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Top DEP Stories

Kane Republican: State seeks public input on pollution from gas well drilling (pg 2)

<https://kanerepublican.com/sites/default/files/KR-06-03-2020.pdf>

Mentions

WTAE: Homes evacuated due to possible mine subsidence in Fayette County

<https://www.wtae.com/article/video-bicyclist-narrowly-avoids-being-hit-cars-south-sacramento/32747713>

Air

Post-Gazette: Study finds that cleaner, healthier air is social distancing side benefit

<https://www.post-gazette.com/news/environment/2020/06/02/reduced-emissions-electricity-health-benefits-air-social-distancing-months-COVID-19/stories/202006020132>

Conservation & Recreation

Erie Times: Finding life's little treasures on Presque Isle

<https://www.goerie.com/news/20200603/finding-lifes-little-treasures-on-presque-isle>

Bradford Era: Pa. Parks and Forests Foundation welcomes friends of Ole Bull State Park

http://www.bradfordera.com/news/local/pa-parks-and-forests-foundation-welcomes-friends-of-ole-bull-state-park/article_b903df57-1a47-5bf6-bd57-a44565788b65.html

Butler Eagle: Preston Park upgrade effort moves forward

<http://www.butlereagle.com/apps/pbcs.dll/article?AID=/20200603/NEWS01/706039994>

Pennlive: Camping boom may follow coronavirus restrictions: Annual camping report

<https://www.pennlive.com/coronavirus/2020/06/camping-boom-may-follow-coronavirus-restrictions-annual-camping-report.html>

Tribune-Review: Farming workshop in Unity offered to veterans, military personnel

<https://triblive.com/local/westmoreland/farming-workshop-offered-to-veterans-and-military-personnel/>

Tribune-Review: Diver: Grass at bottom of Unity lake possibly contributed to drowning

<https://triblive.com/local/westmoreland/diver-grass-at-bottom-of-unity-lake-possibly-contributed-to-drowning/>

Tribune-Democrat: Editorial | Use, support our great local trails

https://www.tribdem.com/news/editorials/editorial-use-support-our-great-local-trails/article_0822cf6c-a4fe-11ea-b3bd-e77674218b95.html

WJAC: Johnstown to reopen ALL recreational facilities on Friday

<https://wjactv.com/news/local/johnstown-to-reopen-all-recreational-facilities-on-friday>

Energy

Times News: Atlantic Wind's turbine appeal denied

<https://www.tnonline.com/20200602/atlantic-winds-turbine-appeal-denied/>

Mining

Mon Valley Independent: Washington Twp.: Mine subsidence blamed for damage to homes

<https://monvalleyindependent.com/2020/06/washington-twp-mine-subsidence-blamed-for-damage-to-homes/>

KDKA: Homeowners In Fayette County Forced To Evacuate Due To Mine Subsidence

<https://pittsburgh.cbslocal.com/2020/06/03/fayette-county-mine-subsidence/>

Oil and Gas

Times Observer: House passes oil and gas regs without brine language

<https://www.timesobserver.com/news/local-news/2020/06/house-passes-oil-and-gas-regs-without-brine-language/>

WESA: EPA's New Rule Limits States' Ability To Regulate Pipelines Under The Clean Water Act

<https://www.wesa.fm/post/epas-new-rule-limits-states-ability-regulate-pipelines-under-clean-water-act#stream/0>

Radiation Protection

York Dispatch: Siren test slated Wednesday at Peach Bottom power plant

<https://www.yorkdispatch.com/get-access/?return=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.yorkdispatch.com%2Fstory%2Fnews%2F2020%2F06%2F02%2Fsi-ren-test-slated-wednesday-peach-bottom-power-plan%2F5310291002%2F>

Waste

Kane Republican: Electronics & household hazardous waste collection (pg 5)

<https://kanerepublican.com/sites/default/files/KR-06-03-2020.pdf>

Altoona Mirror: Recycling event canceled

<https://www.altoonamirror.com/news/local-news/2020/06/recycling-event-canceled/>

Water

Indiana Gazette: Training set for master watershed steward program

https://www.indianagazette.com/news/training-set-for-master-watershed-steward-program/article_f861622c-a4e0-11ea-a84c-07c7ba5ed2a4.html

Renovo Record: Lock Haven Beach "Closed," But Residents Can Swim There

<http://therecord-online.com/site/archives/59802>

Miscellaneous

Bradford Era: Pa. Parks and Forests Foundation launches new website

http://www.bradfordera.com/news/local/pa-parks-and-forests-foundation-launches-new-website/article_b95559f4-2d73-5f53-89f2-e38be1f0b267.html

Times Observer: Warren class of 2020 set for dam-style graduation

<https://www.timesobserver.com/news/local-news/2020/06/warren-class-of-2020-set-for-dam-style-graduation/>

Lancaster Farming: Ag Progress Days Canceled

https://www.lancasterfarming.com/farm_life/fairs_and_shows/ag-progress-days-canceled/article_d39c3f3e-a427-11ea-ae64-e3a6be6e55ce.html

Tribune-Review: Severe storms, high winds possible in Southwestern Pa. on Wednesday

<https://triblive.com/local/regional/slight-threat-of-severe-thunderstorms-could-move-through-area-wednesday-afternoon/>

Tribune-Review: Fire official: Burning tires spark blaze that destroys Salem auto repair garage

<https://triblive.com/local/westmoreland/fire-official-burning-tires-spark-blaze-that-destroys-salem-auto-repair-garage/>

WESA: Pandemic Raises Questions About Use Of City's Cooling Centers This Summer

<https://www.wesa.fm/post/pandemic-raises-questions-about-use-citys-cooling-centers-summer#stream/0>

WTAE: Wind! Rain! Hail! Storms expected to hit Pittsburgh today

<https://www.wtae.com/article/wind-rain-hail-storms-expected-to-hit-pittsburgh-today/32751443>