CHA Residents Rip CEO At Hearing: ‘We Need Something Much Better Than This’

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Resident leaders and even a member of the Chicago Housing Authority board called for CEO Tracey Scott to go, but some alderpeople praised “progress” at the agency.

Mientras la ciudad batalla con una
escasez de viviendas, la CHA deja que se deterioren cientos de casas vacías

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Se supone que la Autoridad de Vivienda de Chicago está para ayudar a que las personas necesitadas puedan conseguir viviendas asequibles. Pero la agencia tiene casi 500 viviendas que están vacías – y muchas de ellas causan problemas a los vecinos.

Alderpeople Want Meetings With
City Council leaders, including the housing committee chair, renewed calls for CHA officials to attend regular hearings after an Illinois Answers/Block Club investigation found the agency is sitting on hundreds of vacant homes.

As City Battles Housing Shortage,
CHA Lets Hundreds Of Empty Homes Decay

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The Chicago Housing Authority is supposed to provide affordable homes for those in need. But the agency has nearly 500 scattered-site units that are vacant — many causing problems for their neighbors.

City Has Spent Only 15% of $52M in Federal Money Dedicated for
Two years after receiving the COVID-era funding, Chicago has been slow off the mark with some of its programs to help people experiencing homelessness.

Big Spending and a Springfield Joyride for South Suburban ‘People’s Mayor’

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Tiffany Henyard makes about $250,000 a year as the mayor of Dolton and the supervisor of Thornton Township. Critics blast her free spending ways while her fans cite the progress she’s made.

Illinois to Clawback $180M from Four Medicaid Insurance Companies

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The refunded money, which could amount to $450 million over several years, will be used to pay for programs to hire and train more health care workers across Illinois.

Ald. Rod Sawyer did legal work for firm that bought Beverly home for $32K from man with dementia

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A judge later invalidated the sale, but Sawyer, who is running for mayor, notes he was dismissed from the court case involving the purchase, with no finding of wrongdoing

State Officials Sued for Allowing Foster Children to Languish in Juvenile Detention

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The lawsuit against the Department of Children and Family Services officials comes after an investigation by the Illinois Answers Project found that the problem was only getting worse.

Feds Probing Massive State Contract that Failed Foster Kids with Inadequate Health Care

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An investigation by the Illinois Answers Project found that insurance giant Centene Corp. routinely fell short in providing basic care. Federal officials now want answers from the two state agencies overseeing the program.