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# 2009 Presidential Inaugural NSSE

*January 14, 2009*



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# 2009 Inaugural Events



Swearing in Ceremony



Departure Ceremony



Parade



Inaugural Balls

## NSSE Period 1/17 - 1/21

- 17<sup>th</sup> Whistle-Stop Tour  
PA-DE-MD-DC
- 18<sup>th</sup> Opening Ceremony
- 19<sup>th</sup> Presidential Galas
- 20<sup>th</sup> Swearing in Ceremony  
Departure Ceremony  
Parade  
Inaugural Balls
- 21<sup>st</sup> Prayer Breakfast

Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
17	18	19	20	21



Whistle-Stop Tour



Opening Ceremony



Presidential Galas



National Prayer Breakfast



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# Whistle Stop Tour Events

## January 17:

- **Philadelphia, PA**
  - 30<sup>th</sup> Street Station Event (400 Invited Guests)
  - May be significant crowds along the tracks within city limits.
  - “Slow Roll” Location/s TBD
  
- **Wilmington, DE**
  - Train Station – TBD (Small attendance expected)
  - Harriet Tubman Park (Approx. 20,000 attendees)
  - May be significant crowds along the tracks within city limits.
  - “Slow Roll” Location/s TBD
  
- **Baltimore, MD**
  - City Hall Event (anywhere from 20,000 to 100,000)
  - “Slow Roll” Location/s TBD



# NSSE Operating Environment

- Attendance at key DC events estimated at over 2 million people
- Weather Predictions – January 17-20
  - Much colder air, middle and latter part of this week
  - Below zero wind chills possible
  - Potential snowfall in the east
  - Statistical Climatological Temp Range –
    - Low mid 20 °s – High in low 40 °s
    - Noon Conditions: 37° – Partly Cloudy – Wind 10 MPH
    - Precipitation - 1:6
    - Snow - 1:20
- Transportation
  - Highway congestion regionally
  - Public transportation stressed to capacity
- Housing/Lodging
  - Hotel rooms are not available
  - Shelter capacity challenges
- Medical system capacity (facilities, staff, and transport) challenges
  - Impediments to movement (access, egress)
- Communication system capacity issues (public/government)
- Extraordinary security challenges
- Intense media coverage
- Unforeseen consequences from interdependencies



# NSSE Steering Committee

\*NSSE Steering Committee and Subcommittees started meeting in August 2008 to plan for Inauguration

**Steering Committee**  
Facilitated by US Secret Service

## Sub-Committees

- Andrews Air Force Base
- Aerospace Security
- Capital
- Civil Disturbance
- Consequence Management (FEMA)
- Credentialing
- Crisis Management (FBI)
- Critical Infrastructure
- Explosive Device Response
- Fire, Life Safety, HazMat
- Health & Medical
- Intelligence
- Interagency Communications – JFO
- Legal
- Maritime Security
- Parade Route
- Public Affairs
- Reviewing Stand
- Tactical – Counter-Surveillance Teams
- Training
- Transportation – Traffic
- Venues
- VIP – Dignitary Protection
- USSS Support



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# Participating Agencies

- FEMA
- U. S. Secret Service
- Federal Bureau of Investigation
- DHS OPs/Principal Federal Official Program
- U.S. Dept of Health and Human Services HHS/NCR
- Transportation Security Administration
- Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms
- Environmental Protection Agency
- Federal Protective Service
- U.S. Capitol Police
- House of Representatives
- U.S. Senate
- U.S. Department Of Transportation
- U.S. Coast Guard
- U.S. Park Police
- Joint Forces HQ/NCR
- Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority
- DC Homeland Security & Emergency Management Agency
- DC Fire Department and EMS
- DC Health and Human Services
- DC Metropolitan Police Department
- Regional Emergency Management, Fire, Police, EMS and Health Departments
- State of Maryland (MEMA)
- Commonwealth of Virginia (VEDEM)
- Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- Commonwealth of West Virginia



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# Inaugural Plans

(as of 11 Jan)

## States/Locals/NGOs

- DC HSEMA
- Metropolitan Police Department
- Commonwealth of Virginia Sheltering Plan
- State of Maryland
- DC Fire EMS
  - Fire, Life Safety, Hazardous Materials
  - Search and Rescue
  - CBRNE
- National Park Service/US Park Police
  - Evacuation Plan
  - Overcrowding Mitigation Plan
  - Emergency Medical Services Plan
- Joint Transportation Plan (press release)
- WMATA
- American Red Cross

## Federal Agencies

- FEMA
  - Operations Plan
  - External Affairs
  - Individual Assistance
  - Urban Search and Rescue
- DHS
  - Strategic plans/guidance for biological, nuclear, and radiological attacks
- EPA
- JFHQ-NCR
- HHS
- TSA
- OSHA
- US Coast Guard Op
- US NORTHCOM (ACP)



# Law Enforcement and Military Support

- DC Metropolitan Police
  - 4,000+ law enforcement personnel from DC Metropolitan Police will be on duty
  - 4,000+ additional troops will be available in adjacent states
- National Guard
  - 10,000 guardsmen have been assigned to DC of which 7,000 will be on the National Mall
  - 1,100 guardsmen will be on duty in adjacent states for traffic control
  - 800 guardsmen will be stood up from Joint Task Force 29
  - 16,000 will be available within 24-48 hour notice





# Federal Support

## FEMA

- Bus and Ambulance Contracts
- Federal Coordinating Officer
- Incident Management Teams
- Emergency Response Teams

## DoD

- Medical Support
- Civil Support Teams
- Special Purpose Incident Response Force
- Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear, and High Yield Explosive Assets

## Urban Search and Rescue Team

- Incident Support Team
- Two US&R Teams on Alert

## HHS

- First Aid Stations
- Casualty Collection Points to support First Aid Stations
- Incident Response Coordination Team
- Emergency Management Group
- FDA Food Safety Inspectors
- Epidemiologist
- Special Event Packs
- National Medical Response Team
- Disaster Medical Assistance Team
- Strike Teams



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# District of Columbia, Virginia and Maryland Actions

## District of Columbia

- **DC HSEMA EOC Hours of Operations**
  - Full Activation 1800 hrs. January 16 to 1800 hrs. January 22
  - Mobile Command Post to be located within USSS Secure Zone (The National Mall area)
- **DC leading planning effort for issues arising from the huge crowds expected**
  - Working groups established with support from FEMA Subject Matter Experts (SMEs)
- **DC HSEMA leading working groups to develop integrated local/state plan with NCR and FEMA partners**
  - Transportation & Evacuation
  - Joint Information Center / Messaging
  - Sheltering

## Virginia

- VEOC will be operational and have augmented staffing. Hours of operation yet to be determined.
- NoVA localities are reviewing their capability to backup the NCR.
- Transportation coordination with DC
- The NoVA Evacuation Plan will guide evacuation efforts if necessary.
- NoVA PIO are participating in the Inauguration Planning groups. Intend to partner in both JIC and messaging efforts.

## Maryland

- Maryland State Emergency Operations Center will be staffed at Level 3 from the evening of January 17th – 7pm through the morning of January 21 – 7am
- MEMA as state agency designee holding weekly meetings and conference calls with State Staff. MEMA will hold Inaugural Exercise on January 9th
- State of Maryland is participating in weekly Consequence Management Subcommittee, Evacuation/Transportation, Sheltering and JIC/Messaging Working Groups
- State meetings held with local jurisdictions on local evacuation plans to ensure coordination with DC



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# Delaware, Pennsylvania, West Virginia Actions

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- All Region III States have been included in the planning efforts
- Delaware and Pennsylvania are planning for NSSE events with partners for January 17<sup>th</sup> events
- Region III States are coordinating evacuation and sheltering needs



# Request for Assistance

\*Condensed List as of 09 January 09

- Surge sampling, to include resource support and funding, from the BioWatch Program.
- Assignment of a Civil Support Team with experience working with the United States Secret Service during NSSEs to assist the BioWatch surge.
- Provide security escort to the BioWatch/CST collection teams while they access their collectors.
- Transportation of 20-30 DOI Law Enforcement Officers and personal equipment from their primary duty station in the Pacific West Region
- 3 Ambulance Strike Teams for Inauguration Day Event Support
- 1,300 National Guard Troops to assist with the law enforcement along the Inaugural Parade Route and the areas of the National Mall that are affected by the Inaugural Event.
- Technical expertise and assistance in planning radiological support capable of sweeping venues in advance of public or protectee occupation and screening of personnel entering through identified checkpoints; and manpower and equipment to properly staff and execute the radiological protection plan
- 2 Type I Urban Search and Rescue Teams
- Support of the National Medical Response Team
- Support of the Naval Research Laboratory CT-Analyst real-time plume assessment team for the security arrangements being organized for the Presidential Inauguration.
- Aerial Electro-Optical Infrared (EO/IR) Full Motion Video (FMV) Support.



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# Federal Authorities

- **DHS** Homeland Security Act; Homeland Security Presidential Directives 1-23; Presidential Decision Directives 39, 62; Strategy for Homeland Defense and Civil Support; National Incident Management System; National Infrastructure Protection Plan; National Response Framework; National Preparedness Guidelines; National Security Directive 42; Executive Orders 12472, 12656, 12742, 13231; 10 USC, 38 USC, 50 USC
- **FEMA** Stafford Act; Post-Katrina Emergency Management Reform Act; Economy Act;
- **DOD** Request for Forces 2; Request for JTF-NCR Activation and Initial RFF; Joint Publication 3-28; Homeland Defense Implementation Guidance; DOD Ceremonial Support Guidelines; CJCS EXORD DOD Support to 2009 Presidential Transition; CJCS Standing Rules of Engagement; CONPLAN 3500,3501, 3600-07; DOD Defense Production Act 1950; DOD policy Memo Est.Commander, USJFCOM as Primary Joint Force Provider; US NORTHCOM EXORD for DOD support to 2009 Inauguration; 10 USC, 18 USC, 50 USC; DODD 3025, 7000
- **USCG** Maritime Transportation Security Act; DHS Appropriations Act 2008; PL 95-474; PL 101-380; PL 107-295; Title 18; 14 USC, 33 USC, 46 USC, 50 USC
- **HHS** Public Health Service Act; Social Security Act; Preparedness and All-Hazards Preparedness Act; Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act; Presidential Decision Directives 39, 62
- **EPA** Clean Air Act; 40 CFR; 33 USC, 42 USC
- **DOE** 18 USC § 831
- **USACE** 33 USC § 701n
- **OSHA** 29 USC
- **VA** PL 107-287



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# Local/State Authorities

## Washington DC

- DC Code Sec 1,2,5,7
- DC Anti-Terrorism Act of 2002
- DC Public Emergency Act of 1980
- Energy Conservation Plan
- Facilities Energy Management Plan
- Emergency Energy Shortage Contingency Plan
- Energy Research and Development Program
- DC Building Code Supplement 2003 DCMR
- USC Title 32 (National Guard)

## Virginia

- Commonwealth of Virginia Emergency Operations Plan- 2007
- National Capital Region Mutual Aid Agreement
- USC Title 32 (National Guard)

## Maryland

- MD Code Title 14
- Executive Order 01.01.1991
- State of Maryland Emergency Operations Plan
- USC Title 32 (National Guard)



# Additional Information

- **Encourage Workers to Have Plan for Getting to Work:**
  - Allow plenty of time to arrive
  - Use mass transportation (Metrorail/bus)
  - Carpool to metro stations
  - Use back roads during off peak hours (before 0700; after 2000)
- **Communications with Public will Occur Via:**
  - Jumbotrons
  - Visual Messaging System
  - PA System



# Important Websites for Information

- Weather - <http://www.weather.com/>
- Traffic - <http://www.traffic.com/Washington-DC-Traffic/Washington-DC-Traffic-Reports.html>
- D.C. Government Inaugural Page - <http://www.inauguration.dc.gov>
- Washington Metropolitan Transit Authority (Metro) Inaugural Page  
[http://www.wmata.com/getting\\_around/metro\\_events/inauguration.cfm](http://www.wmata.com/getting_around/metro_events/inauguration.cfm)
- Presidential Inaugural Committee - <http://www.pic2009.org/>
- U.S. Secret Service Inaugural Page  
[http://www.secretservice.gov/presidential\\_inaugural.shtml](http://www.secretservice.gov/presidential_inaugural.shtml)
- Armed Forces Inaugural Committee - <http://www.afic.northcom.mil/>
- Destination D.C. Inaugural Page - <http://www.washington.org/visiting/experience-dc/presidential-inauguration/information>

