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Protest Marches and Rally Announced for May 18 and 20

Two major marches and a rally have been announced in the days leading up to and through the NATO Summit here May 20-21.

- 1. May 18:** National Nurses United will march from the Sheraton Chicago Hotel & Towers at 301 North Water Street to the Daley Center at Randolph and Dearborn Streets. The march will begin at 11 a.m. and the rally at the Daley Center will start at 12:15 p.m. [Click here for more information.](#)
- 2. May 20:** The Coalition Against NATO/G8 War & Poverty Agenda will march from the Petrillo Bandshell in Grant Park south to McCormick Place. The march will begin at noon. [Click here for more details.](#)
- 3. May 20:** The Veterans March for Justice & Reconciliation will hold a rally the Lincoln Monument in Grant Park beginning at 9 a.m. [Click here for more details.](#)

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Officials Release Detailed Summit Security Plan

The [complete plan](#) for road closures and other security-related decisions related to the **NATO Summit** here May 20-21 was announced Friday afternoon by federal and local authorities.

Expressways and major roadways leading to and from the Central Business District will be closed or restricted, bans on parking will be implemented and there will be limited or restricted access to McCormick Place and the Museum Campus attractions along the lakefront.

Road closures and parking restrictions also are in place for the

area around the Willis Tower, Chicago Cultural Center and Art Institute of Chicago.

[Click here to download the complete security restrictions and transportation plan.](#) It is highly recommended that all Building Managers and Affiliate Members keep this information handy and share with tenants and staff.

Summit Impact on Transportation Detailed in Tribune Article

The impact of the NATO Summit here May 20-21 on Chicago's transportation network was outlined in an article published in the **April 25 issue of the Chicago Tribune**. Here are some key details, as noted in the report:

- O'Hare International Airport may allocate a runway for use by planes carrying NATO dignitaries, which might affect regular air traffic.
- The Chicago Transit Authority has completed Summit-related training exercises to prepare for last-minute adjustments to rapid transit service and bus routes.
- Officials are testing security gates at expressway on-ramps to make sure they're working in case the situation arises to restrict access to area highways.
- The City might implement a downtown parking ban on some streets.

[Click here to read the entire article.](#)

Make Time Now to Register for CP3 and Send Word Now

With just **18 days before the NATO Summit**, some member buildings still have not registered with **CP3** or **BOMA/Chicago's Send Word Now** system.

Buildings are advised that should any situation warrant the closure of an area, the City's Facility Incident Management System (FIMS) will be the basis for any access control measures implemented by City authorities. Failure to be properly registered may delay or prohibit critical access. Registration with FIMS is through the CP3 portal. Instructions are below.

BOMA/Chicago plans to put out a test message **within the next 10 days** using the **Send Word Now** system.

FIMS Registration

Designate an authorized person to register your property with the City's **Facility Incident Management System (FIMS)** database to ensure that your critical contact information is available to first responders, and to receive up-to-date information from the City of Chicago. Access the system by using the [Chicago Public Private Partnership \(CP3\) portal](#). This database will maintain building and contact information for key personnel. It will also be used to issue access credentials to secured areas should they become necessary. Follow this procedure:

1. Designate the authorized person to enter data into the data. Only one person per building should be responsible. There is an expedited vetting process

that BOMA/Chicago has worked out with the Chicago Police Department.

2. Review the [CP3 Data Entry Worksheet](#) to determine what information will be necessary to enter into the CP3 system. Gather the information and use the [CP3 Instructions](#) to register your critical information.

Send Word Now

During the NATO Summit, BOMA/Chicago will be using the Send Word Now (SWN) system to relay critical information and updates to each building's managers, security director, and engineer. Download a copy of the [SWN Data Update Form](#), and return it to Ron Tabaczynski at rtabaczynski@bomachicago.org.