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Chief Pooler:

The City of Milwaukee (WI) has been designated as the host city for the 2020 Democratic National Convention, to be held July 13, 2020 through July 16, 2020. For planning purposes, the Convention Security Period may reasonably be expected to extend from approximately July 10, 2020 through July 17, 2020.

We anticipate needing additional personnel and equipment to fulfill the fire service requirements detailed in the *2020 Democratic National Convention Agreement with the City of Milwaukee* for the provision of *Fire & Other Protection Services* in and around the Convention Facilities and at all official Convention-related meetings and activities in the Metropolitan Area as they are determined.

Included with this letter is an official *Intergovernmental Agreement for Fire & Other Protection Services for the 2020 Democratic National Convention in Milwaukee, Wisconsin* as an official request for personnel and/or equipment. Reimbursement procedures and legal details are outlined in the document for your consideration.

Sincerely,

  
MARK ROHLFING  
Chief

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