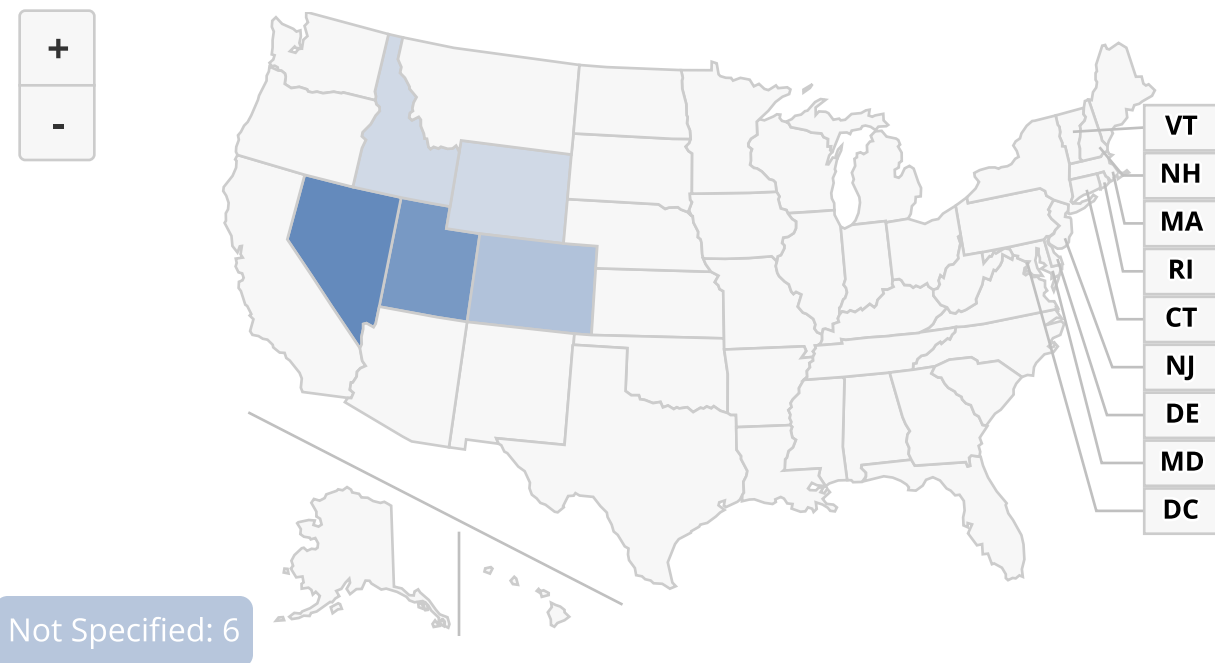


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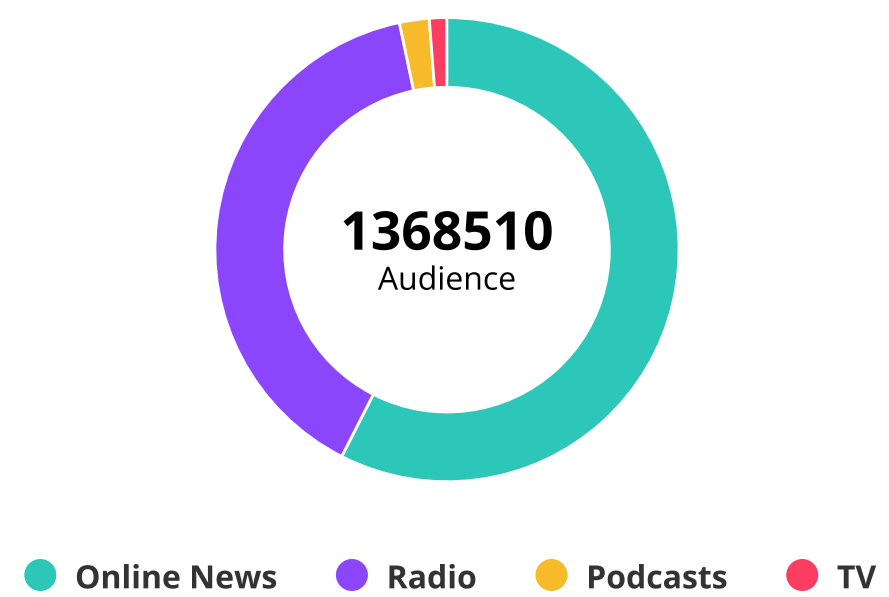


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**Is the American dream fading for younger generations? Gov. Cox warns of dire consequences without housing reform**

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**Language** English

... history to leave the country worse off for your children and grandchildren? It's a question Utah Gov. Spencer Cox says he asks himself often.

"Right now, the answer appears to be 'yes' across much of the United States," Cox said Wednesday morning during the second day of his workshop with the **Western Governors Association**, focused on the housing crisis afflicting the West.

During his first term as governor, Cox announced a \$150 million budget to create 35,000 new starter homes by 2028 because "that's where the gap has happened over the past 20 years," he said. "It's the one thing we stopped building."

Cox's team ...



**TerraPower announces contract winners for Kemmerer nuclear plant**

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**Author** Garrett Grochowski

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**Market** Casper, WY  
**Language** English

... to build a lot of these things," Gates said at the TerraPower groundbreaking ceremony earlier this year.

Wyoming Governor Mark Gordon has also repeatedly expressed his support for the adoption of new energy technologies in the state, both in official capacities like his statements in the **Western Governors' Association** Decarbonizing the West report and for events such as the aforementioned groundbreaking ceremony.

"Advances made here will bolster Wyoming's ability to produce another source of dispatchable power securely," Gordon said in a press release attached to the groundbreaking of the TerraPower Natrium ...



### **Utah's Morning News With Grant Nielsen and Amanda Dickson**



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**Language** English

When the president is president electrode leadership you did what republicans to pass the bill calling for a more streamlined bill the didn't have as many compromises brel lanson chaos on his radio first look traffic now and here's jason jones and we have slowdowns habit in northbound on I. Fifteen coming off the point amount in and running to the draper sainte area just increased volume is going to be the culprit there no accidents I that we have seen on the cameras i'm jason jones in the case of traffic center utah's governor is warning we may be the first generation to leave the country worse for our kids and grandkids that it was for us here some is radios don burger hoff joins us live with the details on tim governor spencer cox delivered that grim prediction during the second day of the **western governors association** workshop he says the unavoidable the unaffordability of homes is forcing people believe the beehive and other western states in this because this is a felony cashing in in a way it's a U. S.



### **Immigration advocates rally Nevadans to protect families amid Trump's deportation threats**



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For those wanting to fight against deportations, Cooley said volunteering for groups like PLAN, one of the clinic's partner organizations, was a good start.

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**Language** English

great salt lake and will be directed by a local filmmaker kill me is a comedy who done it movie starring alison williams and hgtv's season five of help i wrecked my house will be shot in park city the utah film commission says the tax incentives were approved by the utah board of tourism development the productions could bring three million dollars and more than one hundred jobs to the state affordable housing was a hot topic during last week's **western governors** conference in las vegas the governor's discussed ideas like taxing short term rentals and vacation homes as a way to help build workforce housing john raby is with the bureau of land management he says the housing affordability crisis needs long term solutions to come up with what that looks like with different scenarios ten twenty thirty forty fifty years out so that we can find and load that and and streamline the process with shrinking available and nevada is working to reallocate federal lands for housing governor sensor cox said



### **KNPR**



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**Market** DMA: 40 Las Vegas, NV  
**Language** English

He'd ends of this deal would really just be a start and P. R.'s michelle column in reporting you're listening to N. P. R. News this is K. N. P. R. News and rick andrews housing affordability is a top concern among governors in our region some addressed the issue during the recent **western governors** conference in las vegas the mountain west news bureaus yvette fernandez has more governor say that federal lands could be re allocated to help solve the housing cost prices for instance eighty percent of the land in nevada is federally managed said governor joe lombardo places like clark area where we are today the land available for development is slated to run out or twenty thirty two that's why nevada is working to streamline programs

to allocate federal lands for housing utah governor spencer cox had his state has a similar approach in new mexico governor michelle lou han grisham says modular and pre



### Local News Affordable for who? Pushes for 'affordable housing' still met with challenges Abel Garcia 7

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**Language** English

**Author** Abel Garcia

... housing need

Proposed Westside development a possible answer to affordable housing need

Tuesday, I reached out to Clark County Commissioner William McCurdy for an update. He tells me the 76-unit housing — with rents ranging from \$900 to \$1,300 — is set to break ground early next year.

WATCH: **Western governors** meet in Las Vegas to discuss how to develop affordable housing in our states

**Western governors** meet to discuss developing affordable housing in their states

More from Abel Garcia

New thermal imaging technology rolls out on Nevada roadways to keep drivers safe

With the new year ...



### Morning Edition 8

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**Category** Talk News

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**Market** DMA: 103 Reno, NV

**Language** English

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### All Things Considered 9

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Judge old for early january brian lucas and their news washington this is N. P. R. News support for N. P. R. Comes from the limo send foundation dedicated to improving lives through invention innovation and climb in action and a williams he drank foundation supporting research to improve the lives of young people at W. T. Grants as D. N. Dot org and if you get over for K. You in our news affordable housing is a top concern and was the topic of discussion during the recent **western governors** conference in las vegas the governor's discussed a wide range of options from tapping into federal land to streamlining permitting processes to taxing short term rentals and vacation homes and using those funds to build work force housing alternately john brady with the bureau of land management says house in fort ability crisis needs to include long term solutions to %hesitation come up with what that looks like you know it was different scenarios ten twenty thirty forty fifty years out so that we can



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Nationwide is small accommodating muslim religious practices and build solidarity with muslims and arabs in broader society the council on american islamic relations argues that president biden should address bias on the federal terrorism watch list and see support for israel's war in gaza the strategy comes more than a year and a half after the by the administration pledge to counter anti semitism jason arose N. P. R. News live from K. You in our news I needed to get our if ward ability of housing is a top concern among governors in our region some addressed the issue

during the recent **western governors** conference in las vegas and unless he's beers yvette fernandez has more this is N. P. R. Stocks finished mixed on wall street as the fed meets later this week to consider interest rates the dow down more than one hundred points governor say that federal lands could be re allocated to help solve the housing cost prices for instance eighty percent of the land in



## **Indy Explains: How might the Nevada National Guard help with mass deportation?**

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**Source** [The Nevada Independent](#)

**Author** Isabella Aldrete

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... proposed mass deportation campaign, and at a press conference two days earlier had said that "it's too soon to opine on the nebulous or the unknown."

"A lot of things, I know, get promised during campaigns, and then the practicality of implementing those comes to bear," Lombardo said Dec. 9 at the **Western Governors Association** conference.

So exactly how "practical" is deploying Nevada's National Guard, and what would such a move look like?

Lombardo's office did not return requests for comment. Nevada's National Guard declined to comment.

What is the National Guard?

The National Guard is a special component of the ...



## **KSL News Brief 7:00am - December 19, 2024**

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a loan to your credit card we'll stay higher for longer and that is what drove stocks plunging eleven hundred points for the dow the longest losing streak since nineteen seventy four when ford was president abc news chief economics correspondent rebecca jarvis reporting we'll check this morning's market coming up in about twenty minutes utah's governor is warning we may be the first generation to leave the country worse for our kids and grandkids and it was for us all news radios down brinkerhoff joins us live with the details now tim governor cox was speaking during a workshop of the **western governors association** cited figures from the group demand more supply which warns the behave state is going to be short more than one hundred fifty thousand homes through at least twenty thirty group has created videos showing kids and adult roles to try and help people understand how real the housing crisis is there is rim to go we need more nearby housing options if you want to see central workers our friends and love



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we'll stay higher for longer and that is what drove stocks plunging eleven hundred points for the dow the longest losing streak since nineteen seventy four when ford was president abc news chief economics correspondent rebecca jarvis reporting we'll check this morning's market coming up in about twenty minutes utah's governor is warning we may be the first generation to leave the country worse for our kids and grandkids and it was for us all news radio down brinkerhoff joins us live with the details now tim governor cox was speaking during a workshop of the **western governors association** cited figures from the group demand more supply which warns the beehive state is going to be short more than one hundred fifty thousand homes through at least twenty thirty the group has created videos showing kids and adult roles to try and help people understand how real the housing crisis is there is room to go we need more nearby housing options if we want to see central workers our friends and loved ones nearby those news reports



## **Guest opinion: Utah – The next frontier for direct air capture**

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**Language** English

... in Utah. These investments represent CDR's bipartisan support and broader role in the climate and our economy.

It is in CDR that I see so much opportunity for Utah, its economy, its environment and the millions of people who call it home.

Carbon removal's potential for Utah

This year, the **Western Governors Association** (WGA) held several conferences on decarbonization efforts, including the deployment of CDR in our region through its "Decarbonizing the West" initiative.

The initiative often conflated CDR with "carbon capture and storage" (CCS) — a technology that is used to collect carbon as it is being emitted ...



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## **Drought, wildfires give Northeast states a taste of California life**



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By Ry Rivard State leaders on the Eastern Seaboard are scrambling to deal with something **Western governors** know all too well - drought and fire. Governors in New York and New Jersey have begun warning their residents to save water as an unusual drought grips the region. Even with some rain in the forecast this week, it likely won't be enough to bring relief. A bleak picture is only worsening.

Both ...

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## **The DeVos'ing of Linda McMahon**



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**Source** [Education Next](#)

**Author** Frederick Hess

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**Language** English

... though ABC, NBC, CBS, and CNN all had the deposition. For McMahon, it seems every allegation will be breathlessly shared ad infinitum. For Marten, even documented evidence wasn't worthy of notice.

This all feels awfully familiar.

A quip by U.S. Secretary of Education Miguel Cardona at the **Western Governors' Association** in 2023, in which he misquoted President Ronald Reagan, went unmentioned by most of the legacy media. Those same outlets scrutinized every word of his predecessor from 2017 to 2021. In 2016, the *New York Times* greeted Secretary DeVos's nomination with a headline feverishly insisting that ... reporter who'd reached out amidst some of my reactions to the McMahon coverage. I mentioned this troubling double standard. The reporter genially admitted that this was the first they were hearing about these Cardona transgressions. That was kind of my point . . .

In 2023, Cardona mused to the **Western Governors' Association**, "I think it was President Reagan who said, 'We're from the government. We're here to help.'" Of course, Reagan's actual quote was, "The nine most terrifying words in the English language are: I'm from the government, and I'm here to help." Whether Cardona was historically illiterate or just ...



## **How will Mountain West states solve the housing crisis? It's a hot topic among governors.**



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**Source** [Boise State Public Radio](#)

**Author** Yvette Fernandez

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**Market** Boise, ID

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The affordability of housing is a top concern among governors in our region. A variety of options were discussed during the recent **Western Governors' Association** winter meeting in Las Vegas.

Governors said federal lands could be reallocated to help solve the housing crisis. For instance, 80% of the land in Nevada is federally managed, said Nevada Gov. Joe Lombardo.

"in places like Clark county where we are today, the land available for development is ...



## **FOX13 News: Good Day Utah 8AM**



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**Call Sign** KSTU (Fox)

**Market** DMA: 28 Salt Lake City, UT

**Language** English

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scott. >> yeah, good morning, governor discussing some of his concerns in detail. also some plans for how he hopes to remedy our affordable housing crisis here in the state of utah. all of this during a seminar during the **western governors association** meeting yesterday. >> we talk about

inflation and now inflation impacted. the idea that the presidential race, when we talk about the future of our kids and grandkids, i just keep asking the question, are we going to the first generation in the history of the united states to make life worse for kids and grandkids. >> now a big push for the governor. he's hoping increase construction of the number of starter homes with a goal of building. 35,000 for first time. buyers now the governor says that market is so important to help people build equity by incentivizing ownership instead of renting. we're gonna be able to afford



### **Politics Now Las Vegas**

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**Call Sign** KLAS (CBS)  
**Market** DMA: 40 Las Vegas, NV  
**Language** English

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**Est. Local Audience** 6,819

constitutional amendment, which i disagree changing it. but if he can't do that with the law. >> now, as for birthright citizenship is with the 14th amendment. does say all persons born or naturalized united states and subject to the jurisdiction thereof of our citizens in the united states and of the state wherein they reside governor joe lombardo hosted the other **western governors** of the 4 seasons in las vegas this week. big read on the set. apologies for all of them to enact, including upgrading the electrical grid workforce development and incorporating geothermal and the cover 9 stations goals. they also talked about the need for getting more federal and available for housing. >> something governor lombardo has been pushing for. nevada's democratic attorney general aaron ford tells 8 news now he plans to run for governor. he is term limited as attorney general with us with his time running out in twenty-twenty sakes. it's also republican governor joe



### **Rep. Maloy: Bipartisan Bill to Clean Up Abandoned Hardrock Mines Passes House**

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... in abandoned mine cleanup without fear of incurring additional legal liability. I look forward to the President signing this bipartisan bill into law allowing for responsible, much-needed land and water remediation efforts," said Rich Nolan, President and CEO of the National Mining Association.

"**Western Governors** have supported the creation of legal protections for Good Samaritans since at least 1995," Jack Waldorf, the Executive Director of the **Western Governors' Association**, said. "Hardrock mine reclamation is vitally important to the health of western communities and ecosystems and the ...

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### **Governors weigh in: Can Western states use vast public lands more efficiently?**

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**Language** English

Many believe that public lands, thought to be the shining achievement of conservation in the West, are the answer to the region's housing and climate crises. But federal red tape is a barrier to that mission.

The **Western Governors' Association** hosted the first day of its winter meeting on December 9 in Las Vegas, with experts and governors taking a stab at the West's complex public lands issues.

Often what holds up development is the National Environmental Policy Act, a law that requires any development on public lands to go through a ...



### **Lombardo 'fully committed' to Trump deportation plan**

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**Author** Jessica Hill

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... , gang members, and terrorists who are in this country illegally."

"We understand the direct threat these criminal illegal immigrants pose to public safety and our national security, and we will do everything in our power to assist in removing them from our communities," the statement said.

At a **Western Governors' Association** press conference Monday, Lombardo said the "devil's in the details" when it came to Trump's campaign promises to enact the "largest mass deportation of criminals" in U.S. history, saying things get promised during campaigns but the practicality of implementing them "comes to bear."



**Utah leaders kick off work at The Point, the state's next big redevelopment**

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**Source** [KUER 90.1](#)  
**Author** Sean Higgins  
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**Market** Salt Lake City, UT  
**Language** English

... Utah State Prison, Dec. 17, 2024. State leaders say The Point's central location between the urban centers of Salt Lake and Utah County will better connect the region and serve as a transit and economic hub between the two areas.

Speaking at a housing workshop put on by Gov. Spencer Cox and the **Western Governors Association** later in the day, National Association of Home Builders Director of State and Local Government Affairs Bailey Thompson said it will be critical for future projects to have amenities nearby and the ability for residents to "stay in the communities that they want to be in."

"To create those 15- ...



**Politics Now Las Vegas**

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**KAJX-FM**

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**Market** DMA: 17 Denver, CO  
**Language** English

this month the office will close several permits still need to be obtained in person so now the closest district offices are in rifle and minturn carbondale offices are closed until the summer while its new building is constructed helix and aspen public radio news affordable housing is a top concern and was the topic of discussion during the recent **western governors** conference in las vegas the governors discussed a wide range of options from tapping into federal land to streamlining permitting processes to taxing short terminals and vacation homes and using those funds to build workforce housing ultimately john raby with the bureau of land management says the housing affordability crisis needs to include long term solutions to come up with what that looks like in with different scenarios ten twenty thirty forty fifty years out so that we can find and load that and and streamline the process the common thread among these western states is providing affordable housing for a critical workforce



**LAWMAKERS SET TO UNVEIL SUBSCRIPTION MODEL FOR HEP C TREATMENT**

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... (Dec. 16).

"It saves over \$6 billion so you would think that people would recognize (that) it helps save lives and save \$6 billion. And that's a good thing," Van Hollen said. Pressure to pass the hepatitis C bill in the lame duck has been heating up.

HHS Secretary Xavier Becerra this month urged **Western governors** to press federal lawmakers to establish a program to expand payment for hepatitis C treatment as part of the lame-duck health package.

Previously, senior policy official at the National Alliance of State and Territorial AIDS Directors (NASTAD), Emily Schreiber, said there are high hopes for the ...



### **TerraPower announces contract winners for Kemmerer nuclear plant**

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... We're going to build a lot of these things," Gates said at the TerraPower groundbreaking ceremony earlier this year.

Wyoming Gov. Mark Gordon has also repeatedly expressed his support for the adoption of new energy technologies in the state, both in official capacities like his statements in the **Western Governors' Association** Decarbonizing the West report and for events such as the groundbreaking ceremony.

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### **Nevada Governor Lombardo Joins Republican Governors in Support of Trump Immigration Plan**

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**Source** [The Nevada Globe](#)

... security, and we will do everything in our power to assist in removing them from our communities."

Shifting Stance on National Guard Use

Lombardo's endorsement came just days after he said it was "too soon to opine" on Nevada's role in implementing Trump's proposed deportation plans. At a **Western Governors' Association** press conference on Monday, Lombardo had noted that "the devil's in the details" regarding the feasibility of Trump's campaign promises.

The joint statement, however, clarified the potential role of state resources, including the Nevada National Guard, to support Trump's efforts. "We stand ready ...



### **Immigration advocates rally Nevadans to protect families amid Trump's deportation threats**

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... anything bad to happen."

For those wanting to fight against deportations, Cooley said volunteering for groups like PLAN, one of the clinic's partner organizations, was a good start.

Lombardo's metamorphose

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### **BECERRA: PUSH FOR LONG-TERM TELEHEALTH, HEP C PROGRAM IN LAME-DUCK**

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HHS Secretary Xavier Becerra urged **Western governors** Tuesday (Dec. 10) to press federal lawmakers to pass a long-term extension of Medicare telehealth flexibilities and establish a program to expand payment for hepatitis C treatment as part of a lame-duck health package, stressing both are important for states.

Becerra told the ...

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## **'Governors are going to have to create a new system': Leaders in the West lambast insurance industry over rising costs for homeowners**



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"Of course we ... Gov. Josh Green, who has been critical of the insurance industry in the aftermath of the devastating Maui fires, said he isn't convinced insurers have done enough to help homeowners.

Hawaii Gov. Josh Green speaks about his state's challenges with homeowners insurance during a the second day of the **Western Governors Association's** winter meeting in Las Vegas on Tuesday, Dec. 10.

Green has specifically lambasted State Farm for its role in holding up a proposed \$4 billion settlement for the Maui victims as it attempts to recoup money it spent on insurance payouts following a disaster that destroyed roughly 3,500 residences ...



## **How will Mountain West states solve the housing crisis? It's a hot topic among governors.**



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The affordability of housing is a top concern among governors in our region. A variety of options were discussed during the recent **Western Governors' Association** winter meeting in Las Vegas.

Governors said federal lands could be reallocated to help solve the housing crisis. For instance, 80% of the land in Nevada is federally managed, said Nevada Gov. Joe Lombardo.

"in places like Clark county where we are today, the land available for development is ...



## **HHS Secretary Delivers Remarks at Western Governors Association Meeting**



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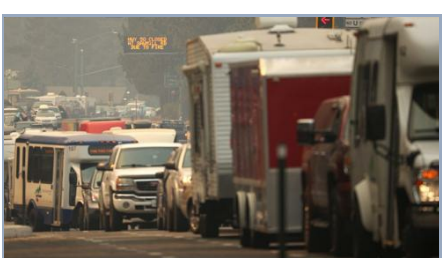
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## **As destructive wildfires grow, western states face a home insurance crisis • Nebraska Examiner**



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... and businesses. The fire ultimately destroyed two commercial buildings, 14 residences, and 22 outbuildings.

The destructive Davis Fire was a prime example of wildfires in Nevada increasing in populated areas where prime development is budding against fire-prone wilderness zones.

During the **Western Governors' Association** conference at the Four Seasons in Las Vegas Tuesday, **Western governors** said they are well aware of the home insurance crisis facing their states.

"We know that across the West changing climate has really created one of the most challenging home insurance markets that we've ever ... these conditions that are leading to some of the costliest and, of course, deadliest losses in history."

Governors on the panel Tuesday agreed that the most immediate way to manage wildfires in the West is by reducing wildfire fuel through mechanical thinning of forests and prescribed fires.

The **Western Governors' Association** approved a bipartisan policy resolution Tuesday to tackle wildfire and related air quality issues. The policy calls for increased use of prescribed fire and encourages greater state-federal collaboration on smoke management planning and other tools to facilitate the use of prescribed fire where ...



### **TerraPower announces contract winners for Kemmerer nuclear plant**



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Wyoming Governor Mark Gordon has also repeatedly expressed his support for the adoption of new energy technologies in the state, both in official capacities like his statements in the **Western Governors' Association** Decarbonizing the West report and for events such as the aforementioned groundbreaking ceremony.

"Advances made here will bolster Wyoming's ability to produce another source of dispatchable power securely," Gordon said in a press release attached to the groundbreaking of the TerraPower Natrium ...



### **Leaders in the West lambast the insurance industry over rising costs for homeowners**



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... housing for the survivors, Green said the infrastructure is now in place to build permanent, longer-term housing sometime in the future.

Colorado's legislature has taken steps to spur development on state-owned land, allocating \$13 million last year to incentivize such efforts.

The group of **Western governors** is set to meet later this month in Utah and then again in January in Oregon to discuss affordable housing efforts as part of New Mexico Gov. Michelle Lujan Grisham's Building Resilient and Affordable New Developments in the West initiative.

Lujan Grisham said a focus on how to utilize public lands ...





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building from the nineteen fifties that burned down in two eleven the new plan dramatically reduces density but swaps what was more affordable housing for luxury mountain homes the site plan includes stringent wildlife protection covenants the affordability of housing is a top concern among governors in our region some addressed the issue during the recent **western governors** conference in las vegas the mountain west news bureau e fernandez has more governor say that federal lands could be reallocated to help solve the housing cost crisis for instance eighty percent of the land in nevada is federally managed said governor joe lombardo places like clark county where we are today the land available for development is slated to run out by twenty thirty two that's why nevada is working to streamline programs to allocate federal lands for housing utah governor spencer cox said his state has a similar approach in new mexico governor michelle lujan grisham says



### **Utah leaders kick off work at The Point, the state's next big redevelopment**

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... Utah State Prison, Dec. 17, 2024. State leaders say The Point's central location between the urban centers of Salt Lake and Utah County will better connect the region and serve as a transit and economic hub between the two areas.

Speaking at a housing workshop put on by Gov. Spencer Cox and the **Western Governors Association** later in the day, National Association of Home Builders Director of State and Local Government Affairs Bailey Thompson said it will be critical for future projects to have amenities nearby and the ability for residents to "stay in the communities that they want to be in."

"To create those 15- ...



### **TerraPower announces contract winners for Kemmerer nuclear plant**

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I did of shooting other family members and then himself statement says that they were %hesitation the same as says that they may fight her home country of myanmar as a refugee with her family more than ten years ago it does governor is warning we may be the first generation to leave the country worse for our kids and grandkids than it was for us governor spencer kotula rid that grim prediction during the second day of the **western governors association** workshop he says the on affordability homes is forcing people believed to be on other other western states governors presentation included video showing kids in adult roles and that's where he faces now it's national stories panic isn't murdering united healthcare C. E. O. Is back I don't know why the desert news report those videos were put together by demand more supply the group estimate utah's going to be short one hundred fifty three thousand homes through at least twenty thirty don brinkerhoff chaos on the radio

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