



NCR WATCH DESK

SUNRISE BRIEF, MAY 5, 2020

I. WEATHER

- **Today:** Cloudy. A chance of rain after 11AM. High 58°. Low 47°.



II. DEVELOPMENTS OF NOTE

- **District of Columbia:** The Metropolitan Police Department (MPD) identified six focus areas for this summer's 2020 Summer Crime Prevention Initiative (SCI). [Link](#)
- **Prince William County:** Marine Corps Base Quantico Training Advisory for May 4 through May 14 from 7AM to midnight. There may be impacts of noise, vibrations, and/or illuminations experienced across the area depending on atmospheric conditions and changes to the natural sound barriers. [Link](#)

III. COVID-19 (CORONAVIRUS)

- **Overview:** Johns Hopkins University reports 3,598,324 confirmed cases of COVID-19, 251,832 deaths, and 1,171,569 recoveries worldwide as of 5/5/2020 at 6:40AM. In the US, there are 1,180,634 confirmed cases, 68,934 deaths, and 180,152 recoveries. [Link](#)
- **National Capital Region:** There are 30,374 COVID-19 cases and 1,248 fatalities reported in the NCR. [DC](#), [MD](#), [VA](#)

- **National:** The FDA authorized the first serology, or antibody, SARS-CoV-2 test. The results are among the first to come from a collaborative effort by the FDA, NIH, CDC, and Biomedical Advanced Research and Development Authority to evaluate certain serological tests and supports the response effort to the COVID-19 pandemic. [Link](#)
- **Maryland:** A CDC field team arrived in the State and relocated to the Salisbury area in support of the Eastern Shore Poultry Task Force. [Link](#)
- **Frederick County:** The Frederick Community Action Agency continues to add food distribution drops throughout the City of Frederick. [Link](#)
- **Montgomery County:** Now accepting applications for its Food Access Grant Program (FAGP). The FAGP funding will be used to provide food assistance to hard-to-reach communities in the county during the response to and recovery from the COVID-19 pandemic. [Link](#)
- **Arlington County:** Has amended services for its trash, recycling, and yard waste program as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic, by offering two drop-off yard waste locations: The Earth Products Yard at the Trades Center; and the North 26th St. and Yorktown Blvd. mulch pickup site. [Link](#)
- **City of Alexandria:** The Alexandria Health Department is working with the Virginia National Guard to conduct point prevalence surveys (PPS) at long-term care facilities, to collect more information about how COVID-19 is affecting Alexandria. [Link](#)