

## 《言而无信？特朗普搁置为建造边境墙筹备资金的计划！》

导读:特朗普总统在竞选期间就反复强调他将建造墨西哥边境墙，但他执政已百天，对此仍没有什么具体实际的措施。他将如何回应媒体的质疑？这堵墙的命运又会如何？

### US-Mexico border fence

650 miles of existing fencing separates the US from Mexico



Donald Trump has indicated he will scrap plans to find cash for his border wall in this week's spending bill.

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The president's close adviser, Kellyanne Conway, said funding for the wall would be left out of a budget measure that must pass by Friday.

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Building the wall, paid for by Mexico, was a key campaign promise.

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Democrats had threatened to block the bill if money was earmarked for the wall, so its omission may now avert a government shutdown.

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But the president insisted on Twitter that he still supported the wall and that it would be built.

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He reportedly told a private meeting with members of the conservative media on Monday night that he might be open to funding the wall later in the year.

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And Ms Conway confirmed to Fox News that the wall does not need to be funded this week, but remains a "very important priority".

Conway??

It was the centrepiece of the Trump election campaign. There was going to be a border wall, and at every rally he would shout out: "And who's going to pay for it?" And the crowd would roar back: "Mexico!" Except the Mexican government made clear there was no way it was going to fund it.

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So when President Trump moved into the White House, he said that - initially - it might require US taxpayers to fund its construction, but the money would be clawed back from Mexico at a later stage.

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Now with the president approaching his 100th day in office, he's come across another rock solid wall - the one presented by Democratic senators in opposition to his proposals.

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They are able to block the spending proposals, and so the White House budget director will have to rewrite his plans - minus the funding for the border wall.

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The president tweeted this morning: "Don't let the fake media tell you that I have changed my position on the WALL. It will get built and help stop drugs, human trafficking etc."

