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Divide in Concord

Kaczor, Kris. *Divide in Concord*. Brooklyn: 750 Productions, 2014. HD, 82 min.
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Divide in Concord is a feature-length documentary that follows the entertaining tale of banning bottled water in small town America. In 1775, Concord patriots fired the infamous “shot heard round the world” that began a Revolution and defined a nation. Now a local eighty-four year-old woman has waged another seemingly unwinnable battle. For three years Jean Hill has been trying to rid the town of single-serve plastic bottles of water. Complete with strong opposition from local merchants and the bottled water industry, Jean is once again leading the controversial crusade.

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Related links:

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- "The Story of Bottled Water" (Video)
<http://storyofstuff.org/movies/story-of-bottled-water/>
- Tapped (Film Profile)
<https://www.environmentandsociety.org/mml/tapped>

Websites linked in this text:

- <http://divideinconcord.com/about-the-film/>
- <http://www.carsoncenter.uni-muenchen.de/index.html>
- <https://www.environmentandsociety.org/multimedia/collection/environmental-films-project>