I. WEATHER

- **Today**: Scattered sprinkles and flurries between 11AM and 3PM, then scattered sprinkles after 3PM. Northwest winds gusting as high as 29 mph, with wind chills in the 30s and 40s. Near record cold high temperatures are expected. High 53°. Low 37°.

- **Freeze Warning**: The National Weather Service issued a Freeze Warning for the western half of the NCR until 10AM as well as from midnight tonight to 10AM Sunday morning. Frost and freeze conditions will kill crops, other sensitive vegetation and possibly damage unprotected outdoor plumbing.

![Weather Forecast]

- High: 53 °F  
  Low: 37 °F  
  High: 65 °F

II. DEVELOPMENTS OF NOTE

- **District of Columbia**: WHUT-TV and WHUR FM will broadcast Howard University's Virtual Ceremony Conferring of Degrees today at 11AM. Link

- **Potomac River**: DC Fire & EMS, MPD, Arlington Fire, Arlington Police, and US Park Police established a unified command to conduct a water rescue on the Potomac River at Chain Bridge yesterday at 9AM. Responders utilized a fireboat, inflatables, and shoreline search and rescue K-9’s for a 75-minute search before transitioning to recovery operations. Link

III. COVID-19 (CORONAVIRUS)

- **Overview**: Johns Hopkins University reports 3,954,246 COVID-19 cases, 275,160 deaths, and 1,311,068 recoveries worldwide as of 6:05AM. In the US, there are 1,283,929 cases, 77,180 deaths, and 198,993 recoveries. Link

- **National Capital Region**: There are 35,227 COVID-19 cases and 1,474 fatalities reported in the NCR. DC, MD, VA

- **Nationwide**: Per OPM, the federal government will begin a phased transition to normal operations in line with the national guidelines to open up American again. Agencies will make operating decisions based on state or locality of duty stations and other factors. Link

- **Nationwide**: The IRS urged individuals who want to obtain a direct deposit of the Economic Impact Payment to visit Get My Payment on IRS.gov by noon Wednesday, May 13. After May 13, paper checks will be delivered and arriving through late May and into June. Link

- **District of Columbia**: Residents who do not have the ability to isolate themselves from family members can call 1-888-349-8323 for assistance. Link

- **Arlington County**: The first walk-up COVID-19 sample collection site will open Tuesday, May 12 at the Arlington Mill Community Center. Patients must obtain a physician referral before scheduling an appointment. Link

- **Fairfax County**: Remote services are available for victims of abuse, and individuals needing food, medical, and employment assistance. Link

- **Prince George’s County**: All traditional summer camps, classes, and events are cancelled for June. Virtual programming will continue. Golf courses and tennis courts will reopen mid-May. Link