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## Good Faith, Bad Faith: A Legal View

“Bad Faith is an issue which every insurer needs to consider. From training of personnel through litigation strategy, acting with the utmost of Good Faith should always guide how every claim is handled. Not doing so means we failed ourselves and those who place their trust in us.”

— Matthew J. Smith, co-author of Good Faith/Bad Faith: A Legal Review

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San Francisco Supervisor David Campos plans to call for a hearing to look into why the city’s Fire Department still faces a backlog of hundreds of incomplete investigations.

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### Neenah man enters plea in Oshkosh arson case

A search of GPS data from Neumann's vehicle showed it traveled to the building the night of the fire, according to the complaint.

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There’s been an unusual twist in the tale of Precious the pit

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bull from Prince George's County, who stood guard over her injured owner after a house fire in the Landover Hills area.

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