO	
<b>FUND</b>					
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Mexico Edition.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	US Treasury Secretary Janet Yellen visits Mexico to talk with high Mexican officials on Mexico-US cooperation plans to curb fentanyl trafficking and target money laundering and other financial operations from narco cartels. Also, this program presents a conversation with journalist Marcela Turati about her recent book "San Fernando: Last Stop. Journey to Authorized Crime." / "San Fernando: Última Parada. Viaje al Crimen Autorizado." This book tells the story of a small town with a bus station where passengers, most of them young migrants, disappear. Each day, when a bus arrives at the station, they are taken to ditches, and killed. Then they were buried into clandestine mass graves. When those graves were found in 2011, the government hid them again. The government blamed the Zetas for the killings, but never investigated.				
	Guest: Marcela Turati, Writer and Journalist; Mexico City, MX and excerpts from speeches presented by Janet Yellen, US Treasury Secretary, Mexico City, MX; Rogelio Ramirez de la O, Mexico Treasury Secretary, Mexico City, MX and Victoria Rodriguez Ceja, Governor, Banco de Mexico, Mexico City, MX.				

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12/11/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	FARM	
<b>FUND</b>	WALTON				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	20 Years Turning Farm Workers into Organic Farmers.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	An organization announced as one of the nation's longest-standing farm incubator programs chose National Soil Day to celebrate 20 years helping farmworkers become organic farmers. Leaders and farmer alumni talk about the impact of the program. How has this farm worker training program helped curb the decline in small family production? How is it helping diversify and democratize the rural areas? They also discuss techniques that put this program on the cutting edge of sustainable, climate resilient agriculture and national policies geared to support small organic farms in an industry controlled by ag business giants.				
	Guests: Patricia Carrillo, Executive Director, Agriculture and Land-Based Training Association-ALBA, Salinas, CA; Rigoberto Bucio, Owner-Operator, Bucio Organic Farms, Salinas, CA; Martin Aviña, President, Aviña Organic Farms, Aromas, CA.				
12/12/2023	11:00-12:00	LIVE	FRESNO	ARTS	
<b>FUND</b>	Extra Edition: "Ghostly Labor."				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	"Ghostly Labor" is a dance theatre performance that tells episodes in the history of labor exploitation and resistance in the US–Mexico borderlands through Tap Dance, Mexican Zapateado, Son Jarocho, Afro Caribbean movement, and live music. The dance theater production is premiering at Brava Theater in San Francisco, CA.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	Guest: Sharon Benítez, Company Manager, La Mezcla, San Francisco, CA.				
	Tribute to Maria Emilia Martin (Repeat). Renowned public radio figure María Martin died in recent days at the age of 72 in Austin, Texas. The award-winning journalist was a decades-long contributor to Radio Bilingüe. In her memory, we repeat an archival interview with Maria, originally aired on December 16, 2020, where she tells her story of decades on the front lines of news coverage of Latinos in the United States for national public radio. In this conversation, she talks about her early days at a pioneering community radio station in California, her creation of Latino USA on NPR, the challenges of moving up the ranks as a Latina in NPR's newsroom, and her current work training indigenous and rural journalists in Latin America. This program includes a eulogy from Gabriela Castelán, friend and colleague of Maria during their early years in community radio news.				
	Guests: María Martín, Award-Winning Public Radio Journalist, Author of "Crossing Borders, Building Bridges: A Journalist's Heart in Latin America," Antigua Guatemala, Guatemala; Gabriela Castelán, Veteran Public Radio Journalist, Walnut Creek, CA.				
12/12/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	IMMIGRATION	
<b>FUND</b>	Immigration Edition.				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Immigration Edition.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	In current negotiations on a supplemental bill, Republicans are holding Ukraine funding hostage in exchange for Biden's agreeing to extreme and restrictive anti-immigrant legislation, including nationwide expedited removal and a transit ban, not only change asylum standards. On more news: a broad coalition in Texas came together to urge the US Department of Justice to intervene and stop anti-immigration state law SB4, as they fear it will affect thousands of people seeking refuge and asylum, as well as communities of color in Texas and New Mexico. Legal experts share advice to potential victims of discrimination. Finally, a bus from Texas dropped off dozens of migrants at Colorado's Capitol building in Denver. Gov. Abbott has sent almost 8,000 migrants to Denver.				
	Guests: Senator Julie Gonzáles, Democrat, District 34 City and County of Denver, Denver, CO; Dr. Patricia Gándara, Research Professor of Education, Graduate School of Education and Information Studies, and Co-author, University of California Los Angeles-UCLA, Los Angeles, CA; Maribel Hastings, Director, America's Voice en Español, Washington, DC; Adriana Piñón, Legal Director, American Civil Liberties Union-ACLU of Texas, Houston, TX; Aron Thorn, Senior Staff Attorney, Beyond Borders, Texas Civil Rights Project, Austin, TX; Ivonne Rodriguez, Strategic Communications Consultant, Las Americas Immigrant Advocacy Center, El Paso, TX.				

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12/13/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	DRUGS	
<b>FUND</b>	SIERRA				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Joven Noble & Girasol: Empowering children to stay away from drugs.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	Drug abuse, including prescription opioids and fentanyl, and deaths for drug overdose, are on the rise among older teens and young adults. Opioid abuse is now a national public health emergency. How do kids end up trying drugs? Which drugs are the most common? What are the warning signs? What are the consequences? Leaders of Joven Noble and Girasol Young Women, programs based on a culturally-rooted approach, talk about how to start the conversation with kids and how to help kids face their challenges.				
	Guests: Hector Sánchez-Flores, Executive Director National Compadres Network San Jose, CA; Ariel Jimenez, Project Coordinator National Compadres Network San Jose, CA.				
12/14/2023	11:00-12:00	LIVE	FRESNO	WAR	
<b>FUND</b>	Extra Edition: Palestinians and supporters fly flag in Fresno.				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	With the support of Fresno City Councilmember Miguel Arias, the local Palestinian community held a ceremony to raise the Palestinian flag at Eaton Plaza in downtown Fresno, joining others calling for a ceasefire in Gaza.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	Guests: Yasir Ali Amireh, Palestine Freedom Project Leader, Fresno, CA; Samai Muñoz, Demonstrator for the liberation of Palestine, and Member, Peace for Fresno, Fresno, CA.				
	Celebrating 30 Years of Indigenous Empowerment. With community celebrations, leaders of Mexican indigenous migrants are marking thirty years of the Binational Center for Oaxacan Indigenous Development. They celebrate a journey of survival and accomplishments in the aftermath of major challenges for communities around Central California, such as COVID-19, wildfires, and floods.				
	Guests: Dr. Gaspar Rivera-Salgado, Ph.D. Project Director, UCLA Labor Center, and Director, UCLA Center for Mexican Studies, Los Angeles, CA; Sarait Martinez, Executive Director, Centro Binacional para el Desarrollo Indígena Oaxaqueño, Salinas, CA.				
	Electric Cars in Rural Communities. The transition to electric vehicles has brought benefits to middle-class communities, but rarely to working-class families. A project in farm working communities in Central California has been responding to this challenge through the program Green Raiteros. It includes an electric vehicle sharing program for hourly car rentals, a volunteer driver program offering electric vehicle rides to disadvantaged residents, and an electric bicycle rental program.				
	Guests: Miguel Arias, Fresno Council Member, District 3, Fresno, CA; Rey León, Mayor, City of Huron, Huron, CA.				
12/14/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	MEDICAID	
<b>FUND</b>	Struggling to Stay on Medicaid.				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	After federal pandemic protections ended earlier this year, millions of people in the US have been removed from Medicaid. Despite being eligible, many lose coverage because of problems with a confusing system. There are reports that in some states people have to wait long hours on hotlines to renew their enrollment and renewal forms are mishandled. What's the experience of people in California? What's the state doing to encourage enrollment on Medi-Cal? Listeners are encouraged to call in to share their experience.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	Guests: Paula Andalo, Editor, KFF News, Health News, Silver Spring, MD; Maria Romero-Mora, Office of Communications, Community Engagement, California Department of Health Care Services-DHCS, Sacramento, CA; Paola Ilescas, Senior Program Manager, Latino Coalition for a Healthy California, San Diego, CA.				

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12/15/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	MEXICO	MEXICO	
<b>FUND</b>					
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Mexico Edition.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	This is a conversation with Celia and Laura, The García Sisters, young singers who promote bolero and chilena songs from the Costa Chica region in their native state of Guerrero. Recently, The García Sisters presented a concert at the Palacio de Bellas Artes, "We are All Migrants", in which they celebrate migration in Mexico, and another virtual concert, "Somos de la Costa", dedicated to raising funds for their paisanos victims of Hurricane Otis.				
	Guests: Celia and Laura Garcia, Las Hermanas Garcia, Mexico City.				
12/18/2023	12:00-1:00	PRERECORDED	FRESNO	BOOK	
<b>FUND</b>					
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Elena Poniatowska.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	This is an exclusive interview with renowned Mexican journalist and author Elena Poniatowska, recently recognized with the Carlos Fuentes International Prize and nominated for the Nobel Prize in Literature. At 91 years old, she says she feels happy and shares memories of her childhood when she arrived in Mexico from France seeking refuge from World War II, and she remembers friendships that have nourished her life and her letters.				
	Guest: Elena Poniatowska, renowned Mexican journalist and author, Mexico City, MX.				
12/19/2023	11:00-12:00	REPEAT	FRESNO	MEXICO	
<b>FUND</b>					
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Extra Edition: "El Cártel Negro." (Repeat).				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	Through an exhaustive investigation documenting the take over by organized crime of Pemex, Mexico's oil company, during the Fox and Calderón administrations, a distinguished journalist reveals the creation of the "black cartel," a voracious mafia that used corrupted networks to loot Pemex. In her book, the journalist reports how a recent energy reform gave Pemex to a few and dismantled the Mexican oil industry. Her journalistic work has earned awards from her peers, as well as persecution and exile. This archival program, part of the "Voz Pública" series hosted by Martha Elena Ramirez from Mexico City, originally aired on July 12, 2019.				
	Guest: Ana Lilia Pérez, Award-winning journalist, Author of "El Cártel Negro" and "PEMEX RIP: Visa y Asesinato de la Principal Empresa Mexicana", Mexico City, MX.				
12/19/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	IMMIGRATION	
<b>FUND</b>					
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Immigration Edition.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	Texas governor Greg Abbott signed severe laws against illegal immigration allocating funds for the creation of the border wall and criminalizing illegal entry into Texas through the border with Mexico. These are SB3 and SB4 and they establish, among other things, a \$1.5 billion fund for the construction and maintenance of the border wall. In other news, a coalition of pro-immigrant organizations and activists are urging the White House to grant work permits for a wide range of immigrants, especially those with pending U.S. residency applications. After celebrating Human Rights Day, they are urging President Biden to use existing avenues to extend permits through expanded Parole, including the reallocation of Temporary Protected Status (TPS) and Deferred Enforced Departure (DED). Also, community groups urge Congress and President Biden to reject Republican immigration restrictions they call poison pills in the supplemental budget in exchange for foreign aid support. Finally, a legal expert joins this program to answer listener questions about immigration, permanent residency and the naturalization process.				
	Guests: Romy Moreno, Florida Deputy Director, American Business Immigration Coalition-ABIC, Miami, FL; Nicole Melaku, Executive Director, National Partnership for New Americans-NPNA, Chicago, IL; Rosalba Piña, Immigration Attorney, Chicago, IL.				

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12/20/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	GUN	
<b>FUND</b>	IRVINE				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Gun Violence Prevention.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	Leading advocates in the gun violence prevention movement met at a recent summit to discuss issues of public health, community-based violence intervention programs, and the media's coverage of gun violence. US Rep. Joaquin Castro called on Congress to address the role of U.S. gun exports in driving violence abroad and urged support for the ARMAS Act to reestablish oversight of US gun exports crackdown on arms trafficking. In this program, specialists in community violence intervention work explain methods and strategies for interrupting violence and mediating peace between individuals and rival groups.				
	Guests: Rafael Medina, Director of Media Relations, Center for American Progress, Washington, DC; Kristopher McLucas, Specialist in Social Work and Public Health, Giffords Center for Violence Intervention, Los Angeles, CA.				
	Radio Bilingüe launches KDUO 91.3 FM in the New Mexico-Chihuahua border region. This week, KDUO 91.3 FM went on the air in Columbus, New Mexico, in the border region with the Mexican state of Chihuahua, as part of the national radio network Radio Bilingüe. In this program, the Radio Bilingüe family offers a warm welcome to all new listeners in Columbus, New Mexico and Puerto Palomas, Chihuahua. Also, Columbus Mayor Ezequiel Salas, who played a key role in the launching of this station on Tuesday, December 19, 2023, offers words of welcome to both the new station and Radio Bilingüe's efforts to serve the agricultural communities of this border region.				
	Guest: Ezequiel Salas, Mayor, Columbus, NM.				
	Historic Pay Raises for Health Care Workers. Kaiser Permanente workers in Western states this year staged the biggest health care strike in US history. Along with workers in the hospitality, entertainment and trucking industries, these workers won historic gains. What does this unprecedented movement mean for workers in California and the US? Latino healthcare workers who participated in the strike discuss their experience and what can be anticipated for 2024.				
	Guests: Christian Siguenza, Lab Assistant, Kaiser Baldwin Park, Baldwin Park, CA; Oscar Fuentes, Housekeeping Aide, Kaiser Martinez, Martinez, CA.				
12/21/2023	11:00-12:00	REPEAT	FRESNO	MEDICAID	
<b>FUND</b>	CHCF				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Extra Edition: Struggling to Stay on Medicaid. (Repeat)				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	After federal pandemic protections ended earlier this year, millions of people in the US have been removed from Medicaid. Despite being eligible, many lose coverage because of problems with a confusing system. There are reports that in some states people have to wait long hours on hotlines to renew their enrollment and renewal forms are mishandled. What's the experience of people in California? What's the state doing to encourage enrollment on Medi-Cal? This program was first aired on December 14, 2023.				
	Guests: Paula Andalo, Editor, KFF News, Health News, Silver Spring, MD; Maria Romero-Mora, Office of Communications, Community Engagement, California Department of Health Care Services-DHCS, Sacramento, CA; Paola Ilescas, Senior Program Manager, Latino Coalition for a Healthy California, San Diego, CA.				
12/21/2023	12:00-1:00	PRETAPED	FRESNO	MUSIC	
<b>FUND</b>	Singer Rafael Mendoza.				
<b>HEADLINE</b>					
<b>PROGRAM</b>	A conversation with Mexican singer and composer Rafael Mendoza, a recognized troubadour whose repertoire ranges from bolero, blues and Afro-Antillean rhythms to son jarocho and ranchera music. He has performed in festivals and venues around Mexico, the US and Europe. His discography is made up of Mendoza y Macondo, ¿Qué me pasa?, Fin de Siglo and Esta Locura. He talks about his musical beginnings and how over the years he has been embracing sounds and rhythms beyond trova such as norteñas and cardenche singing. He talks about the pleasure he feels when his songs are performed by greats like Eugenia Leon and Betsy Pecanins or street singers who play them on city buses in Mexico City. Inspired by the experience of his father, a Bracero, he also sings about migration to the US.				
	Guest: Rafael Mendoza, Mexican Singer, Composer and Troubadour, Mexico City, MX.				

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12/22/2023	12:00-1:00	PRERECORDED	MEXICO	MEXICO	
<b>FUND</b>					
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Mexico Edition - Feasting with Healthy Traditional Plates.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	Mexican traditional plates are delicious and widely recognized as a world treasure. They can also be healthy and help keep chronic disease away. How can Mexicans eat healthy during the Holidays? Cooks in Mexico City share tips on meals for the celebrations, including pozoles, nopalitos, pumpkin flower quesadillas, and salsas for the holiday season. In other news, Mexican President Andres Manuel Lopez Obrador (AMLO) condemns the anti-immigration actions taken by the state of Texas following the signing of SB4 by Governor Greg Abbott. Also, Mexican journalist and writer Cristina Pacheco died at the age of 82. A few weeks before her death, Pacheco was diagnosed with stomach cancer, opting to continue her journalistic work and refusing to undergo treatment, according to her family.				
	Guests: Lorena López Pedro, Craftswoman, Mexico City, MX; Areli Lugo, Chef, Mexico City, MX; excerpts from recent statements by AMLO and archival statements by Cristina Pacheco.				
12/25/2023	12:00-1:00	PRERECORDED	FRESNO	MUSIC	
<b>FUND</b>					
<b>HEADLINE</b>	"Christmas in the Mission."				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	The Dolores Mission Basilica is hosting a concert featuring Christmas songs from around Latin America and Spain. The event is organized by the San Francisco Community Music Center and Mexican-born musician and educator Martha Rodríguez-Salazar, who calls this "a celebration of unity, cultural heritage and the power of music to spread joy in difficult times." This special holiday features music from the event and a conversation with its director.				
	Guest: Martha Rodríguez-Salazar, Singer, Flutist, Conductor and Music Producer, San Francisco, CA.				
12/26/2023	11:00-12:00	LIVE	FRESNO	CITIZEN PARTICIPATION	
<b>FUND</b>	CVJC				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Extra Edition: 2023 Highlights of the Central Valley News Collaborative.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	As communities around the country suffer shrinking local news coverage, media outlets in the San Joaquin Valley came together to bring new energy and amplify the impact of their news service. Journalists comment on relevant stories they worked together during 2023, including the damage caused by the flood disasters in Planada, Woodlake and Pajaro Valley, the efforts to save the community hospital in Madera, and the plans to deal with the critical shortage of doctors in rural, low-income communities.				
	Guests: Juan Esparza, Editor, Vida en el Valle, Fresno, CA; Laura Díaz, Reporter, The Fresno Bee, Fresno, CA; Cresencio Rodríguez-Delgado, News Director, KVPR, Fresno, CA; Chelis López, Linea Abierta Host, Radio Bilingüe, Oaxaca, MX.				
12/26/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	IMMIGRATION	
<b>FUND</b>					
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Immigration Edition.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	An overview on hot immigration issues that made news in 2023. After months of polarized debate on border security, the year is ending with talks in Washington about toughening asylum protocols and reinforcing border enforcement, and gridlock on immigration reform. This year, Texas and Florida competed for the toughest stance against immigrants, making undocumented immigration and transporting undocumented immigrants a state crime, while California, Colorado, Illinois and other states passed immigrant-inclusive policies that will restrict government involvement in immigrant detention and extend health care coverage to undocumented immigrants. Analysts review the headlines of the year.				
	Guests: Fernando García, Director, Border Network for Human Rights-BNHR, El Paso, TX; Jesús Sánchez Melean, Executive Director, El Comercio de Colorado Newspaper, Denver, CO; Thomas Kennedy, Spokesperson, Florida Immigrant Coalition-FLIC, Miami, FL; Artemio Arreola, Director of Community Relations, Illinois Coalition for Immigrant and Refugee Rights-ICIRR, Chicago, IL.				

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12/27/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO		
<b>FUND</b>	Recap of 2023.				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Recap of 2023.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	As 2023 comes to a close, the hosts of Línea Abierta convene to review some of the headline news stories of the year and stories to watch in 2024 in the US and Mexico. This year, the hottest year on record, climate change and extreme weather events, including wildfires and floods in California, made headlines on Línea Abierta. Efforts to save the ocean from pollution and overfishing, as well as proposals in the new Farm Bill to support climate-resilient agriculture were part of the conversation. Other stories included the millions losing Medicaid, teen drug use and the fentanyl crisis, the first unemployment fund for undocumented workers in Colorado, the humanitarian catastrophe in Gaza, and the start of the 2024 presidential campaigns.				
	Guests: Chelis López, San Francisco, CA; Citlali Sáenz, Mexico City, MX; Gerardo Guzmán, Atlanta, GA; Samuel Orozco, Oakland, CA.				
12/28/2023	11:00-12:00	REPEAT	FRESNO	YOUTH	
<b>FUND</b>	Extra Edition: Joven Noble and Girasol: Kids and Drugs. (Program Repeat)				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Extra Edition: Joven Noble and Girasol: Kids and Drugs. (Program Repeat)				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	Drug abuse, including prescription opioids and fentanyl, and deaths for drug overdose, are on the rise among older teens and young adults. Opioid abuse is now a national public health emergency. How do kids end up trying drugs? Which drugs are the most common? What are the warning signs? What are the consequences? Leaders of Joven Noble and Girasol Young Women, programs based on a culturally-rooted approach, talk about how to start the conversation with kids and how to help kids face their challenges. This program was originally aired on December 13, 2023.				
	Guests: Hector Sánchez-Flores, Executive Director, National Compadres Network, San Jose, CA; Ariel Jimenez, Project Coordinator, National Compadres Network, San Jose, CA.				
12/28/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	FRESNO	MEDICAL	
<b>FUND</b>	CHCF				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	A New Era: Medi-Cal for the Undocumented.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	Starting January 1, California will begin a historic expansion of Medi-Cal to all low-income residents, regardless of their immigration status. Undocumented adults between the age of 26 and 49 will be able to apply for full scope Medi-Cal coverage. Hundreds of thousands of new people are expected to qualify. Will they show up to enroll?				
	Guest: Araceli Martinez Ortega, Reporter, Los Angeles, CA; Dr. Jose Mayorga, Executive Director, UCI Health Family Health Centers, Orange, CA; Karla Torres, Community Affairs Manager, AltaMed Health Services, Los Angeles, CA.				
12/29/2023	12:00-1:00	LIVE	MEXICO	MEXICO	
<b>FUND</b>	Mexico Edition.				
<b>HEADLINE</b>	Mexico Edition.				
<b>PROGRAM</b>	The year ends in Mexico amid intense pre-election campaigns in the race to succeed reformist President López Obrador. This edition includes highlights of Línea Abierta's coverage of these developments, as well as the conviction in the US of former Mexico's top cop García Luna, the quest to find the missing students from Ayotzinapa, and the clash with the US as Mexico bans tortillas made with GMO corn, among other big news.				