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Rep. Ryan Zinke (R-Mont.) vowed to protect federal lands and said climate change is not a hoax, but also said he would review a wide range of the Obama administration's environmental protections at a hearing on his selection to lead the Department of the Interior on Tuesday.

GAO: Surface Coal Mines Face Lower Standard for Financial Assurances

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Surface coal mining is the only energy-related activity on federal lands where companies are allowed to promise, without a third-party guarantor, that they'll be able to cover the cost of restoring land after they are done, according to a Government Accountability Office report released Tuesday.

Ferguson-Themed Painting Removed From Capitol Tunnel

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The Architect of the Capitol on Tuesday removed a controversial Ferguson, Mo.-themed painting depicting police officers as animals from the tunnel which connects the Capitol to the Cannon House Office Building.

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