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Embattled Environmental Protection Agency chief [Scott Pruitt has resigned](#) after months of scandals regarding his spending habits and management decisions, which led to a series of federal probes.

**The big picture:** Despite his questionable behavior, Pruitt continued to have support from the president. But, as Axios' Jonathan Swan reported [at the beginning of May](#), that support was wavering as the negative coverage piled on, and everyone else in the White House wanted Pruitt out.

*Pruitt's laundry list of scandals:*