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Once again, reinventing cities

How Chattanooga and Pittsburgh have built brighter futures - and what other cities might learn from them.

The price of speed

An urban designer says high-speed roads hurt property values and reduce tax base.

An encyclopedia of land use codes

Many codes from many places, dating back to the third century BC.

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