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Mentions

StateImpact PA: DEP investigating gas well for water supply complaint in Pittsburgh suburb
<https://stateimpact.npr.org/pennsylvania/2019/04/01/dep-investigating-gas-well-for-water-supply-complaint-in-pittsburgh-suburb/>

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<https://www.leadertimes.com/articles/area-residents-dep-brass-and-elected-officials-view-ice-jam-and-flooding-damage-in-rimer/>

Post-Gazette: PWSA begins applying anti-corrosion additive to city drinking water
<https://www.post-gazette.com/news/health/2019/04/02/Pittsburgh-applying-anti-corrosion-additive-lead-water-lines-PWSA/stories/201904020073>

WESA: PWSA Expects A Long-Awaited Water Treatment Change To Lower Lead Levels System-wide
<https://www.wesa.fm/post/pwsa-expects-long-awaited-water-treatment-change-lower-lead-levels-system-wide>

Air

StateImpact PA: Officials fine U.S. Steel for Clairton emissions from 2018, note situation has been improving
<https://stateimpact.npr.org/pennsylvania/2019/04/01/officials-fine-u-s-steel-for-clairton-emissions-note-situation-is-improving/>

Erie Times: Councilwoman targets Erie Coke Corp.
<https://www.goerie.com/news/20190401/councilwoman-targets-erie-coke-corp>

Tribune-Review: Allegheny County Health Department fines U.S. Steel for emissions problems
<https://triblive.com/local/pittsburgh-allegheny/allegheny-county-health-department-fines-u-s-steel-for-emissions-problems/>

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Climate Change

ABC27: Harrisburg University effort to combat climate change continues this Friday
<https://www.abc27.com/good-day-pa/harrisburg-university-s-effort-to-combat-climate-change-continues-this-friday/1892928620>

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Lock Haven Express: County moves forward with trail plans
<http://www.lockhaven.com/news/local-news/2019/04/county-moves-forward-with-trail-plans/>

Williamsport Sun-Gazette: Stocking of creeks means it's almost trout season

<http://www.sungazette.com/news/top-news/2019/04/stocking-of-creeks-means-its-almost-trout-season/>

Gant News: Public invited to celebrate Earth Day at Penn State DuBois

<https://gantdaily.com/2019/04/02/public-invited-to-celebrate-earth-day-at-penn-state-dubois-2/>

Corry Journal: Planting trees has Corry tree committee busy in 2019

http://www.thecorryjournal.com/news/article_107c2568-54a6-11e9-8666-a36c062d5bf0.html

Butler Eagle: Preston Park reopens Tuesday

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Philly Patch: Controlled Burn At Valley Forge National Park Begins Tuesday

<https://patch.com/pennsylvania/te/controlled-burn-valley-forge-national-park-begins-tuesday>

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Chester County Daily Local: Local lawmakers, municipal leaders push for renewable energy

https://www.dailylocal.com/news/local/local-lawmakers-municipal-leaders-push-for-renewable-energy/article_b098e564-5545-11e9-9dc2-d3e3c1825b84.html

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<https://www.thetimes-tribune.com/opinion/power-plant-generates-idea-1.2464885>

Environmental Cleanup and Brownfields

NEXT Pittsburgh: Hazelwood Green opens to the public with streets and 1.9 mile trail

<https://www.nextpittsburgh.com/city-design/hazelwood-green-opens-two-mile-biking-and-hiking-trail-and-roads/>

Tribune-Review: Hiking and biking trail, roads open at Pittsburgh's Hazelwood Green site

<https://triblive.com/local/pittsburgh-allegheny/hiking-and-biking-trail-roads-open-at-pittsburghs-hazelwood-green-site/>

Gant News: Emergency crews respond to crash with fuel spill on Interstate 80 in Washington Township

<https://gantdaily.com/2019/04/01/explorejefferson-emergency-crews-respond-to-crash-with-fuel-spill-on-interstate-80-in-washington-township/>

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Post-Gazette: Miners deserve better: Federal government should revive black lung trust

<https://www.post-gazette.com/opinion/editorials/2019/04/02/Miners-black-lung-disability-fund-coal-trust-health-federal-government/stories/201904020027>

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Meadville Tribune: Gas prices approach \$3 per gallon in Meadville

https://www.meadvilletribune.com/news/gas-prices-approach-per-gallon-in-meadville/article_0a745104-54b0-11e9-85d3-fb7d8117809e.html

Vector Management

Bloomsburg Press-Enterprise: Opossums earn props in Lyme fight; mocked marsupial hungers for disease-bearing ticks

<https://www.pressenterpriseonline.com/daily/040219/page/8/story/opossums-earn-props-in-lyme-fight>

Lancaster Newspapers: With Lyme disease numbers climbing, state says you should be careful about ticks

https://lancasteronline.com/news/local/state-take-precautions-against-ticks-as-warm-weather-approaches/article_b0711d90-54af-11e9-9a68-a7f647f9e9fe.html

Waste

Post-Gazette: Large trash bins

<https://www.post-gazette.com/opinion/letters/2019/04/02/Large-trash-bins/stories/201904020055>

Lock Haven Express: Clinton County Democrats hold first cleanup of Island Road

<http://www.lockhaven.com/news/community/2019/04/clinton-county-democrats-hold-first-cleanup-of-island-road/>

Bloomsburg Press-Enterprise: That was not BIDA's trash in photo (LTE)

<https://www.pressenterpriseonline.com/daily/040219/page/6/story/that-was-not-bidas-trash-in-photo>

Times Leader: Wilkes-Barre loses revenue as it considers what to do on higher recycling fee

<https://www.timesleader.com/news/739013/wilkes-barre-loses-revenue-as-it-considers-what-to-do-on-higher-recycling-fee>

Pennlive: 141 million pounds of trash collected along Pennsylvania roads, shorelines, trails

<https://www.pennlive.com/life/2019/04/141-millions-pounds-of-trash-along-pennsylvania-roads-shorelines-trails.html>

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<https://www.mcall.com/news/local/bethlehem/mc-nws-bethlehem-plastic-bag-ban-20190402-f2ik5nzwrna63pvwdykihisyda-story.html>

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Doylestown Intelligencer: CDC maps out chemical health study, excludes cancer

<https://www.theintell.com/news/20190401/cdc-maps-out-chemical-health-study-excludes-cancer>

Philadelphia Inquirer: New Jersey moves to enact tougher drinking water standards for PFAS

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Philly Voice: PFAS Action Team meeting to provide updates on sampling plan, hear public comment

<https://www.phillyvoice.com/pfas-action-team-public-meeting-water-samples-blood-study-pennsylvania/>

Pittsburgh Post-Gazette: Some fear making pollution regulations voluntary could damage Ohio River water quality

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Gant Daily: Sandy Supers OK basic framework to propose joint sewer agreement with DuBois City

<https://gantdaily.com/2019/04/02/sandy-supers-ok-basic-framework-to-propose-joint-sewer-agreement-with-dubois-city/>

Bloomsburg Press-Enterprise: Bloom school district to begin \$20M overhaul, including portion of flood wall

<https://www.pressenterpriseonline.com/daily/040219/page/1/story/bloom-to-begin-20m-overhaul>

Scranton Times: Jessup council ratifies deal to let power plant discharge wastewater into sewer system

<https://www.thetimes-tribune.com/news/jessup-council-ratifies-deal-to-let-power-plant-discharge-wastewater-into-sewer-system-1.2465081>