### PROGRAMS AND ISSUES REPORT KCDO-TV Q1 2019

#### LOCAL NEWS BROADCASTS DAILY ON KCDO-TV:

Denver 7 News local broadcasts air 4X's per day on KCDO-TV Monday through Friday and 3X's per day Saturday and Sunday and include, but are not limited to, the following community issues:

- -Government Issues
- -Crime/Law and Order Issues
- -Health Issues
- -Economic Issues
- -Educational Issues
- -Minority Group Issues
- -Housing and Transportation Issues
- -Environment/Energy Issues
- -Growth & Population Issues
- -Cultural Issues.

Here are a few examples:

- 1/3/19 Denver 7 at 11pm Crime/Law & Order Issues 1:45 length -A 7 year old was found dead inside a Denver storage unit and the boy's mother is now in jail.
- 1/4/19 Denver 7 at 9am Education/School Issues :45 length -A new report examines the leading factors contributing to the rise is suicides.
- 1/7/19 Denver 7 at 11pm Government Issues :20 length -Denver is now the first city in the state to ban conversion therapy for minors.
- 1/16/19 Denver 7 at 9am Health Issues :45 length -Colorado has recorded its first flu death of the season.
- 2/5/19 Denver 7 at 9am Growth & Population :35 length -Residents in Larimer County speak out about a 100 foot cell tower and worry about health impacts.
- 2/25/19 Denver 7 at 11pm Environment/Energy :20 length -A bill to regulate plastic straw usage in CO stalls in the legislature.
- 3/8/19 Denver 7 at 9am Housing/Transportation 1:30 length -State lawmakers talk about a bill that would ban the use of cell phones while driving.

The Aaron Harber Show aired Sunday's 11am-1130am and 1130am-12pm for the 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter of 2019 with host Aaron Harber interviewing a diverse group of local, national and international guests with topics relevant to Colorado and the nation. Listed below are the topics for the this quarter:

#### **Quarter 1 2019 Show Descriptions and Broadcast Dates: 2019**

# January 6<sup>th</sup>

Michael Kimmel Part 1 - Author "Angry White Men" -

Michael Kimmel is a SUNY Distinguished Professor of Sociology & Gender Studies at Stony Brook University, and the author of numerous books including "Healing from Hate," & "Angry White Men." As a social scientist, Kimmel has studied the dynamics of male behavior in our current era, and the psychological and external factors that affect the way that men today behave. He also explains the dichotomy between what women say they want in a man and the kind of man they actually end up preferring to date.

Michael Kimmel Part 2 - Author "Angry White Men" -

Michael Kimmel is a SUNY Distinguished Professor of Sociology & Gender Studies at Stony Brook University, and the author of numerous books including "Healing from Hate," & "Angry White Men." Kimmel credits feminism as the a primary driver for platonic male and female friendships. Due to the influence of feminism, women and girls were no longer relegated to housework and housewife duties. Instead they began studying science, technology and a host of other topics becoming inherently more interesting people - people that boys wanted to be friends with.

### January 13th

Christian Picciolini, former Neo-Nazi Leader -

Christian Picciolini is known for his harrowing story escaping radical racist extremism, once a leader in the Neo-Nazi movement. He is now the founder of the Free Radicals Project. He recounts his conversion story, going all the way back to his induction into the radical movement, through the personal losses he suffered. The impact that social media has had on the white nationalist movement is more powerful that we realized for a long time.

Robert Powelson, Federal Regulatory Commissioner -

Robert Powelson, a recent Commissioner of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission details his goals to improve the project permitting process (which he believes is unnecessarily burdensome to applicants) and to find ways to streamline other aspects of the regulatory process. This focus of Powelson's fits well with the Trump White House's effort to reduce Federal regulations across the board. Commissioner Powelson argues the Commission is a non-political entity and sees his specific role as serving as a check-and-balance on overbearing regulations which unreasonably impede progress.

### January 20th

Imam Khalid Latif - Muslim Leader & NYPD Inspector

Imam Khalid Latif is a NYPD chaplain, Executive of the Islamic Center, and University chaplain at New York University. Latif gives a bit of background not only about his own families immigrant story but also the history of Muslims in the US.

Rich Wilson - President, Sites Alive Foundation -

Rich Wilson, Chairman and Founder of the Sites ALIVE Foundation, details his reasons for starting the organization in his effort to enhance education through real life experience. Sites ALIVE operates in all 50 states and allows K-12 students to pair inschool learning with real-life events such as learning how to sail a boat. Wilson is expanding the attention span of youth by exploring fun scenarios through constructive learning. His inspiration is rooted in his own love for the open waters. Wilson elaborates on his triumphs as a young sailor, along with the hardships of being out at sea.

#### January 27th

Dava Newman - Former Deputy Director, NASA-

Dava Newman is a former NASA Deputy Administrator and the Apollo Professor of Astronautics and Engineering at Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Newman is excited about the renaissance of space exploration that has come along with the privatization of space exploration. She predicts that the U.S. will be going back to the moon in the 2020s.

Charles Hernick - Director, Citizens for Responsible Energy Solutions - Charles Hernick, the Director of Policy and Advocate for Citizens for Responsible Energy Solutions, speaks on the energy market from a conservative point of view. Hernick responds accordingly to perceived holes in the GOP's stands on climate and energy. An advocate for free market structures within the energy industry, Hernick would like to see tax subsidies and write offs shrink. Hernick also explains the disconnect between the public and the energy advocacy community.

## February 3rd

Francoise Girard - President, International Women's Health Coalition - Francoise Girard, President of the International Women's Health Coalition, has dedicated her life to protecting women around the world and helping them assume their rights. She addresses a few of the more egregious women's health and rights violations in this conversation. Sadly, arranged and forced marriages are not a thing of the past in many countries around the world. Over 12 million girls are still married off every year in this manner.

Carl Safina - Author "Beyond Words: What Animals Think and Feel" -

If you love pets you're going to thoroughly enjoy this episode all about animals, focusing on those we keep in our homes with Dr. Carl Safina, founder of the Safina Center at Stony Brook University in New York. He is also the author of many books including, "Beyond Words: What Animals Think and Feel."

# February 10th

Ambassador Stuart Eizenstat Part 1 - Author "Jimmy Carter" -

In Part 1 of this two-part series with Stuart Eizenstat, Carter White House advisor and author of a biography on the 39th U.S. President titled, "Jimmy Carter." Eizenstat held a litany of executive and cabinet level positions in the White House, elite law firms, and has written a book about Jimmy Carter's Presidency. The biographical account of Jimmy Carter's time in office, "President Carter: The White House Years" as told by White House insider, Stuart Eizenstat recounts this time in which Eizenstat was deeply involved in the inner workings of the White House and offers many untold stories that give understanding to what it was like at the time.

Ambassador Stuart Eizenstat Part 2 - Author "Jimmy Carter" -

In Part 2 of this two-part series with Stuart Eizenstat, Carter White House advisor and author of a biography on the 39th U.S. President titled, "Jimmy Carter." Eizenstat maintains that Jimmy Carter was the most underappreciated United States President. Carter made great progress on the conservation and clean energy front during his time in office. He also removed prohibition on craft beers. He made an effort to meet every week with fellow Democrats and every month with Republicans, a practice which ultimately facilitated the passage of the Panama Canal bill. His administration was the first to pass fuel efficiency standards. Jimmy Carter was also the first President to put solar panels on the White House. Eizenstat cites Inflation, Iran, Inexperience, and Inter-party war as four of the big factors that negatively affected Carter's Presidency.

#### February 17th

Veronica Garcia - CEO, Bitlumens -

Veronica Garcia, CEO of Bitlumens, displays the effects of Blockchain technology on farmers in developing nations, and describes the pros of cryptocurrencies. Bitlumens utilizes solar energy to bring in water and power to female farmers operating outside of shared electric grids. The encryption makes blockchain very secure against potential hackers. Garcia is a strong advocate for the utilization of cryptocurrency. The CEO cites "closed economies" as a strong market for this technology. Businesses can utilize this tool to ensure a protected exchange of money; an advantage unseen by fiat currency. Though many are cautious to invest in areas such as Bitcoin, Garcia believes that cryptocurrency will thrive.

Deborah Rhode - Legal Reformer & Author, "Women in Leadership" - Deborah Rhodes is the Director for the Center of Legal Protection and author of man books including "Women and Leadership." Much of her work focuses on the ways the legal system is broken, as well as the lack of women in leadership. The severe cost to retaining good legal services is a huge disadvantage to defendants of moderate and low

income. We are sadly in a position where being wealthy and guilty in America is better than being poor and innocent.

As she strives to make female leadership more mainstream, she uncovers many of the old tired reasons women have been kept out of leadership positions for so long. Many cultural factors contribute to the lower numbers of women in leadership positions including: personal life choices, social bias, and overall awareness.

# February 24th

Al Lewis - Business Editor, Houston Chronicle

Al Lewis, Business Editor of the *Houston Chronicle*, famed Wall Street Journal columnist, and distinguished and award-winning journalist, comes back on the show for an update on the business of oil and gas. He discusses the reasons for the profitability or failure of newspapers, and the success of U.S. and global energy market.

John Berger - Co-Founder & CEO Sunnova Energy Corporation - John Berger, CEO of Sunnova, breaks down the increasingly profitable solar energy market. Berger ties his company's success to the many layers of service agreements offered to their clients. He estimates, that as the solar energy market continues to gain momentum, technology itself will limit the necessity of coal for energy production.

#### March 3rd

Psyche Loui - Music Neuroscientist & Director MIND Lab

Psyche Loui, Director of MIND Lab at Wesleyan University, expounds upon the connections made between the human brain and music. MIND Lab utilizes Neuro dynamics to explain music's ability to be created for communication and for bonding. Loui attributes the widened gap of musical talent to both individual differences in the brain, and additional training taken on by the person.

### Gillian Caldwell - CEO, Global Witness, Investigative Films

Gillian Caldwell, investigative documentary producer, expounds on her recent successes in both *Bought and Sold*, and *Citizen Koch* documentaries. *Bought and Sold* sheds light to the current state of human trafficking. Caldwell exposes corrupt tactics used in the Russian Mafia through undercover journalism. *Citizen Koch* alludes to the impact of political fundraising. Caldwell uses examples of the Koch brothers and George Soros to show the direct impact hard money can have on campaigns and elections. She shares her experiences as CEO of Global Witness, an organization specializing in the awareness of anonymous companies. Global Witness looks at many precious commodities in the market such as gems, timber, and coal. Caldwell looks to marginalize the money laundering, the corruption in nations where these markets are prevalent. The Global Witness team is responsible for uncovering many unjust practices carried out in unregulated industries.

### March 10th

Mike Chase - Lawyer & Founder of @CrimeADay on Twitter - Mike Chase, criminal defense attorney and @CrimeADay twitter account founder, addresses the American public's perception of the judicial system. Chase attributes bias

towards the legal system as a matter of perspective, as he differentiates between the views of participants and onlookers. Many a time, the public will look to a sentencing as a means of sending criminals to jail, away from the public. Whereas those being sentenced see the individual holes in the system.

Robert Zimmer - President, University of Chicago

Robert Zimmer, the President of the University of Chicago, addresses university concerns including freedom of expression and rising tuition cost. Zimmer delves into the differences of elite and public institutions. Fairness calls for institutions to take a blind approach when reviewing applications for admission. Ignorance to available financial aid is an issue for many underprivileged students when applying to university. Institutions such as the University of Chicago have a large endowment, allowing them to expand their applicant pool and offer assistance to deserving lower income students.

#### March 17th

James & Deb Fallows Part 1 - Co-Authors, "Our Towns" -

James and Deb Fallows, authors of "Our Towns: A 100,000-Mile Journey into the Heart of America" speak about the inspiration behind their journey across America. To start the project, Jim wrote an article in *The Atlantic*; asking readers to write back regarding the glories of their small towns. Within weeks, Fallows had received thousands of responses. Once they had their list in order, they packed their personal small craft Cirrus SR22 plane and began their journey. They detail interactions they had in each town, making a concerted effort to keep charged political discourse out of their interactions in order to learn more about the people they were meeting.

James & Deb Fallows Part 2 - Co-Authors, "Our Towns" -

James and Deb Fallows, authors of "Our Towns: A 100,000-Mile Journey into the Heart of America" speak about the inspiration behind their journey across America. The 2016 election made for interesting findings in small town politics. Most of the towns the Fallows visited heavily supported Trump, however the narrative in the communities did not always align with the GOP talking points. Deb cites neighbor diplomacy as a key factor in the way that Americans relate to those they live near. Neighbors are teammates in their respective communities, not members of a political party. The town comes together over potholes and flooding potential, not over aligned political ideology.

#### March 24th

Jack Myers Part 1 - Founder, Media Village -

In Part One of this two-part series, Jack Myers, the Founder and Chairman of MediaVillage and the author of, "The Future of Men: Masculinity in the Twenty-First Century," defines his role as a Media Ecologist and then digs into the evolution of media consumption mechanisms and the viewer's shift from broadcast to cable and then beyond. En masse viewings of programs that were a part of our culture in the previous television era no longer exist due to the sheer volume of shows, channels and online content that is available. Aaron and Jack speculate about cord-cutters, cord-nevers, the future of cable television and the takeover by OTT or Over The Top communications companies such as Netflix, Hulu and Amazon.

Jack Myers Part 2 - Founder, Media Village -

In Part Two of this two-part series Jack Myers, the Founder and Chairman of MediaVillage and the author of, "The Future of Men: Masculinity in the Twenty-First Century," describes the transformation of the advertising business and movement away from the large legacy agency model (i.e., once-dominant Madison Avenue companies) towards a fractured, small business, small influencer approach seeking and reaching very targeted audiences. The program delves into the genesis of Jack's recent book, "The Future of Men" and the feedback he received while on tour with his previous book, "Hooked Up." He discloses that 60% of college graduates now are female, and identifies cultural problems he believes this presents for Society as a whole. They debate the relevance of other factors in young men's lives, including the rise of the Alt Right movement.

#### March 31st

Robert Mueller Part 1 of 4

In Part One of this 4 Part series with Robert Mueller, introduced by Former Senator Ken Salazar, recounts finding himself in-charge as the new FBI Director, days before September 11th.

Robert Mueller Part 2 of 4

In Part Two of this 4 Part series with Former F.B.I. Director Robert Mueller, Mueller recounts his leadership of the FBI, handling the Fort Hood and Boston Bombing incidents, while developing cyber security.