Incident Briefing

Incident Name
 POTUS COVID-19 Town
 Hall

2. Date Prepared

3. Time Prepared

5/1/2020

1200 hours

4. Operational Period (Date and Time) and Participation (number of people)

5/3/2020

0400-2400 hours

Less than 50

5. Incident Objectives

To safeguard and protect human life

To safeguard and protect Park resources, both natural and cultural

To maintain law and order throughout NPS areas throughout the duration of this operational period

To safeguard and protect agency personnel

6. Additional Information for Incident

Site Agent: Special Agent

Purpose: FOX News Channel (FNC) will host a two-hour virtual town hall with President Donald Trump on Sunday, May 3rd from 7-9 PM/ET. The town hall will be presented in front of a virtual audience, where participants will raise their questions about the phased re-opening of the country to President Trump. Viewers will be able to submit their questions ahead of the May 3rd special to FNC's social media accounts on Twitter, Facebook and Instagram for a chance to appear in the national broadcast.

Weather: A chance of showers, with thunderstorms also possible after 2pm. Mostly cloudy, with a high near 76. Southwest wind 3 to 7 mph. Chance of precipitation is 50%. Sunday night, showers likely and possibly a thunderstorm before 2am, then a chance of showers. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 55. Chance of precipitation is 70%. - NWS as of 5/1/20 @1307 hrs

7. Timeline

0400 hrs: Henry Bacon Dr. 23rd St between LMC and Independence Ave, and Daniel French Dr are closed

1200 hrs: Main USPP detail reports for assignment.

1200 hrs: Road closures extend west to restrict vehicular traffic west of 17th St.

1300 hrs: USPP officers on post and secure area.

1400 hrs: USSS security sweeps begin.

1700 hrs: Second wave of USPP detail arrives.

1700 hrs: Road closures extend to 15th St.

1700 hrs: USSS security sweeps conclude.

1900 hrs: POTUS arrival. Virtual town hall begins.

2100 hrs: Virtual town hall concludes. POTUS departure. Administration interviews begin.

2200 hrs: Virtual town hall ends. USPP detail demobilized.

Mobile Command: Lincoln Memorial Circle ramp to Ohio Drive

Road Closures:

0400 hrs:

Henry Bacon Dr between Constitution Ave and LMC

0600 hrs:

23rd St between Lincoln Memorial Cir and Independence Ave SW

Daniel French Dr between Lincoln Memorial Cir and Independence Ave SW

Ohio Dr between Independence Ave and Inlet Bridge SW

West Basin Dr between Independence Ave and Ohio Dr SW

1200 hrs:

Rock Creek Pkwy between Virginia Ave NW and Independence Ave SW

Memorial Bridge

Parkway Dr between Rock Creek Pkwy and Lincoln Memorial Cir NW

23rd St between Constitution Ave and Lincoln Memorial Cir NW

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17th St between Constitution Ave NW and Independence Ave SW (south-bound only)

Potomac River Freeway

Independence Ave between 17 St and 23rd St

1700 hrs:

Independence Ave between 15th St and 23rd

Maine Ave between 15th St and Independence Ave SW

17th St between Constitution Ave NW and Independence Ave SW

Communications: USPP Digitial Admin. A dispatcher has been assigned to this incident.

EOD: USSS and USPP will coordinate EDD sweeps. Two USPP EDD teams are available for response.

Medical: HHS medical support will be imbedded with USPP SWAT with the primary purpose of providing aid to LE assets. DCFEMS will have liaison on Mobile Command

USSS Tactical:

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Plainclothes Assets:

PPE: All Force employees shall adhere to the ROE for use of PPE (dated 3/25/2020) and the associated ROE, Amendment # 1 – Extended Use of Issued Masks (dated 4/10/2020)

LE Parking: If reporting in a POV, USPP personnel shall park in the following locations:

Zone A:

Zone B:

Zone C:

Zone D:

8. Intelligence Report

While currently there are no known active threats against the Washington Metropolitan Area (WMA), the overall threat picture for the area remains unstable. During 'normal times', the WMA remains a highly valued target due to the area's iconic landmarks of national and historic significance. However, these are not 'normal times.' The COVID-19 pandemic continues to impact every member of society, raising stress and anxiety levels of individuals throughout the nation. The U.S. Park Police Intelligence and Counterterrorism Branch (ICTB) has noted a rise in social media postings calling for individuals to take action against multiple perceived injustices being forced onto people due to the pandemic. Calls for action are being voiced by individuals and groups that self-identify as originating from all sides of the political and social landscape.

9. Attachments See Special Detail, Staffing Map		10. Personnel Assigned	
		Special Attention:	
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