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# THE GEORGE-ANNE DAILY



**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17, 2020**

Welcome to a special edition of The George-Anne Daily newsletter, our newsletter running from now until the January 5 senate runoffs. We'll be keeping you up-to-date on COVID-19, politics and other important issues *you* care about. Thank you for your present and future readership!

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### **FDA Panel Recommends Moderna's COVID-19 Vaccine For Emergency Use (NPR)**

In a 20-0 vote, with 1 abstention, a panel of advisers to the Food and Drug Administration recommended that the COVID-19 vaccine being developed by Moderna be authorized for emergency use in adults during the pandemic.



### **Early voting changes in Georgia counties are suppressing turnout, advocates warn (NBC News)**

More than dozen groups publicly appealed to elections officials in Cobb and Hall counties this week while The New Georgia Project, a nonpartisan organization devoted to voter registration efforts and promoting civic engagement, took legal action over early voting issues in four other counties.



### **How Georgia is driving Congress toward a stimulus deal (Politico)**

After battling into a stalemate on multiple fronts before the November election, Democrats and Republicans have decided a series of expiring deadlines combined with a brutal battle for the Senate majority make this the moment to back away from their partisan corners and take what they can get.



### **Congress scrambles to finalize Covid relief, avoid shutdown as deadline draws near (CNBC)**

Congressional leaders say they are close to finalizing a \$900 billion plan that would include small business aid, direct payments and a federal unemployment supplement.

