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Obama's dog choice makes splash in Britain; PWDs play role in genetics research; other news.

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Obama's Dog Choice Makes Splash in Britain

President Barack Obama's choice of a Portuguese Water Dog has triggered a surge of interest in the pedigree in Britain, famously mad about canines, according to figures released Tuesday, Agence France-Presse reports.

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Portuguese Water Dogs Play Key Role in Genetics Research

The Obamas' puppy comes from the most studied breed in the world, the Los Angeles Times reports.

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Dog-Loving CEOs Have a Few Tips for the Obamas and Bo

CEOs offer the Obamas some dog advice, and it often begins with the word "never," USA Today reports.

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Workers at a Chinese safari park say a dog is serving as a wet nurse to four tiger cubs whose mother neglected their needs, United Press International reports.

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Of the nation's 30 biggest cities, only Indianapolis doesn't require canine licenses, the Indianapolis Star reports.

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