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Mentions

Clearfield Progress-News: Lawrence Twp. holds the line on taxes with \$6.5M budget
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Towanda Daily Review: Fines totaling \$1.3M for the industry, environmental costs of \$1.8B for taxpayers
https://www.thedailyreview.com/news/local/fines-totaling-1-3m-for-the-industry-environmental-costs-of-1-8b-for-taxpayers/article_7a3290ae-bff9-5303-8146-d7fd7f96cec2.html

Williamsport Sun-Gazette: Abandoned oil, gas wells can cost Pennsylvania taxpayers \$1.8B
<https://www.sungazette.com/news/top-news/2023/01/abandoned-oil-gas-wells-can-cost-pennsylvania-taxpayers-1-8b/>

Climate Change

Daily Local: Study: Two-thirds of glaciers on track to disappear by 2100
<https://www.dailylocal.com/2023/01/05/study-two-thirds-of-glaciers-on-track-to-disappear-by-2100-2/>

The Inquirer: North Wildwood sues N.J. for \$21M over beach dune fight and acknowledges impact of climate change
<https://www.inquirer.com/news/north-wildwood-jersey-shore-beach-dunes-dep-20230105.html>

Post-Gazette: Global loss of glaciers more substantial than previously thought, a new study says
<https://www.post-gazette.com/news/environment/2023/01/06/global-glaciers-loss-new-study-cmu-david-rounce-glacier-evolution-model-sea-levels/stories/202301050121>

Conservation and Recreation

York Dispatch/AP: Report: US's largest estuary, Chesapeake Bay, earns D-plus
<https://www.yorkdispatch.com/story/news/2023/01/06/report-uss-largest-estuary-chesapeake-bay-earns-d-plus/69783996007/>

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Butler Eagle: Months after flooding, Slippery Rock deals with long-term effects
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Vector Management

The Inquirer: New COVID variant drives increase in Pa. and N.J. infections
<https://www.inquirer.com/news/covid-cases-hospitalizations-philadelphia-pennsylvania-new-jersey-variant-xbb15-20230105.html>

The inquirer: 'Tripledemic' means we have to think about more than just COVID this winter
<https://www.inquirer.com/health/expert-opinions/tridemic-fnegative-covid-test-flu-rsv-20230106.html>

Waste

Standard Speaker: garbage hauler transition draws hundreds of complaints for Hazle Township officials
https://www.standardpeaker.com/news/garbage-hauler-transition-draws-hundreds-of-complaints-for-hazle-twp-officials/article_f131ca7e-6f7e-53ab-ad01-86fda943e14d.html

Water

Wellsboro Gazette: Tioga Borough Council names mayor to TBMA, discusses water issues
https://www.tiogapublishing.com/the_wellsboro_mansfield_gazette/news/local/tioga-borough-council-names-mayor-to-tbma-accepts-resignation-welcomes-code-enforcement-officer/article_7d6dbda8-8c56-11ed-b5ed-331e8307d012.html#tncms-source=login

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