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Military plane crashes near airport in Georgia

SAVANNAH, Ga. — An Air National Guard C-130 cargo plane crashed today near an airport in Savannah, Georgia, the Air Force said. There was no immediate word of injuries.

The plane crashed at the intersection of two roads, the Chatham County Emergency Management Agency said in a tweet.

A photo tweeted by the Savannah Professional Firefighters Association shows the tail end of a plane and a field of flames and black smoke as an ambulance stands nearby.

Savannah/Hilton Head International Airport said on social media that some flights were being affected though the crash happened off its property. The airport advised passengers to check with their airline for updated flight information.

Memo: Pruitt landlord's husband sought EPA work for client

WASHINGTON — The lobbyist whose wife rented a condo to Environmental Protection Agency head Scott Pruitt at \$50 a night sought EPA committee posts for a lobbying client, according to a newly released EPA memo.

J. Steven Hart's seeking those appointments from his wife's former tenant, Pruitt, shows "the extent to which the special interests providing him with gifts have sought specific favors from EPA in return," said Rep. Frank Pallone of New Jersey, the senior Democrat on the House Energy and Commerce Committee.

The memo makes for the latest in a months-long barrage of news reports and federal investigations questioning spending and other actions at Pruitt's EPA. Hart wrote the email Aug. 10 to Ryan Jackson, Pruitt's chief of staff.

"I want to highlight three candidates...who were nominated by our client, Dennis Treacy, the president of the Smithfield Foundation," Hart wrote, suggesting appointments for the three to an EPA science advisory board.

The foundation is an arm of Smithfield Foods Inc. of Virginia, known for its hams. Smithfield Foods paid at least \$280,000 in lobbying fees in 2017 to Hart's firm, and Hart was listed by name as representing Smithfield as its lobbyist when he wrote the email, according to federal lobbying records.

Pruitt told Fox News in April that "Mr. Hart has no clients that had business before this agency," but a spokesman for Hart subsequently acknowledged that Hart actually met with Pruitt in his office in July 2017 — about one month before Hart's proposed nominations to discuss efforts to preserve the Chesapeake Bay.

Lawsuits target Trump administration family planning policy

NEW YORK — Two major organizations that promote birth control filed lawsuits in federal court today seeking to block the Trump administration from shifting national family



Tatum Weir, center, carries a tool box she built as her twin brother Ian, left, follows after a Cub Scout meeting in Madbury, N.H. Fifteen communities in New Hampshire are part of an "early adopter" program to allow girls to become Cub Scouts and eventually Boy Scouts.

AP Photo/Charles Krupa

As girls arrive, Boy Scouts change name of flagship program

NEW YORK — For 108 years, the Boy Scouts of America's flagship program has been known simply as the Boy Scouts. With girls soon entering the ranks, the group says that iconic name will change.

The organization today announced a new name for its Boy Scouts program: Scouts BSA. The change will take effect in February.

Chief Scout Executive Mike Surbaugh said many possibilities were considered during lengthy and "incredibly fun" deliberations before the new name was chosen.

"We wanted to land on something that evokes the past but also conveys the inclusive nature of the program going forward," he said. "We're trying to find the right way to say we're here for both young men and young women."

The parent organization will remain the Boy Scouts of America, and the Cub Scouts — its program serving children from kindergarten through fifth grade — will keep its title, as well.

But the Boy Scouts — the program for 11- to 17-year-olds — will now be Scouts BSA. The organization already has started admitting girls into the Cub Scouts, and Scouts BSA begins accepting girls next year.

The program for the older boys and girls will largely be divided along gender lines, with single-sex units pursuing the same types of activities, earning the same array of merit badges and potentially having the same pathway to the coveted Eagle Scout award.

planning policy to stress abstinence and potentially limit counseling for adolescents.

One of the suits was filed by Planned Parenthood, which serves 41 percent of the 4 million low-income Americans who receive subsidized services through the Title X family-planning program. The other suit was filed by the National Family Planning & Reproductive

Health Association, which contends the policy shift would reduce access to the most effective contraceptive methods and result in more unintended pregnancies.

The target of both lawsuits is a set of guidelines and priorities announced in February by the Department of Health and Human Services for the next round of Title X grant applications,

projected to total about \$260 million.

An HHS spokeswoman, Caitlin Oakley, said the department does not comment on pending litigation.

The HHS funding document made repeated favorable mention of "natural family planning" — which encompasses the rhythm method and other strategies for avoiding pregnancy without using contraceptives like the birth-control pill. HHS said it will favor programs for adolescents that "that do not normalize sexual risk behaviors, but instead clearly communicate the research-informed benefits of delaying sex or returning to a sexually risk-free status."

The two lawsuits, filed in U.S. District Court in Washington, D.C., contend that the HHS policy violates terms of the Title X statute that Congress adopted with bipartisan support in 1970. The suits also contended that the policy was adopted without going through the proper process required for changing federal regulations.

EPA security chief, Superfund head leave amid ethics probes

WASHINGTON — The two top officials in charge of security and toxic-waste cleanups at the Environmental Protection Agency have abruptly left their jobs, days after EPA administrator Scott Pruitt told lawmakers that his subordinates were to blame for alleged ethical lapses that have prompted more than a dozen federal investigations of the agency.

In statements Tuesday, Pruitt praised the two men — security chief Pasquale "Nino" Perrotta and Albert Kelly, a former Oklahoma banker who ran the EPA's Superfund program — and gave no reason for their unexpected departures.

Perrotta is due to appear today for a transcribed interview by staffers of the House Oversight Committee, one of the congressional bodies and federal agencies that are probing reported excessive spending by Pruitt and other issues at the agency. Committee aides said Perrotta's resignation was not expected to derail his appearance.

EPA spokesman Jahan Wilcox said the two men's departures were unrelated to the ongoing federal investigations, and said the agency was fully cooperating with the congressional probe, led by House Oversight Chairman Rep. Trey Gowdy, a South Carolina Republican.

Pruitt's spending on security, and some of the security contracts with Perrotta, are among the topics of the federal probes involving the EPA under Pruitt, a former Oklahoma attorney general. Pruitt, an ardent advocate of minimizing regulation who moves in conservative political circles, evangelical Christian ones, and business groups, has survived the kind of scandals that have brought down several other Cabinet appointees of President Donald Trump.

On Tuesday, The Washington Post reported that a Pruitt trip to Morocco last December was partly arranged by a longtime friend and lobbyist, Richard Smotkin, who last month received a \$40,000-a-month contract with the Moroccan government to promote its cultural and economic interests. The trip, which has drawn scrutiny from federal watchdogs, cost more than \$100,000, more than twice the amount previously estimated, the Post said.

THE DAILY ASTORIAN TV SCHEDULE

Evening listings WEDNESDAY

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A - Charter Astoria/ Seaside - L - Charter Long Beach

A	L	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
2	KATU	2	KATU News at 6 (N)	Jeopardy! (N)	Wheel Fortune (N)	The Goldbergs (N)	Alex, Inc. (N)	Modern Family (N)	Am.Housewife (N)	Designated Surv. "Bad Reception" (N)	KATU News (N)	(:35) Jimmy Kimmel	
3	KOMO	4	KOMO 4 News (N)	Wheel Fortune (N)	Jeopardy! (N)	The Goldbergs (N)	Alex, Inc. (N)	Modern Family (N)	Am.Housewife (N)	Designated Surv. "Bad Reception" (N)	KOMO 4 News (N)	(:35) Jimmy Kimmel	
5	KING	5	NBC News (N)	KING 5 News	KING 5 News	Evening	Survivor: Ghost Island	SEAL Team "Enemy of My Enemy" (N)	Code Black "Better Angels" (N)	Chicago P.D. "Allegiance" (N)	KING 5 News (N)	(:35) Tonight Show	
6	KOIN	6	KOIN Local 6 (N)	Evening News (N)	Extra	Ent. Tonight	Survivor: Ghost Island	SEAL Team "Enemy of My Enemy" (N)	Code Black "Better Angels" (N)	Chicago P.D. "Allegiance" (N)	KOIN 6 News (N)	(:35) Colbert	
7	KIRO	7	KIRO 7 News (N)	Evening News (N)	KIRO 7 News (N)	Ent. Tonight	Survivor: Ghost Island	SEAL Team "Enemy of My Enemy" (N)	Code Black "Better Angels" (N)	Chicago P.D. "Allegiance" (N)	KIRO News (N)	(:35) Colbert	
8	KGW	8	KGW News at 6:00 p.m. (N)	Tonight Cassidy	Inside Edition	The Blacklist "Nicholas T. Moore" (N)	Law&O: SVU "The Book of Esther" (N)	Chicago P.D. "Allegiance" (N)	News at 10 (N)	Friends	Two and a Half	(:35) Tonight Show	
9	KRCW	9	Modern Family	Modern Family	The Goldbergs	Riverdale (N)	The Originals "Ne Me Quitte Pas" (N)	News at 10 (N)	Friends	Two and a Half	Two and a Half	(:35) Tonight Show	
10	KOPB	10	Journeys Japan (N)	Business (N)	PBS NewsHour (N)	Nature (N)	Wonders "What's Living in You?" (N)	Nova "Search for the Super Battery"	How We Got to Now "Clean/ Time"	News (N)	Page Six TV		
12	KPTV	12	6 O'Clock News (N)	Family Feud	Family Feud	Empire "A Lean and Hungry Look" (N)	Star "Let the Good Times Roll" (N)	10 O'Clock News (N)	Family Guy	American Dad!	The Game	The Game 2/2	
13	KPDX	13	Mike & Molly	Mike & Molly	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Empire "A Lean and Hungry Look" (N)	Star "Let the Good Times Roll" (N)	Q13 NEWS AT 10 (N)	News (N)	The Simpsons		
13	KCPQ	13	Modern Family	Modern Family	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Empire "A Lean and Hungry Look" (N)	Star "Let the Good Times Roll" (N)	Q13 NEWS AT 10 (N)	News (N)	The Simpsons		
20	TBS	20	Family Guy	Family Guy	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Empire "A Lean and Hungry Look" (N)	Star "Let the Good Times Roll" (N)	Q13 NEWS AT 10 (N)	News (N)	The Simpsons		
22	KZJL	22	Friends	Friends	Mom	Modern Family	Q13 News at 9 (N)	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Two and a Half	Two and a Half		
29	ESPN	29	(5:00) MLB Baseball New York Yankees at Houston Astros (L)	SportsCenter (N)	SportsCenter (N)	Nación ESPN (N)	SportsCenter With Scott Van Pelt (N)	SportsCenter (N)	Hey Rookie	Hey Rookie	Hey Rookie	Hey Rookie	
30	ESPN2	30	Hey Rookie	Hey Rookie (N)	SportsCenter Special "Draft Grades"	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	Friends	Friends Pt. 1 of 2	Raven's Home	Bunk'd		
31	NICK	31	LoudH. (N)	The Loud House	The Loud House	The Loud House	Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Dog Days "12) Zachary Gordon.	Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Dog Days "12) Zachary Gordon.	Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Dog Days "12) Zachary Gordon.	Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Dog Days "12) Zachary Gordon.	Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Dog Days "12) Zachary Gordon.	Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Dog Days "12) Zachary Gordon.	
32	DISN	32	(:55) Jessie /(:20) Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Dog Days "12) Zachary Gordon.	Famous in Love "The Goodbye Boy" (N)	Bring It On (2000, Comedy) Jesse Bradford, Eliza Dushku, Kirsten Dunst.	Getaway (2013, Action) Selena Gomez, Ethan Hawke.	Getaway (2013, Action) Selena Gomez, Ethan Hawke.	Partner Knows Best "Diaper Dash" (N)	Little Women: LA "Sober Celebration"	Post-game	MLB Baseball Oakland Athletics at Seattle Mariners		
34	FAM	34	** Zookeeper (2011, Comedy) Rosario Dawson, Leslie Bibb, Kevin James.	Famous in Love "The Goodbye Boy" (N)	Bring It On (2000, Comedy) Jesse Bradford, Eliza Dushku, Kirsten Dunst.	Getaway (2013, Action) Selena Gomez, Ethan Hawke.	Getaway (2013, Action) Selena Gomez, Ethan Hawke.	Partner Knows Best "Diaper Dash" (N)	Little Women: LA "Sober Celebration"	Post-game	MLB Baseball Oakland Athletics at Seattle Mariners		
35	FMC	35	(:55) ** 13 Going on 30 ('04) Mark Ruffalo, Jennifer Garner. (:45) FXM Presents	Lit. Women "Backstabbing Beauties" (N)	Little Women "Sober Celebration" (N)	Partner Knows Best "Diaper Dash" (N)	Little Women: LA "Sober Celebration"	Post-game	MLB Baseball Oakland Athletics at Seattle Mariners				
36	LIFE	36	Grey's A. "Blues for Sister Someone"	Women "Injections and Rejections"	Lit. Women "Backstabbing Beauties" (N)	Little Women "Sober Celebration" (N)	Partner Knows Best "Diaper Dash" (N)	Little Women: LA "Sober Celebration"	Post-game	MLB Baseball Oakland Athletics at Seattle Mariners			
38	ROOT	38	Mariners Access	MarinersPre-game	MLB Baseball Oakland Athletics at Seattle Mariners Site: Safeco Field - Seattle, Wash. (L)	TUF: 27 "Pressure Makes Diamonds" (N)	TUF Talk (N)	TMZ Sports (N)	TUF: 27 "Pressure Makes Diamonds"	TUF Talk	UFU Tonight		
39	FS1	39	Ultimate Fighter 27 "Fight or Flight"	TUF: 27 "Pressure Makes Diamonds" (N)	TUF Talk (N)	MLB Whiparound (L)	TMZ Sports (N)	TUF: 27 "Pressure Makes Diamonds"	TUF Talk	UFU Tonight			
43	SPIKE	43	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	** Happy Gilmore ('96, Com) Christopher McDonald, Julie Bowen, Adam Sandler.	Jack and Jill ('11, Com) Adam Sandler.	The Daily Show (N)	The Opposition (N)			
44	COM	44	South Park	South Park	South Park "Go God Go"	South Park	South Park	South Park	South Park	South Park	Amer. Pickers "Signs of Struggle"		
45	HIST	45	Amer. Pickers "Red Barn, Black Keys"	American Pickers "Concrete Jungle"	American Pickers "Pedal Pushers"	Amer. Pickers "Junkyard Treasures" (N)	(:05) A. Pickers "Cowzilla in Colorado"	(:05) Amer. Pickers "Signs of Struggle"	Flip Wars "Dirt to Dollars" (N)	(:05) Storage Wars	(:35) Storage Wars		
46	A&E	46	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars (N)	Skin "Ronnie, Michael and Renee" (N)	Sell It Like Serphant "In Big Tub-ble" (N)	Stick Shock "Calling All Cars"	Misfit Garage		
47	TLC	47	My 600-lb Life "Melissa Morris" 1/2	(:05) My 600-lb Life "Melissa Morris"	My 600-lb Life "One Ton Family: Part One" 1/2 (N)	Misfit Garage: Fired "The Story of FU"	Misfit Garage	America Inside Out "White Anxiety" (N)	AmericalsideOut "Your Brain on Tech"	NBA Basketball Playoffs			
48	DISC	48	Misfit Garage	Misfit Garage	Misfit Garage: Fired "The Story of FU"	Misfit Garage	America Inside Out "White Anxiety" (N)	AmericalsideOut "Your Brain on Tech"	NBA Basketball Playoffs				
49	NGEO	49	Border Wars "Fog of War"	Life and Death Row "The Oath"	Life and Death Row "Mercy"	Inside the NBA	NBA Basketball Playoffs						
50	TNT	50	(4:00) NBA Basketb. NBA Basketball Playoffs (L)	Fury (2014, War) Logan Lerman, Shia LaBeouf, Brad Pitt.	Captain America: The First Avenger (2011, Action) Hugo Weaving, Hayley Atwell, Chris Evans.	Iron Chef Gauntlet "Ingenuity"	Iron Chef Gauntlet "Adaptability" (N)	Colony "Maquis" (SP) (N)	Iron Chef USA "Morimoto vs. Forgione"	Captain America: The First Avenger			
51	AMC	51	(4:55) *** The Rock (1996, Action) Nicolas Cage, Ed Harris, Sean Connery.	*** Captain America: The First Avenger (2011, Action) Hugo Weaving, Hayley Atwell, Chris Evans.	Iron Chef Gauntlet "Ingenuity"	Iron Chef Gauntlet "Adaptability" (N)	Colony "Maquis" (SP) (N)	Iron Chef USA "Morimoto vs. Forgione"	Captain America: "Flay vs. Wexler"				
52	USA	52	(5:30) Law&O: SVU   Law & Order: S.V.U. "Conned"	Iron Chef: Behind the Battle	Iron Chef Gauntlet "Ingenuity"	Iron Chef Gauntlet "Adaptability" (N)	Colony "Maquis" (SP) (N)	Iron Chef USA "Morimoto vs. Forgione"	Captain America: "Flay vs. Wexler"				
53	FOOD	53	Iron Chef: Behind "Battle Paiche"	Iron Chef: Behind the Battle	Iron Chef Gauntlet "Ingenuity"	Iron Chef Gauntlet "Adaptability" (N)	Colony "Maquis" (SP) (N)	Iron Chef USA "Morimoto vs. Forgione"	Captain America: "Flay vs. Wexler"				
54	HGTV	54	Buying "A Bidding War of Their Own"	Buying & Selling "Lesson in Location"	Property "Collaboration and Teamwork"	Property "Mistress of Her Domain" (N)	House Hunters (N)	House Hunters (N)	Boise Boys (N)				
56	FX	56	(4:30) Guardians of the Galaxy	*** Spectre (2015, Action) Christoph Waltz, Lea Seydoux, Daniel Craig.	Anderson Cooper 360	Anderson Cooper 360	The Americans "Riff" (N)	CNN Tonight With Don Lemon	The Inghram Angle				
57	CNN	57	Anderson Cooper 360	CNN Tonight With Don Lemon	CNN Tonight With Don Lemon	Anderson Cooper 360	The Americans "Riff" (N)	CNN Tonight With Don Lemon	The Inghram Angle				
58	FNC	58	Hannity	The Inghram Angle	Fox News @ Night	Tucker Carlson Tonight	Hannity	The Inghram Angle					
61	CNBC	61	Shark Tank	Staten Island Hustle "The Herbidor" (N)	Shark Tank	Shark Tank	Staten Island Hustle "The Herbidor"	Paid Program					
63	BRAV	63	Housewives "Running Your Mouth"	Housewives "Til Brunch Do Us Part"	The Real Housewives "War and P.O.S."	The Real Housewives "Tea for Tat" (N)	Lady ("41, Com) Lew Ayres, Ann Sothern.	*** Maisie Was a	Lady ("41, Com) Lew Ayres, Ann Sothern.	Men in Black (1997, Sci-Fi) Will Smith.			
64	TCM	64	(5:00) Maisie ('39) *** Congo Maisie ('40, Comedy) John Carroll, Ann Sothern.	*** Men in Black II (2002, Sci-Fi) Tommy Lee Jones, Lara Flynn Boyle, Will Smith.	The Expanse "Reload" (N)	Krypton "Transformation" (N)	Dude Ranch	Cowboy Moments	Product Showcase				
65	SYFY	65	(5:00) Men in Black ('97) Will Smith.	WesternSport	Equestrian Nation	Total Team Roping/Rural Eve. News	WesternSport	Cowboy TV	Dude Ranch	Cowboy Moments	Product Showcase		
162	RFD	162	Dude Ranch	Cowboy Moments	WesternSport	Equestrian Nation	Total Team Roping/Rural Eve. News	WesternSport	Cowboy TV	Dude Ranch	Cowboy Moments	Product Showcase	

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