



NCR WATCH DESK

SUNRISE BRIEF, NOVEMBER 13, 2019

I. WEATHER

- **Today:** Sunny. High 37°. Low 25°.

Today



Sunny

High: 37 °F

Tonight



Mostly Clear

Low: 25 °F

Thursday



Mostly Sunny

High: 46 °F

II. DEVELOPMENTS OF NOTE

National Capital Region

- **Prince George's County:** The Prince George's County Police Department has identified and is searching for the suspect in a fatal stabbing at a Popeyes restaurant in Oxon Hill. Police believe the suspect, Ricoh McClain, is armed and dangerous and anyone who encounters him shouldn't approach him and call 911. [Link](#)
- **Prince William County:** The Prince William County Office of Communications has opened its real-time back-up call center, which can be operational within 20 minutes if the primary center shuts down. [Link](#)
- **Loudoun County:** US Customs Border and Protection officers seized more than \$2 million worth of fake designer bags at Dulles International Airport. The fake bags were shipped from China. [Link](#)
- **Montgomery County:** Governors Hogan and Northam announced a new American Legion Bridge will be built on the Capital Beltway to reduce traffic and commute time in the region. The new bridge will have 12 total lanes, eight general-purpose lanes and four express lanes. [Link](#)

United States

- **Nationwide:** US health officials have found a potential breakthrough in the vaping illness outbreak that has killed at least 39 people, narrowing in on vitamin 3 acetate as a "potential toxin of concern." [Link](#)

World

- **Afghanistan:** A car bomb exploded in the capital of Kabul during the morning commute, killing seven and wounding seven others. The attack comes a day after two Taliban commanders and a leader of the Haqqani militant group were released in exchange for two professors, an American and Australian, that were held captive. No one has claimed responsibility for the attack. [Link](#)



A member of the Afghan security forces inspects the site of a car blast (Source: Reuters)

- **China:** A man attacked a kindergarten school with a liquid chemical, caustic soda, that injured more than 50 people—mostly children. Caustic soda—also known as sodium hydroxide—is used in the manufacturing of soap, paper, and various dyes. Exposure to the chemical can irritate eyes and skin, provokes an allergic reaction, and can cause hair loss. Previous violent attacks have targeted school children in China. In 2018, two separate knife attacks on schoolchildren left 9 dead and 14 others injured. [Link](#)