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From: Tina Shull
Sent: Tuesday, August 25, 2015 4:55 PM
To: dl_CMAD; dl_CCAD
Subject: FW: City Hall Safety

Good afternoon all,

Please see the message below. Each department will be sending this out to their staff who work at City Hall.

I know this this group has impacted you – for that I am sorry.

Please let me know if you have questions,
Tina

From: Tina Shull
Sent: Tuesday, August 25, 2015 4:43 PM
To: dl_Dept Heads
Subject: City Hall Safety

Please distribute the following e-mail to your staff that work in and around the City Hall campus. Thank you.

Good afternoon City Colleagues,

This message is particularly intended for those of us who work at the City Hall campus and have been impacted by the regular protest activity on our grounds, that now seems to be occurring each Tuesday evening and Wednesday morning.

First, we want to convey our regrets that you may have been affected by the activities of this group. City employees are not the target of this political protest, yet you are bearing the brunt of the impacts as you come into work and throughout your day. We want to assure you that City Hall needs to be safe for our employees, visitors and customers. Illegal activities will not be tolerated.

If you see illegal activities or feel unsafe, please call 9-1-1 immediately. We tend to be cautious about calling 9-1-1 but our police assure us that the 9-1-1 call center coordinates with them to prioritize calls across the city. Calling 9-1-1 also creates a record so we are better able to analyze activity.

We are closely watching the situation and have dealt with it thus far with nightly police patrols. Our officers have been ticketing for trespassing (the City Hall park is closed 10 p.m. to 6 a.m.) and those ticketed are required to leave the campus. These efforts will continue. Further, we plan to increase First Alarm presence. Please keep in mind that City Hall is a public place and not all activities we witness are illegal, but we need to tend to the safety and security of our staff and customers.

Thank you for reading this update and if you have questions, our doors are open,

Martin, Tina, Dannettee, Kevin, Lisa, Laura, Bonnie, Rosemary, Janis, Juliana, Marcus, Mark and Jim