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## Iran questions U.S. commitment to peace

### Tehran decries Israel's attacks on Lebanon

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REUTERS

DUBAI – Iran's top negotiator questioned the United States' commitment to peace efforts after Israel carried out new attacks on Lebanon, dimming prospects of Tehran and Washington signing a framework agreement on June 14 on ending their war.

President Donald Trump and mediator Pakistan said on June 13 that they expected the deal would be signed the

next day, but Tehran cast doubt over the timing and hard-line protesters in Iran voiced opposition.

Qatari negotiators flew to Tehran on the morning of June 14 as part of an effort to finalize the agreement, a source with knowledge of the situation told Reuters.

But Iranian negotiator Mohammad Bagher Ghalibaf said Israel's June 14 attack on the southern suburbs of Beirut, which Israel said targeted Iranian-backed Hezbollah militants, showed the United States lacked the will or ability to

fulfill its commitments.

"If you lack the will and ability to fulfill your commitments, speaking of continuing the path is not possible," he wrote on X, in an apparent reference to peace moves.

Mohammad Jafar Assadi, deputy commander of Iran's top joint military command, was quoted by state media as saying Israeli "crimes" in Beirut's southern suburbs would not go unanswered.

### Strikes on Lebanon

The U.S.-Israeli war on Iran, launched on Feb. 28, has stoked conflict

between Israel and Iran-aligned Hezbollah in Lebanon, and Israel has said it is not party to the planned U.S.-Iran deal.

The Israeli military said on June 14 that Hezbollah had launched three projectiles toward communities in northern Israel in violation of a ceasefire in Lebanon.

Israel then fired at what it called Hezbollah targets in the Dahiyeh neighborhood of Beirut in an attack that Lebanon's civil defense said killed three people.

Fox News quoted an unidentified

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Moorpark High School graduates in the class of 2026 throw their caps into the air in celebration during commencement in the campus stadium June 11. DOMINIC MASSIMINO/THE STAR

## Affordable condos in Camarillo sat empty for 6 months

**Tony Biasotti**

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Alexis Davila thought she'd move into her dream home by Christmas.

Nearly six months later, she's still waiting. Her home – a condominium unit in Camarillo build by Habitat for Humanity of Ventura County – sits empty, while Davila and her 20-year-old daughter share a bedroom in her brother's house in Oxnard.

"I am very frustrated," said Davila, a schoolteacher in Oxnard. "We have not moved into our home yet because of regulations and bureaucracy."

There's now an end in sight, and Davila and the other new homeowners at the Vista Campanario complex should be able to move in soon.

The delay was due to problems setting up the homeowners association for the property, which will own and maintain common areas like sewer lines, streets and parking lots.

Habitat isn't accustomed to setting

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## Pomp and circumstance

### Graduations in east and west Ventura County conclude

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Graduation season comes to an end.

Moorkpark High, Nordhoff High in Ojai and Westlake High in Thousand Oaks celebrated their classes of 2026. The ceremonies also mark the end of an era from east to west Ventura County.

See pages 2A and 3A for more on their commencements. Visit [vcstar.com](https://vcstar.com) to view galleries of the graduations.



Abby Duclos, from left, Emily Schurmer and Irene Quakenbush sing "Super Trouper" at Nordhoff High School's graduation in Ojai on June 11. TOM KISKEN/THE STAR



Baillie Stuart forms a heart with her hands during Westlake High School's Class of 2026 commencement ceremony on June 11. JUAN CARLO/THE STAR

## Anthropic disables top-tier AI models

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REUTERS

Anthropic said on June 12 that it will "abruptly disable" its most advanced AI models for all users after the U.S. government ordered it to suspend access to the models for foreign nationals, citing national security concerns.

The company received the export control directive to suspend access to Fable 5 and Mythos 5 for all foreign nationals, without being given specific details of its national security concern, Anthropic said in a statement.

It is Anthropic's understanding that the government believes there is a method of bypassing, or "jailbreaking," a safeguard that would prevent Fable 5 from being used in identifying software vulnerabilities, the company said.

The order comes just as a previous

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