Donor Double Down: Newport News Business Exchange doubles down on political incumbents through its campaign arm. (Mayoral Campaign Fund +50% and Super PAC +100%)

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Funding Foundations: GBI launches local foundation for Hampton Roads community. (Mayoral Campaign -50% and GBI Corporate Resources +\$10M)

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Committee Condemnation: The Seapower and Projection Forces subcommittee criticizes Admiral Reid in its annual report. (Representative Likability +10, Admiral Likability -10)

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Congressman Critic: Representative
Chase uncovers and condemns
campaign finance irregularities at the
Mayoral Campaign Fund. (Mayoral
Campaign Fund -25% and
Representative Likability +20%)

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Super PAC Superspread: The American Defense Project's Super PAC new campaign against Mayor Wallace goes hyper-viral. (Mayoral Likability -20% and Super PAC Funding +50%)

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Investor Invective: A major GBI investor condemns Representative Chase at a conference, even while going long on the company's trajectory. (Representative Likability -20% and GBI Corporate Resources +\$5M)

AFL-CIO Applause: The president of the national AFL-CIO comes to Hampton Roads and gives a fiery speech to Local 9999. (Unionization Rate +20% and Mayoral Likability +5%)

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Murky Money: Local 9999 union finds additional funds in untracked bank account. (Union Membership Fees +50% and Unionization Rate -5%)

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Corruption Crackdown: Admiral Reid discovered an overcost kickback scheme at the Local 9999 union and orders a penalty fine. (Unionization Rate -20% and Admiral Likability +10%)

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Rapacious Repairs: A senior exec at GBI has been charged and GBI fined by the Department of Justice in bilking the shipyard repair fund. (Shipyard Repairs -\$20M and GBI Corporate Resources -\$10M)

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Canadian Charity, eh?: Mayor
Wallace successfully travels to
Canada on a trade mission to
fundraise for the shipyard. (Mayoral
Likability +10% and Shipyard Repairs
+\$10M)

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Substack Submission: Local 9999's newsletter thanks Substacker Carmichael for being a paid shill. Carmichael denies it in a major newspaper editorial. (Union Membership Dues -100% and Substack Subscribers -20%)

Aplomb Address: Admiral Reid delivers a rapturous address to the US Naval Academy Alumni Association & Foundation. (Admiral Likability +20% and Shipyard Repairs +\$5M)

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Helpful Hedges: A double bottom line hedge fund invests in GBI, claiming that greater unionization will lead to greater profits. (GBI Corporate Resources +\$20M and Unionization Rate +10%)

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Acerbic Analysis: Substacker Carmichael pans Newport News's city budget in a scathing analysis. (Mayoral Likability -10% and Substack Subscribers +10%)

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URL Urn: Mayor Wallace's campaign team accidentally directed all campaign fund web visitors to the wrong fundraising form. (Mayoral Likability -5% and Mayoral Campaign Fund -100%)

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Local Lazy Loose Lips:

Representative Chase is recorded speaking badly about the work ethic of Local 9999 workers at a mansion on Martha's Vineyard.

(Representative Likability -5% and Union Membership Fees +25%)

United Union: A senator attached to the American Defense Project's Super PAC gives a barnstorming speech on the benefits of unions in Hampton Roads. (Super PAC Funding +25% and Union Membership Fees +100%) **Labor of Love**: Local 9999 holds a workathon to repair the shipyard on off-days. (Unionization Rate +5% and Shipyard Repairs +\$20M)

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Super PAC Superpunch: The American Defense Project's Super PAC obliquely attacks Admiral Reid, causing a donor revolt. (Admiral Likability -5% and Super PAC Funding -50%)

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Ruinous Repairs: Union workers repairing the shipyard found to have caused faulty wiring, triggering a fire. (Shipyard Repairs -\$10M and Unionization Rate -10%)

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Embarrassing Escapade: Mayor Wallace's campaign team slams an executive junket at the American Defense Project's Super PAC. (Mayoral Campaign Fund +25% and Super PAC Funding -100%)

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Healthy Hellhole: State of Virginia's occupational safety office fines GBI after finding collusion to avoid Covid-19 testing mandates. (GBI Corporate Resources -\$20M and Union Dues -25%)

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Armed Awards: Center for New American Security awards Representative Chase and Admiral Reid with leadership awards. (Representative Likability +5% and Admiral Likability +5%)

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Leaked Look: Representative
Chase's staff reaches out to
Substacker Carmichael's business
manager to talk about submitting a
guest post without a sponsorship
label, which is leaked to the local
press. (Representative Likability -10%
and Substack Subscribers -5%)

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Marketing Momentum: GBI aggressively sponsors a number of new media outlets, including the Virginia Stripes. (GBI Corporate Resources -\$5M and Substack Subscribers +20%)

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Paid Piper: Admiral Reid accepts a paid speaking engagement from the American Defense Project's Super PAC, violating ethics rules. (Super PAC Funding -25% and Admiral Likability -20%)

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Blog Boon: Mayor Wallace's campaign team fundraises off of a well-written *Virginia Stripes* newsletter. (Substack Subscribers +5% and Mayoral Campaign Funds +100%)

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Shadow Subscribers: Local 9999 discovered buying unused bulk subscriptions of the *Virginia Stripes* newsletter. (Substack Subscribers -10% and Union Membership Dues -50%)

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Lighting Leader: Mayor Wallace gives electrifying speech after a lightning strike further damages the shipyard in Hampton Roads. (Mayor Likability +20% and Shipyard Repairs -\$5M)

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City Cyberheist: International hackers break into Mayor Wallace's campaign database. Reveals the last scene's Mayoral Campaign Fund spending data.

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Super Leak of Super PAC:

Cybersecurity leak of Super PAC files. Reveals the last scene's Super PAC spending data.

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Corporate Raiders: A PE firm conducting due diligence on GBI accidentally loses financial files. Reveals the last scene's GBI Corporate Resources spending.

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Local Union, International Heist:

Hacker groups break into Local 9999's computers and deep six them. Reveals the last scene's Union Membership Dues spending.

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Disclosed Duties: Admiral Reid's duty assignments are revealed to the press. Reveal last scene's assignments to the Admiral's Public Affairs Officers.

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