



QUARTERLY ISSUES AND PROGRAMS REPORT

FOR

STATION KCBS-FM & HD-2

3rd Quarter, 2023
(Jul 1st – Sept 30th)

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**Issues of Concern to Los Angeles, CA
Addressed in Responsive Programming in the
3rd Quarter, 2023**

<u><i>Subject</i></u>	<u><i>Description of Issue of Concern</i></u>
1. Health	Information regarding the latest breakthroughs in health care is needed, including new discoveries, programs and services. Disaster preparedness to preserve one's health.
2. Economy	Our local economy has been slow to recover from the recent recession. Information on services to assist the public is needed.
3. Education & Child Care	Whether being abused, needing special education, fighting truancy or needing college prep, children & parents need assistance.
4. Local Community Services	Mentioned are free or low-cost community services available to the public to assist with spousal abuse, child abuse, animal abuse or even the arts. Information on free programs is featured.
5. Crime & Drugs	Crime and drug abuse remain a key issue in our area.
6. Public Safety	The safety of the public is priority and information on how to prevent danger and maintain caution.
7. Animals & Wildlife	As wildlife is constantly affected by the perils of man and nature, OpenLine helps to provide the means of animal protection and adoption information needed to sustain the ecosystem and its diverse chain of useful inhabitants.
8. Politics	Highlighting propositions, political issues, and presidential candidates during this year's Elections.
9. Environment	From our coastal areas to our forests, the environment needs our help to preserve and restore it.

KCBS-FM HD2 (KFRG) Programs That Address Community Issues

**(Regularly Scheduled Public Affairs Programs)
3rd Quarter, 2023**

Public Affairs Program

Schedule and Description

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| 1. Open Line | Saturdays, 6-7am. Hosted by Tami Heide, this program features interviews with experts on community issues, along with comments from the listeners. |
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Most Significant Issue-Responsive Programming

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ISSUE: Health

Open Line

Date: 7/15/23

Time: 6:00 AM

Duration: 4 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Dr. Yalda Safai

Much has been said about the pandemic-era crisis in teen mental health. A new study suggests parents may be just as bad off. Researchers estimate that more than one-third of teens have a parent suffering from anxiety or depression. Two-fifths of teens voiced concern about a parent's mental health. KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with Dr. Yalda Safai, psychiatrist and family medical expert who practices in LA

Open Line

Date: 7/15/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 6 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Dr. Keith Vossel

The FDA just approved the Alzheimer's drug Leqembi, the first medicine proven to slow the course of the memory-robbing disease. This drug though isn't without some controversy and possibly some bad side effects. KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Dr. Keith Vossel, Professor of Neurology and Director of the Mary S. Easton Center for Alzheimer's Research and Care at UCLA

Open Line

Date: 8/12/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 6 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Dr. John Moore

A new COVID strain enters the chat + growing frustrations that it's taking too long to approve & distribute the new formulation of COVID vaccines. KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Dr. John Moore, immunologist & microbiologist at Cornell Medical College

ISSUE: Health (continued)

Open Line

Date: 8/19/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 7 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Dr. Mark Goulston

The CDC says the number of U.S. suicide deaths reached an all-time high in 2022. An estimated 49,449 people died by suicide in the United States last year, up 2.6 percent from the estimated 48,183 in 2021. What's causing the upward trend? KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Dr. Mark Goulston, psychiatrist, former UCLA psychiatry professor; expert in suicide prevention and trauma; co-creator and moderator of the suicide prevention documentary Stay Alive

Open Line

Date: 8/19/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 6 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Mary Jane Copps and Dillon Bernard

Are you afraid to talk on the phone? If you are you may have "phone phobia." A lot of people in Gen Z are afraid of using their phones to talk to others. They would rather text. Experts insist the shrinking number of voice-to-voice phone conversations is now leading to worries for teens and young adults. KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with Mary Jane Copps, The Phone Lady; business coach who helps people better communicate over the phone and through emails and Dillon Bernard, 23-year-old cultural strategy expert; founder of Social Impact Communications

Open Line

Date: 9/2/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 4 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Dr. William Schaffner

Don't get your next Covid booster quite yet. A new formulation is coming this fall, and there are two main reasons to wait for it. This advice is given with an increase in Covid cases here in LA County. KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with Dr. William Schaffner, professor of preventative medicine & infectious diseases at Vanderbilt University School of Medicine; he's a non-voting member of the CDC's advisory committee

ISSUE: Health (continued)

Open Line

Date: 9/9/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Dr. Melissa Kimura

Maybe don't trust your local pharmacy so much. The state's board of pharmacy finds pharmacies across California make about 5 million errors a year. Officials at the regulatory board say they can only estimate the number of errors because pharmacies are not required to report them. One major problem with these errors is that people can die. KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Dr. Melissa Kimura, President-Elect of the California Pharmacists Association

Open Line

Date: 9/9/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 10 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Dr. Mark Goulston

Death is not something we like to talk about, especially our own impending death. But it's something we all have to face eventually. A local prominent suicide prevention expert and psychiatrist is facing his own mortality at age 75. He's confronting a medical condition that could soon lead to cancer head on and has some tips to face death that are positive and uplifting. KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with Dr. Mark Goulston, psychiatrist, former UCLA psychiatry professor; expert in suicide prevention and trauma

Open Line

Date: 9/9/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 4 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Avigail Lev

The Barbie movie is ending relationships. More than a week after the release of the "Barbie" movie, social media is full of stories of women (and some men) who say they deeply reconsidered their relationships after seeing the film. KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Avigail Lev, psychotherapist who works with couples; Founder & Director of Bay Area CBT Center (Cognitive Behavioral Therapy)

ISSUE: Health (continued)

Open Line

Date: 9/16/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 12 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Jonathan Azu and Dr. Clayton Liu

A young and rising music executive had his life put on hold due to a prostate cancer diagnosis. It was an aggressive form too so treatment was urgent. Jonathan Azu underwent a less invasive robotic surgery as but during his research into his condition, Azu, a black man, read that a lot of people of color choose to get a radical prostatectomy even if their early-stage cancer doesn't require such drastic measures. He dives into health treatment disparities that impact people of color and how we can solve this. KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Jonathan Azu, music executive; USC professor; prostate cancer survivor and Dr. Clayton Lau, Director of City Of Hope's Prostate Cancer Program; and Jonathan's Surgeon

Open Line

Date: 9/23/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Dr. Marcus Rodriguez

Suicide and mental health are the topics explored in KNX's local and Audacy's national town hall shows presented tonight. "Awareness is not enough: an 'I'm Listening' Town Hall" features local guests discussing how to prevent suicide and help those who need it. KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with Dr. Marcus Rodriguez, Director of the Youth and Family Institute in LA; "Awareness is Not Enough" panel member

Open Line

Date: 9/23/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Sandy Reding

California's high cost of living has lots and lots of people leaving the state. It also has lots of nurses moving in. Why? Better pay, rules and benefits. Can California avoid a nursing shortage that some experts say is looming? KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with Sandy Reding, President of the California Nurses Association; Registered Nurse

ISSUE: Health (continued)

Open Line

Date: 9/30/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Christopher Warren

Data show food allergies have been on the rise this century. But why? It could be an immune system overreacting because it's bored. KNX's Rob Archer and Larry Perel speak with Christopher Warren, assistant professor of preventive medicine and director of Population Health Research at the Center for Food Allergy and Asthma Research, Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine

Open Line

Date: 9/30/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Maryanne Fisher

Don't be a "reply guy." yeah, that's the guy on social media who has to "like" and comment on every single post a person makes. It could be a sign of unhealthy behavior. If you're a "reply guy" how do you stop? KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Maryanne Fisher, psychology professor at St. Mary's University in Canada

Most Significant Issue-Responsive Programming

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ISSUE: Economy

Open Line

Date: 7/1/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 4 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Henry Harteveltdt

Air travelers have been putting up with widespread delays all month, and it's continuing again, as bad weather rakes the northeast. As of early this morning, nearly 1,300 flights have been delayed in the U.S. cancellations rapidly approached 700 flights. Those are troubling numbers heading into the July 4th holiday weekend, when even more people will be traveling. KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Henry Harteveltdt, travel and airline industry analyst; President of the Atmosphere Research Group

Open Line

Date: 7/1/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Jamie Court

California is serious about cracking down on gas price gouging. A new independent watchdog--the division of petroleum market oversight--will monitor the industry to help ensure you're not being ripped off. KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with Jamie Court, president of Consumer Watchdog; he testified at the California Energy Commission's hearing on gas prices

Open Line

Date: 7/8/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: John Logan

Hotel workers in la went on strike, and the strike is now on pause. This comes as Hollywood writers are striking and after port workers here reached a labor deal to avoid a strike. It seems like unions and workers in California have some momentum. But what is it about California workers? Are they just more bold? Is the business climate here more worker-friendly? KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with John Logan, Director of Labor and Employment Studies at San Francisco State University

ISSUE: Economy (cont.)

Open Line

Date: 7/15/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 6 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: J. Christopher Hamilton

The SAG-AFTRA union has called for an actors strike that began Friday at midnight. The union's contract with the alliance of motion picture and television producers expired at midnight Wednesday, with the sides disagreeing over many of the same issues that pushed the writers' union to call a strike on May 2nd. KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with J. Christopher Hamilton, TV, Radio and Film professor at Syracuse University; executive producer and former entertainment attorney

Open Line

Date: 7/15/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Darren Campo

"Barbie" and "Oppenheimer" open on the same weekend coming up this month. AMC says more than 20,000 AMC stubs members have purchased tickets to see "Barbie" and "Oppenheimer" on the same day. These are two movies opposite in tone and themes. They are likely to leave audiences feeling very different at the end. Why watch one fun, light movie and a heavy movie on the same day? KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Darren Campo, professor Entertainment, Media and Technology at NYU; long time TV producer and sci-fi author

Open Line

Date: 7/22/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 9 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Gabrielle Carteris

Hollywood is now dealing with a simultaneous actors and writers strike for the first time since 1960. With production basically stopped, what happens now with consumers? Where do they turn to when they're done with new content? Does a prolonged strike help the actors more or studios? KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Gabrielle Carteris, past president of SAG-AFTRA; executive council member of AFL-CIO

ISSUE: Economy

Open Line

Date: 7/22/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Jason Squire

Now that actors are on strike, how will Hollywood studios promote movies? Will commercials, trailers and billboard ads be enough? Actors won't be doing interviews or showing up to red carpet events. Will this hurt the movie box office? KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Jason Squire, Professor Emeritus at the USC School of Cinematic Arts and host of The Movie Business Podcast on Spotify

Open Line

Date: 7/22/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 6 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Kent Wong

This is the summer of strikes. Hollywood actors and writers are on strike. Local hotel workers have gone on strike and are threatening more walkouts. There might even be a ups strike. Are we seeing labor rise up again and can this be sustained? KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with Kent Wong, director of the UCLA Labor Center

Open Line

Date: 7/22/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Seth Schachner & Jason Lesniewicz

If your local city needs an economic jolt, get Taylor Swift to perform there. The federal reserve bank of Philadelphia credits swift for a recent economic boost and so did a tourism agency in Chicago. She brings people into town to stay at hotels and spend money. She's coming to LA soon. KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Seth Schachner, former Sony Music executive and current Managing Director of Strat Americas, an LA-based media and technology consultancy company and Jason Lesniewicz, Senior Director of Cultural Tourism with Choose Chicago, the city's tourism and marketing organization

ISSUE: Economy

Open Line

Date: 7/29/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 10 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Gus Faucher

The economy is something always on top of people's minds. The Federal Reserve meets this week and is expected to raise rates again. This comes while the Hollywood strikes are having an impact on LA's economy. Let's not forget housing is becoming more unaffordable. And is that recession ever going to come? KNX's Charles Feldman and Chris Sedens speak with Gus Faucher, Chief Economist at PNC Financial Services Group

Open Line

Date: 7/29/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Tim Pipher

Businesses connected to the entertainment industry worry about a long Hollywood actors and writers strike. KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Tim Pipher, owner/producer of LA Castle Studios in Burbank

Open Line

Date: 7/29/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Andy Draper

The Barbie/Oppenheimer hype is very real. The "Barbenheimer" phenomena has led to the fourth-biggest weekend of all time at the North American box office, revenue-wise. The sizzling box office is a welcome respite from the ongoing Hollywood strikes. KNX's Chris Sedens and Charles Feldman speak with Andy Draper staff member at SMU's School of the Arts; co-host of the podcast Off Script Film Review

ISSUE: Economy

Open Line

Date: 8/5/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Conway Collis

Tuesday was the deadline for renters in la to pay back rent for the first 18 months of the covid-19 pandemic. Mayor Karen Bass and the city have some resources set up to help people stay in their homes. KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Conway Collis, CEO of the Mayor's Fund for Los Angeles which is a philanthropic organization helping people avoid eviction

Open Line

Date: 8/5/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Lee Ohanian

Lots of people have been leaving California, many of them wealthy. That is apparently having an impact on tax revenue. A study, conducted by myelisting.com, found that California lost more than \$340 million in 2021 IRS tax revenue due to residents moving. How does California make up this money? KNX's Brian Ping and Chris Sedens speak with Lee Ohanian, professor of economics and director of the Ettinger Family Program in Macroeconomic Research at UCLA; Senior Fellow at the Hoover Institution at Stanford University

Open Line

Date: 8/5/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 4 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Michael Lens

How expensive are homes in LA? The median price for a listed home is getting close to \$1 million. As of June 30th, it was listed at \$975,333. This comes with its own set of problems though. KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with Michael Lens, professor of urban planning and public policy at UCLA

ISSUE: Economy (cont.)

Open Line

Date: 8/5/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 6 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: John Logan

The heat is costing the u.s. economy billions of dollars in lost productivity. Sizzling temperatures are causing problems for those who work in factories, warehouses and restaurants and also for employees of airlines and telecommunications firms, delivery services and energy companies. Even home health aides are running into trouble. KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with John Logan, Director of Labor and Employment Studies at San Francisco State University

Open Line

Date: 8/12/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 8 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Kent Wong & Jon McNutt

The summer of labor discontent continues: why have so many worker-management tensions come to a head this summer, which side has the upper hand, and will the strikes lead to real changes? KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Kent Wong, director of the UCLA Labor Center and Jon McNutt, employment & labor attorney who has represented the likes of entertainment, manufacturing, retail & transportation management in labor negotiations

Open Line

Date: 8/12/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Bob Blumenfield

11,000+ LA city workers walk off their jobs for a 1-day strike this week, touching off disruptions at lax, with trash collection, animal services, city pools & more. How is LA city government coping with the strike--and what about long-term threat of a bigger, more protracted strike in the near future? KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with Bob Blumenfield, LA City Council member & chair of the Council Budget & Finance Committee

ISSUE: Economy (cont.)

Open Line

Date: 8/12/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Thomas Farley

Are you sick of 'tip-flation'? Has tipping got completely out of hand, and is it possible to just say no!? KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Thomas Farley, etiquette expert who is also known as 'Mister Manners'

Open Line

Date: 8/19/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 11 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Duncan Crabtree-Ireland

The writers are back negotiating with Hollywood studios. When will the actors and studios restart talks? What happens to the actors' strike if the writers reach a deal first? KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Duncan Crabtree-Ireland, SAG-AFTRA chief negotiator

Open Line

Date: 8/19/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 7 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Todd Holmes

A local professor says the economic impact of the Hollywood strikes on California is staggering. He estimates billions of dollars have been lost so far. He believes if the strike lasts any longer the economic cost will continue to grow and it will take the entertainment industry. KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with Todd Holmes, professor of Entertainment Media Management at Cal State Northridge

Open Line

Date: 9/9/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Catherine Moy

The mystery of who's buying up big plots of land in northern California has been solved. It's a group led by tech leaders and venture capitalists who want to build their own city. But not everyone in the region likes this idea or even thinks it could work. KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Catherine Moy, mayor of Fairfield, CA.

ISSUE: Economy (cont.)

Open Line

Date: 9/16/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Joe Mull

If you're a business owner who wants to keep your best workers here's some advice: don't promote them. Seriously. If you do, they're apparently more likely to leave. So how do you reward good workers then? KNX's Larry Perel and Rob Archer speak with Joe Mull, author of *Employalty: How to Ignite Commitment and Keep Top Talent in the New Age of Work*

Open Line

Date: 9/23/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Meg James

The group representing Hollywood studios is set to meet with the WGA this week. Could we see a major breakthrough? This comes as Drew Barrymore is backtracking, now saying she won't bring her show back right now. Other daytime hosts are holding off too following the backlash Barrymore received. KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with Meg James, senior entertainment industry writer for the Los Angeles Times.

Open Line

Date: 9/23/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Nicole Middendorf

Kids are expensive. How expensive? Lending tree says raising a child from birth to age 18 now costs an average of \$237,482. So is the high cost of raising a child dissuading younger people from having kids? How do parents these days manage raising a kid when everything costs more? KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Nicole Middendorf, CEO of Prosperwell Financial; mother of two

Open Line

Date: 9/23/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Mandy Hoskinson

Would you pay for twitter (x)? Elon Musk is considering charging people to use it. Is this a good idea? KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with Mandy Hoskinson, owner of LA-based marketing agency Zolay; president of the Social Media Club of Los Angeles

ISSUE: Economy (cont.)

Open Line

Date: 9/30/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 4 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Andrew Lipow

Gas prices here in southern California are shooting up even higher. How much higher can they possibly get? Why is this happening and is there relief in sight? KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Andrew Lipow, oil industry analyst

Open Line

Date: 9/30/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 4 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Richard Green

Even California's cheaper areas are getting expensive. New data show that even inland areas such as Modesto, Bakersfield and Stockton are significantly less affordable compared with the national average, further worsening the housing crunch in a state facing an unprecedented crisis. KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with Richard Green, Director and Chair of the USC Lusk Center for Real Estate

Open Line

Date: 9/30/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Teresa Smith

More and more baby boomers are sliding into homelessness. A big reason is the high cost of housing that hits people hard who are on fixed incomes. Not to mention, because of economic recessions, many older people weren't able to save as much as they would've liked. KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Teresa Smith, CEO of Dreams for Change, a San Diego-based organization that helps homeless people

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ISSUE: Education & Child Care

Most Significant Issue-Responsive Programming

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ISSUE: Local & Community Services

Open Line

Date: 7/1/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 23 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Kenneth Lippman

Most people aren't flying out of town for this extended July 4th holiday weekend. So what can they do here in southern California if they're looking to pass the time here in a fun way? KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with Kenneth Lippman, CEO of Another Side of Los Angeles Tours

Open Line

Date: 7/1/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 15 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Kelly Shawhan

Tami has a California conversation with Semper Solaris co-founder and co-owner Kelly Shawhan, a former US Marine Captain. The Semper Cares program awarded a solar roof and panels to Angel and Millie Torres, Army veterans from Simi Valley, allowing them to gain energy independence. Their neighbors James and April Espinoza, also Army veterans, nominated them as deserving veterans for the Semper Cares solar hookup, and actor/comedian and retired US Marine Officer Rob Riggle was also there for the celebration of the solar installation on Memorial Day. Semper Solaris is local and veteran owned, more info about nominating a deserving military veteran for their services at www.sempersolaris.com

Open Line

Date: 7/1/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 7 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Israel Pinzon

Tami California conversation with Israel Pinzon, Fire Captain with the San Diego Unit of CAL Fire about Fireworks Safety. Always make sure any fireworks you purchase or use come with the Safe and Sane sticker. Have water and a hose nearby when you set off fireworks. Penalties and fines are stiff if you use illegal fireworks in California. Stay safe, know the rules, get more info at www.Fireworks-Safety-CA.org

ISSUE: Local & Community Services (cont.)

Open Line

Date: 7/8/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 12 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Loren Magana

Tami has a California conversation with Loren Magana, Manager of Public Affairs for Caltrans Stormwater Campaign. The CA Stormwater Education Program aims to raise awareness about stormwater pollution, and ways to protect and improve water quality in California. There are simple ways to change THIS to THAT and keep our water clean and free from pollutants. Check www.CleanWaterCA.com for cleanup activities near you.

Open Line

Date: 7/8/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 9 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Ashley Williams

Tami California conversation with Ashley Williams, press secretary for the Governor's Office of Community Partnerships and Strategic Communications about Save Our Water, a statewide water conservation program with a goal of making water conservation a way of life for Californians. Our new water reality swings between extreme wet and extreme dry periods. People can conserve water by planting waterv wise yards that can be affordable, beautiful and can thrive through California weather extremes. www.SaveOurWater.com and www.calscape.org have tips to help you save our water for generations to come.

Open Line

Date: 7/15/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 16 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Jagdip Dhillon

Tami has a California conversation with Jagdip Dhillon, Public Information Officer for Covered California. Their goal is to keep as many Californians covered with health insurance as possible. If you are a Medi-Cal member, make sure your contact info is up to date. If you are eligible for Covered California, they will pre-select a plan that offers you the most financial help. The Covered California campaign highlights how Covered California will help consumers through every step of their transition, and provide quality coverage, at low or no cost for many. The videos have been produced in a variety of languages, including English, Spanish, Mandarin, Cantonese, Korean and Vietnamese. Visit www.coveredCA.com or call the Covered California resource center at 800-300-1506

ISSUE: Local & Community Services (cont.)

Open Line

Date: 7/22/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 23 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Julianna Serrano

Tami has a California conversation with Julianna Serrano, VP of Advocacy and Equity with Planned Parenthood Pasadena and San Gabriel Valley, PPPSGV are essential health care providers and trusted educators who center their work on sexual and reproductive care and advocate for all people to live authentic and healthy lives. This month, the FDA approved the first birth control pill for over the counter use. The pill, called Opill, will be available to people of all ages without a prescription at their local pharmacy starting in 2024. It is a progestin only pill. The Opill is a huge step forward for birth control access and will help give people greater control over their health and lives. To donate, volunteer, and find out more, visit

www.pppsgv.org

Open Line

Date: 7/29/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 16 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Elsa Martinez

Tami has a California conversation with Elsa Martinez, Co-President of Long Beach Pride. Long Beach Pride Festival and Parade is their major annual fundraiser.

- 40th Annual Long Beach Pride Festival & Parade OR 40th Annual Pride Celebration (in Long Beach)
- Celebrating 40 years
- Festival: August, 5th & 6th (Sat. & Sun.), 11:00 AM to 10:00 PM
- Headlining artists this year will be Grammy-winning music artist Mýa, Mexican superstar Laura León, best-selling music artist La Diva Lucía Méndez and Latin pop legend Edith Márquez.
- Festival Location: Marina Green 386 East Shoreline Drive Long Beach, CA 90803 or 450 E. Shoreline Drive Long Beach, CA 90802
- Urban Stage, Fiesta Caliente Stage, Dance Pavilion
- Food Court and Food Trucks, Community Booths, Family and Senior Fun Zone
- Go to www.LongBeachPride.com for tickets and more information
- The Long Beach Pride Parade is Sunday, August 6, 10:30 AM to 1:00 PM
- Parade Location/Route: Starts from East Ocean Boulevard and Lindero Avenue, and proceeds west to Alamitos Avenue in Long Beach
- Parade grand marshals include the Sisters of Perpetual Indulgence
- Go to www.LongBeachPride.com for more information

ISSUE: Local & Community Services (cont.)

Open Line

Date: 8/5/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 16 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Jeff Zarrinam

Tami has a California conversation with Jeff Zarrinam, Chair of the Hollywood Sign Trust, about the ongoing Centennial Celebration of the Hollywood sign. The [Hollywood Sign Trust](#) was just honored with a [2023 Preservation Award](#) by the Los Angeles Conservancy, which is recognizing the Sign's exceptional achievements in the field of historic preservation in Los Angeles County today at its annual Awards Celebration. The Hollywood Sign Trust has been protecting and preserving the Hollywood Sign since 1978 when it was formed to save the Sign from total disrepair. In the Sign's centennial year, the Trust is honored to maintain and preserve the iconic landmark that symbolizes Los Angeles' sense of place and inspires millions of locals and fans around the world. "This has been a celebratory year for the Sign as we've been shining a spotlight on its 100th anniversary, and this prestigious award from the Los Angeles Conservancy is the icing on the cake," said Jeff Zarrinam, chair of the Hollywood Sign Trust. "We feel a true kinship with the Los Angeles Conservancy, which also formed in 1978, in its mission to preserve and shine a light on the historical architectural and cultural resources of Los Angeles County. We look forward to their incredible achievements for generations to come." When the Sign was erected in 1923 by the Hollywoodland Real Estate Group, it was slated to last only a year and half, and throughout the Sign's 100 year history, it has been threatened with decay and destruction. Against all odds it survived, but by 1973 it was in total disrepair. Citizens of Hollywood successfully lobbied to protect their precious icon and the Sign was declared a Los Angeles Cultural Historical Monument in 1973. Fundraising and celebrations are ongoing, find out the latest and/or donate at www.hollywoodsign.org

ISSUE: Local & Community Services (cont.)

Open Line

Date: 8/12/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 17 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Wes Geer

Tami has a California conversation with Wes Geer, founder and CEO of Rock To Recovery. The Rock To Recovery 6 benefit concert is Saturday 8/26 at the Fonda Theater, with KROQ's Megan Holiday as host. Rock to Recovery relies on your donations to support our work with Wounded Warriors, troubled youth, addiction and mental health clients. Your support is crucial to our mission. If you are unable to attend the benefit concert, please consider donating here - <https://rocktorecovery.org/donate/> - to help us bring the magic of music to more people in need, either at reduced or no cost to organizations. Rock to Recovery helps people heal and transform their lives through the powerful experience of writing, playing, and performing music as a group. We work with veterans, youth, and those working to overcome addiction, eating disorders and a variety of mental health issues. Our service to veterans includes working in VA hospitals, spinal injury units, and with those who have experienced trauma and/or traumatic brain injury. We work in drug court programs, addiction treatment centers, mental health facilities, residential youth facilities, juvenile justice centers, drop-in shelters, facilities for mothers with young children...anywhere there is a need for the healing power of music. More info at www.rocktorecovery.org

Open Line

Date: 8/19/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 14 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Claude Moradian

Tami has a California conversation with Claude Moradian, program manager in the Tobacco Control and Prevention Program of the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health about the dangers of secondhand smoke. We discuss first, second and thirdhand smoke, and the health risks they pose to people, pets, and other living things. Indoor ventilation systems can help mitigate the risk, but the goal is smoke free environments. If you are experiencing secondhand smoke exposure where you live and reside within a city that does not currently have a smoke-free multi-unit housing policy, please submit your complaint* here: tobacco1@ph.lacounty.gov. If you are trying to quit smoking, check www.laquits.com and <http://publichealth.lacounty.gov/tob/secondhandsmoke.htm>

ISSUE: Local & Community Services (cont.)

Open Line

Date: 8/26/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 15 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Kevin Marlin

Tami has a California conversation with Kevin Marlin, Executive Director of Orange County Animal Allies. OC Animal Allies began in 1984 as a small group of dedicated animal lovers in Orange County coming together to form an organization dedicated to helping Orange County residents and animals.

With a continued focus on how best to serve the residents and animals in Orange County, the organization has developed innovative programs that focus on keeping animals out of shelters, and potentially euthanasia. Today, OC Animal Allies provides solutions for spay and neuter, emergency financial support, education and other resources. Our programs bring hope to Orange County pet owners who often have nowhere else to turn for help. OC Animal Allies is an independent, volunteer-driven, non-profit and they do not receive any funding from government or other agency and their operations are entirely funded by the generosity of their individual and corporate donors. They are the beneficiaries of the upcoming secret KROQ the Beach with Incubus concert. For more info about all their programs, how you can donate and volunteer, check www.ocanimalallies.org

Open Line

Date: 9/2/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 19 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Matthew and Navah Paskowitz Asner

Tami has a California conversation with Matthew and Navah Paskowitz Asner about the Ed Asner Family Center. The Ed Asner Family Center offers inclusive day camps, expressive arts and vocational enrichment programs for all abilities at our center, six days a week, as well as, health and wellness classes. We also offer low cost mental health counseling and group counseling services with our highly trained therapists. Starting in 2023 we are launching the Adult Day Program! These classes and sessions promote self- confidence and balance, something that will translate in all areas in life, including an area that needs much attention in the disability world; employment. Over 80% of individuals with a cognitive disability are unemployed or underemployed. At The Ed Asner Family Center, we do not only cater to the needs of the neurodivergent individual. We aim to enroll the complete family and community, to help them meet the challenges they face with grace. The concert to benefit the EAFC is on Saturday September 9th at the Orpheum Theater with Ringo Starr, STP, Toto and more, tickets and info at www.edasnerfamilycenter.org

ISSUE: Local & Community Services (cont.)

Open Line

Date: 9/9/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 12 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Cristina Lopez

Tami has a California conversation with Cristina Lopez, Senior Public Affairs Specialist with the South Coast AQMD (Air Quality Management District). Their mission is to clean the air and protect the health of all residents in the South Coast Air District through practical and innovative strategies. Their 9th Annual Environmental Justice Conference is Wednesday September 13th 10am-1:30pm at the Riverside Convention Center. The goal is building a clean air future together. Find out how you can get involved and achieve cleaner air quality for all, and get in on their incentive and rebate programs at www.aqmd.gov

Open Line

Date: 9/16/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 19 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Michael Neils

Tami has a California conversation with Michael Neils, President of the St. Mary Medical Center Foundation and Chief Philanthropy Officer for St. Mary Medical Center. They are having their Centennial birthday bash and street fair for FREE on their campus on Saturday September 30th as a thank you to the Long Beach community. More info about the event and what the center does at <https://www.dignityhealth.org/socal/locations/stmarymedical>

Open Line

Date: 9/23/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 14 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Steve Aron

Tami has a California conversation with Steve Aron, CEO of the Autry Museum of the American West. Located in beautiful Griffith Park, the Autry features world-class galleries filled with Native American art and cultural materials, film memorabilia, historic firearms, paintings, interactive areas, and more. Their 35th Anniversary Celebration is Saturday September 30th, with a full day of fun activities for families and kids of all ages! Join us for a day full of fun celebrating the Autry's 35th anniversary, with family-friendly activities museum-wide!

- Special 35th-anniversary ticket prices that are the same amount as they were when we first opened in 1988!
- Trunk Show featuring local artist Laila Asgari
- Wild Horse Singers and Dancers
- Native Voices performance
- Presentations from Karla Buhlman and Rob Word
- Docent-led tours and basket-weaving workshops
- Carnival on the Lawn with a Petting Zoo and Ferris Wheel
- Market Vendors and participating booths on the Lawn
- Live Music, Photo Booth, Game lounge (corn-hole, Jenga, shuffleboard, giant Connect Fours)
- PBS SoCal Daniel Tiger Meet and Greet downstairs in the garden
- Family Play Space with educational activities for kids and families
- Food trucks and Fry bread!

...and so much more! More info at www.theautry.org

Open Line

Date: 9/30/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 15 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Robin Petillo

Tami California conversation with Captain Robin Petillo, commanding officer, recruitment and employment division of the LAPD. Starting pay for new recruits has recently jumped to \$86,192 annual salary, plus benefits like a pension. LAPD offers over 200 specialty jobs, so there is room for advancement and promotion. There is higher education imbursement available, along with career development and mentoring. You must be at least 20 ½ years old to enter the 6 month academy training. Find out if a career protecting and serving with the LAPD is right for you at <https://www.lapdonline.org/training-division/join-the-team/>

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ISSUE: Crime & Drugs

Open Line

Date: 9/9/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 11 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Michel Moore

LAPD chief Michel Moore is busy these days dealing with flash mob robberies. He's doing it with a police force that is looking for more officers too. So how is the LAPD handling these types of robberies and other crimes these days in a time that isn't as police-friendly as before? KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Michel Moore, LAPD Chief

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ISSUE: Public Safety

Open Line

Date: 7/1/23

Time: 6:00 AM

Duration: 15 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Bill Price

A retired travel expert from Manhattan Beach rode in the titan submersible on its maiden voyage back in 2021. Bill price said he had complete faith in Oceangate CEO Stockton despite some technical issues with titan. Bill says he's now dealing with survivor's guilt. KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Bill Price, retired tourism expert who rode in the Titan submersible

Open Line

Date: 7/1/23

Time: 6:00 AM

Duration: 4 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Philip Ballard

What makes people with money want to take such dangerous trips like deep sea expeditions, rides to the rims of outer space and mountain climbing? Are they just bored? KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with Philip Ballard, travel expert with HotelPlanner.com; he's done things like hike the Appalachian Trail for a hundred miles at a time

Open Line

Date: 7/15/23

Time: 6:00 AM

Duration: 6 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Paul Wertheimer

What's behind the epidemic of concertgoers throwing stuff at artists? It turns out that this isn't some kind of new trend. And it turns out that concertgoers are at risk of getting hit too by things tossed by performers. There may never actually be a solution to this problem other than learning good manners. KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Paul Wertheimer, crowd control expert who runs Crowdsafe

ISSUE: Public Safety

Open Line

Date: 7/29/23

Time: 6:00 AM

Duration: 6 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Alisa Lynn Valdes

While "Oppenheimer" focuses on a key man behind the creation of the atomic bomb, there's an untold story to atomic testing in New Mexico. One writer says the land for the testing was inhabited by Latinos. They were given less than 24 hours to leave. She says the testing led to many cancer cases among her mother's peers. She blames her mother's brain tumor on the radiation from the testing. KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with Alisa Lynn Valdes, author and journalist whose Tweet about the atomic testing fallout has gone viral; her mother was impacted by the first atomic bomb testing in New Mexico

Open Line

Date: 8/12/23

Time: 6:00 AM

Duration: 4 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Jules Hirst

Now that people are starting to go to movies again, they seemed to have forgotten how to behave. Bad movie theater etiquette is on the rise as more people are doing things like using their phones while the movie is playing. KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Jules Hirst, etiquette expert in LA; co-author of the book *The Power of Civility*

Open Line

Date: 8/19/23

Time: 6:00 AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Jordan Saribay

The death toll in Maui has climbed past 100 and is expected to grow following those devastating fires. KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with Jordan Saribay, Lahaina resident whose home was destroyed; he rescued his grandma from her home as flames approached

ISSUE: Public Safety

Open Line

Date: 8/19/23

Time: 6:00 AM

Duration: 6 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Chris Dicus and La Phena Davis

What can Hawaii learn from California when it comes to fighting fires? There are lots of complaints people in Maui weren't given enough warning to evacuate. Can California share tips with Hawaii for next time? KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Chris Dicus, Professor of Wildland Fire & Fuels Management with Cal Poly San Luis Obispo; President of the Association for Fire Ecology and La Phena Davis, lost her home in the Maui fires in Lahaina

Open Line

Date: 8/26/23

Time: 6:00 AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Michael Albanese

Local law enforcement officials and the LA mayor have come out to discuss the recent rash of brazen retail thefts. Of course, less-brazen retail thefts have been ongoing as criminals feel emboldened to simply walk out of stores with stolen property. So can a renewed commitment from law enforcement stop this problem? KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Michael Albanese, Burbank Police Chief

Open Line

Date: 8/26/23

Time: 6:00 AM

Duration: 12 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: George Gascon

LA County's top prosecutor has been accused of doing little to nothing to stop retail theft. Is that true? KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with George Gascon, LA County District Attorney

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ISSUE: Animals

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ISSUE: Politics

Open Line

Date: 7/8/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Jason Whitehead

The Supreme Court wraps up its latest session with some major rulings on affirmative action in college admissions, gay rights, student loans and voting rights and redistricting. Did the court do anything that was unexpected or was it in line with what all the court observers thought would happen? KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with Jason Whitehead, political science professor Cal State Long Beach; studies legal and judicial politics and constitutional law

Open Line

Date: 7/8/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 4 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Taylor Fox and Leslie Tayne

The Supreme Court knocked down President Biden's executive order canceling \$20,000 worth of federal student debt. Repayments are starting up soon and now those paying the money back have to budget to pay all of it back rather than cut \$20k off. KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Taylor Fox, recent Cal State Fullerton grad who applied for Biden's student relief program and now has to pay her full loan amount back and Leslie Tayne, debt attorney who represents student loan debtors in court

Open Line

Date: 7/8/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 4 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: John Shu and Elmer Roldan

The Supreme Court has knocked down affirmative action in college admissions, declaring race cannot be a factor and forcing institutions of higher education to look for new ways to achieve diverse student bodies. This is a huge ruling that will have implications here in California and beyond. KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with John Shu, Constitutional scholar who served in the George H.W. Bush and George W. Bush White Houses and Elmer Roldan, executive director of Communities in Schools Los Angeles

ISSUE: Politics (cont.)

Open Line

Date: 7/8/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 6 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Tyrone Howard and Pedro Noguera

California has prop 209 which prevents UCs and Cal States from using race as a factor in admission. Will schools from other states turn to California to figure out how to make sure they remain diverse? What happens now to private schools in California? KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with Tyrone Howard, education professor and head of the The Black Male Institute at UCLA and Pedro Noguera, Dean of the Rossier School of Education at USC

Open Line

Date: 7/8/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Mandy Hoskinson

Is Meta the "Twitter killer?" Meta is launching threads, which allows users to write and comment on posts much in the same way as Twitter. Now we have a first look at how threads will operate, thanks to early users' profiles showing up on its website. KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Mandy Hoskinson, owner of LA-based marketing agency Zolay; president of the Social Media Club of Los Angeles

Open Line

Date: 7/29/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 6 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Burton Kelso

Elon Musk has unveiled a new "x" logo to replace Twitter's famous blue bird as he follows through with a major rebranding of the social media platform he bought for \$44 billion last year. The x started appearing at the top of the desktop version of Twitter today but the bird was still dominant across the smartphone app. Will this new rebranding effort work or be a dud? KNX's Chris Sedens and Charles Feldman speak with Burton Kelso, tech/cybersecurity expert; owner and Chief Tech Expert at Integral

ISSUE: Politics (cont.)

Open Line

Date: 7/29/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: LJ Williamson and Tim Ray

Tony Bennett, the eminent stylist and last of the great saloon singers whose devotion to classic American songs and knack for creating new standards such as "I left my heart in San Francisco" graced a decades long career, has died at 96. Bennett often said his lifelong ambition was to create "a hit catalog rather than hit records," which he accomplished through more than 70 albums. KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with LJ Williamson, LA-based freelance music reviewer and a singer/songwriter and Tim Ray, music director and pianist for Tony Bennett from 2016 until Bennet's retirement in 2021

Open Line

Date: 8/5/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Brent Lang

The WGA and Hollywood studios are set to meet on Friday for the first talks since the WGA strike began in early May. The studios reached out to the writers. So could we soon see the end of the writers' strike? KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with Brent Lang, Executive Editor of Variety; he covers the major Hollywood studios

Open Line

Date: 8/5/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 9 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Juel Taylor and Tony Rettenmaier

The Hollywood strikes aren't preventing the release of new movies. We saw how the "Barbenheimer" craze shows people still want to head to theaters and watch original content. There's another new movie out but this one is on Netflix. It's called "They Cloned Tyrone." it's a science fiction comedy-mystery starring Jamie Foxx. The co-creators of the movie talk about releasing a film during two major strikes. KNX's Brian Ping and Chris Sedens speak with Juel Taylor, co-writer and co-producer of "They Cloned Tyone" and Tony Rettenmaier, co-writer and co-producer of "They Cloned Tyone"

ISSUE: Politics (cont.)

Open Line

Date: 8/5/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Jacquie Jordan

Pee Wee Herman has died. The beloved children's show host from the 1980s, aka Paul Reubens, passed away at age 70 following a battle with cancer. KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with Jacquie Jordan, pop culture/entertainment expert

Open Line

Date: 8/12/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 7 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Tim Gray

A legendary Hollywood movie-maker dies at the age of 87. What made William Friedkin so good? KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Tim Gray, awards editor and senior Vice President at Variety

Open Line

Date: 8/26/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Michael Schneider

Hollywood studios release details of their latest offer to the WGA. They call it a "comprehensive package." the WGA doesn't seem thrilled but is this just a negotiating ploy? Are we getting close to a deal or will this push the two sides farther apart? KNX's Chris Sedens and Rob Archer speak with Michael Schneider, Variety's TV Editor

ISSUE: Politics (cont.)

Open Line

Date: 8/26/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Clarence Jones

This month, civil rights activists will mark the 60th anniversary of the march on Washington. That's when Martin Luther King, Jr. Gave his famous "I Have a Dream" speech. Clarence Jones helped right that. He was also a senior advisor to MLK. He's out with a new book and runs project that highlights the connection between Jewish and black people in the civil rights era. KNX's Elsa Ramon and Rob Archer speak with Clarence Jones, civil rights leader; Senior Advisor and confidante of Martin Luther King, Jr.; credited with writing part of the "I Have a Dream" speech; author of the upcoming book Last of the Lions: An African American Journey in Memoir

Open Line

Date: 9/2/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 30 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Karen Bass

LA mayor Karen Bass has been on the job for nearly 9 months. Homelessness is still a top issue she's been working to solve. What progress has been made there? Migrant buses keep coming to la. What is the city doing to help these people? Can her administration help the local economy and help people deal with the rising costs of housing? The mayor will be in-studio to answer these questions. KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Karen Bass, Mayor of Los Angeles

Open Line

Date: 9/16/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 6 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Jeff Torres and Linda Bredemann

Hollywood writers and actors are pushing for a bill in a Sacramento to pass that would allow them to collect unemployment. The legislature has until September 14th to send it to the governor's desk for signature. But what about business owners? Shouldn't they get some kind of help too like they did during the early days of the pandemic? KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Jeff Torres, actor who's appeared in the Fox series Pitch, the updated version of S.W.A.T. and was also Tarzan in a hit Geico commercial that aired during the Super Bowl several years ago and Linda Bredemann, owner of A Walk Through Time Vintage and Costume Annex in Thousand Oaks

ISSUE: Politics (cont.)

Open Line

Date: 9/16/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Jill Cowan

How a new city council map of L.A. turned into a political brawl. The New York Times uncovers blatant political gerrymandering. In L.A. a scandal over a racist recording was only the tip of the iceberg. KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with Jill Cowan, LA-based California reporter for The New York Times; she co-authored this investigative piece

Open Line

Date: 9/23/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 4 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Dan Walters

Governor Newsom says he's been involved in trying to settle the Hollywood strikes. But what power or influence could the governor have in this situation? Does he have the clout and power to settle labor disputes or is this just Newsom grandstanding? KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Dan Walters, Cal Matters political analyst

Open Line

Date: 9/23/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 12 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Robert F. Kennedy, Jr.

Robert F. Kennedy, Jr. is looking to make waves in the Democratic presidential primary. He comes with controversy, especially over his views on vaccines. He recently accused the Democratic party of rigging its primaries. Will he run as a third party candidate and possibly play spoiler? KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with Robert F. Kennedy, Jr., Democratic presidential candidate

ISSUE: Politics (cont.)

Open Line

Date: 9/30/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 10 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Jeff Daniels and Ben Daniels

Actor Jeff Daniels is recounting his remarkable career in Hollywood for everyone to hear. He's put out an audio memoir podcast with the help of his son. It also includes new music from Daniels. Yes, he makes music too. It's called "alive and well enough." it'll run for two seasons. KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Jeff Daniels, actor and Ben Daniels, son of Jeff Daniels who produced "Alive and Well Enough"

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ISSUE: Environment

Open Line

Date: 7/15/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 4 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Nate Onderdonk

A hillside is collapsing under 17 homes in rolling hills estates. Those homes are on the way to being destroyed. This isn't the first time hillsides have collapsed in the Palos Verdes peninsula. It's not the only dangerous area prone to landslides along the California coast. KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with Nate Onderdonk, professor in the Department of Geological Sciences for Cal State Long Beach

Open Line

Date: 7/15/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 4 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Kristy Dahl

Extreme weather from historic flooding to extreme heat waves are smacking the world right now. This has some scientists worried about climate change accelerating. They say these kind of events could become more normal and regular this century. KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Kristy Dahl, principal climate scientist for the Climate & Energy program at the Union of Concerned Scientists

Open Line

Date: 7/22/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 6 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Dr. Erik Mattison

Phoenix is melting. The extreme heat scorching Phoenix set a record Tuesday, the 19th consecutive day temperatures hit at least 110 degrees Fahrenheit in a summer of suffering that's echoing around much of the globe. KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with Dr. Erik Mattison, director of the emergency department at Dignity Health Chandler Regional Medical Center in metro Phoenix

ISSUE: Environment (cont.)

Open Line

Date: 7/22/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 4 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Rick Larrick

Can this heat wave scorching California lead to more road rage and violent, aggressive behavior? Maybe. The number of road rage incidents has increased since the start of the covid-19 pandemic, experts say, and we may be seeing even more with the extreme heat in places like Texas. So is California next? KNX's Charles Feldman and Rob Archer speak with Rick Larrick, Duke University's Fuqua's Associate Dean of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion; fellow of the Association for Psychological Science; he led a study about the heat and MLB pitchers hitting batters

Open Line

Date: 8/26/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Dan Cayan

Tropical storm Hilary is the first tropical storm to hit southern California since 1939. But will we have to wait another 84 years for the next one? Will these become regular occurrences soon and will it be because of climate change? KNX's Elsa Ramon and Rob Archer speak with Dan Cayan, Climate Sciences Researcher for the Scripps Institution of Oceanography, UC San Diego

Open Line

Date: 8/26/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 4 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Jeanine Jones

How much will Hilary help our drought situation in the state? Also, how will it help our water supply? KNX's Rob Archer and Elsa Ramon speak with Jeanine Jones, Interstate Resources Manager for the California Department of Water Resources

ISSUE: Environment (cont.)

Open Line

Date: 9/2/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 3 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Sandy Steers

Two famous eagles in the big bear area could lose their home. A forest service project would remove lots of trees for fire prevention and those trees include the tree which houses the nest for Jackie and Shadow which is live-streamed 24/7. A lawsuit's been filed to try to stop the project. KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with Sandy Steers, Friends of Big Bear Valley executive director

NOTE: We reached out to the U.S. Forest Service but did not hear back

Open Line

Date: 9/9/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 6 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Toby Amidor

People are reporting that their watermelons are exploding. Yes, it's true. But why? You can blame microorganisms. KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with Toby Amidor, award-winning nutrition expert, best-selling author of Up Your Veggies: Flexitarian Recipes for the Whole Family

Open Line

Date: 9/16/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Eric Oppenheimer

State officials are moving forward with a new framework for urban water use that could require some suppliers to make cuts of 20% or more as soon as 2025. LA DWP wouldn't have to make any cuts until 2030 but neighboring cities and water district would have to enact cuts. Can this plan work? KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with Eric Oppenheimer, Chief Deputy Director of the State Water Resources Control Board

ISSUE: Environment (cont.)

Open Line

Date: 9/30/23

Time: 6:00AM

Duration: 5 minutes of a 60-minute program

Guest: Angela Marusiak

A new study finds a spacecraft left behind by U.S. astronauts on the lunar surface could be causing small tremors known as moonquakes. Researchers revealed the previously unknown form of seismic activity on the moon for the first time through an analysis of apollo-era data using modern algorithms. So what can we learn from this? KNX's Rob Archer and Charles Feldman speak with Angela Marusiak, research professor at the University of Arizona's Lunar and Planetary Laboratory