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What to expect when you're expecting another coronavirus package

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DRIVING THE DAY

WHAT TO EXPECT WHEN YOU'RE EXPECTING ANOTHER CORONAVIRUS

PACKAGE: If you're a regular reader of this newsletter, you'll know there's a wide array of industries that are clamoring to be included in the next round of coronavirus relief, from fossil fuels and waste and recycling, to clean energy and hydropower (more on that last one below).



Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell (R-Ky.) wears a mask as he walks through a hallway at the U.S. Capitol May 6, 2020 in Washington, D.C. | Photo by Alex Wong/Getty Images

WESTERN OFFICIALS KEEP UP LWCF PUSH: More than 100 mayors and local officials from across the West <u>want lawmakers to fully fund</u> the Land and Water Conservation Fund as part of upcoming coronavirus stimulus legislation, pointing to its "strong long-term recovery for gateway communities and states that rely on visitors to public lands." ME readers will recall that before the coronavirus pandemic froze action on the Hill, the Senate was getting ready to consider legislation to provide permanent funding for the popular conservation program, after a <u>tweet of support</u> from the president, in a reversal of his previous stance.

"Broadly supported, bipartisan LWCF legislation was already in the queue for Senate floor time before coronavirus upended the calendar — it is directly relevant, ready to go, and makes sense for Congress to include in a stimulus package if possible and appropriate," the officials write.