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11/9/2022 5:44 PM News Spot public safety 11-9 Nicole Preps CCs Florida is raining today [Wednesday] to prepare for another hurricane just six weeks after Ian plowed across the state.

11/9/2022 5:44 PM News Spot public safety 11-9 North Port Storm CC As Tropical Storm Nicole approaches Florida, residents in North Port are preparing for more rain while still recovering from flooding caused by Hurricane Ian.

11/10/2022 5:44 PM feature politics 11-9 DeSantis Crist PIN Both men held election night events in the area Tuesday -- with DeSantis in Tampa and Crist in St. Petersburg.
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Polk County voters passed a property tax dedicated to purchasing and preserving land for conservation.

Amendment one was an effort to incentivize homeowners to storm-proof their homes by having their
improvements excluded from property tax considerations.... but as Nathaniel Wilson reports, it failed to
garner the necessary 60 percent approval to pass.

Some say it is an extension of the will of voters, others believe it is a too-powerful tool exposing the state to
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There was a lot of rain and wind today [Thursday] from Tropical Storm Nicole, but the city of Tampa reports little damage. Steve Newborn

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Republican U.S. Senator Ben Sasse [sass] was confirmed Wednesday as the next president of the University of Florida.

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Hoping to protect manatees as they congregate this winter, state wildlife officials [Tuesday] issued an emergency rule that will temporarily prevent boating in an area of the Indian River Lagoon near a Florida Power and Light power plant.

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