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## Today on Climate Beat . . .

. . . we took up arms, reporting that several dozen House Republicans joined a unified Democratic caucus to retain a provision in an annual defense authorization bill calling climate change a “direct threat” to national security and requiring the Defense Department to conduct a study of a range of climate risks.

Out West, two former top Obama EPA officials are endorsing a proposal to extend California's cap-and-trade program through 2030, arguing the move would be “a critical leap forward for our country.”

We also highlighted some must-read stories from the past week, including news on California's cap-and-trade debate, fallout from the court ruling scrapping EPA's pause of its oil and gas methane rule, as well as the budget, climate science, carbon capture and state climate action.

And our daily news roundup looked at how the Trump administration hopes to use its seat on the board of the Green Climate Fund to advance “high-efficiency” coal plants and other fossil fuel development abroad.

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