

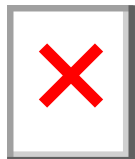
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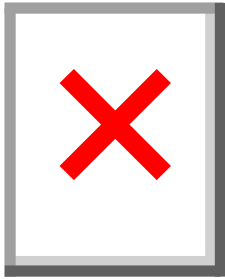
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## FEATURE

# Cuomo is the candidate of both NIMBYs and developers. What gives?

In the New York City mayoral race, odd bedfellows align to preserve the housing status quo.

By: Benjamin Schneider

## Top Urban Planning News

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### Map: Where Senate Republicans Want to Sell Your Public Lands

For public land advocates, the Senate Republicans' proposal to sell millions of acres of public land in the West is "the biggest fight of their careers."

### Judge Halts Brooklyn Bike Lane Removal

Lawyers must prove city was not acting "arbitrarily, capriciously, and illegally" in ordering the hasty removal

## **Texas Legislature's Surprising Pro-Housing Swing**

Smaller homes on smaller lots, office to apartment conversions, and 40% less say for NIMBYs, vote state lawmakers.

## **The EV “Charging Divide” Plaguing Rural America**

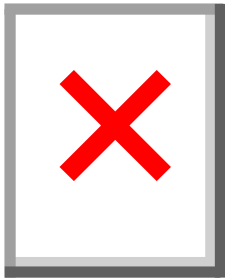
With "the deck stacked" against rural areas, will the great electric American road trip ever be a reality?

## **Engineers Gave America's Roads an Almost Failing Grade — Why Aren't We Fixing Them?**

With over a trillion dollars spent on roads that are still falling apart, advocates propose a new "fix it first" framework.

## **Exclusives**

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## BLOG

### **Restaurant Patios Were a Pandemic Win — Why Were They so Hard to Keep?**

Social distancing requirements and changes in travel patterns prompted cities to pilot new uses for street and sidewalk space. Then it got complicated.

Diana Ionescu

### **How Planners Can Help Cut Corporate Carbon**

Up to 75 percent or more of many companies' greenhouse gas emissions come from activities impacted by urban planning. Like it or not, planners are key players in mitigation. Technology can help.

Devin Partida

### **Planetizen Federal Action Tracker**

A weekly monitor of how Trump's orders and actions are impacting planners and planning in America.

Diana Ionescu

## **More Urban Planning News**

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### **The European Cities That Love E-Scooters — And Those That Don't**

Where they're working, where they're banned, and where they're just as annoying the tourists that use them.

Bloomberg CityLab

### **Seattle's Plan for Adopting Driverless Cars**

Equity, safety, accessibility and affordability are front of mind as the city prepares for robotaxis and other autonomous vehicles.

Smart Cities Dive

### **Vehicle-related Deaths Drop 29% in Richmond, VA**

The seventh year of the city's Vision Zero strategy also cut the number of people killed in alcohol-related crashes by half.

WRIC

### **With Protected Lanes, 460% More People Commute by Bike**

For those needing more ammo, more data proving what we already knew is here.

UNM News

### **Even Edmonton Wants Single Staircase Buildings**

Canada's second most affordable major city joins those angling to nix the requirement for two staircases in multi-family buildings.

CBC

### **In More Metros Than You'd Think, Suburbs are Now More Expensive Than the City**

If you're moving to the burbs to save on square footage, data shows you should think again.

## **As Trump Phases Out FEMA, Is It Time to Flee the Floodplains?**

With less federal funding available for disaster relief efforts, the need to relocate at-risk communities is more urgent than ever.

Governing

## **Trump Approves Futuristic Automated Texas-Mexico Cargo Corridor**

The project could remove tens of thousands of commercial trucks from roadways.

FreightWaves

## **Atlanta Bus System Redesign Will Nearly Triple Access**

MARTA's Next Gen Bus Network will retool over 100 bus routes, expand frequent service.

Mass Transit

## **Toronto Condo Sales Drop 75%**

In two of Canada's most expensive cities, more condos were built than ever — and sales are plummeting.

Financial Post

# **Job Listings**

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## **Senior Planner - Land Use & Zoning Review**

Borough of Carlisle

## **Urban Design Project Manager**

Smith Gee Studio

## **State Planning and Research, Coordinator (SPR Part 2) (JC-480111)**

Caltrans

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# **Events**

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## **Request for Proposals – The North Camden Linden Street Gateway Development Project**

City of Camden Redevelopment Agency

## **Development Review Audit**

City of Astoria

## **Comprehensive Bikeway Design Workshop**

Transportation Research & Education Center (TREC) at Portland State University

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## RFPs and RFQs

### Request for Proposals - Cooper Plaza Market Rate/Mixed Income Residential For-Sale Project

City of Camden Redevelopment Agency

### Unified Zoning Code Update & Optional Land Use Code Update

Municipality of Princeton (NJ)

### Request for Qualifications (RFQ): Multi-Family, Mixed-Use Development in Salt Lake City's Granary District

Salt Lake City

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