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United States Department of the Interior

NATIONAL PARK SERVICE
Interior Region 1- National Capital Area
1100 Ohio Drive, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20242

IN REPLY REFER TO:

FOIA 2020-01085

August 11, 2020

Subject: Response to Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Request
National Park Service (NPS) Gettysburg National Military Park

The National Park Service received your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request, dated July 20, 2020, on July 21, 2020 and assigned it control number 2020-01085. Please cite this number in any future communications with our office regarding your request.

In your July 20, 2020 message you stated that you sought "A copy of each law enforcement incident report at Gettysburg National Military Park from July 4, 2020."

We have classified you as an "other-use" requester. As such, we may charge you for some of our search and duplication costs, but we will not charge you for our review costs; you are also entitled to up to 2 hours of search time and 100 pages of photocopies (or an equivalent volume) for free. See 43 C.F.R. § 2.39. If, after taking into consideration your fee category entitlements, our processing costs are less than \$50.00, we will not bill you because the cost of collection would be greater than the fee collected. See 43 C.F.R. § 2.37(g). Therefore, there will be no charge for the information, as the processing costs are less than \$50.00.

We are writing to respond to your request.

We have enclosed a **total of 25 pages** which are being released to you in part. Portions of these materials are being withheld under the following FOIA Exemptions. We reasonably foresee that disclosure would harm an interest protected by one or more of the nine exemptions to the FOIA's general rule of disclosure

Exemption 6 allows an agency to withhold “personnel and medical files and similar files the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.” 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(6). We are withholding **11 pages in part** under Exemption 6.

The phrase “similar files” covers any agency records containing information about a particular individual that can be identified as applying to that individual. To determine whether releasing records containing information about a particular individual would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy, we are required to balance the privacy interest that would be affected by disclosure against any public interest in the information.

Under the FOIA, the only relevant public interest to consider under the exemption is the extent to which the information sought would shed light on an agency’s performance of its statutory duties or otherwise let citizens ‘know what their government is up to. The burden is on the requester to establish that disclosure would serve the public interest. When the privacy interest at stake and the public interest in disclosure have been determined, the two competing interests must be weighed against one another to determine which is the greater result of disclosure: the harm to personal privacy or the benefit to the public. The purposes for which the request for information is made do not impact this balancing test, as a release of information requested under the FOIA constitutes a release to the general public.

The information that has been withheld under Exemption 6 consists of personal information, including names of private individuals, phone numbers, and other personal information, and we have determined that the individuals to whom this information pertains have a substantial privacy interest in withholding it. Additionally, we have determined that the disclosure of this information would shed little or no light on the performance of the agency’s statutory duties. Because the harm to personal privacy is greater than whatever public interest may be served by disclosure, release of the information would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of the privacy of these individuals and we are withholding it under Exemption 6.

Exemption 7 protects from disclosure “records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes” if the records fall within one or more of six specific bases for withholding set forth in subparts (A) through (F). 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(7)(A)-(F). We are withholding **11 pages in part** under Exemption 7 because they are protected under the following subparts:

Exemption 7(C) protects law enforcement records if their release could reasonably be expected to constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy. It is regularly applied to withhold references to individuals in law enforcement files. For the materials that have been withheld under 7(C), we have determined that releasing them would constitute an unwarranted invasion of privacy because they identify individuals referenced in law enforcement records and the release of this information would not shed light on an agency’s performance of its statutory duties.

Exemption 7(E) protects law enforcement records if their release would disclose techniques and procedures for law enforcement investigation or prosecutions, or would disclose guidelines for law enforcement investigations or prosecutions if the disclosure could reasonably be expected to risk circumvention of the law. For the materials that have been withheld under 7(E), we have determined that they disclose techniques and procedures for law enforcement investigations or prosecutions.

Christopher Watts, National Park Service, National Capital Area – Region 1 FOIA Officer, is responsible for this partial denial. Pursuant to 43 C.F.R. § 2.24(b)(5), Lindsey Spinelli, Attorney-Advisor, Office of the Solicitor, U.S. Department of the Interior was consulted.

For your information, Congress excluded three discrete categories of law enforcement and national security records from the requirements of FOIA. See 5 U.S.C. § 552(c). This response is limited to those records that are subject to the requirements of FOIA. This is a standard notification that is given to all our requesters and should not be taken as an indication that excluded records do, or do not, exist.

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Please include your name and daytime telephone number (or the name and telephone number of an appropriate contact), email address and fax number (if available) in case the FOIA/Privacy Act Appeals Officer needs additional information or clarification of your appeal.

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Contact information for the Department's FOIA Public Liaison, who you may also seek dispute resolution services from, is available at <https://www.doi.gov/foia/foiacenters>.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "CWatts", is positioned above the printed name.

Christopher Watts
Freedom of Information Act Officer National Capital Area- Region 1



UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
National Park Service
Incident Details



Printed: 07/20/2020 19:44 by CR205
Incident: **NP20078816**

Incident details:

Report no.: NP20078816
Dispatch type:
Incident type: Law Enforcement
Incident time: 07/04/2020 14:00 -
Reported time: 07/07/2020 15:45
Place of offence: GETTYSBURG, ADAMS PA USA 17325 (LITTLE ROUND TOP) (Region: NER,
State/Zone: PA, Area: GETT)
Source:
Priority:
Clearance status: Closed - Incident only
Concluded: No
Concluded date:
Summary: Report of suspicious individuals and activity, threatening behavior.
Remarks:

Associated occurrences:**Involved persons:**

- (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) / Involved persons (other than above) / Gender: Male ((Voice) (b) (6), (b) (7) (b) (6), (b) (7)(C))

Involved addresses:

- Incident address / GETTYSBURG, Pennsylvania, USA 17325 (LITTLE ROUND TOP) (Region: NER, State/Zone: PA, Area: GETT)

Involved comm addresses:**Involved vehicles:****Involved officers:**

- Reporting officer / LACHOWSKI, H. / #CR205 / NPS / Police Officer / NPS GETT / 07/07/2020

Involved property:**Modus operandi:****Reports:****General report:**

Incident: NP20078816 Law Enforcement @07/07/2020 15:45 (GETTYSBURG, ADAMS PA USA 17325 (LITTLE ROUND TOP) (Region: NER, State/Zone: PA, Area: GETT)) (Report of

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suspicious individuals and activity, threatening behavior.)

Task: T200211154 [Appr NR - <<Overdue>> Sup chk] Due: 07/12/2020 15:45 #CR205 LACHOWSKI, H. ->#CR205 LACHOWSKI, H. [Low] New incident NP20078816 Law Enforcement @07/07/2020 15:45 (GETTYSBURG, ADAMS PA USA 17325 (LITTLE ROUND TOP) (Region: NER, State/Zone: PA, A

Author: #CR205 LACHOWSKI, H.

Report time: 07/07/2020 15:51

Entered by: #CR205 LACHOWSKI, H.

Entered time: 07/07/2020 15:51

Remarks:

Narrative:

On Monday, July 6, 2020, at approximately 1855 hours, I received a phone call from an individual who wanted to report an incident that occurred on Saturday, July 4, 2020. (b) (6), (b) (7)(C), stated that he was touring Gettysburg National Military Park with his wife and another couple and were in the Little Round Top area between 1330 and 1400 hours. When they were walking back to their vehicle, he observed an unknown male taking photos of the four of them. This unknown individual then took a photo of their license plate. (b) (6) stopped the car and exited, approaching the male and asked what he was doing. The individual stated he was keeping the peace. (b) (6) did not think this male was armed but observed three other males approaching, all of whom were visibly armed. (b) (6) did not want to remain in the area, so he returned to his vehicle. As he was getting in his vehicle, he overheard the photographer call (b) (6) wife antifa bitch in what (b) (6) described as a threatening manner. The (b) (6) and other couple left the area at that time.

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Incident Details



Printed: 07/20/2020 19:43 by CR205
Incident: **NP20081705**

Incident details:

Report no.: NP20081705
Dispatch type:
Incident type: Accidents (non-motor vehicle)
Incident time: 07/04/2020 13:45 -
Reported time: 07/11/2020 16:30
Place of offence: SLOCUM AVE and WILLIAMS AVE, GETTYSBURG PA USA 17325
(STEPHENS KNOLL) (Region: NER, State/Zone: PA, Area: GETT)
Source:
Priority:
Clearance status: Closed - Incident only
Concluded: No
Concluded date:
Summary: GETT - Stevens Knoll (Culps Hill) - Report from LEO of two unattended backpacks. resting along the fence line. Camo color - I arrived five minutes later and checked all the fences. RP was not available to stay on scene to direct me to the backpacks. Backpacks were unable to be located.

Remarks:

Associated occurrences:**Involved persons:****Involved addresses:**

- SLOCUM AVE / Incident address / GETTYSBURG, Pennsylvania, USA 17325 (STEPHENS KNOLL) (Region: NER, State/Zone: PA, Area: GETT)

Involved comm addresses:**Involved vehicles:****Involved officers:**

- Reporting officer / HOLLER, D. / #2371 / NPS / Police Officer / NPS GETT / #CR205 LACHOWSKI, H. / 07/11/2020

Involved property:**Modus operandi:****Reports:**



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Incident Details



Printed: 07/20/2020 19:47 by CR205
Incident: NP20081719

Incident details:

Report no.: NP20081719
Dispatch type:
Incident type: Law Enforcement
Incident time: 07/04/2020 17:26 -
Reported time: 07/11/2020 16:44
Place of offence: TANEYTOWN ROAD and HUNT AVENUE, GETTYSBURG PA USA 17325
(LEISTER HOUSE) (Region: NER, State/Zone: PA, Area: GETT)

Source:

Priority:

Clearance status: Closed - Incident only

Concluded: No

Concluded date:

Summary: Report from a park volunteer of protesters escalating to a point where there was a fear of a physical altercation. Upon arrival of Galindo and Holler, we saw a few people arguing with a couple of others. This was just outside of the first amendment area next to the Liester House. I was waved over by a woman in the area. Things appeared to quite down as we observed from about 10 yards away. The loud angry arguing turned into more of a debate. Other than our presence, and conversing with bystanders, no action was necessary on our part. After about 10 minutes of LEO on scene, both parties separated.

Remarks:

Associated occurrences:**Involved persons:****Involved addresses:**

- TANEYTOWN ROAD / Incident address / GETTYSBURG, Pennsylvania, USA 17325 (LEISTER HOUSE)
(Region: NER, State/Zone: PA, Area: GETT)

Involved comm addresses:**Involved vehicles:****Involved officers:**

- Reporting officer / HOLLER, D. / #2371 / NPS / Police Officer / NPS GETT / #CR205 LACHOWSKI, H. / 07/11/2020

Involved property:**Modus operandi:****Reports:**

Incident inquiry log:

<i>Type</i>	<i>Entry time</i>	<i>Event time</i>	<i>Author</i>	<i>Link</i>	<i>Log entry</i>
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Incident Details



Printed: 07/20/2020 19:41 by CR205
Incident: NP20081887

Incident details:

Report no.: NP20081887
Dispatch type:
Incident type: Law Enforcement
Incident time: 07/04/2020 01:36 -
Reported time: 07/11/2020 18:37
Place of offence: W CONFEDERATE AVENUE, GETTYSBURG, ADAMS PA USA 17325
(MCMILLAN WOODS) (Region: NER, State/Zone: PA, Area: GETT)
Source:
Priority:
Clearance status: Closed - Incident only
Concluded: No
Concluded date:
Summary: GETT - McMillan Woods Campground - OB Camping - 1xVN - Dog off leash,
Closed area, Alcohol, Dog in closed area - 4xVW
Remarks:

Associated occurrences:**Involved persons:**

- (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) / Charged; Citation issued to; Vehicle driver / DOB: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (38) Gender: Male
(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)) DL: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Involved addresses:

- W CONFEDERATE AVENUE / Incident address / GETTYSBURG, Pennsylvania, USA 17325 (MCMILLAN WOODS) (Region: NER, State/Zone: PA, Area: GETT)

Involved comm addresses:**Involved vehicles:**

- TOYOTA FJ 2007 / Ticket/citation / [Sport utility vehicle: Enclosed body - nonremovable enclosure (e.g. jeep, SUV)] (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) Colors: Silver/Aluminum

Involved officers:

- Assisting officer / COPPER, J. / #1116 / NPS / Police Officer / NPS ANTI / #CR250 HOWARD, M. / 07/11/2020
- Reporting officer / LUDWICK, J. / #505 / NPS / Police Officer / NPS GETT / #CR205 LACHOWSKI, H. / 07/11/2020

Involved property:**Modus operandi:**

Reports:



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Incident Details



Printed: 07/20/2020 19:45 by CR205
Incident: **NP20083419**

Incident details:

Report no.: NP20083419
Dispatch type:
Incident type: Law Enforcement
Incident time: 07/04/2020 17:00 -
Reported time: 07/13/2020 14:11
Place of offence: W CONFEDERATE AVE, GETTYSBURG, ADAMS PA USA 17325 (Region: NER, State/Zone: PA, Area: GETT)
Source:
Priority:
Clearance status: Closed - Incident only
Concluded: No
Concluded date:
Summary: Citation for Disorderly Conduct
Remarks:

Associated occurrences:**Involved persons:**

- (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) / Charged; Citation issued to; Vehicle driver / DOB: (b) (6), (b) (38) Gender: Male
(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (Voice) (b) (6), (b) (7)) DL (b) (6), (b) (7)

Involved addresses:

- W CONFEDERATE AVE / Incident address / GETTYSBURG, Pennsylvania, USA 17325 (Region: NER, State/Zone: PA, Area: GETT)

Involved comm addresses:**Involved vehicles:**

- CHEVY IMPALA 2006 / Ticket/citation / [Passenger car: Sedan] PA Reg (b) (6), (b) Colors: Silver/Aluminum

Involved officers:

- Assisting officer / GALINDO, J. / #861 / NPS / Police Officer / NPS GETT / #CR205 LACHOWSKI, H. / 07/13/2020
- Reporting officer / HOLLER, D. / #2371 / NPS / Police Officer / NPS GETT / #CR205 LACHOWSKI, H. / 07/13/2020

Involved property:**Modus operandi:**

Reports:



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IMARS Incident details



Incident: NP20089651

Incident details:

Report no.: NP20089651
Incident Type: Law Enforcement
Incident time: 07/04/2020 19:45 -
Reported time: 07/21/2020 18:06
Place of incident: TANEYTOWN RD, GETTYSBURG, PA USA 17325 (NATIONAL CEMETERY)
(Region: NER, State/Zone: PA, Area: GETT)
Clearance status: Closed - Incident only
Concluded: No
Concluded date:
Summary: A group of 15-20 motorcycles drove into the National Cemetery. They were told that the cemetery was closed to motor vehicles. They left the cemetery without incident.

Remarks:

Associated incidents:

Involved persons:

Involved addresses:

- TANEYTOWN RD / Incident address / GETTYSBURG, Pennsylvania, USA 17325 (NATIONAL CEMETERY)
(Region: NER, State/Zone: PA, Area: GETT)

Involved comm addresses:

Involved vehicles:

Involved officers:

- Assisting officer / 9 / BRADY, M. / #1709 / NPS / Police Officer / NPS GETT / #CR205 LACHOWSKI, H. / 07/21/2020 / 20200721 --:--:--
- Reporting officer / 9 / MURPHY, F. / #624 / NPS / Police Officer / NPS GETT / #CR205 LACHOWSKI, H. / 07/21/2020 / 20200721 --:--:--

Involved property:

Modus operandi:

Reports:

General report:

Incident: NP20089651 Law Enforcement @07/21/2020 18:06 (TANEYTOWN RD, GETTYSBURG, PA USA 17325 (NATIONAL CEMETERY) (Region: NER, State/Zone: PA, Area: GETT)) (A group of 15-20 motorcycles drove into the National Cemetery. They were told that the cemetery was closed

Task:

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Author: #624 MURPHY, F.

Report time: 07/21/2020 18:20

Entered by: #624 MURPHY, F.

Entered time: 07/21/2020 18:20

Remarks:

Narrative:

On July 4, 2020, at approximately 1345hrs, U.S. Park Ranger Brady and I noticed approximately 15 motorcycles driving through the National Cemetery. We stopped the group and told them that motor vehicles were prohibited in the cemetery and they would have to exit. They complied and drove out of the cemetery.

Cleared.

Supplementary report:

Incident: NP20089651 Law Enforcement @07/21/2020 18:06 (TANEYTOWN RD, GETTYSBURG, PA USA 17325 (NATIONAL CEMETERY) (Region: NER, State/Zone: PA, Area: GETT)) (A group of 15-20 motorcycles drove into the National Cemetery. They were told that the cemetery was closed

Task:

Author: #1709 BRADY, M.

Report time: 07/29/2020 17:14

Entered by: #1709 BRADY, M.

Entered time: 07/29/2020 17:14

Remarks:

Narrative:

When Ranger Murphy and I approached the group and spoke to them, we were close enough to see the "colors" on their jackets. They were identified as members of the Maulitia, a 3%er motorcycle club (b) (7)(E) 3%er organizations advocate for gun ownership and armed resistance to anything they see as corruption of the Constitution.

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IMARS Incident details



Incident: **NP20095912**

Incident details:

Report no.: NP20095912
Incident Type: Law Enforcement
Incident time: 07/04/2020 10:55 -
Reported time: 07/29/2020 17:20
Place of incident: W CONFEDERATE AVENUE between MIDDLE STREET and MILLERSTOWN ROAD, GETTYSBURG PA USA 17325 (MISSISSIPPI MONUMENT) (Region: NER, State/Zone: PA, Area: GETT)
Clearance status: Closed - Incident only
Concluded: No
Concluded date:
Summary: Report of a disturbance at the MS monument. Actors gone on arrival. Witness provided photos of individuals with protest signs and their vehicles.

Remarks:

Associated incidents:

Involved persons:

- (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) / Vehicle Owner / (b) (6), (b) (7)(C))
- (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) / Vehicle Owner / (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)
- (b) (7)(C) / Vehicle Owner / (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)
- (b) (6) / Complainant / Gender: Female ((Voice) (b) (6), (b) (7))
(Voice) (b) (6), (b) (7)

Involved addresses:

- W CONFEDERATE AVENUE / Incident address / GETTYSBURG, Pennsylvania, USA 17325 (MISSISSIPPI MONUMENT) (Region: NER, State/Zone: PA, Area: GETT)

Involved comm addresses:

Involved vehicles:

- KIA SOUL / Associated with / [Sport utility vehicle: Enclosed body - nonremovable enclosure (e.g. jeep, SUV)] PA Reg (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) Colors: Green, light
- SUBARU FORESTER / Associated with / [Sport utility vehicle: Enclosed body - nonremovable enclosure (e.g. jeep, SUV)] PA Reg (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) Colors: Silver/Aluminum
- HONDA ACCORD / Associated with / [Passenger car: Sedan, 4-door] PA Reg (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) Colors: Black

Involved officers:

- Reporting officer / 9 / BRADY, M. / #1709 / NPS / Police Officer / NPS GETT / #CR205 LACHOWSKI, H. / 07/29/2020 / 20200729 --:--:--

Involved property:**Modus operandi:****Reports:****General report:**

Incident: NP20095912 Law Enforcement @07/29/2020 17:20 (W CONFEDERATE AVENUE between MIDDLE STREET and MILLERSTOWN ROAD, GETTYSBURG PA USA 17325 (MISSISSIPPI MONUMENT) (Region: NER, State/Zone: PA, Area: GETT)) (Report of a disturbance at the MS monument. Actors go

Task: T200246128 [Appr NR - Open] Due: 08/03/2020 17:20 #1709 BRADY, M. ->#1709 BRADY, M. [Low] New incident NP20095912 Law Enforcement @07/29/2020 17:20 (W CONFEDERATE AVENUE, USA (MISSISSIPPI MONUMENT)) (Report of a disturbance at the MS monument. Actors gone

Author: #1709 BRADY, M. **Report time:** 07/29/2020 17:56

Entered by: #1709 BRADY, M. **Entered time:** 07/29/2020 17:56

Remarks:

Narrative:

At approximately 1055 hours on July 4, 2020, I received a call at the ranger station reporting a disturbance at the Mississippi monument involving a group of people with Black Lives Matter signs and a second group of motorcyclists in a verbal altercation. I responded to the area of the monument only to find that the parties involved had already left. The altercation had not become physical, nobody was injured, and no property, personal or government, was damaged.

The reporting party, (b) (6), (b) (7)(E), had gotten photographs of the party with the signs, but not of the motorcyclists who had confronted them. I asked her to text her photographs to me (attached to this report). One photograph did show a single individual of what appeared to be a motorcycle club standing next to one of the vehicles belonging to the protest group, but only from the rear so identification of the individual was not possible. The image is also too blurry to accurately read the name of the motorcycle club. (b) (7)(E)

Later investigation revealed that one of the members of the party with the signs was (b) (6), (b) (7)(E). (b) (6), (b) (7)(E) had applied for a First Amendment Special Use Permit for July 4, originally asking for the area around the VA Monument, to place signs with quotes from Confederate leaders about slavery. This request was denied, because the area around the VA Monument is not a designated First Amendment area. (b) (6), (b) (7)(E) was issued a permit for a designated First Amendment area for the afternoon of July 4. By demonstrating in a non-designated area, (b) (6), (b) (7)(E) was in violation of 36CFR2.51(f)(4).

The protection of human life and the preservation of park resources took precedence over permit violations on this day. No action was taken against (b) (6), (b) (7)(E) or any members of his group.

Ext. doc. occ report [DOC, 2.98 MB]:

Incident: NP20095912 Law Enforcement @07/29/2020 17:20 (W CONFEDERATE AVENUE between MIDDLE STREET and MILLERSTOWN ROAD, GETTYSBURG PA USA 17325 (MISSISSIPPI MONUMENT) (Region: NER, State/Zone: PA, Area: GETT)) (Report of a disturbance at the MS monument. Actors go

Task: T200246128 [Appr NR - Open] Due: 08/03/2020 17:20 #1709 BRADY, M. ->#1709 BRADY, M. [Low] New incident NP20095912 Law Enforcement @07/29/2020 17:20 (W CONFEDERATE AVENUE, USA (MISSISSIPPI MONUMENT)) (Report of a disturbance at the MS monument. Actors gone

Author: #1709 BRADY, M. **Report time:** 07/29/2020 18:25

Entered by: #1709 BRADY, M. **Entered time:** 07/29/2020 18:25

Person:

Address:

Vehicle:

Officer:

Remarks:

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Park Name: Gettysburg National Military Park		United States Department of the Interior National Park Service		Incident Date: 07/04/2020	

			
<p>Photo Number 1 Date: 07/04/2020 Time: ~1050 By: (b)(6), (b)(6) (reporting party) Description: First photo of Subaru Forester associated with protest group</p>		<p>Photo Number 2 Date: 07/04/2020 Time: ~1050 By: (b)(6), (b)(6) (reporting party) Description: Second photo of Subaru Forester associated with protest group</p>	

			
<p>Photo Number 3 Date: 07/04/2020 Time: ~1050 By: (b)(6), (b)(6) (reporting party) Description: First photo of Kia Soul and member of the protest group</p>		<p>Photo Number 4 Date: 07/04/2020 Time: ~1050 By: (b)(6), (b)(6) (reporting party) Description: Second photo of Kia Soul and member of protest group</p>	

Reporting Officer's Name:		Supervisor's Name:	
Reporting Officer's Signature:	Date:	Supervisor's Signature:	Date:

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Park Name: Gettysburg National Military Park				Incident Date: 07/04/2020							
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<div>Photo Number 5</div> <div>Date: 07/04/2020</div> <div>Time: ~1050</div> <div>By: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (reporting party)</div> <div>Description: Members of the protest group at the Mississippi Monument</div>				<div>Photo Number 6</div> <div>Date: 07/04/2020</div> <div>Time: ~1050</div> <div>By: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (reporting party)</div> <div>Description: Third photo of Kia Soul and member of protest group</div>							
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<div>Photo Number 7</div> <div>Date: 07/04/2020</div> <div>Time: ~1050</div> <div>By: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (reporting party)</div> <div>Description: Members of protest group at the Mississippi Monument</div>				<div>Photo Number 8</div> <div>Date: 07/04/2020</div> <div>Time: ~1050</div> <div>By: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (reporting party)</div> <div>Description: Members of protest group at the Mississippi Monument</div>							
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Reporting Officer's Signature:				Date:		Supervisor's Signature:				Date:	
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Photo 9 Date: 07/04/2020 Time: ~1050 By: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (reporting party) Description: Members of protest group at the Mississippi Monument		Photo 10 Date: 07/04/2020 Time: ~1050 By: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (reporting party) Description: Members of protest group at the Mississippi Monument	
			
Photo 11 Date: 07/04/2020 Time: ~1050 By: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (reporting party) Description: Honda Accord associated with protest group			
Reporting Officer's Name:		Supervisor's Name:	
Reporting Officer's Signature:	Date:	Supervisor's Signature:	Date:

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Incident: NP20095986

Incident details:

Report no.: NP20095986
Incident Type: Law Enforcement
Incident time: 07/04/2020 14:35 -
Reported time: 07/29/2020 18:38
Place of incident: BALTIMORE PIKE, GETTYSBURG, ADAMS PA USA 17325 (GETTYSBURG NATIONAL CEMETERY) (Region: NER, State/Zone: PA, Area: GETT)
Clearance status: Closed - Incident only
Concluded: No
Concluded date:
Summary: Verbal altercation near Gettysburg Address wayside in National Cemetery.
Remarks:

Associated incidents:

Involved persons:

Involved addresses:

- BALTIMORE PIKE / Incident address / GETTYSBURG, Pennsylvania, USA 17325 (GETTYSBURG NATIONAL CEMETERY) (Region: NER, State/Zone: PA, Area: GETT)

Involved comm addresses:

Involved vehicles:

Involved officers:

- Assisting officer / 9 / MURPHY, F. / #624 / NPS / Police Officer / NPS GETT / #CR205 LACHOWSKI, H. / 07/29/2020 / 20200729 --:--:--
- Reporting officer / 9 / BRADY, M. / #1709 / NPS / Police Officer / NPS GETT / #CR205 LACHOWSKI, H. / 07/29/2020 / 20200729 --:--:--

Involved property:

Modus operandi:

Reports:

General report:

Incident: NP20095986 Law Enforcement @07/29/2020 18:38 (BALTIMORE PIKE, GETTYSBURG, ADAMS PA USA 17325 (GETTYSBURG NATIONAL CEMETERY) (Region: NER, State/Zone: PA, Area: GETT)) (Verbal altercation near Gettysburg Address wayside in National Cemetery.)
Task: T200246243 [Appr NR - Sup chk] Due: 08/03/2020 18:38 #1709 BRADY, M. ->#1709 BRADY, M. [Low] New incident NP20095986 Law Enforcement @07/29/2020 18:38 (BALTIMORE PIKE, GETTYSBURG, ADAMS PA USA 17325 (GETTYSBURG NATIONAL

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Author: CEMETERY) (Region: NER, State/Zone:
#1709 BRADY, M.
Entered by: #1709 BRADY, M.
Remarks:
Narrative:

Report time: 07/29/2020 18:45
Entered time: 07/29/2020 18:45

At approximately 1435 hours on July 4, 2020, I noticed what appeared to be a verbal altercation on the upper drive of the Gettysburg National Cemetery, near the wayside marker for Lincoln's Gettysburg Address. I pointed this out to my partner, Ranger Doug Murphy, and we started in that direction. At the same time, I received a radio transmission from Ranger Dan Holler, telling me that the Department of Homeland Security Officers in the National Cemetery were calling for me. I did not hear them on the radio. I told Holler I was headed in that direction already.

Upon arrival, the verbal altercation had ended due to the intervention of the officers from the Department of Homeland Security who were assisting National Park Service law enforcement staff that day. A female subject in a red Black Lives Matter tshirt had been in an argument with a male individual, apparently about her tshirt. The male was being interviewed by someone who appeared to be with the press, although there was no time to confirm that. I took a photo of the individual being interviewed for intelligence gathering purposes.

There was a crowd of approximately 40 people gathered around, many of them militia members armed with rifles. Law enforcement began quietly asking them to move along to prevent any further ramp-up of the situation, which they did.

At approximately 1450 hours, all units left the area as there was a report of a large disturbance at the Taneytown Road entrance to the Cemetery.

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Incident: NP20095986 Law Enforcement @07/29/2020 18:38 (BALTIMORE PIKE, GETTYSBURG, ADAMS PA USA 17325 (GETTYSBURG NATIONAL CEMETERY) (Region: NER, State/Zone: PA, Area: GETT)) (Verbal altercation near Gettysburg Address wayside in National Cemetery.)

Task: T200246243 [Appr NR - Sup chk] Due: 08/03/2020 18:38 #1709 BRADY, M. ->#1709 BRADY, M. [Low] New incident NP20095986 Law Enforcement @07/29/2020 18:38 (BALTIMORE PIKE, GETTYSBURG, ADAMS PA USA 17325 (GETTYSBURG NATIONAL CEMETERY) (Region: NER, State/Zone:

Author: #1709 BRADY, M. Report time: 07/29/2020 19:44
Entered by: #1709 BRADY, M. Entered time: 07/29/2020 19:44
Person:
Address:
Vehicle:
Officer:
Remarks:

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Park Name: Gettysburg National Military Park				Incident Date: 07/04/2020	
					
Photo Number 1 Date: 07/04/2020 Time: ~1440 By: M. Brady #1709 Description: Second subject being interviewed		Photo Number 2 Date: 07/04/2020 Time: ~1440 By: M. Brady #1709 Description: Second subject being interviewed			
					
Photo Number 3 Date: 07/04/2020 Time: ~1440 By: M. Brady #1709 Description: Second subject being interviewed		Photo Number 4 Date: 07/04/2020 Time: ~1440 By: M. Brady #1709 Description: Second subject being interviewed			
Reporting Officer's Name:				Supervisor's Name:	
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Incident: **NP20096039**

Incident details:

Report no.: NP20096039
Incident Type: Law Enforcement
Incident time: 07/04/2020 14:50 -
Reported time: 07/29/2020 19:46
Place of incident: GETTYSBURG, ADAMS PA USA 17325 (GETTYSBURG NATIONAL CEMETERY) (Region: NER, State/Zone: PA, Area: GETT)
Clearance status: Closed - Incident only
Concluded: No
Concluded date:
Summary: Report of large group in a disturbance and possible fight at the Taneytown Road entrance to the National Cemetery. Responded to find one individual in a Black Lives Matter tshirt surrounded by a hostile crowd. Subject was removed from crowd and given option to stay or go, as he chose. He chose to go and was escorted to his vehicle for his safety.

Remarks:

Associated incidents:

Involved persons:

Involved addresses:

- Incident address / GETTYSBURG, Pennsylvania, USA 17325 (GETTYSBURG NATIONAL CEMETERY) (Region: NER, State/Zone: PA, Area: GETT)

Involved comm addresses:

Involved vehicles:

Involved officers:

- Assisting officer / 9 / MURPHY, F. / #624 / NPS / Police Officer / NPS GETT / #CR205 LACHOWSKI, H. / 07/29/2020 / 20200729 --:--:--
- Reporting officer / 9 / BRADY, M. / #1709 / NPS / Police Officer / NPS GETT / #CR205 LACHOWSKI, H. / 07/29/2020 / 20200729 --:--:--

Involved property:

Modus operandi:

Reports:

General report:

Incident: NP20096039 Law Enforcement @07/29/2020 19:46 (GETTYSBURG, ADAMS PA USA 17325 (GETTYSBURG NATIONAL CEMETERY) (Region: NER, State/Zone: PA, Area: GETT)) (Report of large group in a disturbance and possible fight at the Taneytown Road

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Task: T200246350 [Appr NR - Sup chk] Due: 08/03/2020 19:46 #1709 BRADY, M. ->#1709
BRADY, M. [Low] New incident NP20096039 Law Enforcement @07/29/2020 19:46 (USA
(GETTYSBURG NATIONAL CEMETERY)) (Report of large group in a disturbance and
possible fight at the T
Author: #1709 BRADY, M. *Report time:* 07/29/2020 19:50
Entered by: #1709 BRADY, M. *Entered time:* 07/29/2020 19:50
Remarks:
Narrative:

At approximately 1450 hours on July 4, 2020, Ranger Doug Murphy and myself received a report from the Incident Command Post of a large group of people at the Taneytown Road entrance to the National Cemetery and a disturbance at that location. We responded from a previous incident at the other end of the Cemetery along with a team of officers from the Department of Homeland Security.

Upon our arrival, we found a single male individual wearing a Black Lives Matter tshirt, surrounded by a hostile crowd of armed individuals. These individuals were most likely members of militia organizations, although some were possible from motorcycle clubs, 3%er groups, and some were possibly individuals who simply showed up because of information found on social media. This was the mix of armed individuals who had been all over Gettysburg National Military Park and the Gettysburg National Cemetery on July 3 and again on July 4.

A Homeland Security officer had stepped in front of the individual in the Black Lives Matter tshirt and spoken to him about removing him from that particular location in the Cemetery to a safer location away from the crowd. The officer, along with myself and another Homeland Security officer, escorted the individual over to the grassy area in front of the Lincoln Speech Memorial to talk. The individual asked more than once if he was being ordered to leave the Cemetery, and the DHS officer repeatedly told him that staying or going was his choice. The individual decided to leave the Cemetery.

The DHS officer requested that the crowd part and allow the individual to exit the Cemetery. They did so, and began chanting USA at the same time. At this point, local law enforcement officers had arrived at the entrance to the Cemetery, but were not engaged with the crowd or with the individual. DHS officers and Ranger Murphy escorted the individual to his vehicle, located in the overflow parking lot, for his safety. The individual then drove northbound on Taneytown Road and left the area.

The crowd in the Cemetery, comprising close to 100 individuals, remained tense. Separating the parties seemed the best way to prevent violence from erupting. The law enforcement staff on the ground in the Cemetery numbered eight individuals. Neither the staff in the Cemetery nor the officers who responded were equipped with riot gear or crowd control weapons. There were no injuries and no damage to resources.

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Incident: NP20096065

Incident details:

Report no.: NP20096065
Incident Type: Assistance (Agency/Visitor)
Incident time: 07/04/2020 18:48 -
Reported time: 07/29/2020 20:09
Place of incident: 105 STEINWEHR AVENUE, GETTYSBURG, ADAMS PA USA 17325
Clearance status: Closed - Incident only
Concluded: No
Concluded date:
Summary: Responded to Steinwehr Avenue, in front of the Steinwehr entrance to the National Cemetery, but off of park property, to assist Gettysburg Police Department with crowd control after a fight in the middle of the street.

Remarks:

Associated incidents:

Involved persons:

Involved addresses:

- 105 STEINWEHR AVENUE / Incident address / GETTYSBURG, Pennsylvania, USA 17325

Involved comm addresses:

Involved vehicles:

Involved officers:

- Assisting officer / 9 / MURPHY, F. / #624 / NPS / Police Officer / NPS GETT / #CR205 LACHOWSKI, H. / 07/29/2020 / 20200729 --:--:--
- Reporting officer / 9 / BRADY, M. / #1709 / NPS / Police Officer / NPS GETT / #CR205 LACHOWSKI, H. / 07/29/2020 / 20200729 --:--:--

Involved property:

Modus operandi:

Reports:

General report:

Incident: NP20096065 Assistance (Agency/Visitor) @07/29/2020 20:09 (105 STEINWEHR AVENUE, GETTYSBURG, ADAMS PA USA 17325) (Responded to Steinwehr Avenue, in front of the Steinwehr entrance to the National Cemetery, but off of park property, to assist Gettysburg Pol

Task: T200246385 [Appr NR - Sup chk] Due: 08/03/2020 20:09 #1709 BRADY, M. ->#1709 BRADY, M. [Low] New incident NP20096065 Assistance (Agency/Visitor) @07/29/2020 20:09 (105 STEINWEHR AVENUE, USA) (Responded to Steinwehr Avenue, in front of the

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Author: Steinwehr entran
Entered by: #1709 BRADY, M.
Remarks:
Narrative:

Report time: 07/29/2020 20:12
Entered time: 07/29/2020 20:12

At approximately 1848 hours on July 4, 2020, I received a radio call from a park maintenance employee, reporting a fight in progress at the Taneytown Road gate to Gettysburg National Cemetery. Ranger Doug Murphy and I responded to the Taneytown Road gate, but there was nobody there. After more conversation with the park employee, it was established that the fight was in front of the Steinwehr Avenue entrance to the Gettysburg National Cemetery Annex. Murphy and I responded to that location, and found a large crowd gathered around a pickup truck stopped in front of the gate, on the road. Gettysburg Police Department officers had separated the parties and were conducting their investigation. Murphy and I assisted with keeping the crowd on the sidewalk from approaching the officers doing the investigation, or from instigating more issues.

Cleared at approximately 1930 hours.

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Incident Details



Printed: 07/22/2020 15:26 by CR205
Incident: **NP20089743**

Incident details:

Report no.: NP20089743
Dispatch type:
Incident type: Assistance (Agency/Visitor)
Incident time: 07/04/2020 17:12 -
Reported time: 07/21/2020 19:42
Place of offence: 2079 HANOVER ROAD, GETTYSBURG, ADAMS PA USA 17325 (SPANGLER GROFT HOUSE) (Region: NER, State/Zone: PA, Area: GETT)
Source:
Priority:
Clearance status: Closed - Incident only
Concluded: No
Concluded date:
Summary: Ranger Brady and I assisted PA State Police on a one car vehicle accident that occurred from Hanover Road onto NPS property.

Remarks:

Associated occurrences:**Involved persons:****Involved addresses:**

- 2079 HANOVER ROAD / Incident address / GETTYSBURG, Pennsylvania, USA 17325 (SPANGLER GROFT HOUSE) (Region: NER, State/Zone: PA, Area: GETT)
- Incident address / , USA

Involved comm addresses:**Involved vehicles:****Involved officers:**

- Assisting officer / BRADY, M. / #1709 / NPS / Police Officer / NPS GETT / #CR205 LACHOWSKI, H. / 07/22/2020
- Reporting officer / MURPHY, F. / #624 / NPS / Police Officer / NPS GETT / #CR205 LACHOWSKI, H. / 07/21/2020

Involved property:**Modus operandi:****Reports:****General report:**

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Incident: NP20089743 Assistance (Agency/Visitor) @07/21/2020 19:42 (2079 HANOVER ROAD, GETTYSBURG, ADAMS PA USA 17325 (SPANGLER GROFT HOUSE) (Region: NER, State/Zone: PA, Area: GETT)) (Ranger Brady and I assisted PA State Police on a one car vehicle accident that o

Task:

Author: #624 MURPHY, F.

Report time: 07/22/2020 14:19

Entered by: #624 MURPHY, F.

Entered time: 07/22/2020 14:19

Remarks:

Narrative:

On July 4, 2020, at approximately 1712hrs, U.S. Park Ranger Brady and I responded to a single vehicle accident that occurred from Hanover Road onto NPS property.

We arrived on scene and Pennsylvania State Police was conducting the vehicle accident. There was one person that was in the vehicle during the accident. PSP officer performed field sobriety tests on the driver. He was arrested for Driving under the influence of a drug/alcohol. He was transported by PSP. Ranger Brady and I waited on scene for Excalibur Towing Company. The vehicle was towed from the scene.

No monuments were damaged from the accident.

Cleared.

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Task:

Author: #624 MURPHY, F.

Report time: 07/21/2020 19:55

Entered by: #624 MURPHY, F.

Entered time: 07/21/2020 19:55

Person:

Address:

Vehicle:

Officer:

Remarks:

Ext. doc. occ report:

Incident: NP20089743 Assistance (Agency/Visitor) @07/21/2020 19:42 (2079 HANOVER ROAD, GETTYSBURG, ADAMS PA USA 17325 (SPANGLER GROFT HOUSE) (Region: NER, State/Zone: PA, Area: GETT)) (Ranger Brady and I assisted PA State Police on a one car vehicle accident that o

Task:

Author: #624 MURPHY, F.

Report time: 07/21/2020 20:01

Entered by: #624 MURPHY, F.

Entered time: 07/21/2020 20:01

Person:

Address:

Vehicle:

Officer:

Remarks:

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