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Greetings Mayor and Council

Please be advised, there is currently an incident being managed by the Vancouver Police Department, related to a confirmed explosive device at Jones Park (5350 Commercial St.). The explosive device has been confirmed by VPD as being commercial explosives, without malicious intent. All personnel have been safely cleared from the area, with adjacent roads currently being blocked by VPD to limit nearby traffic to the area.

The CoV Security Operations Center is providing support to the VPD by coordinating the delivery of supplies as requested (sand), which is currently on-going. It is noted that the City of Vancouver and Vancouver Parks Board Senior Management, Media and Communication teams have been informed of the incident.

City Protective Services is continuing to monitor the situation to provide support to the VPD and will facilitate further distribution of information as the incident continues to be managed

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