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JBS CEO Art Thompson's weekly news video update for April 7 - 13, 2014.

In this week's analysis behind the news video, JBS CEO Art Thompson discusses how a total of 34 states have applied to Congress over the past 50 years or so to call an Article V convention for proposing a Balanced Budget Amendment (BBA), but that twelve of these states have rescinded (taken back) their applications leaving a total of just 22 "live" BBA Article V convention applications (34 states are required for Congress to call such a convention); and how FOX News' special show, "Surrendering America," regarding four areas of concern (1. reduction of the army to pre-WWII levels; 2. surrender of control of the Internet; 3. abandonment of America's space program; and 4. failure to fully exploit the nation's energy resources) was inadequate.