



NCR WATCH DESK

SUNRISE BRIEF, MAY 14, 2020

I. WEATHER

- **Today:** Mostly cloudy. A 20% chance of showers before 11PM. High 73°. Low 63°.

Today



Mostly Cloudy

High: 73 °F

Tonight



Slight Chance
Showers then
Partly Cloudy

Low: 63 °F

Friday

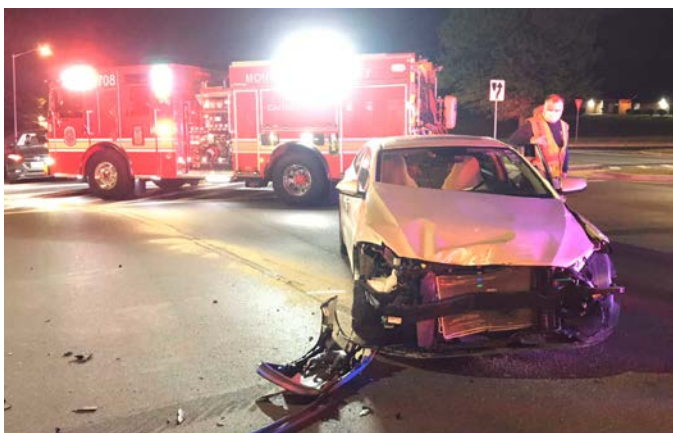


Mostly Sunny
then Slight
Chance
T-storms

High: 84 °F

II. DEVELOPMENTS OF NOTE

- **District of Columbia:** A police officer was struck by a Metrobus in pursuit of a suspect between L Street and Bladensburg Road NE this morning. The officer suffered significant injuries. All travel lanes are [open](#).
- **Montgomery County:** Fire and Rescue responded to a [two-vehicle collision](#) on Montgomery Village Avenue/MD-124 and Christopher Avenue in Gaithersburg last night. Two patients were evaluated with non-life-threatening injuries. All travel lanes are open.



Montgomery County Fire & Rescue on scene of a two-vehicle collision in Gaithersburg (Source: MCFRS)

III. COVID-19 (CORONAVIRUS)

- **Overview:** [Johns Hopkins University](#) reports 4,362,996 COVID-19 cases, 297,465 deaths, and 1,558,462 recoveries worldwide as of 6:15AM. In the US, there are 1,390,764 cases, 84,136 deaths, and 243,430 recoveries.
- **National Capital Region:** There are 41,046 COVID-19 cases and 1,724 fatalities reported in the NCR. [DC](#), [MD](#), [VA](#)
- **Nationwide:** [Uber](#) drivers and riders must confirm via a new "Go Online Checklist" that certain COVID-19 safety measures were taken.
- **Maryland:** On Friday, May 15 at 5PM, the state will move from Stay at Home order to a [Safer at Home](#) public health advisory. Certain businesses and facilities can open, subject to local regulation.
- **District of Columbia:** The District's public health emergency and [Stay At Home Order](#) were extended through June 8. The order also mandated all individuals wear masks or face coverings during essential business and travel.
- **District of Columbia:** Residents participating in the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) may use their Electronic Benefits Transfer (EBT) card to buy groceries through [Amazon](#).
- **Prince George's County:** At 11AM, the County Executive will hold a [press conference](#) on COVID-19 response and future steps.
- **Montgomery County:** The County will remain on a Stay at Home [status](#) until local COVID-19 data dictates it is safe to move toward reopening. All summer camps and programs are [canceled](#), and plans for new camps in a COVID-19 environment are being developed.
- **Prince William County:** Two new COVID-19 drive-thru testing [sites](#) will open Friday, May 15 in Walmart parking lots by appointment only.