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### **Where would you rather grow old?**

Are cities or suburbs [more friendly to the elderly](#) - and how important is it to age in place?

### **“Parklets” can be so small they’re hard to recognize**

But [just a few square feet and a bench or two](#) can make a difference.

### **A flock of sheep and one llama**

You could say they’re public-works contractors in Cleveland; their counterparts in other cities include [ladybugs, goats, and dogs](#).

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