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FEATURED STORY FOR OCTOBER 24, 2018

Groceries, Tampons, Tobacco: Voters Get to Decide What's Taxed

Several states have ballot measures regarding what products are taxable -- and by how much. PLUS:

- **November's Most Important Ballot Measures**

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7.3 deaths

Maternal mortality rate for every 100,000 live births in California in 2013, which is down 55 percent from 16.9 in 2006. During the same period, the U.S. rate rose from 13.3 to 22, ranking it near Afghanistan, Lesotho and Swaziland.

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