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When people asked to reallocate funds from Police in Hamilton in June 2020, this happened. My view, the issue of resisting changes to police budget is far more systemic than people think. They invested in fighting it. @samnabi @ReallocateW @OfAcb @570NEWS

Stephen Harper invested in prisons. Corruption, collusion and bid rigging involved Richard Bird of Enbridge. He owns Bird Construction Inc. He builds court houses, prisons, opp and RCMP detachments. https://t.co/ZA3LcypCMS

Enbridge has been fiscally donating to police for a long time.
https://t.co/XNfCWWShfR

Police and fire department as first responders have judicial power to decide when to call the MNR spills action centre when accidents happen. I know this from a spill I witnessed in the Humber River. Police and oil are too close and conflicts exist.

The Ontario Ministry of the Environment's failure to charge Imperial Oil signals that "the minister's promise to police industry and enforce existing environmental laws is an empty one." - @ecojustice_ca scientist Elaine MacDonald
https://t.co/p2qBSrSlLl #onpoli

Ontario Police neglect to investigate recent rail disaster between CN and Canadian Pacific Railway resulting in derailment, crude oil spills, and death. CBC also found too there has been other railway crashes that have been left uninvestigated.
https://t.co/6RW2mZL4sN
#DLC_Law30

Conflicts exist but they don't have to if people are willing to ask for changes. We need to simply understand the current system and make our voices heard. I don't blame our local politicians. I blame the system they are captured in rooted to Provincial governance.

Many communities are experiencing the same issues. With collaboration we can share our experiences, learn from them and work to advance the reforms we need to see.
https://t.co/PWl5GUe1VM

https://t.co/KnBy6bszIM

> To our community- On January 14, 2021, the last meeting on the proposed Waterloo Region Police Service budget saw a level of public engagement that was \u2014 in Councillor Sean Strickland\u2019s own words \u2014 \u201cunprecedented.\u201d Please read our official statement @RegionWaterloo We must listen pic.twitter.com/wNJGiChkLW
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> — ReallocateWR (@ReallocateW) January 15, 2021

https://t.co/o1qT6RnA76

> If you're wondering if there's widespread support for funding upstream services to create a safer community for all, in support of @ReallocateW -take a moment to read the 40+ pages of letters in support of these actions written by so many #WRawesome folks! https://t.co/1MejCDcelv
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> — Melissa Bowman (@m2bowman) January 15, 2021

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