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Sen. Moran sponsors bill to allow Kansans to keep their health care plans

Sen. Bill Moran has introduced a bill that would allow Kansans to keep their health care plans if they are currently covered by a self-insured employer plan. The bill, known as the "Keep Your Health Plan Act," would require the state to provide a minimum level of coverage for these plans, ensuring that they meet the same standards as those provided by the state's health care system. Moran, a Republican from the 1st district, said the bill is necessary to protect the interests of Kansans who have invested in their health care plans and to ensure that they can continue to provide for their families. The bill is expected to be passed by the legislature in the coming months.



SW Kansas Black Hills customers to benefit from pipeline purchase

Black Hills Energy announced that it has purchased the Black Hills pipeline system in SW Kansas. The purchase is expected to result in lower rates for customers in the region, as the company plans to invest in the infrastructure and improve the efficiency of the system. The pipeline system, which has been in operation for several decades, is one of the largest in the region and serves a large number of customers. The purchase is part of a larger strategy by Black Hills Energy to expand its service area and provide better service to its customers.



National Beef closes temporarily for operational issues

National Beef, a major supplier of beef to the United States, has announced that it will be closing its operations temporarily due to operational issues. The company, which is based in Colorado, has been experiencing difficulties with its supply chain and production processes, leading to a shortage of beef. The closure is expected to last for several weeks, during which time the company will be working to resolve the issues and resume normal operations. The closure is expected to have a significant impact on the beef market, as National Beef is one of the largest suppliers in the industry.

Colorado's mixed tax votes leave future unclear

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Colorado's voters have rejected a package of tax increases, leaving the state's future fiscal outlook uncertain. The voters rejected a package of tax increases that would have raised revenue for the state's education and infrastructure programs. The rejection is a significant victory for the anti-tax coalition and suggests that voters are concerned about the impact of higher taxes on the economy. The state's budget is expected to be tight in the coming years, and the legislature will need to find alternative ways to fund its programs.

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