

# **THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN GM AND TOYOTA: THE HEALTH CARE**

China Hand argues that the biggest difference between GM and Toyota is the health care.

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# **PLAYING CHESS WITH THE CHINESE**

As I suggested would happen, SAIC is contemplating buying GM.

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# **SHORTER MITT: LET THE AUTO RETIREES STARVE!!!**

Mitt wants to force the auto companies into bankruptcy—and offers a whole lot of ignorant justifications for doing so.

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# **LIVE BLOG OF AUTO HEARINGS: SENATE**

# **BANKING COMMITTEE**

Chris Dodd's committee invites the Big Two and a Half and UAW to visit.

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## **MITCH MCCONNELL'S UNDISCLOSED LOCATION**

Why is Mitch McConnell hiding from the debate about the auto bailout?

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## **THE AUTO BRIDGE PLAN**

Here's what Barney Frank's Financial Services Committee is proposing to bail out the US auto manufacturers, using money from TARP. Short-term Operating Plan – The automaker must submit a short-term operating plan that describes the intended use of the loans, including the commitment of resources to develop a long-term restructuring plan and repayment of the

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## **T. BOONE OR NOT T. BOONE**

We have had quite the go lately here at the FDL Borg Hive over the automaker bailout and, more specifically, the most pressing of which is GM. For the moment though, I want to touch on a corollary to the future of the American auto industry, and that is the transition to clean and green that needs to occur for long term

sustainability of Deetroit wheels.