

At this same hour, one (1) Lieutenant, three (3) Sergeants and seventeen (17) men from the Patrol Division, and one (1) three-wheel motorcycle Sergeant and five (5) three-wheel motorcycle officers from the Traffic Division reported. Souter directed that barricades be placed across the driveways at both the east and west ends of the north parking area of the Trade Mart, and that rope be strung along the sidewalk area isolating the parking from the public. He also assigned officers to each of the entrances to the parking area along Stemmons Service Road and Industrial Boulevard for the purpose of screening persons entering to park. His instructions were that only tenants and buyers were to be allowed to enter as the space was to be reserved for the later arrival of guests to the luncheon.

He dispersed the rest of the assignments around the perimeter of the north parking area to be secured for the presidential motorcade. It was discovered that temporary "No Parking" signs which had been placed along both sides of Industrial Boulevard and the Stemmons Service Road the night before had been removed by unknown persons. The parking sign detail of the Traffic Division was notified and they replaced the signs.

At 9:00 a.m., twenty-nine (29) additional men and three (3) Sergeants from the Patrol Division plus one (1) Solo Motorcycle Sergeant and two (2) motorcycle officers from the Traffic Division reported for assignment. These men were assigned in the interior of the parking areas to direct traffic through the various lanes and islands. From this group some were assigned to reinforce the number securing the north parking area. They were also assigned across Industrial Boulevard to contain the spectators on the opposite side of the street from the Trade Mart.

No one was allowed to stand on the south side of Industrial Boulevard or along the Stemmons Service Road next to the north parking area. Those men who were assigned near the north door of the Trade Mart where the President would enter were given special instructions about the entry of the President upon his arrival and about the containment of the press behind barricades which had been put in place at the door. No one would be allowed through this door except the presidential party and his security.

A three-wheel motorcycle officer was stationed at Industrial Boulevard and Hines for the purpose of stopping all west-bound traffic immediately prior to the approach of the presidential motorcade. Two (2) officers were stationed at the Stemmons East Service Road and Industrial Boulevard to stop all east-bound traffic on Industrial and to move out any north-bound traffic on East Stemmons Service Road. Two (2) other motorcycle officers were allotted the mission of simultaneously preventing traffic