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Station KFCF 88.1 FM - Fresno, California  
Quarterly Listing of Community Issues and Public Programs  
October 1, 2008 through December 31, 2008

Issue: The Election

Wednesday, Oct 15, 2008

5:00 - 8:00 pm

Duration: 3 hours

**Presidential Debate Broadcast** - Live broadcast of the final presidential debate between John McCain and Barack Obama at Hofstra University, anchored by Mitch Jeserich.

Friday, October 17, 2008

2:00 PM

Duration: 30 minutes

**Making Contact** - On this edition, we go to Ohio, the scene of election day chaos in 2004.

Long lines, a shortage of voting machines, voter challenges, and unprocessed registrations led some members of Congress to challenge the validity of the presidential election.

This time around, Ohio is again a crucial swing state, and it remains to be seen whether changes in voting laws there and in other states will make the process better or worse for citizens who want to cast their votes.

Hosted by GRIT TV personality Laura Flanders, produced by The Media Consortium, and adapted for radio by *Making Contact*.

Monday, October 27, 2008

8:00 PM

Duration: 2 hours

**Valley Black Talk** National Elections and state propositions are reviewed by hosts Tate Hill and Julia Dudley-Najaeb and Jean Kennedy.

Monday, November 3, 2008

8:00 PM

Duration: 2 hours

**Valley Black Talk** Discussion of local, state and national races. Hosts: Tate Hill and Julia Dudley-Najaeb and Jean Kennedy.

**Tuesday November 4, 2008**

**4:00 PM - 12:00 Midnight**

**Duration : 8 hours**

**Special Election night returns and analysis.** Live coverage from Democracy Now, KPFA's news department and coverage live from the KFCF studios of election races, and analysis of the results.

Interviews with the major winners and losers on election Night from all five Central Valley Counties from Merced to Tulare.

In Studio Guests include:

Republicans Fred Vanderhoff – Former Chair of Republican Central Committee. John Gist - Former Congressional Candidate 19th district and member of Republican Central Committee  
Green Party: Mike Rhodes

Democratic Party :Steve Haze - Former Congressional Candidate and Chair of Fresno

Democratic Central Committee Marc Scalzo – Former Mayor of Madera and former Candidate for California Assembly

Interviews with Newly elected local officials

## **Issue: Air Quality**

**Friday, October 23, 2008**

**Duration: 30 minutes**

**Clearing The Air** Host Kevin Hall interviews Paul Count of Earth Justice about Federal EPA rules and what changes are expected from the current and future administrations.

**Friday, November 28, 2008**

**Duration: 30 minutes**

**Clearing The Air** Jim Compton Schmidt interviews Ray Leon of Latino Advanced Environmental People about Global Warming in California, AB 32

## **Issue: The Economy**

**Weekly Saturdays**

**11:00 AM**

**Duration: 1 hour**

**Left Economic Observer** Host: Doug Henwood - An alternative view of economic polices, finances and banking from a left perspective.

**Monday October 6, 2008**

**6:00 AM and 9:00 AM**

**Duration: 1 hour**

**Democracy Now!** Naomi Klein: Wall St. Crisis Should Be for Neoliberalism What Fall of Berlin Wall Was for Communism - As the world reels from the financial crisis on Wall Street and the taxpayer-funded \$700 billion bailout, we spend the hour with Naomi Klein on the economy, politics and "disaster capitalism." The Shock Doctrine author recently spoke at the University of Chicago to oppose the creation of an economic research center named after the University's most famous economist, Milton Friedman. Klein says Friedman's economic philosophy championed the kind of deregulation that led to the current crisis.

**Wednesday October 8, 2008**

**6:00 AM and 9:00 AM**

**Duration: 1 hour**

**Democracy Now!** European, Asian Markets Plunge as Recession Fears Spread Worldwide - As stock indexes plunge across Europe and Asia, Britain unveiled plans today to inject up to 50 billion pounds—close to \$90 billion—into its biggest retail banks. Recent efforts to bolster world credit markets have failed to stem fears that the spreading financial crisis could lead to a global recession. We go to Rome to speak economist Loretta Napoleoni, author of *Rogue Economics: Capitalism's New Reality*.

**Wednesday, October 15, 2008**

**1:00pm**

**Duration: 1 hour**

**Guns and Butter** "The Bailout's New Financial Oligarchy" with economist and financial historian, Dr. Michael Hudson, discussing the largest financial theft in American history - the evolving giveaway to Wall Street crooks. We talk about the class war leading to depopulation, de-industrialization, poverty, and sharply increasing default and debt. The bailout offers no help to the economy. The only way to resolve the crisis is to write down the debt, and this is not being done. We discuss the IMF/World Bank, the end of foreign investment, Enron-style accounting, and the false cover story promulgated through media deception. The bailout is a gangland operation to pay the pals of Paulson.

**Friday October 31, 2008**

**6:00 AM and 9:00 AM**

**Duration : 1 hour**

**Democracy Now!** Academy Award-Winning Filmmaker Michael Moore on the Election, the Bailout, Healthcare, and 10 Proposed Decrees from a New White House - With the election four days away, we spend the hour with Academy Award-winning filmmaker and author Michael Moore. His film *Fahrenheit 9/11* took on the Bush administration. *Sicko* took on the health insurance industry. His first film *Roger and Me* targeted General Motors. Moore joins us from Michigan to talk about the election, the bailout as "robbery," the wars in Iraq and Afghanistan, and the changing political climate in his home state. Moore also shares his ten proposed decrees for a new administration's first ten days in office.

**Tuesday October 14, 2008**

**7:00 AM - 9:00 AM**

**Duration: 2 hours**

**The Morning Show** asks, "The Economic Bail Out: Is It Going to Work?" with Martha Olney, Adjunct Prof. of Economics at UC Berkeley. Then a debate on Proposition 6, the Safe Neighborhoods Act aka The Runner Initiative. In the second hour Frank Wilczek, Prof. of Physics, MIT, discusses his book, *Lightness of Being: Mass, Either, and the Unification of Forces*. Wrapping up the program a conversation with Antonia Juhasz, author of *The Tyranny of Oil: The World's Most Powerful Industry – and What We Must Do to Stop It*..

**Thursday November 6, 2008**

**12:00 Noon**

**Duration: 1 hour**

**LIVING ROOM** What now, Mr. Obama? Economy, oil. It's over, and it's the beginning: how can, how should a President Obama address the U.S. economy, and the disastrous results of this nation's dependence on oil? We talk with economist Dean Baker and oil expert Antonia Juahsz. With host Kris Welch, noon to one.

guests: Dean Baker, co-dir. Center for Economic and Policy Research; author (The Conservative Nanny State: How the Wealthy Use the Government to Stay Rich and Get Richer; etc.) and Antonia Juahsz, visiting scholar Institute for Policy Studies, Foreign Policy in Focus, fellow Oil Change International; author (The Bush Agenda); new book "The Tyranny of Oil"

**Friday October 31, 2008**

**7:00 AM**

**Duration: 1 hour**

**The Morning Show** asks what can be done about the Foreclosure Crisis with Martha L. Olney, Adjunct Professor of Economics at U.C. Berkeley. The VAN JONES, Founding President of Green for All and Founder of the Ella Baker Center, discusses his new book "The Green Collar Economy-How one Solution Can Fix Our Two Biggest Problems".

## **Issue: The Wars in Iraq and Afghanistan and related issues**

**Friday November 7, 2008**

**3:00 PM**

**Duration: 30 minutes**

**KFCF Presents:** Former UN Weapons Inspector Scott Ritter discusses the Wars in Iraq and Afghanistan. Recorded Live in Fresno.

**October 31, 2008**

**3:00 PM**

**Duration: 30 minutes**

**Pakistan Now.** Host Dan Yaseen interviews Janaid Ahmad about recent violent unrest. Palestinian, American, NATO, and other involved in assisting anti-Taliban forces and the reaction of the Pakistani government.

**Monday, December 22, 2008**

**3:00 PM**

**Duration: 30 minutes**

**Cover to Cover** Aaron Glantz, author of the forthcoming "The War Comes Home," systematically documents the U.S. government's neglect of soldiers returning from Iraq and Afghanistan using first hand accounts from young vets and investigative journalism. Glantz, former KPFA reporter, spent 3 years in Iraq reporting for Pacifica Radio at the start of the war. He speaks with guest host Eric Klein.

**Thursday, December 25, 2008**

**12:00 Noon**

**Duration: 1 hour**

**Against The Grain** At Winter Soldier, Iraq Veterans Against the War tried to build a historical record, showing how official Rules of Engagement handed down the chain of command lead to the deaths of innocent civilians.

Plus, a look at Winter Soldier in the context of resistance to the war in Iraq from inside the US military. Produced by Aaron Glantz and Esther Manilla.

## Issue: Organic Food and Farming

Friday, October 17, 2008

3:00 PM

Duration: 30 minutes

**Down on The Farm** Tom Willey interviews Nina Habe on specialized mushrooms, and the diverse function of tree mushrooms in the environment.

Friday, November 21, 2008

3:00 PM

Duration: 30 minutes

**Down on The Farm** Tom Willey interviews Michelle and Kyle Reynolds of KNR Farms about vegetable farming and avocado marketing. Sandy soil fertility and the use of chicken manure.

## Issue: Water, Drought and Conservation

October 10, 2008

3:00 PM

Duration: 30 minutes

**Down in The Valley.** Host Lloyd Carter interviews Prof. Steve Erie, author of the new book: *Beyond Chinatown*, which talks about Los Angeles acquiring central valley water.

November 14, 2008

3:00 PM

Duration: 30 Minutes

**Down in the Valley.** host Lloyd Carter discusses salmon and river restoration of the San Joaquin River. Legislation is expected to pass in early 2009.

## Issue: Oil and Energy

Tuesday October 14, 2008

8:00 AM

Duration: 1 hour

**Morning Show**\_Wrapping up the program a conversation with Antonia Juhasz, author of "The Tyranny of Oil: The World's Most Powerful Industry – and What We Must Do to Stop It".

Tuesday, November 25, 2008

12:00 Noon

Duration: 1 hour

**Against the Grain** - In "Curse of the Black Gold," Ed Kashi and Michael Watts document the impact of oil exploitation on residents of the Niger Delta. George Caffentzis has also written about grassroots efforts to resist the designs of huge oil conglomerates and the Nigerian government. Host: C.S. Soong

## Issue: Health Care

Thursday, November 6, 2008

1:00 PM

Duration: 1 hour

**Progressive Parenting** Host Gena Kirby interviews RN Margaret Milkos on whether male circumcision and female genital mutilation are necessary.

## Issue: Homelessness

**Wednesday, October 1, 2008**

**3:00 PM**

**Duration 30 minutes**

**Stir It Up Host : Pam Whalen**

An interview with AL Williams, a homeless defendant in the lawsuit against the City of Fresno. Also an interview about health care workers and the SEIU-UHW regarding worker rights

**Wednesday , December 3, 2008**

**3:00 PM**

**Duration: 30 minutes**

**Stir It Up Host : Pam Whalen**

An interview Jeremy Alderson, director the the National Homelessness Marathon on issues on the gulf coast and around the nation and how communities are coping with increased homelessness.

**Friday December 26,2008**

**5:00 PM**

**Duration: 1 hour**

**Street Heat - Pam Whalen interviews Dallas Blanchard about the needle exchanger program and Tina and Kelley about the Sleeping Bag Project which collects blankets and sleeping bags for the homeless during the winter.**