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2 United States Vaccines and Robert F Kennedy Junior Did Anyone Really Think Kennedy Would Soften His Hostility to Vaccines? Excerpts edited by RAWSEP for brevity and clarity and relationship to Residents Against Wood Smoke Emission Particulates a 501c3 nonprofit organization The New York Times April 18 2025 The devastating eruption of measles in the United States has proved to be a make or break event for RFK Junior and his constant equivocation on this issue has been disastrous Any hopes that the Kennedy Junior noxious views on vaccines would moderate with responsibility were always wishful thinking As health secretary Kennedy has failed to help control the measles outbreak in and around Texas which has ballooned to more than 500 cases and now includes the deaths of two children This lamentable outcome is unsurprising given that he is a longtime critic of the measles shot and in 2021 dismissed measles outbreaks as fabricated to create fear The Kennedy Junior best chance at stopping the deadly measles outbreak and preventing other ones is by improving vaccination rates Yet doing so would alienate him from the anti vaccine community He recently attended the funeral of one of the children who died an 8 year old girl in Texas and reportedly questioned the safety of vaccines to her family members But in his public comments about the visit he wrote that the most effective way to prevent the spread of measles is the M vaccine That tepid statement made headlines and drew praise from Senator Bill Cassidy a Republican and a physician who reluctantly provided a key vote for the Kennedy Junior confirmation The Kennedy Junior supporters however saw the public comment as a betrayal those who support vaccines should begin to prepare for a likely scenario in which The Kennedy Junior project links vaccines to autism probably using questionable methods Experts cannot simply share declarations that vaccines are safe and effective in the current distrustful climate Instead independent scientists should begin performing fresh analyses to share with the public when his research is released and be prepared to address frequent anti vaccine talking points The one silver lining of the Kennedy Junior ascension to the leader of the US health system is that it gives vaccine supporters a larger platform to publicly call out his misinformation The stakes are too high to allow it to continue unchecked

3 If You Care About Your Savings Pay Attention to The Trump Attack on The Fed Excerpts edited by RAWSEP for brevity and clarity and relationship to Residents Against Wood Smoke Emission Particulates a 501c3 nonprofit organization The New York Times April 18 2025 At a congressional hearing in July 2019 Representative Maxine Waters asked the Federal Reserve chairman Jerome Powell what he would do if Trump called and said I am firing you pack up it is time to go Powell said diplomatically My answer would be no In private he was more blunt I will never ever leave this job voluntarily until my term ends under any circumstances he said None whatsoever You will not see me getting in the lifeboat We may soon find out the depth of that conviction A Powell termination cannot come fast enough! Trump wrote Thursday morning on social media a day after Powell said that the Fed may need to postpone cutting



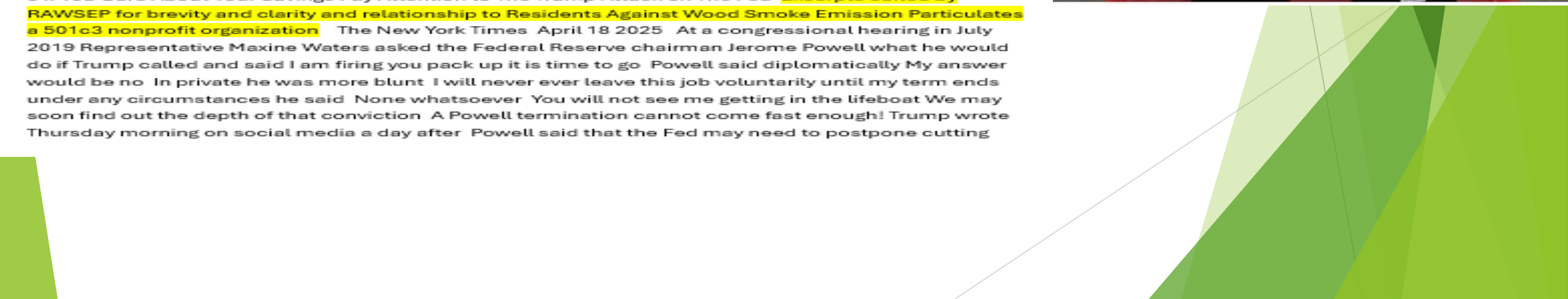
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interest rates thanks to The Trump tariff policy This was not another impulsive social media post Since returning to the White House Trump has been laying the groundwork to fire Powell discussing the idea repeatedly with close advisers This latest escalation brings us even closer to a full blown crisis over Fed independence The Trump dislike for Powell is more than a personal spat It is a direct challenge to the economic foundation that has helped make America prosperous for generations The Federal Reserve established in 1913 and reconstituted in 1935 manages interest rates to ensure credit does not become too expensive stifling investment and employment or too cheap spurring inflation The Fed also regulates and supervises financial institutions to ensure they are financially sound The combination of its monetary and regulatory policy are part of a policymaking tradition that I call market craft guiding markets toward a particular political and economic goal in the case of the Fed stable prices and full employment Like many institutions the Fed has an imperfect track record in meeting its goals but a fundamental ingredient to its success has been insulation from political pressure precisely what Trump is targeting If Trump succeeds in subjugating the Federal Reserve the consequences would extend far beyond his term in office Interest rates would fluctuate with election cycles rather than economic conditions Inflation expectations would become unanchored creating the potential for prices to spiral out of control The status of the dollar as the reserve currency of the world which gives America enormous economic advantages would be jeopardized The Reconstruction Finance Corporation created by the 1930s Depression Era New Deal revitalized banking created our aviation industry and spurred housing construction The Strategic Petroleum Reserve born from the 1970s energy crisis has mitigated price instability during supply shocks and provided security for decades More recently the bipartisan CHIPS and Science Act has attracted five major semiconductor manufacturers to American soil to reduce our dependence on foreign chips The effectiveness of the Fed like that of these other efforts rests on a shared formula By undermining these principles Trump is not making America great Trump is dismantling the institutional architecture that made American prosperity possible in the first place



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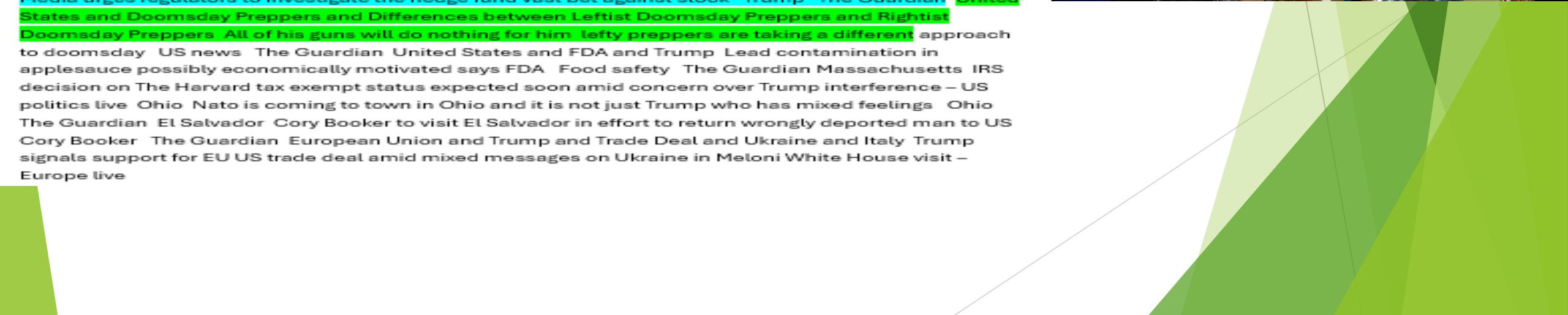


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response more suited to violent repression than communal wellbeing He changed course after encountering the influential academic paper Deep Adaptation A Map for Navigating Climate Tragedy by a professor of sustainability leadership and one time darling of Davos who has come to believe that our addiction to fossil fuels will soon bring about the destruction of civilization After participating in online forums the Seattle man started his own group Three times a week he and several colleagues host free online meetups where participants from around the world assemble to talk through their emotional responses to the prospect of human extinction They call it Collapse Club I participated in one session and came away persuaded that genuine prepping requires not only outer resilience but an inner kind as well Survival is not the goal he told me afterward It is impossible given what is happening The relationship and the wisdom and the love that one discovers by approaching nature with respect that is the goal Despite his dismal prognosis the Seattle man is no doomer Even though it is a global collapse we are talking about it really is possible in the company of others to find stability in your life he promised You can imagine new ways to live and you can find a purpose to go on As the San Francisco Bay Area man said let us slow down help each other be nicer to animals and nature defend freedom grow food play more be open minded about what might help and forgive ourselves Or launch a school to teach sustainable agricultural practices to local farmers He is under no illusion that the small volunteer effort will have any real impact on a global crisis And by no means would he refer to it as prepping Rather than an effort to defend himself and his adopted community against a nightmare future it is a part of a commitment to living meaningfully in the present I know we could get washed away next week he wrote in a blogpost not long ago Or we could run out of money next year Or we could get shut down due to a bureaucratic hitch But it would still have been great for a time

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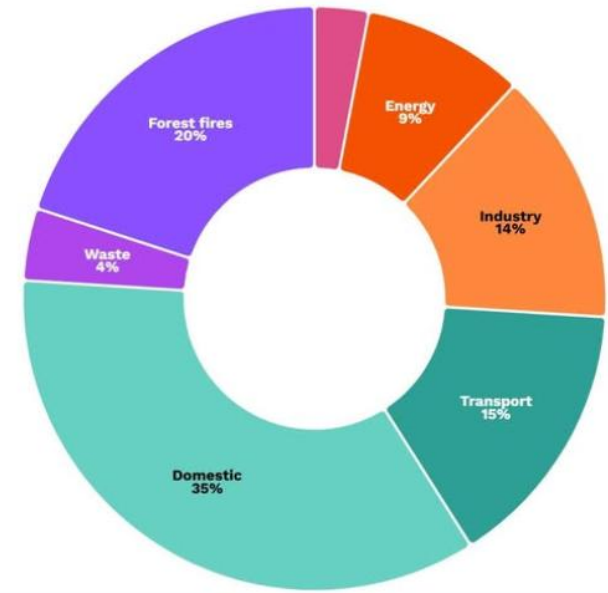


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As the United States struggles to contain a resurgence of measles that has swept through swaths of the Southwest neighboring countries are responding to their own outbreaks Canada has reported more than 730 cases this year making this one of the worst measles outbreaks in the country since it declared the virus eliminated in 1998 Mexico has seen at least 360 measles cases and one death most of them in the northern state of Chihuahua according to Mexican health authorities Many of the communities grappling with measles have large Mennonite populations that public health officials have linked to outbreaks The multinational resurgence has concerned epidemiologists who fear that simultaneous outbreaks near the US border will make it more difficult to contain the virus It is just a line on the map that separates them we share air we share space said an epidemiologist at Virginia Tech Falling vaccination rates have left the United States more vulnerable to the highly contagious virus If we do not have a buffer or herd immunity to keep the virus out we will be at risk as long as any of our neighbors are at risk The outbreak in the Southwest shows no signs of slowing Since late January the virus has sickened more than 560 people in Texas 63 people in neighboring New Mexico and a dozen people in Oklahoma More than 30 cases have been reported in Kansas which public health officials believe may be linked to the Texas outbreak The governor of Nebraska released a measles response plan though the state has not yet reported any cases New York State officials earlier this month issued a travel advisory about trips to Ontario and several US states warning that measles is only a car ride away The outbreak in Canada which began in late 2024 has been disproportionately affecting people from Anabaptist communities including Mennonite and Amish people and can be traced back to a large Mennonite gathering in the fall according to the Ontario Ministry of Health There is no doctrine in the Mennonite faith that bars vaccination but many people in the community avoid the medical system The largest outbreak in the United States began in a Mennonite community on the western edge of Texas Areas with smaller outbreaks like Oklahoma and Southwest Kansas also have sizable Mennonite communities In 2019 measles spread through a large Orthodox Jewish population in what became the largest outbreak in recent US history The virus was first brought into a Mennonite community in Chihuahua by a 9 year old boy who visited Texas with his family More than half of US states have reported at least one case this year and there have been outbreaks in Ohio and Indiana with no known connections to other outbreaks In a public meeting Tuesday a CDC senior scientist said recent threats to local public health funding meant the agency was now scraping to find the resources to support Texas and other states grappling with outbreaks On average each measles case costs between thirty thousand dollars and fifty thousand dollars in public health response work 9

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