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Parks on top of highways

Need more park space? [“Cap” an interstate](#) - several cities have already tried it.

Fixing our “broken” food system

[Some thoughts](#) on making it more sustainable and improving access to healthy foods.

The green, clean economy

What is it, where is it, and how is it doing? The Brookings Institution says it’s hard to tell exactly, but [there are some encouraging signs](#).

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