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**Weiner Team Top Op-Eds Big Beautiful Bill, Mamdani, Birth Rates, Nuclear Freeze, Federal Cuts, Anti-Western Alliance, Claude Pepper, More & TV-Radio**

**WASHINGTON, D.C.** — Over the past two months, Robert Weiner and co-writers from RWA and the Solutions for Change Foundation have had op-eds featured prominently across national media. Their commentaries have appeared in leading publications, including The PuLSE Institute, International Policy Digest, Daily Hampshire Gazette, Orlando Sentinel, Missouri Independent, and OpEd News, where multiple pieces ranked H1, H2, H4, and H5 among the nation's top op-eds. In addition, Weiner has provided live studio analysis on major broadcast outlets such as GB News TV-Radio (UK) and Talk TV, as well as Main Street Radio in U.S., offering insights on U.S. politics, foreign policy, healthcare, and global security.

The Weiner group has written on issues ranging from poverty and Social Security to housing affordability, international alliances, reproductive policy, nuclear arms, fact-checking in journalism, federal health research cuts, and NASA funding. Their work has addressed both domestic and global challenges, arguing for fairness, accountability, and bipartisan solutions.

**Recent Op-Eds**

On September 17, 2025, Robert Weiner and Katherine White published, "Claude Pepper's 125th Birthday -- Need His Courage Now On Social Security, Health Care, the Vulnerable," in *OpEd News*. Pepper's legacy remains a powerful reminder of courage and service. He fought to end mandatory retirement, curb elder abuse, expand nursing home protections, and advance equal rights for women and Black Americans. From supporting FDR's Lend-Lease Act to forging the 1983 Social Security deal with President Reagan and Speaker O'Neill, his leadership shaped some of the most enduring programs in American history, and his principled, bipartisan courage offers vital lessons for today's leaders. See for *OpEd News*: [https://www.opednews.com/populum/page.php?p=1&f=Claude-Pepper-s-125th-Birt-Congress\\_Congressional-Ethics\\_Healthcare\\_Healthcare-Reform-250917-737.html](https://www.opednews.com/populum/page.php?p=1&f=Claude-Pepper-s-125th-Birt-Congress_Congressional-Ethics_Healthcare_Healthcare-Reform-250917-737.html)

On September 8, 2025, Robert Weiner and Ingrid Lang published a piece in *The PuLSE Institute* titled, "Mamdani's Message: America's Largest City Can Be Affordable." It was subsequently reprinted in *OpEd News* and earned the H1 ranking (number one op-ed in the country by OpEd News) when published. In the article, Weiner and Lang highlight State Assemblyman Zohran Mamdani's proposals for making housing more accessible and argue that America's largest cities can implement policies to ensure affordability for working families. See for *PuLSE Institute*: <https://thepulseinstitute.org/2025/09/08/mamdanis-message-americas-largest-city-can-be-affordable/>

On September 5, 2025, Robert Weiner and Hallvard Misje published a piece in *International Policy Digest* titled, "Putin, Xi and Kim Are United. Can the West Be?" The article was reprinted in *OpEd News* soon after. Weiner and Misje analyze the growing anti-Western alignment between Russia, China, and North Korea, warning that the United States and its allies must show greater cohesion to counter authoritarian influence worldwide. See for *International Policy Digest*: <https://intpolicydigest.org/putin-xi-and-kim-are-united-can-the-west-be/>

On September 3, 2025, Robert Weiner and Charles Rutledge published a piece in *OpEd News* titled, “Progressives Have a Winning Hand in the Birthrate Debate: Republican Pro-Natalism Doesn’t Cut It.” The article was ranked H5 (the fifth lead op-ed nationwide on the publish date). In it, Weiner and Rutledge contend that progressive policies — such as childcare, healthcare, and parental support — provide far more effective solutions to declining birthrates than conservative calls for pro-natalist ideology. See for *OpEd News*: [https://www.opednews.com/populum/page.php?f=Progressives-Have-a-Winnin-Abortion\\_CHILDRENS-HEALTH-CARE\\_Childcare\\_Children-250903-460.html](https://www.opednews.com/populum/page.php?f=Progressives-Have-a-Winnin-Abortion_CHILDRENS-HEALTH-CARE_Childcare_Children-250903-460.html)

On September 1, 2025, Robert Weiner and Jenny Zhao published a piece in the *Daily Hampshire Gazette* titled, “The World Needs Another Nuclear Freeze Movement.” It was reprinted in *OpEd News* on September 4 as H5. In the article, Weiner and Zhao argue for the revival of a nuclear freeze campaign, warning that renewed arms races threaten global security and peace. See for *Daily Hampshire Gazette*: <https://gazettenet.com/2025/09/01/guest-columnists-robert-weiner-and-jenny-zhao-the-world-needs-another-nuclear-freeze-movement/>

On August 22, 2025, Robert Weiner and Jenny Zhao published a piece in *OpEd News* titled, “Clooney Makes Murrow Point Clear: Truth Negotiable Without Fact-Checking.” It was ranked H4 in op-ed news (the fifth lead op-ed nationwide). They emphasize the importance of rigorous fact-checking in journalism, echoing George Clooney’s warning that truth becomes negotiable when media outlets abandon verification standards. See for *OpEd News*: [https://www.opednews.com/populum/page.php?f=Clooney-Makes-Murrow-Point-Citizens\\_Donald-Trump-Lies\\_Journalist\\_Media-250822-969.html#google\\_vignette](https://www.opednews.com/populum/page.php?f=Clooney-Makes-Murrow-Point-Citizens_Donald-Trump-Lies_Journalist_Media-250822-969.html#google_vignette)

On August 6, 2025, Robert Weiner and Coby Rinke published a piece in the *Missouri Independent* titled, “Federal Cuts to Health-Care Research and Quality Agency Make Missouri Hospitals Less Safe.” The article criticizes federal funding cuts to the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, warning that such reductions undermine patient safety and hospital effectiveness in Missouri and across the country. See for the *Missouri Independent*: <https://missouriindependent.com/2025/08/06/federal-cuts-to-health-care-research-and-quality-agency-make-missouri-hospitals-less-safe/>

On August 10, 2025, Robert Weiner and Coby Rinke published a piece in the *Orlando Sentinel* titled, “If Congress Wants to Win the Space Race, It Must Protect NASA Funding.” It was subsequently reprinted in *OpEd News*. In the article, Weiner and Rinke argue that reducing NASA’s budget will jeopardize America’s leadership in space exploration and open the door for foreign competitors to dominate future missions. See for *Orlando Sentinel*: <https://www.orlandosentinel.com/2025/08/10/commentary-if-congress-wants-to-win-the-space-race-it-must-protect-nasa-funding/>

On August 8, 2025, Robert Weiner and Charles Rutledge published a piece in *OpEd News* titled, “Supreme Court Picks State Govt Over People, Threatening Healthcare in Eastern Kentucky and Nation; State Protections Now.” The piece was ranked H2 (the number two op-ed nationwide). The authors contend that recent Supreme Court decisions privileging state governments over individual rights undermine healthcare protections and risk leaving vulnerable populations without adequate access to care. See for *OpEd News*: [https://www.opednews.com/populum/page.php?f=Supreme-Court-Picks-State-Freedoms\\_Health\\_Healthcare-Costs\\_Healthcare-Crisis-250802-666.html](https://www.opednews.com/populum/page.php?f=Supreme-Court-Picks-State-Freedoms_Health_Healthcare-Costs_Healthcare-Crisis-250802-666.html)

On July 19, 2025, Robert Weiner and Charles Rutledge published a piece in the *Rutland Online Herald (NH)* titled, “Social Security Cuts Would Decimate Vermonters: Program Deserves Fixing, Not Fear Mongering.” It was reprinted in *OpEd News* as H2 (the number two op-ed nationwide). In the article, Weiner and Rutledge argue that proposed Social Security reductions would harm retirees and working-class Americans, and they urge policymakers to strengthen rather than weaken the program. See for the *Rutland Online Herald*: [https://www.rutlandherald.com/opinion/perspective/weiner-rutledge-social-security-cuts/article\\_f6920b59-e4b9-4092-b546-cce4b7ec3c2f.html](https://www.rutlandherald.com/opinion/perspective/weiner-rutledge-social-security-cuts/article_f6920b59-e4b9-4092-b546-cce4b7ec3c2f.html)

On July 14, 2025, Robert Weiner and Bayley Sandler published a piece in *The PuLSE Institute* titled, “Big Beautiful Bill’ Ignores and Worsens Poverty in Detroit and America.” It was reprinted in OpEd News. In the article, Weiner and Sandler critique a legislative proposal they argue exacerbates poverty rather than alleviating it, calling for policies that address systemic inequality in Detroit and across the nation. See for *The PuLSE Institute*: <https://thepulseinstitute.org/2025/07/08/big-beautiful-bill-ignores-and-worsens-poverty-in-detroit-and-america/>

For our July 2025 press release, visit: <https://www.weinerpublic.com/20250703.pdf>

For a complete list of Weiner Public News op-eds, visit: [www.weinerpublic.com/opeds](http://www.weinerpublic.com/opeds)

### **Recent Radio-TV Appearances**

On September 20, 2025, Robert Weiner appeared live on GB News TV-Radio with host Alex Armstrong and editor James Liney to discuss current U.S. national politics and key policy issues. Watch here: [https://archive.org/details/GBN\\_20250920\\_220000\\_New](https://archive.org/details/GBN_20250920_220000_New)

On September 7, 2025, Robert Weiner appeared live on *GB News* with host Alex Armstrong and editor James Liney for an interview on U.S. national politics and current issues. Watch here: <https://www.weinerpublic.com/20250910.mp4>

On August 30, 2025, Weiner was interviewed live on *GB News* (Great Britain News) by host Alex Armstrong on the ruling that most of former President Trump’s tariffs exceeded presidential authority. Watch here: <https://www.weinerpublic.com/20250830.mp4>

On August 23, 2025, Robert Weiner joined *GB News* for a live interview with host Ben Leo and producer James Liney, discussing contemporary U.S. political developments. Watch here: <https://www.weinerpublic.com/20250823.mp4>

On August 5, 2025, Robert Weiner was interviewed by Peter Cardwell on *Talk TV Drivetime*, with producer Jodi McGowan, addressing Jeffrey Epstein. Watch here: <https://www.weinerpublic.com/20250805.mp4>

For a complete list of all Radio-TV appearances by Robert Weiner, visit: <https://www.weinerpublic.com/radio.php>

### **About Weiner Public News**

Robert Weiner is the former White House spokesman for the White House Office of National Drug Control Policy and has served as senior staff to Cong. Claude Pepper, Ed Koch, Charles Rangel, John Conyers, Senator Ted Kennedy, and Drug Czar/Four-Star General Barry McCaffrey. He received the National Press Club President’s Award for creating and directing a program that has co-authored over 1,000 op-eds in major media by Bob and emerging young journalists.

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