



NCR WATCH DESK

SUNRISE BRIEF, MAY 7, 2020

I. WEATHER

- **Today:** Sunny. High 65°. Low 49°.

Today



Sunny

High: 65 °F

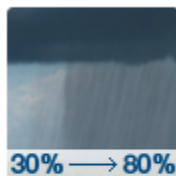
Tonight



Partly Cloudy

Low: 49 °F

Friday



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High: 64 °F

II. DEVELOPMENTS OF NOTE

- **Montgomery County:** Lanes of the I-495 Inner Loop and Outer Loop were closed yesterday evening near Old Georgetown Road after a vehicle ran into a guard rail. Fire & Rescue transported two Priority 1 trauma patients with life-threatening injuries. [Link](#)



Law enforcement and Fire & Rescue on scene of a single vehicle collision with two trauma patients on I-495 yesterday evening (Source: Montgomery County Fire & Rescue)

III. COVID-19 (CORONAVIRUS)

- **Overview:** Johns Hopkins University reports 3,768,535 confirmed cases of COVID-19, 264,109 deaths, and 1,249,987 recoveries worldwide as of 5/7/2020 at 6:05AM. In the US, there are 1,228,609 confirmed cases, 73,431 deaths, and 189,910 recoveries. [Link](#)

- **National Capital Region:** There are 32,163 COVID-19 cases and 1,338 fatalities reported in the NCR. [DC](#), [MD](#), [VA](#)
- **Maryland:** Effective today at 7AM, all licensed healthcare facilities and healthcare providers may resume elective and non-urgent medical procedures and appointments provided all the conditional measures have been met. [Link](#)
- **Maryland:** A pharmaceutical company has donated 1,600 doses of Remdesivir to the State of Maryland. These initial doses will be deployed to Prince George's and Montgomery Counties, where there is the highest concentration of cases. [Link](#)
- **Frederick County:** A Mask Decontamination Unit is now available at Frederick Health Hospital. If the hospital runs low on N95 masks, the device can be used to extend a mask's effectiveness by as many as three additional uses. As many as 84 masks can be decontaminated every hour. The County is currently constructing a second unit. [Link](#)
- **Montgomery County:** All Montgomery County Recreation facilities will remain closed until further notice. While the outdoor areas surrounding County recreation centers remain open, all playgrounds remain closed. [Link](#)
- **Prince George's County:** Prince George's County Public Schools students can now pick up supper as part of their "grab and go" meals. Breakfast and lunch will continue to be served twice a week. More meal sites will open on May 11. [Link](#)
- **Virginia:** Northern Virginia, the Eastern Shore, and other jurisdictions hardest hit by the COVID-19 pandemic have the option of extending restrictions that are currently in place longer than the rest of the state. [Link](#)