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EDUCATION

The Parents in My Classroom; How my students stay tethered, via FaceTime and email, to their homes

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Why you should stop texting your kids at school

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Mozart's Music Doesn't Make Baby Geniuses; It's called the Mozart effect, and both researchers and journalists are to blame for the creation of this legend

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It's Time To Take Your Brain Back; A Simple Weekend Digital Intermittent Fasting Protocol

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Teenagers often know when their parents are having money problems - and that knowledge is linked to mental health challenges, new research finds

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Show this chart to anyone who tells you college isn't worth it

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Distress Soars at Small US Colleges as Enrollment Declines

<https://tinyurl.com/4vhkm797>

The university monopoly must be broken; America has forgotten the point of education; 'College for all' has been a disaster economically, intellectually, and politically

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Bans on diversity, equity and inclusion may halt Latino progress in higher education

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What is DEI and why is it dividing America?

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Why high school students need ethnic studies

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Field of Dreams; Whose game are you trying to win? "The greatest burden a child must bear is the unlived life of his parents"

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West Virginia bill letting teachers remove 'threatening' students from class dies at end of session

<https://bit.ly/3PbPTri>

Report: Low-income scholarship students score better than public school peers

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Illinois' 'equitable' funding report seeks \$1.4B more for higher education

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Valpo U faculty react as administration considers program cuts; 'In my view, we're selling our soul'

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Elgin to hire unarmed guards for Schock Centre due to unruly teens, homeless people

<https://bit.ly/49MJDyt>

Chicago launches My CHI. My Future. Micro-Grant Program with \$600,000 for community organizations serving youthful populations outside of school hours, especially in underserved areas

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Kane County Health Department and Elgin U-46 partner to prevent youth vaping in 55 schools

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Lewis University Accepted \$500,000 For Joliet Pre-Apprenticeship Programs

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School district accepting donations to help families displaced by tornado in Mundelein

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COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Federal Reserve Chair Powell assailed by Democrats calling on Fed to cut rates from 23-year high

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Bidenomics Versus the American Family; In adding an extra fifth of the economy to federal spending, did anyone add an extra fifth of goods and services to the economy?

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The total yearly net worth of US households soared 8% to a record high of \$156.2T in 2023

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Inflation isn't the real problem for the U.S. economy. The housing shortage is

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The new American home is shrinking; After years of prioritizing large homes, the nation's biggest and most powerful home builders are finally building more smaller ones, driving a shift toward more affordable housing

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On Housing, Trickle-Down Democrats Have Failed Americans in Need

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Office sector drags down construction planning; Nonresidential planning slowed as workers continue to log in from home, but most other categories showed growth

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The Project Stress Index - a measure of construction projects with a delayed bid date, or that have been paused or abandoned - rose 1.7% in the last 30 days

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A federal judge in Texas struck down a U.S. National Labor Relations Board rule that would treat many companies as employers of certain contract and franchise workers and require them to bargain with unions representing them

<https://tinyurl.com/8ap3ewr2>

Major US corporations threaten to return labor to 'law of the jungle'; Trader Joe's and SpaceX are among businesses challenging the constitutionality of the National Labor Relations Board

<https://tinyurl.com/yc4ehf44>

Solar-Powered Farming Is Quickly Depleting the World's Groundwater Supply; Farmers in arid regions are turning to low-cost solar pumps to irrigate their fields

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Why New York is suing the world's biggest meat company; Meat giant JBS said it'll reach net zero emissions by 2040

<https://bit.ly/49HMwkj>

Rivian Pauses Construction at Factory That Costs Georgia Taxpayers \$1.5B; The company will now build everything in its existing Illinois factory

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Heavy Machinery Meets AI; Combining digital and analog machines will upend industrial companies

<https://bit.ly/49KsIN8>

AI Losing Its Grip on Fast Food Drive-Thru Lanes; Artificial intelligence might not be the future of the drive-thru after all

<https://bit.ly/3wOQ4CH>

These Companies Have a Plan to Kill Apps; Apps made the smartphone. Now, companies are increasingly leveraging AI to envision a world without them

<https://bit.ly/4a8Le1x>

Elon Musk v OpenAI: tech giants are inciting existential fears to evade scrutiny; Moguls extol the fruits of artificial intelligence, but seek to hide its science from public view

<https://tinyurl.com/54z7jxxj>

Robots who share your accent are more trusted, study shows; People who have a regional accent might prefer robots who speak like them over generic voices

<https://bit.ly/49Y4a32>

Chicago's novel idea for paying off affordable housing, development bond; The city plans to cut back a program that critics said kept property tax revenue in wealthier neighborhoods and diverted it from public services

<https://bit.ly/48TcFuV>

Illinois was ranked the second-best state in the nation for corporate projects for a second year in a row by Site Selection Magazine

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Women in Illinois make 80% of what men make, and advocates want to close the wage gap

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Manufactures' group pushes back against mandating EVs

<https://bit.ly/48PCGvo>

How some Chicago divorcees are keeping their 3% mortgage

<https://bit.ly/4c6tFRn>

'Envision Evanston': City officials unveil development of new comprehensive plan and zoning code

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Dolton food pantry founder embroiled in battle with village over renovation, expansion project

<https://bit.ly/3v3IKDQ>

February Revenue Up 6.5% at Bally's Chicago Casino, Admissions Reach All-Time High

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Gov. Pritzker Awards \$4.6M in Grant Funding to Local Tourism Organizations

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Former Sycamore 7-Eleven building could become Xpress Mart

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Steward Creek 1,200-megawatt solar facility earns ZBA approval; to Lee County Board next

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The second Bradley-based recreational pot retail site recently received its occupancy permit from the village of Bradley and it only awaits its final inspection from the state of Illinois

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The U.S. House approved a series of investments from the pending 2024 federal budget, and the 441,000-square-foot Ken Hayes Industrial Park along East North Street in the heart of Bradley was approved for \$4.1M

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Parr Instrument Company to double its space in Moline with expansion

<https://bit.ly/3uV3nRz>

The Greater Burlington Partnership announced Friday afternoon the 38,600 square Amazon facility will be in the Flint Ridge Business Park in the former Dura Plastics building

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Quincy: Owner anticipates trampoline park should be ready to open by end of month

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The City of Danville is receiving \$850,000 for the Madison Neighborhood Revitalization Project

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How to order a new I-PASS sticker online

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PUBLIC SAFETY

More than 100 kids have died of flu this year. Many were previously healthy

<https://nbcnews.to/3wODW4A>

The Disappearing Covid-Naïve Population: Evidence from Antibody Seroprevalence in Milwaukee County, Wisconsin

<https://bit.ly/48ODm49>

Cancer vaccine for dogs almost doubles survival rates in clinical trial

<https://bit.ly/3wFsecj>

Could AI-designed proteins be weaponized? Scientists lay out safety guidelines

<https://go.nature.com/3PgIVRT>

Scientists might soon cure balding. Here's how

<https://bit.ly/4c66tTk>

Study finds that we could lose science if publishers go bankrupt; A scan of archives shows that lots of scientific papers aren't backed up

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Further data on alcohol use amongst American youth

<https://bit.ly/4ccmib2>

'Prepping' for disaster diversifies as more Americans lose trust

<https://tinyurl.com/ykks6wcd>

Researchers say the number of preppers has doubled in size to about 20M since 2017. Much of that growth is from minorities and people considered left-of-center politically

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Immigrants are less likely to commit crimes than U.S.-born Americans, studies find

<https://n.pr/3TsgoLH>

Domestic violence may leave telltale damage in the brain. Scientists want to find it

<https://n.pr/3TtovaV>

Colorado finds DNA scientist cut corners, raising questions in hundreds of cases

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5 Years After San Francisco Banned Face Recognition, Voters Ask for More Surveillance

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A surge of illegal homemade machine guns has helped fuel gun violence in the U.S.

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Veterans Deemed 'Mentally Incompetent' Will Gain Gun Rights Under New Funding Bill; The must-pass government funding package will expand gun rights for an unlikely group - and some Democrats voted in favor of it

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Killings by police brought reforms. Fear of crime is unraveling them

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Chicago Mayor Johnson to choose from 15 candidates for civilian police oversight board

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Interim President Among 15 Chicagoans Nominated to Serve on Permanent CPD Oversight Board

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Second child at Pilsen migrant shelter diagnosed with measles, Chicago Department of Public Health says

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Chicago Health Officials Respond to New Measles Case in Pilsen Shelter with Vaccinations and Screenings

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Black Families Beg Cops to Take Action When Loved Ones Go Missing. By law, police can't refuse any missing person report or ask people to wait before filing a report - but an investigation found they do

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Up to \$9M in lost revenue estimated from Illinois' gun ban

<https://bit.ly/3ls6lQy>

Illinois House Republicans are introducing legislation to shore up the state's response to human trafficking

<https://bit.ly/438ihQZ>

What Public Officials Can Get Away With - Is A New Standard Established By Illinois Attorney General?

<https://bit.ly/3TtL6nx>

With shelter evictions looming, migrants worry about access to housing, work permits

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Activists Urge Chicago Officials to Halt Migrant Shelter Evictions as Deadline Looms, Citing Housing Crisis Worries

<https://bit.ly/3TrYtVt>

Keeping watch: Chaperones may offer one way to prevent sexual abuse during medical exams

<https://bit.ly/3IAQjve>

Illinois abortion providers praise Walgreens, CVS plans to carry mifepristone

<https://bit.ly/49LkYdK>

Frankfort firefighters union begins posting when stations are unmanned

<https://bit.ly/4c32Mhn>

Fewer fish and more algae? Scientists seek to understand impacts of historic lack of Great Lakes ice

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The City of Elgin requests offers from independent companies for the development of the Police Entrance Exam. The consultant shall be an independent professional consultant. Due April 3, 2024

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A few Pike County Board members are looking into the possibility of starting a county militia, something the county's states attorney says is impossible

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Alton still seeks ideas to make downtown safer. The city received a "Plans to Pilot" grant to take on a quick-build project with the intent of making downtown safer for pedestrians, bicyclists, and transit users

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Why Illinois will be the cicada capital of the United States in 2024

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LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Arizona Property Owners May Soon Be Able to Charge Government for Security Costs Tied to Rampant Homelessness; A referendum that will appear on the ballot in November would force local governments to refund property taxes to residents impacted by homelessness

<https://tinyurl.com/mr39pmsv>

Denver's migrant crisis threatens to overwhelm its compassion; More than 40,000 migrants arrived Denver in less than a year

<https://bit.ly/3wR3A8Y>

Trapped in routine? Here's how to "dishabituate" and rediscover joy; Our lives will have exploring and exploiting stages, and it's important to keep track of the balance

<https://bit.ly/3Tejy4a>

How to spot "pluralistic ignorance" before it derails your team; "Pluralistic ignorance" occurs when a group of people stay silent or fail to act because they wrongly think everyone else believes differently from them

<https://bit.ly/43dg0nJ>

Campaign contributions from Chicago contractors target of new ethics ordinance

<https://bit.ly/48MPWku>

Activists, volunteers call on mayor to extend migrant removal deadline from shelters

<https://bit.ly/4a8sijw>

Chicago Bar Association Releases Judicial Evaluation Findings for March 19 Primary Election

<https://bit.ly/4a2YfcP>

Do Not Vote for These Judges: March 2024

<https://bit.ly/3ly26D8>

North Aurora residents to vote on sales tax hike in March 19 primary election

<https://bit.ly/3wPpKbB>

Naperville City Council OKs larger beer/cider servings, with limitations

<https://bit.ly/3Tbqpf1>

An ordinance that would increase the minimum wage in Evanston returns to City Council for a sixth time Monday night.

<https://bit.ly/4a5Noif>

Evanston's City Council is scheduled Monday to discuss a proposal from Ald. Devon Reid (8th) to impose a new tax on delivery fleets

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Seven weeks of speakers calling for Urbana to pass a Gaza cease-fire resolution was all too much for former Alderwoman Esther Patt, who charged that the city's attention is being distracted by a problem it can't fix when it needs "to do other things." "While you're at it, when are you going to cure cancer?" she asked

<https://bit.ly/4a6T9fD>

The Village of Northbrook requests proposals for Phase 1 Engineering Services for the Phase I Engineering Design for Walters Corridor Improvements project. Due 4/3/2024

<https://bit.ly/3TvmnPZ>

RFP 24-15 Evanston Environmental Equity Investigation - Due 5/07/2024

<https://bit.ly/3TcAMz3>

City of Park Ridge: REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL WATER TOWER REHAB PROJECT. Due March 29, 2024

<https://bit.ly/43btNek>

City of Naperville Invitation to Bid for STORMWATER MANAGEMENT ENGINEERING SERVICES. Due 4/02/2024

<https://bit.ly/43bmgvY>

City of Naperville Invitation to Bid for EAGLE STREET GATEWAY & ACCESSIBILITY IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT. Due 3/28/2024

<https://bit.ly/3PdL5SI>

Village of Wilmette: RQQ for Lead Service Line Replacement

<https://bit.ly/48M1vbC>

The City of Champaign is accepting proposals for the Market Street/Downtown Festival District Construction Project

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SPACE NEEDS - NEW PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Chicago Park District to vote on contractor for Midway Plaisance playground

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With two weeks until vote, community members show support for new Edwardsville HS bathroom design
<https://bit.ly/48NmTwY>

STATE & FEDERAL

Governor Pritzker's \$52.7B budget plan falls short in 2 key areas, allies say
<https://bit.ly/3ltDBqH>

Democrats in the Illinois Senate on Wednesday advanced a measure that would prohibit Illinois companies from requiring employees to attend work-related meetings about politics or religion
<https://bit.ly/48N1CDI>

Illinois Senate Bill 3170 demands several state agencies identify all spending on services and resources for non-citizens in Illinois
<https://bit.ly/4a67Pf3>

An industry expert says Gov. J.B. Pritzker's budget proposal to increase the sports betting tax by 20% could cause ripple effects in the industry
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Trump's Illinois delegates: Some tout election denials, others claim vaccines were useless or QR codes lead to government tracking
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Democrats fight over West Side congressional seat
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For Southern Illinois and the climate, Shawnee National Park is the 'next logical step'
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Has Google News' Bias Moved Further Left?: 2022 and 2023 Compared
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How Pseudo-Intellectualism Ruined Journalism; A dose of working-class realism can save journalism from groupthink
<https://bit.ly/3wNk81p>

Democrats are angry over media coverage of Biden. Is it a distraction?
<https://tinyurl.com/2xmp2f9z>

Since his tumultuous takeover of Twitter, Elon Musk has made an unabashed turn to the right politically, defying the orthodoxy that Silicon Valley is a citadel of well-heeled liberals beholden to Democrats
<https://tinyurl.com/8nsazn6s>

Ireland looked set to reject proposals to replace constitutional references to the makeup of a family and a "mother's duties in the home" in a significant defeat for the government

<https://tinyurl.com/58uwaw28>

Do Americans still have a right to privacy? With courts coming for abortion and IVF, it's hard not to wonder what the Supreme Court will go after next

<https://bit.ly/3lCdWvH>

The Supreme Court's Savage Indictment of the Republican Party; If you read the high court's disqualification ruling closely, you'll see that the justices unanimously agree that the GOP is a lawless institution

<https://bit.ly/436LH1X>

After Trump ballot ruling, critics say Supreme Court is selectively invoking conservative originalist approach

<https://nbcnews.to/3PdLowt>

The Media's Legal 'Experts' Botched the Trump Ballot-Access Case; Were they deliberately deceiving their audiences, or themselves?

<https://tinyurl.com/4ww4asfb>

A Trump criminal trial could run right up to and through the 2024 election

<https://bit.ly/49MYHvW>

US braces for presidential election no one wants; Both candidates are disliked by a majority of Americans, and 45% believe a Biden-Trump rematch is bad for the country

<https://tinyurl.com/bde9j54a>

Leaked Audio Shows No Labels Has Zero Idea If It'll Find a Candidate

<https://bit.ly/3wLnpyr>

No Labels? More Like No Candidate; Nobody's coming to save us

<https://bit.ly/3PaV0ln>

No Labels Green-lights 2024 Bid With No Candidates

<https://bit.ly/3lvc2gt>

Former Georgia GOP Lt. Gov. Geoff Duncan under consideration as No Labels candidate

<https://abcn.ws/4a0mFEp>

The Future of Immigration Is Privatization; New immigration pathways are letting private citizens welcome refugees and other migrants-and getting the government out of the way

<https://bit.ly/4a7uli2>

The Feds Are Coming for "Extremist" Gamers; The Department of Homeland Security and FBI are in dialog with Roblox, Discord, Reddit, and others

<https://bit.ly/3Tw3nAA>

'A 1939 moment': Russia, China and the threat of war; A new book considers threats outside the US, in Ukraine and Taiwan, and within, as Biden battles Trump

<https://tinyurl.com/mr2yzs2z>

Senator Lindsey Graham endorsed former President Donald Trump's idea of giving Ukraine a loan instead of regular foreign aid to combat Russia

<https://bit.ly/49NNnzO>

NATO Can Have Ukraine or the USA-Not Both; A treaty commitment to Ukraine is a dangerous liability with no upside

<https://bit.ly/49Bvt3b>

In Biggest NATO Drills Since Cold War, Frigate 'Destroys' Sub Off Norway; Crew members were roused from sleep and told to hunt down a submarine during an exercise north of the Arctic circle

<https://bit.ly/3Pdosxg>

Germany's reputation for decisive leadership is in tatters when Europe needs it most; German Chancellor Olaf Scholz's endless dithering over Ukraine is playing into Putin's hands

<https://tinyurl.com/n7rbjvcv>

How we know Ukraine is winning the war with Russia, and what that means; Kyiv is exposing Russia's military and economic weaknesses on an almost daily basis

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Russia lost more than 7,200 troops, 278 artillery systems and over 200 armored personnel vehicles in the past week, according to Ukraine's military

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The Russian military cemeteries laying bare the 'huge cost' of the Ukraine war

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'The Russians have more of everything': Ukrainian forces struggle to hold back enemy in Mariinka; Drone team has bombed tanks, armored fighting vehicles and ammunition dumps but still Russians are on the move

<https://tinyurl.com/4m6udj55>

Ukrainians along front: Digging deeper, and waiting, waiting . . . ; With critical U.S. military supplies held up in Congress, the emphasis is on defense, and on patient, courageous resolve

<https://bit.ly/4a6MQsp>

A NATO stealth fighter has been certified to carry nukes including the terrifying B61-12 thermonuclear gravity bomb as tensions between NATO and Russia hit a boiling point

<https://tinyurl.com/27ktuhwc>

Pope says Ukraine should have 'courage of the white flag' of negotiations

<https://tinyurl.com/3ywnjty7>

Pope provokes outrage by saying Ukraine should 'raise white flag' and end war with Russia; Francis's failure to condemn Moscow as aggressor decried as 'shameful' and 'incomprehensible'

<https://tinyurl.com/2s3rxnmy>

Ukraine minister, responding to Pope Francis, says Kyiv will never raise white flag

<https://tinyurl.com/mr2mhv8e>

Five ways Israelis have changed, after 5 months of war; The state of Israel's society is crucial to understanding where the conflict might lead

<https://n.pr/3Pfk4f>

The Day After-in Israel; Why the Country Needs a Better Security Doctrine, More Diplomacy, and Political Change

<https://tinyurl.com/34me774x>

Israel is winning against Hamas - but the bad guys are succeeding in courts of public opinion

<https://bit.ly/48Hsa9m>

Anti-Americanism Fans the Flames of "The New Antisemitism"

<https://bit.ly/43dxlay>

The Incoherence of Our Gaza Policy; We provide Palestinians life's necessities by air and sea, and provide Israel the arms to deny them those same necessities

<https://bit.ly/3v6qGaV>

The White House's Slow Cease-Fire Shift Is Getting Tepid Reviews; Critics of the administration still feel it is falling short-but they believe the pressure they're bringing is starting to be felt

<https://bit.ly/3V9mhi0>

Biden draws 'red line' for Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu: No Israeli attack on Rafah

<https://tinyurl.com/mr33csxu>

The Biden Plan to Ditch Netanyahu; The "come to Jesus moment" is already here, according to Israeli and U.S. sources

<https://nym.ag/4a55ktl>

Netanyahu rejects Biden criticism that he's 'hurting Israel' and says policies have support of most Israelis

<https://nbcnews.to/3TEOjkB>

Senator Bernie Sanders: "No more money to Netanyahu's war machine to kill Palestinian children"

<https://cbsn.ws/3TdL6XG>

How the Gaza Ministry of Health Fakes Casualty Numbers; The evidence is in their own poorly fabricated figures

<https://bit.ly/4caLzm8>

UNRWA report says Israel coerced some agency employees to falsely admit Hamas links

<https://tinyurl.com/mpryvast>

U.S. shoots down more than two dozen Houthi drones in 'large-scale' attack in Red Sea

<https://tinyurl.com/y3phrpws>

The Houthis have the world's attention - and they won't give it up; What do Yemen's suddenly world-famous rebels really want, and what will make them stop?

<https://bit.ly/43f7ww7>

The Power Vacuum in the Middle East; A Region Where No One's in Charge

<https://tinyurl.com/4tbvynch>

Who Could Have Predicted the U.S. War in Somalia Would Fail? The Pentagon

<https://tinyurl.com/3a3w2p24>

The Seafloor Is Now a Theater of War - and America Is Not Prepared; Our foes are rapidly increasing their ability to target and take down the undersea lifelines that we rely on every day. We must take the threat seriously

<https://tinyurl.com/zm7efwy3>

The Case for Prosecuting Fossil Fuel Companies for Homicide; They knew what would happen. They kept selling fossil fuels and misleading the public anyway

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UFO sightings in 1960s were aerospace tests - Pentagon report

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--Krystal Sutherland

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Q: Can neighbors who object to a new development bring non-zoning claims to contest the proposed new use?

A: Possibly. This is an important question because the statute of limitations for zoning claims is limited to 90

days. If a plaintiff can still bring a common law nuisance claim after the 90 day limitations period it can result in uncertainty despite the General Assembly's intent to limit such uncertainty. In the case Stop Northpoint, LLC v. City of Joliet, an Illinois Appellate Court allowed a group to proceed with its private nuisance and public nuisance claims in its lawsuit to stop a proposed development of an industrial park. While this holding is specific to the pleadings in this case, it may provide a roadmap for other plaintiffs to contest controversial developments.

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