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- [The Boehner Plan vs. the Reid Plan](#) - Derek Thompson, The Atlantic
- [Did the Tea Party Give Boehner an Opening?](#) - Seth Mandel, Contentions
- [Will House Dems Vote for Boehner Plan?](#) - Greg Sargent, Plum Line
- [The Boehner Deal and Government Shutdown](#) - James Antle, AmSpec
- [The Freshman Problem](#) - Paul Waldman, TAPPED
- [ATF Official: I Told White House About Fast and Furious](#) - Ed Morrissey, Hot Air
- [Al Sharpton, MSNBC and Journalistic Standards](#) - Glenn Greenwald, Salon

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- [Boehner Plan Doesn't Cut Spending](#) - Chris Edwards, @Liberty
- [Will Boehner 2.0 Launch?](#) - Hugh Hewitt, Townhall
- [More Phantom Cuts in the Reid Budget?](#) - Jonathan Tobin, Contentions
- [Reid Plan Wins the Austerity Sweepstakes](#) - Adam Serwer, Plum Line
- [The Danger of Default](#) - Massimo Calabresi, Swampland
- [Political Theater Masking the Real Problem](#) - Bruce McQuain, Q&O
- [A Tale of Two Speeches](#) - Erik Tarloff, The Atlantic
- [The Leadership Primary](#) - Jennifer Rubin, Right Turn
- [Battleground States Looking Grim for Obama?](#) - Ed Morrissey, Hot Air
- [Raising Medicare Age Won't Save Money](#) - Joan McCarter, Daily Kos