

[Trucker convoy drives through Winnipeg | CTV News](#)

“A crowd of people stood outside the Manitoba Legislature to show support as the convoy travelled down Broadway [...] Hundreds of semi-trucks and other vehicles drove through the city to oppose the new rules, but not all truckers are against the vaccine mandate.”

[Local protest held in support of truckers' rally in Ottawa | Winnipeg Sun](#)

“According to organizers on Facebook, the Manitoba Freedom Convoy started at Elkhorn in western Manitoba on Saturday morning with stops in Brandon, Austin and Headingley before moving around the Perimetre and carrying on to the Manitoba Legislature and City Hall.”

Ontario

[Hundreds take part in Barrie 'convoy' to support 'Freedom Rally' in Ottawa | Barrie 360](#)

[Hundreds gather to support truckers' convoy as it passes through Greater Sudbury area - North Bay News \(baytoday.ca\)](#)

Maritimes

[Truckers rally across Maritimes in support of convoy in Ottawa | CTV News](#)

“Over at the Nova Scotia and New Brunswick border, during blizzard conditions, there was a heavy police presence but not many participants.”

[Hundreds protest outside N.L. legislature in support of convoy | CBC News](#)

“Hundreds of people rallied outside Confederation Building in St. John's for what organizers called a freedom rally. [...] Posts on social media Saturday also show dozens of vehicles gathered outside the Corner Brook Civic Centre, and a small convoy of vehicles in St-Pierre-Miquelon.”

Territories

[Protestors congregate in Whitehorse in support of Ottawa convoy | CBC News](#)

“The line up of vehicles extended for two kilometres near the Yukon Transportation Museum, from Norseman Road to Condor Road and along Lodestar Lane prior to slowly parading around the city, similar to the event [last week](#).”

PHO – World

[Anti-vaccination protesters flock to Parliament House as GoFundMe suspends page \(theage.com.au\)](#)

“The Convoy to Canberra rally, sparked by a West Australian truck driver, saw thousands of people from various parts of the country, including truck drivers and participants of the so-called freedom rallies and “sovereign citizens” movement, converge on Parliament House lawn from Monday morning.”

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[Florida Nazis Out in Force in Orlando with Flags, Swastikas & Salutes | The Jewish Press - JewishPress.com | David Israel | 29 Shevat 5782 – January 31, 2022 | JewishPress.com ; Videos Show Neo-Nazis Waving Flags, Chanting Slogans, Assaulting Driver in Florida Suburb \(newsweek.com\)](#)

[In Germany, far-right factions find footholds in anti-vaccine protests - The Washington Post](#)

“In Saxony, which has the lowest vaccination rate in Germany, far-right extremists also have tried to gain ground in the growing movement against vaccine mandates and other health measures. [...] Saxony's domestic intelligence agency deems a group called Free Saxons, which it classified last year as a right-wing extremist movement, to be the “mobilization machine” of protests against coronavirus measures in the state and beyond, promoting the

demonstrations on its Telegram channel. [...] The co-founder, Stefan Hartung, is a member of the district council for Germany's National Democratic Party, a neo-Nazi party."

[Leaked Chats Show Patriot Front Fascists Sought Allies at March for Life \(thedailybeast.com\)](#)

"In messages on the chat platform RocketChat, Patriot Front leader Thomas Rousseau described the March For Life events as outreach to the largely conservative anti-choice movement."

Misc.

[Trump suggests he might pardon some Jan. 6 defendants - POLITICO](#)

"Another thing we'll do — and so many people have been asking me about it — if I run and if I win, we will treat those people from January 6 fairly. We will treat them fairly," he said at a rally in Conroe, Texas. "And if it requires pardons, we will give them pardons. Because they are being treated so unfairly."

[FBI Infiltrator Spent 25 Years Unmasking Nazis, the Klan, and Gangs - Rolling Stone \(longform\)](#)

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Subject: Media Scan - 2022-01-31
Attachments: Fundraiser Screenshot Top Donations.pdf; Example of Paid Actors comment.pdf; Media Scan - 31 January 2022.pdf

Good morning,

Lots of social media over the weekend and ongoing.

Good morning,

Freedom Convoy 2022

OPEN SOURCE

- GoFundMe is at \$9,106,550. Goal now set to 10 million. I've attached a screenshot of some of the large donations, one totally \$42,069 from "www.liar.com - the link goes to the Wikipedia page for Justin Trudeau
- Adverse comments, "**tomorrow the storm is coming, do not bring your children to Ottawa tomorrow the party's over this we can confirm**" posted on tweet
<https://twitter.com/status/1487969808859684870>
 - Multiple law enforcement agencies social media accounts tagged. Based on open source research it
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- With respect to the incidents of disrespect (Terry Fox statue, Tomb of unknown soldier) Some supporters of the convoy are blaming anarchists and the government - staged by TRUDEAU. Other are denouncing the behaviour and saying it's a few bad apples. Example comment attached from one of the main social media accounts posting content about the convoy
- Reddit link keeping track of all the questionable behaviour/incidents from the weekend
https://www.reddit.com/r/ottawa/comments/sg9myo/convoy_megathread_22/huupnt6/
 - This captures a lot of incidents that will be discussed in today's STA
- Multiple videos circulating showing members of the mainstream media harassed. Example
<https://twitter.com/EatsFood2/status/1487842222146039809>
- Rideau Centre has to close on the weekend due to maskless protesters
- Multiple persons of interest identified as being in Ottawa based on list from Ottawa Police and checks by IMCIT
- With restaurants reopening this week with restrictions/in person dining, there will likely be disturbances from convoy attendees defying public health orders
- Overall sentiment among individuals from main freedom convoy 2022 social media accounts is that the questionable behaviour/hate symbols showing this weekend are being used to try to discredit the movement and that the movement is about unity for all Canadians
- **Overall Analyst comment:** Though there remains a steady stream of open source information being posted, while information online may identify sporadic threatening posts, now that groups of individuals are physically present together, planning can take place in person with no need to communicate via open sources which could lead to private planning with little to no warning

- **News outlets just announced the PM has tested positive for COVID** – this will likely be interpreted by protesters as a scam in order for the PM to not address to situation in Ottawa and to be able to continue to work remotely. This could also prolong the protest and fuel narratives of an anti-vax nature since the PM is triple vaxxed. <https://twitter.com/JustinTrudeau/status/1488162322187182085>

NEWS

- **Just after 5 p.m. Sunday, the chief said there were no serious injuries over the weekend, only one arrest, and no criminal charges laid.** The Ottawa Police Service is so far estimating policing costs of the protest at more than \$800,000 per day. The police service said in an update Sunday it has avoided ticketing and towing vehicles “so as not to instigate confrontations with demonstrators.” <https://ottawacitizen.com/news/local-news/truck-convoy-rideau-centre-closed-large-crowds-remain-downtown>
- **Attached email from James with some great links to other convoy related news by province**

Thank you!

Kristen

Scott, Matthew

From: Little, Kristen
Sent: February 21, 2022 9:45 AM
To: Morawiec, Garrett; Chen, Ashley; Kruk, James; Piamonte, Kandi; Larson, Nathan
Subject: Media Scan - 2022-02-21
Attachments: Instagram Video of RCMP doxxing.mp4

Good morning,

Freedom Convoy & Wetsuwet'en Solidarity updates. Other topics will be in draft for next NTL.

FREEDOM CONVOY 2022

- The leaked RCMP chat is circulating various channels which presents an issue for officer safety (doxxing) but more concerning a potential insider threat (who leaked the chat). Example of it posted [\[redacted\]](#) which has promoted Diagon content
 - **Some of the officers from the chat who had publicly available pictures online have had them posted. I've attached a video located on the [\[redacted\]](#) Instagram account (posts about Diagon/links to JM)**
 - Rebel News article: https://www.rebelnews.com/leaked_rcmp_messages_time_for_the_protesters_to_hear_our_jackboots_on_the_ground
 - RCMP Statement on the leaked chat: <https://blockade.rcmp.ca/news-nouvelles/ncr-rcn201500-s-d-en.html>
- Rumours circulating convoy social media pages that the PM is resigning on Wednesday and Deputy PM will take over
- Overall sentiment of a loss of faith in democracy, the media and police
- Perception those who participated were on the right side of history when Canada fought for freedom
- Narratives that the protest itself has not ended, the trucks are gone but the truckers only left because safety was a big priority – note that I don't know that we have any confirmation that all truckers who left actually left to go home. As per CIG reports it looks like there are staging areas. These could include participation from people who “left” the downtown area
- Messaging circulating regarding morality vs obedience will contribute to anti-authority narratives moving forward as there is a widespread perception among protesters as a whole (non-ideologically motivated and ideologically motivated) that they were doing what is right (morality) instead of doing what they were told (obedience)
- Some individuals who were not ideologically motivated before and have been exposed to ideologies due to this protest/had negative experiences with police resulting from participating in the convoy will potentially gravitate to ideologies they have been exposed to as we now likely have grievances in populations we didn't before
- A Freedom Chain is being promoted where people hold hands of link arms for freedom across Canada on March 5, 2022 on the TransCanada Highway – little logistics identified at this point
- The rhetoric within Diagon social media publicly available remains that it is a meme country and it is laughable that Parliament is talking about a meme with a perception it is why it justified the state of emergency
- Long term perceptions in memory of the convoy events may be that the government declared war on its own citizens
- Some narratives floating around comparing previous crowdfunding initiatives for traditionally left leaning events to the situation with the leaked donors and frozen accounts of those who donated to the freedom convoy - this will increase polarization
- Some narratives indicating there is a perception that the protesters won because they showed how corrupt the government by its reaction and the police enforcement that is ensuing

- There will be persisting anti-police/anti-authority narratives as a result of this protest - lots of video snippets/images showing a perception of police brutality. The non-ideologically motivated narratives and ideologically motivated narratives are likely going to start to become blurred as a result of the visibility of enforcement and potential misinformation about police floating around

Wet'suwet'en Solidarity

- NEWS: No suspects yet in 'violent confrontation' at B.C. gas pipeline site: RCMP. The RCMP is investigating an alleged attack on a natural gas pipeline work camp in northern B.C. saying they've yet to identify suspects, and are not linking the incident to prior protests in the area. <https://globalnews.ca/news/8633179/no-suspects-yet-in-violent-confrontation-at-b-c-gas-pipeline-site-rcmp/>
 - **Analyst Note:** Regardless of no one claiming responsibility, the action continues to be celebrated within anarchist networks. The attached screenshot is from an international anarchist publication. The thread ends with "We whole-heartedly hope that the mystery of who carried out this action is never solved, and that it contributes to the broader goal of blocking pipeline construction and convincing CGL's investors to pull out from the project. #AllOutForWedzinKwa" <https://twitter.com/submedia/status/1495178500810186758>
 - An anarchist blog has reposted the statements made by [redacted] highlighted in the media scan from (2022-02-18)
- NEWS: RCMP devote 40 investigators to attack at Coastal GasLink work site. RCMP seek to identify some 20 masked assailants who threatened Coastal GasLink pipeline contractors and caused millions of dollars in damage. <https://vancouversun.com/news/local-news/rcmp-devote-40-investigators-to-attack-at-coastal-gaslink-work-site>
 - **Analyst Note:** This could draw criticism comparing this to the number of resources devoted to other issues such as MMIWG

Thank you,
Kristen

Scott, Matthew

From: Little, Kristen
Sent: April 26, 2022 10:46 AM
To: Morawiec, Garrett; Chen, Ashley; Kruk, James; Piamonte, Kandi; Larson, Nathan; Warden, Andrew
Subject: Media Scan - 2022-04-26
Attachments: RIIR-2022-003-RollingThunder-pps-e.pdf; Statement from Rolling Thunder.PNG; .

Good Morning,

OVERALL SUMMARY

Weekly protests planned within anti-public health order movement networks continue in multiple cities throughout Canada and will likely occur for the foreseeable future. A diversity of themes that include anti-government sentiment regarding Liberal leadership, perceived government tyranny and overreach, and freedom from all medical mandates and emergency orders throughout Canada are fueling arguments for sustaining these weekly protests. Ideologically motivated rhetoric that includes conspiracy theories persists in these spaces. News reports of the national inquiry called into the PM's use of Emergencies Act to end Freedom Convoy are beginning to circulate anti-public health order networks and overall sentiment will be assessed in the coming days. The initial reaction is skepticism since the Prime Minister is the one who named the individual leading the national inquiry.

The IMCIT is maintaining visibility on the Rolling Thunder Ottawa/Biker Convoy event scheduled for April 29 to May 1 in Ottawa, which will likely see participation from outside Ontario. Though this event has generated national attention and out of province participation is expected, it has not garnered the level of attention, nation-wide coordination, financial support or intention for long-term disruption as observed with the Freedom Convoy 2022 in Ottawa. The IMCIT has provided out of province meet-up location information to RCMP DCAS and requested their assistance with obtaining the number of vehicles observed at each meet-up location. The IMCIT continues to forward relevant open source and vehicle count information to affected partners and participate in conference calls initiated by the OPP related to this upcoming event.

ANTI-PUBLIC HEALTH ORDER

Rolling Thunder Ottawa

- Information from PPS indicates one of the hotels could potentially be the Business Inn this weekend (Under 200 rooms total at hotel)
- **PPS first report attached, 3rd party rule.**
- Information from D Div indicates that "CIS attended the designated location yesterday and there were no riders. It appears the group is stuck in Moosomin SK a few hours west of Winnipeg, due to poor hwy conditions. We are continuing to monitor for any updates on when they may be moving again, and will send same." We do not have numbers on the "group" in SK.
- A statement from "Rolling Thunder Ottawa" was put out saying that they are continuing to work with police. Specifically names an OPS officer in a positive tone.
- Anti-pho networks are discussing the news that came out yesterday about the public inquiry into use of Emergencies Act during convoy protests.
 - The individual who is associated to Diagonol posted a video claiming the reason the act was invoked was because of Diagonol which he captions as a "fictional meme country". The perception is that they created a "boogeyman" that was necessary to justify what they were gonna do
<https://www.instagram.com/p/CcyKbjetcCy/>

- There is a givesendgo set up for one of four men charged with conspiracy to commit murder at a border blockade protest in southern Alberta. So far it has raised 4,660 of 10k goal. The fundraiser is being promoted on the Givesend go Link:
<https://givesendgo.com/freesly>

- On May 14th The Line Canada is hosting "freedom ride". BC and Toronto currently showing on the advertisements. The Line Canada <https://thelinecanada.com/updates/f/canada-wide-biker-rally---end-all-federal-mandates> (TPS and RCMP E Div advised)
- James advised of a protest in Niagara on May 1st –
- James advised of a Quebec convoy route –

WE'SUWET'EN SOLIDARITY

- According to a US anarchist blog, on April 20th Olympia Bank of America ATM attacked in solidarity with Yintah land defenders. "Some anarchists on occupied Nisqually and Squaxin land took to the night, armed with a bottle of brake fluid and a can of expanding spray foam to carry out an act of solidarity with the ongoing resistance of Wet'suwet'en land defenders and their supporters." "We fed the machine brake fluid, filled its mouths with spray foam. It was easy." (T2 only <https://pugetsoundanarchists.org/olympia-bank-of-america-atm-attacked-in-solidarity-with-yintah-land-defenders/>)
- C Div advised that the RBC Quebec president's house was vandalized on April 20th. A blog post on a Montreal anarchist blog was posted (T2 only <https://mtlcounterinfo.org/night-in-westmount/>)

WHITE LIVES MATTER

- April 16 image from protest. Looks like 2 people attended
- A post on [Facebook](#) pages confirms the Folkish Resistance Movement, Nationalist 13, and Active Club Canada are all associated since they are pro-White
- Nationalist 13 recently put up posters in Windsor
- Folkish Resistance movement recently did a banner drop in Edmonton
<https://gab.com/FolkishResistanceMovement/posts/108167900377412463>

OTHER

- Anarchist blogs are posting about May Day events
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Thank you,
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To: Morawiec, Garrett; Chen, Ashley; Kruk, James; Piamonte, Kandi; Larson, Nathan; Warden, Andrew
Subject: Media Scan - 2022-05-09
Attachments: Freedom Auction.PNG; ragingdissident Instagram.PNG; NorthShore Counter-Info May Day Toronto RBC.PNG

Good morning,

ANTI-PUBLIC HEALTH ORDER

- Riders for Freedom added Nova Scotia to the locations for their May 14th event <https://www.facebook.com/photo/?fbid=358078203051028&set=gm.559981322126710> H Div advised. Thus far TheLineCanada has events being promoted for Toronto, ON and Langley, BC (PoJs made aware previously on April 26th). Bikers are suppose to ride around their city for 1.5 to 2 hours. No plans for long-term occupation or rallying identified. Other vehicles also welcome.
- The Alberta Wide Freedom Convoy continues to be promoted within some anti-public health order networks however information online suggests this is a 1 day event with no significant fundraising and no information to suggest participation from out of the province of Ontario
- Overall online chatter/activity remains lower than observed within recent months in anti-public health order networks
- Diagonol:
 - An individual associated with Diagonol posted
 - There is _____ dedicated to fundraising for an individual arrested at Coutts.

WET'SUWET'EN SOLIDARITY

- According to anonymous claims on self-described anarchist blogs, on May 1st an RBC bank in Toronto was targeted.
 - *"In "Toronto" on the morning of May 1st, we attacked an RBC branch in solidarity with the Wet'suwet'en land defenders. We left a spray-painted message, a damaged lock, and a mess of red paint. As we walked away into a beautiful May Day sunrise, we left a trail of messages through the city. We were left wanting more, but we know that there are many more days ahead. The time is now, the task is simple! Attack!"* Link T2 only. Screenshot attached <https://north-shore.info/2022/05/06/toronto-may-day-bank-attack/>
- May 12 - A tweet from the main social media account that promotes solidarity events posted that there will be a rally in support of the Wet'suwet'en nation at 4pm on May 12 in front of RBC offices in Montreal (1 Place Ville Marie) <https://twitter.com/Gidimten/status/1523520179451269120> This event is being organized by Extinction Rebellion Quebec, Quit RBC, Amnesty International Canada Francophone, Greenpeace Canada and other unnamed groups

Thank you,
Kristen

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Subject: Media Scan - 2022-05-30
Attachments:

Good Morning,

ANTI-PUBLIC HEALTH ORDER

- Canada Day updated info forwarded to partner distribution list
<https://www.facebook.com/events/1310625032804864/>
https://www.facebook.com/events/1310625032804864?post_id=1310634732803894&view=permalink
- In person event in Sask June 10th involving individual who claims to have a large group of trained activists to arrest politicians <https://www.facebook.com/groups/310624427062402/posts/575155790609263/> Fwd to numerous partners with interest in individual
- Individual associated with Diagon promoted a protest that is occurring this morning in Truro related to the N.S. Mass Casualty Commission <https://www.facebook.com/events/710778533598348/> Including only to reference the negative police sentiment by the individual and bc it got shared within some anti-public health order networks since he posted about it https://www.facebook.com/85PWgT81ea7Qpzae9l_posts/pfbid09XnWcX8qjkt8zMkbeQ9VwEE7XT5TijzwBzcHT9QfcrsgMnr

WET'SUWET'EN SOLIDARITY

No significant updates

CLIMATE ISSUES

Remain local to BC

OTHER

- Toronto Police have charged a man who allegedly showed up to a North York Jewish school with a weapon, yelled at students, assaulted a staff member and said "I want to kill Jews." Toronto Police are investigating the incident as a suspected hate-motivated crime. <https://www.thestar.com/news/gta/2022/05/27/police-charge-man-who-allegedly-showed-up-to-north-york-jewish-school-with-weapon-and-said-i-want-to-kill-jews.html>
- TPS News release: <https://www.tps.ca/media-centre/news-releases/53037>
- Protesters storm stage to interrupt private Doug Ford Rally in London, Ont. The co-chair of the London Health Coalition (LHC) stormed the stage just moments after the rally began, and shouted at Premier Doug Ford. <https://london.ctvnews.ca/protesters-storm-stage-to-interrupt-private-doug-ford-rally-in-london-ont-1.5923507>
 - **Analyst Note:** Not IM
- Jagmeet Singh came across a group of what he calls "hecklers" outside Brampton West NDP candidate Navjit Kaur's office on Saturday afternoon. But the federal NDP leader said he was "not phased" by the incident. Videos that emerged late Saturday (May 28) on social media appear to show a group of people yelling at Singh as he gets into a dark coloured SUV. <https://www.thestar.com/local-brampton/news/2022/05/29/we-got-questions-jagmeet-singh-met-by-protesters-at-brampton-west-campaign-office.html>
- Video: <https://mobile.twitter.com/status/1530576026211913729>

- **Analyst Note:** Chatter suggests protesters were members of the Sikh community
- Pearson Airport holds fake protest as part of emergency training exercise. About 300 people, a mix of employees and volunteers, played the role of demonstrators at the protest on Electra Road near Convair Drive in Mississauga. The event was part of a mock emergency exercise organized by the Greater Toronto Airports Authority (GTAA), which operates the airport. <https://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/toronto/toronto-pearson-airport-emergency-exercise-gtaa-1.6469694>
- With June being Pride month, we'll likely see an increase in reporting of anti-LGBTQ+ offences. Usually there are a lot of reports about damaged flags at schools and burnouts on pride crosswalks, in addition to single issue groups disrupting Pride events.

Thank you,
Kristen

Scott, Matthew

From: Little, Kristen
Sent: September 10, 2021 9:51 AM
To: Morawiec, Garrett; Chen, Ashley
Subject: Media Scan - IMCIT Election Tasking
Attachments: FW_ PPC Protest at Debates - Update.pdf; Screenshot_20210910-084858.png.pdf; Screenshot_20210910-084905.png.pdf

Good Morning,

No significant changes online since yesterday.

Elections

Overall sentiment online:

- Anti-vaccination sentiment continues to drive discussions in the online space on social media that has promoted protesting Liberal campaign events. The main focus is currently concerns opposing perceived forced vaccine mandates and passports which will lead to segregation of those who choose not to vaccinate.
- Positive sentiment towards the PPC is increasing among individuals who frequent pages that are anti-Liberal in nature. This may be because PPC was in the news a lot this week (rock incident in London, debate protests)

News Media:

'Something wrong is happening.' Distrust and anger on display at People's Party protest outside leaders' debate.

<https://www.stcatharinesstandard.ca/ts/politics/federal-election/2021/09/09/something-wrong-is-happening-distrust-and-anger-on-display-at-peoples-party-protest-outside-leaders-debate.html>

-More than 100 demonstrators gathered outside Gatineau's Museum of Canadian History on Thursday night to protest Maxime Bernier's exclusion from the official leaders' debates.

Known white nationalists, far-right groups among election protest organizers, expert says.

<https://www.ctvnews.ca/politics/federal-election-2021/known-white-nationalists-far-right-groups-among-election-protest-organizers-expert-says-1.5579181>

-"This is a hard pill for people to swallow, but we would describe this as an anti-democratic and pro-insurrectionist movement." (quote from Canadian Anti-Hate Network representative)

Open Source Social Media:

- No significant updates since yesterday
- Based on open source, the protest outside the English debate appeared peaceful. There was a "diagonal" flag present (see attached email from CIG).

- The PM's location is listed as Hamilton today. It is likely there will be chatter trying to figure out where he is. On social media people are starting to post that he is in Hamilton and potentially Mississauga, however no chatter has been identified at this writing trying to figure out his location. <https://www.cbc.ca/news/politics/canada-election-2021-where-the-leaders-are-day-27-1.6170754>

Thank you,
Kristen

Scott, Matthew

From: Kruk, James
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To: Little, Kristen; Chen, Ashley
Subject: News Scan - 12 January 2022

PHO – Canada

[Ontario Man Charged After Allegedly Threatening Maskless Shoppers With A Baseball Bat - Narcity](#)

“According to [Saugeen Shores Police](#), the incident occurred on January 6th, at around 8:00 p.m., when the suspect allegedly threatened the victims and damaged a Port Elgin business.”

[Kamloops RCMP arrest 5 and issue dozens of tickets after 'Maskless Monday' protests | CBC News](#)

“This included 43 tickets under B.C.'s Emergency Program Act with individual \$230 fines for a total of \$9,890 in fines. Five people were arrested after failing to leave the store. Eighteen others were escorted out by police.”

[Anti-vax "convoy" meets in Oshawa en route to Toronto protests at Eaton Centre, Nathan Phillips Square \(insauga.com\)](#)

Same story as yesterday, but has a few details which might be new.

[Calgary mayor denounces protest as group vows to target more politicians | News \(dailyhive.com\)](#)

“[Calgary Freedom Central](#), which describes itself as a “community news page providing rally info and coverage of the freedom movement in Alberta,” [wrote on Facebook on Monday](#) that they plan to continue protesting outside of politicians’ homes.”

[TTC fires 354 workers for failing to comply with mandatory COVID-19 vaccination policy \(yahoo.com\)](#)

“[Stuart Green](#), spokesperson for the TTC [Toronto Transit Commission], said in a statement Monday that the number of workers who lost their jobs represents two per cent of the transit agency's workforce and all 354 have not been working since Nov. 21.”

PHO – World

[Unmask Might Be the Scariest Far-Right Mask Brand Yet \(thedailybeast.com\)](#)

“UnMask’s materials have outwardly claimed their masks are designed to help prevent the spread of coronavirus—and to comply with masking guidelines and mandates—without sacrificing comfort. (The UnMask site boasts their masks “won’t fog glasses, muffle your speech, or trap excessive heat and moisture.”) But dig into their ads, listings, and social media posts, and you’ll notice anti-mask signals and talking points, ranging from subtle nods to movement slogans to outright repetitions of trite misinformation soundbites about the supposed dangers of masking.”

[Desperate No-Vaxxers Paying COVID-Positive People \\$150 for Dinner and COVID \(thedailybeast.com\) \[Italy\]](#)

“Soon after the announcement of the new law, enterprising opportunists started offering COVID parties where people who tested positive for the disease mix and mingle with those who want to catch it—one racket in Tuscany even includes a truffle dinner with Barolo wine, along with a positive-testing infection for around \$150.”

[Anti-vaxxers are spreading the conspiracy theory that Bob Saget died from a booster shot, after the same hoax spread about Betty White \(yahoo.com\)](#)

[Anti-Covid vaccine blockade in front of Guadeloupe hospital removed by police \(rfi.fr\)](#)

"Four people were arrested for "violence against the police" and two gendarmes were injured after clashes between demonstrators and authorities following the dismantling of the picket line on Monday morning."

IMVE

[A Holocaust Denier Is Travelling Across Canada Building Up The Country's Newest Far-Right Militia Movement - Canadian Anti-Hate Network](#)

"Under the moniker "The Ferryman's Toll," Alex Vriend has travelled across Canada trying to unite a growing number of "Diagolon" supporters – a conspiracy-based network of preppers waiting for violent revolution."

[Purported leader of violent neo-Nazi group sentenced to prison for Seattle-area threats, intimidation | The Seattle Times](#)

"The purported leader of the violent neo-Nazi group the Atomwaffen Division was sentenced to seven years in federal prison Tuesday [...] Kaleb Cole, 25, was convicted in September of five federal felonies [...] The other members of the conspiracy, Johnny Garza, Taylor Ashley Parker-Dipeppe and Cameron Brandon Shea, all pleaded guilty and were apologetic about their actions"

[Neo-Nazis Look To Forge Bromance With Jihadis | MEMRI](#)

"A Telegram channel associated with a prominent January 6 Capitol riot defendant wrote that it would livestream from pro-Palestine rallies. Capturing the zeitgeist, a white supremacist in a Hizbullah t-shirt was filmed at a Washington, D.C. anti-Israel rally giving a "white power" hand sign. A leading white supremacist website even posted an "open letter" by a senior U.S. neo-Nazi pleading for support for Hamas."

[University of Utah police investigate bomb threat against Black Cultural Center \(sltrib.com\)](#)

"A bomb threat made against the Black Cultural Center at the University of Utah on Tuesday is deepening concerns at the school after a series of other recent racist acts on campus. The threat was investigated by the U.'s police force after receiving a call, based in California, that a bomb was placed in the center, which is located at Fort Douglas on campus. The caller said he was a 17-year-old Neo-Nazi, according to a statement from the U."

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Sent: June 24, 2022 10:21 AM
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Subject: Product for distribution: SPECIAL THREAT ADVISORY 2022-15 - CANADA DAY 2022 - OUTLOOK
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Good Morning,

Can you please send the attached PROTECTED A product to the following dist lists:

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All CROPS
DIOs

Can you also please include the Chiefs of Police Roundtable e-mail address in the FPNI Strategic Intelligence Brief Dist List: tablerondeCProundtable@rcmp-grc.gc.ca

Thanks,

Garrett

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From: Kruk, James
Sent: March 15, 2022 4:15 PM
To: Little, Kristen; Chen, Ashley; Larson, Nathan; Piamonte, Kandi
Subject: RE: Calgary Protest - Diagonon Patch

on Twitter: "UPDATE: Thanks to an anon tipster, this is the man with the Diagonon patch. In case anyone wants to, you know, question him.... or avoid him while just minding your own business at the water cooler. <https://t.co/ulpQoNro3Y>" / Twitter

From: Little, Kristen <kristen.little@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>

Sent: March 15, 2022 3:37 PM

To: Kruk, James <James.Kruk@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>; Chen, Ashley <Ashley.Chen@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>; Larson, Nathan <Nathan.Larson@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>; Piamonte, Kandi <kandi.piamonte@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>

Subject: FW: Calgary Protest - Diagonon Patch

FYI

From: Little, Kristen

Sent: March 15, 2022 3:36 PM

To: Caron, Eliane <Eliane.Caron@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>

Cc: Morawiec, Garrett <Garrett.Morawiec@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>

Subject: Calgary Protest - Diagonon Patch

Hey Eliane,

Hope you are doing well!

I know you are reviewing Kandi's paper on Diagonon, so thought I would pass this along in case it is of interest.

I came across this Tweet posted today by an account that is Alberta-based and monitors anti-public health order organizing, claiming that a Diagonon patch was present at regular anti-public health order protest in Calgary over the weekend. I do not recognize the individual with the patch.

<https://twitter.com/.> [/status/1503810336205377538](https://twitter.com/.)

<https://twitter.com/.> [/status/1503810381206417408](https://twitter.com/.)

Thank you,

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Scott, Matthew

From: Morawiec, Garrett
Sent: June 23, 2022 11:59 AM
To: Strong, Kyle; Moy, Cindy; Chopyk, Vanessa; Bell, Kristen; Fedec, Kari; Beckett, Andi; Lennox, Patrick; Abbott, Geoffrey; Galecki, Christina; Smith, Laura-Lynne; Metcalfe, Jorda; Picard, Claire; Boudreau, Danick; Bouchard, Annie; McCormick, Greg; Smith, Josee M.
Cc: Ducharme, Lisa; Smith, Josee M.; Chen, Ashley; Little, Kristen
Subject: RE: Canada Day & NTL - Request for Divisional Analytic Support – June 2022
Attachments: RCMP FPNI IMCIT - STA 2022-15 - Canada Day - DRAFT sent to DCAS.docx

Morning folks,

The DFCP has specifically asked to what extent the DIOs have been engaged within the Divisions regarding Canada Day. I have been asked to confirm that your DIOs are aware of the RFI below and the request to report to IMCIT?

Separately, I've attached a DRAFT STA on Canada Day, are there any reds lines, things you don't agree with or things that you feel should be added?

It would be greatly appreciated if we could get a response by the end of play today in order to prepare the Commissioner for a meeting downtown tomorrow.

Thank-you,

Garrett

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Subject: FW: Canada Day & NTL - Request for Divisional Analytic Support – June 2022

Good Afternoon,

For your situational awareness, the monthly RFI has gone out to your analysts.

Our hope is that information pertaining to Canada Day is provided as they come across it.

Our plan is to produce a Special Threat Advisory (STA) focused on Canada Day public order events (protests/demos/rallies), followed by our monthly National Threat Landscape (NTL).

Please let me know if you have any questions,

Thanks,

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Subject: Canada Day & NTL - Request for Divisional Analytic Support – June 2022

Good afternoon,

This request is related to public order for our monthly National Threat Landscape Strategic Assessment, as well as Canada Day since in person celebrations will be taking place throughout Canada for the first time since 2019. We are looking to you for any insight you can provide on the topics below. Nil responses would also be appreciated. **Other than the Canada Day events (see highlight)**, we are requesting any information by the end of the day on June 24th.

PUBLIC ORDER Topics

- **Canada Day – We ask that you send information on Canada Day to us as you come across it. No formal write-up needed, just a link to the social media. We are assisting Ottawa Police with providing a national picture of potential out of province participation**

- Please let us know of any events happening within your jurisdiction (related to public order activities) on Canada Day since attendance at local events may mitigate the out of province attendance numbers in Ottawa
- Please let us know if you come across any individuals/groups indicating they will be traveling to Ottawa to participate in Canada Day public order events (For example: we are aware of a FB post advertising a convoy from Vancouver Island to Ottawa).
 - We are aware of an event in Kingston on June 21st that is attracting some out of province participation where some individuals have indicated plans to stay in Ontario and go to Ottawa for Canada Day
 - We are aware of a veteran who is walking across Canada with the end destination being Ottawa on June 30th who is being hosted by Veterans 4 Freedom
- Please let us know if you see anyone with the networks you maintain visibility on referencing any public order plans that could impact border crossings
- Anti-Government/Anti-Authority Grievances (seen as a result of the Anti-Public Health Order/self described “Freedom” movement)
- Climate Issues (including Old-Growth Logging)
- Wet’suwet’en solidarity actions

Please send any information related to the public order topics to Ashley Chen ashley.chen@rcmp-grc.gc.ca Kristen Little kristen.little@rcmp-grc.gc.ca, and cc the IMCIT inbox FPNI_IMCIT-PFRN_ERCCI@rcmp-grc.gc.ca. If you have already been sending updates as they are identified, you can continue to do so. As always, if you see something come up in your area you think should be added to the list, please let IMCIT know.

If you have received this email and are no longer the point of contact for IMCIT or public order events, please let us know and we will update our contact lists.

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Scott, Matthew

From: Ducharme, Lisa
Sent: February 14, 2022 2:31 PM
To: Chen, Ashley
Subject: RE: guns seizure at border

Disregard DC said we can

From: Ducharme, Lisa
Sent: February 14, 2022 2:31 PM
To: Chen, Ashley <Ashley.Chen@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Subject: re: guns seizure at border

Hi Ash, urgent:::

RCMP K Division (Alberta) recently seized a number of firearms from convoy vehicles at the Coutts AB blockade.

Who is your source for this -- can we share it external to RCMP?

From: Chen, Ashley <Ashley.Chen@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Sent: February 14, 2022 2:25 PM
To: Ducharme, Lisa <Lisa.Ducharme@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Subject: RE: Urgent WHAT WE NEED

Unfortunately it was all me.....lol. I don't want to pressure James into such a tasking....yet ;)

Call me at any time if you need anything else. 343-574-1451

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From: Ducharme, Lisa <Lisa.Ducharme@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Sent: February 14, 2022 2:24 PM
To: Chen, Ashley <Ashley.Chen@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Subject: RE: Urgent WHAT WE NEED

Before I send out the biggest kudos and thank yous possible, want to confirm if that was all you or you had help...

From: Ducharme, Lisa
Sent: February 14, 2022 2:16 PM
To: Chen, Ashley <Ashley.Chen@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Subject: RE: Urgent WHAT WE NEED

Got it

From: Chen, Ashley <Ashley.Chen@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Sent: February 14, 2022 2:15 PM

To: Ducharme, Lisa <Lisa.Ducharme@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>

Subject: RE: Urgent WHAT WE NEED

I would also add that:

CANADA FIRST, a white nationalist group, has been observed in Ottawa. One CANADA FIRST adherent is accused of throwing rocks at the PM during the election campaign. This same individual has been observed in Ottawa during the convoy.

From: Chen, Ashley

Sent: February 14, 2022 2:07 PM

To: Ducharme, Lisa <Lisa.Ducharme@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>

Subject: RE: Urgent WHAT WE NEED

Lisa, new additions highlighted:

The presence of ideologically motivated violent extremism (IMVE) adherents have been noted in a few instances in relation to the "Freedom Convoy 2022" public order events. It is noted that not all individuals participating in convoy protests adhere to IMVE. Narratives questioning the loyalty and authority of police have been circulating surrounding this movement in recent days.

In Ottawa, one truck participating in the convoy was found displaying a THREE PERCENTERS (III%) flag. The Three Percenters were listed as a terrorist entity in Canada in 2021 and have espoused anti-immigration and anti-Islam views in the past. No other references to the THREE PERCENTERS have been noted at convoy protests in recent days and the THREE PERCENTERS have not had visible presence in Canada since being listed as a terrorist entity.

A few members of the DIAGOLON (adjacent to the PLAID ARMY) movement have been seen in Ottawa during the convoy protests. DIAGOLON/PLAID ARMY emerged as a meme-based, satirical movement online in 2021, sharing anti-government and anti-vaccine/mandate views under the guise of humour. In recent days, prominent members of DIAGOLON/PLAID ARMY have espoused increasingly violent rhetoric opposing vaccine mandates. DIAGOLON adherents express desires to form a country based on right-leaning Canadian provinces and US states. Their grievances extend beyond COVID-19 restrictions and are centered on countering "politically correct" culture.

- One member was arrested in January over firearms related offences and has since been seen attending convoy events in Ottawa, frequently warning supporters of imminent law enforcement action against the convoy demonstrations, and denouncing police enforcement of such as illegal.

The convoy movement appears to create an ideologically charged environment in which individuals who may hold frustrations towards public health restrictions may feel this is their one chance to express their frustrations. The movement, given its widespread reach, is attracting individuals who may hold IMVE beliefs and may feel emboldened in their views amid the movement's popularity. While the majority of convoy protesters are peaceful and denounce violence, the possibility of a lone actor attack, inspired by ideologically motivated beliefs, cannot be discounted. RCMP K Division (Alberta) recently seized a number of firearms from convoy vehicles at the Coutts AB blockade.

The blockades at international borders are likely attempts at forming national solidarity with convoy protesters in Ottawa, with the knowledge that affecting critical transportation and economic infrastructure may pressure governments to repeal public health restrictions.

From: Ducharme, Lisa <Lisa.Ducharme@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>

Sent: February 14, 2022 1:57 PM

To: Chen, Ashley <Ashley.Chen@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>

Subject: FW: Urgent WHAT WE NEED

Ashley – other points they'd like info on, if you have it. See below.

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DO WHAT YOU CAN – I get that this is a ridiculous amount of work requested in a few minutes.

Feel free to provide your assessment on what we know and what we don't know at this time, what we're still working on. You got this..

Get James to help!

From: Poloz, Adriana <adriana.polo@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Sent: February 14, 2022 1:52 PM
To: Ducharme, Lisa <Lisa.Ducharme@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Subject: RE: Urgent WHAT WE NEED

Just spoke with Mike M

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From: Poloz, Adriana
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Subject: FW: Urgent WHAT WE NEED
Importance: High

These would help

Scott, Matthew

From: Kruk, James
Sent: March 4, 2022 12:53 PM
To: Morawiec, Garrett; Chen, Ashley; Little, Kristen; Piamonte, Kandj; Larson, Nathan
Subject: RE: Media Scan - 4 March 2022

Here's my first pass at a bit of a more-detailed write-up on the issue. If there's something that can be improved, or a more specific aspect that should be drilled down into, please let me know.

- James Kruk

The Government of Ukraine has recently called for international volunteers to come and fight against Russian aggression, a call which has received a moderate amount of support from international governments. [1] [2] [3] Canadian Foreign Minister Melanie Joly has said that joining the Ukrainian forces is a decision to be left to individual Canadians. [4] In recent history, foreign fighters have participated extensively in conflicts in Iraq, Syria, and Afghanistan, as well as on both sides of previously rounds of fighting between Russia and Ukraine. [5] Approximately 600 Europeans joined pro-Ukraine groups during the 2014 Donbas War. [6]

Historical IM Nexus in Ukrainian Conflicts

In the face of manpower shortages during the Donbas conflict (2014-), former Ukrainian President Petro Poroshenko incorporated dozens of volunteer militia groups into the Armed Forces of Ukraine in 2016. Some of the groups, poorly controlled by the Ukrainian government, subscribed to far-right and Neo-Nazi ideologies, and are alleged to have committed war crimes. [7]

The Azov Battalion became particularly notorious for its glorification of Hitler and Nazism, and served as a nexus for right-wing violent extremism movements, going so far as to maintain a "Western Outreach Office" to attract recruits. [8] [9] The Azov Battalion has also been linked to Atomwaffen Division and the Rise Above Movement (RAM), [9] and had recruits from around a dozen countries. Many of these international connections were made through "fight club" organizations [10] [11] and white supremacist music festivals. [12]

Iconography associated with Azov and the Ukraine conflict has featured prominently in extremist media. For example, Brenton Tarrant, who perpetrated the 2019 mosque attacks in Christchurch, New Zealand, wore a symbol linked to the Azov Battalion on his flak jacket, though he is not known to have been directly affiliated with the group. [13]

Present Situation

Several hundred foreign volunteers have reportedly signed-up to fight since the Ukrainian Government announced that it was forming an "International Battalion", including from several NATO countries. [14] [15] Many of these volunteers appear to be traveling to Poland and then crossing into Ukraine by land. The Ukrainian Government is reportedly asking volunteers to sign three-year contracts with territorial defense forces. [16]

SITE Intelligence Group has reported that far-right militia, accelerationist, and Neo-Nazi groups throughout Europe and North America have expressed desires to join the fight on behalf of the Ukrainian Government, though it is unclear if any of them have taken steps to do so. [17] They are, however, actively fundraising off of the conflict, though it is unclear how these funds will be spent.

The Azov Battalion is reportedly still active, though it is unclear if it has received any new international recruits recently. [18]

Canadian Connections

There have been multiple reports of Canadians traveling to fight on behalf of the Ukrainian government. Some have reportedly used GoFundMe to raise funds for their own travel expenses. [19] News media has not indicated that any of the Canadians traveling to Ukraine subscribe to extremist ideologies.

The ideologically-motivated group Diagonon has reportedly declared itself neutral on the conflict in Ukraine.

QAnon-aligned groups have generally side with Russian against the Government of Ukraine, viewing it as a puppet for globalist powers. [20] One of Canada's most prominent QAnon actors, the self-proclaimed "Queen of the Kingdom of Canada", has "outlawed" any assistance to Ukraine.

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Subject: RE: Media Scan - 4 March 2022

Thanks James,

“Ukraine seen as training ground for some on far right (ajc.com)”

Me

From: Kruk, James <James.Kruk@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Sent: March 4, 2022 9:11 AM
To: Morawiec, Garrett <Garrett.Morawiec@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>; Chen, Ashley <Ashley.Chen@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>; Little, Kristen <kristen.little@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>; Piamonte, Kandi <kandi.piamonte@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>; Larson, Nathan <Nathan.Larson@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
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PHO – Canada

[Victoria council passes noise bylaw in response to honking protesters \(cheknews.ca\)](#)

“Following several weekends of protesters honking their vehicle horns at the B.C. Legislature, Victoria council has unanimously passed a motion to allow officers to ticket people who unlawfully sound horns. [...] A convoy has been planned for the B.C. Legislature this weekend to protest the province continuing to keep mask mandates and vaccine cards in place.”

[Bail hearings cancelled for Coutts accused - Medicine Hat News](#)

“Two more bail hearings for men charged with conspiring to kill police officers at the blockade near the Coutts border in February, have been cancelled.”

[GoFundMe, GiveSendGo defend handling of convoy blockade fundraising campaigns | Globalnews.ca](#)

“Crowdfunding platforms GoFundMe and GiveSendGo defended their handling of the so-called “Freedom Convoy” blockade fundraising campaigns during a meeting that put the due diligence done by those platforms and their payment partners under scrutiny by Canadian lawmakers.”

[Canadian Anti-Hate Network on Twitter: "Testimony today from @gofundme before the House public safety committee re: Ottawa Convoy/Occupation. https://t.co/L3dRFIVduO" / Twitter \[thread on hearing\]](#)

[Protesters planning human chain to demand end to pandemic restrictions | Montreal Gazette](#)

“Participants across Canada plan to link arms on several stretches of the highway, starting at 1 p.m. in Quebec. [...] Participants will meet at highway exits in Rimouski, Drummondville, Lévis, Rigaud and Beloeil. They will park their vehicles on the highway’s shoulder and demonstrate behind the parked cars. “We will stay there for 15 to 20 minutes,” Beaudry explained.”

PHO – World

'Sovereign citizen', anti-COVID-vaxxer in court over alleged incitement to arrest WA government ministers - ABC News
"When officers arrested Mr Glew, they allege he had posted a series of videos on social media "using threatening language and inciting others to arrest government ministers and public officials after documents purporting to be arrest warrants were handed to Perth Police Station"."

Taranaki protesters remain on foreshore despite threat of trespass notice | Stuff.co.nz

'People's Convoy' still on track to arrive in DC area on Saturday | KATV

"The People's Convoy left California on Feb. 23 and is set to be in Hagerstown, Maryland Friday night, then head into the Washington area on Saturday. The group of truckers is protesting federal vaccine mandates, gas prices and more."

Covid 19 Wellington protest: Marae staff pushed, threatened by protesters - NZ Herald [h/t

"A man has been taken away by police after a scuffle broke out outside Wainuiōmata Marae between protesters and locals. Yesterday, protesters arrived at the Lower Hutt marae - which is also a vaccination centre - and have repeatedly tried to gain access since but have been told they are not welcome."

Charges laid after MP Jacqui Dean's Oamaru office vandalised - NZ Herald [h/t |

"Police have charged a 57-year-old Oamaru man with wilful damage, after Waitaki MP Jacqui Dean's Oamaru office was vandalised yesterday morning. [...] Orange graffiti on the door and windows of Dean's office in Thames St read: "Freedom" and "F... all politicians and police"."

IMVE/Conspiracy

Ukraine seen as training ground for some on far right (ajc.com)

"There's been recruitment, saying, 'This is your training for boogaloo, a second civil war in the States,'" said David Malet, a professor in the School of Public Affairs at American University and an expert on transnational fighters."

Twitch takes aim at anti-vaxxers, Russian propaganda and QAnon - Protocol

"Twitch has issued new moderation rules around misinformation on Thursday that take aim at channels spreading lies about vaccines and the ongoing war in Ukraine, as well as other fringe online movements like QAnon."

on Twitter: "QAnon influencers Tore and Zak Paine (the host of QAnon show RedPill78) have been banned from Twitch following the platform's new misinformation policy, which includes QAnon. <https://t.co/Vq99alpnMI>" / Twitter

Tacoma woman gets 5 years in prison for torching police cars during Seattle protests | The Seattle Times

"A 26-year-old Tacoma woman was sentenced to five years in federal prison Tuesday after pleading guilty to arson stemming from the torching of five police cars during the racial justice protests that rocked downtown Seattle after the murder of George Floyd by police in Minneapolis in May 2020."

Nevada Senate candidate embraces far-right group (kunr.org)

"Both Watts and Narvaiza are supporters of the Constitutional Sheriffs and Peace Officers Association, an influential far-right group rooted in the West. [...] "The sheriff is the top law enforcement officer of the county," he said. "Federal and state can be stopped by the power and authority of the sheriff." According to Cloee Cooper, Watts and his fellow "constitutional sheriffs" belong to the far-right Patriot Movement – a broad coalition that includes militias like the Oath Keepers and Three Percenters."

Russian Group Aims to Lead Global White Supremacist Terror Movement (spytalk.co)

"In his interview with Greenblatt, Vorobyev, speaking through a translator, confirms the group runs two training camps outside St. Petersburg where, for just \$500, white supremacist militants and neo-Nazis from Russia, Europe and the United States—in fact, anyone, including would-be Islamist terrorists—can come for a week-long course to learn rural

and urban assault techniques, tactical weapons, and hand-to-hand combat. [...] The Verified podcast plays a portion of one of those episodes featuring Matthew Heimbach, a prominent American white nationalist and neo-Nazi. He lauds the Swedish group for "the inspiration you provide that you are on the front lines fighting the struggle. And we're fighting the same enemy on the same barricades, and it inspires us."

COMMENT: This is a Substack blog + podcast that I've never heard of, so take with as many grains of salt as you deem appropriate.

Facebook is allowing groups planning US truckers convoys to grow on the platform, despite extremist content -- and the potential for real-world consequences | Media Matters for America

"American truckers on social media such as Brian Brase and Mike Landis are the primary organizers, along with Freedom Fighter Nation's Maureen Steele and Leigh Dundas — a QAnon-affiliated insurrectionist. The convoy's official Facebook group was created on January 30 and now has nearly 290,000 members. And while Brase and other organizers have appeared on Fox News and laughed off the suggestion that the group had any ties to militia members or the QAnon community, the convoy's official Telegram channel has members with ties to QAnon, white nationalist groups, Three Percenters, and the Proud Boys. Additionally, known members of the Proud Boys were spotted at the convoy kickoff rally, while convoy organizers in Madison, Wisconsin, put out a call to the Oath Keepers to help with security."

Misc.

Kevin Nguyen on Twitter: "I've pulled together a list of OSINT and digital forensic tools and guides, which myself or my team at @abcnews are using to monitor, identify and verify content for both the Ukrainian-Russian war and the Australian floods. Please share. <https://t.co/cPU0yTB2wu>" / Twitter

Kevin Nguyen's OSINT for Ukraine and Australia - start.me

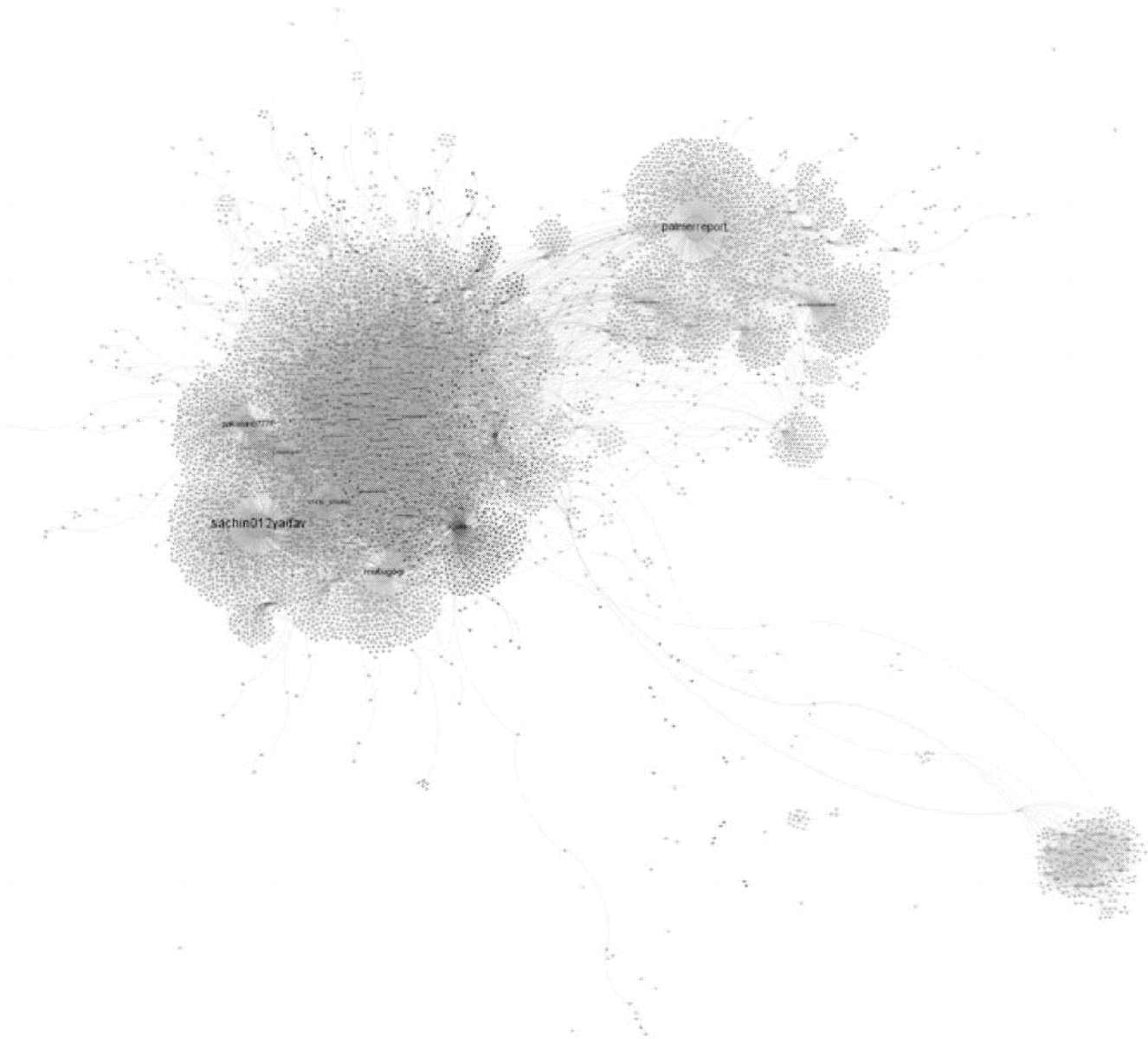
Preserve, Scan and Analyze Tor Hidden Services - YouTube [Official Hunchly tutorial]

White Nationalists With Lanyards: Orlando Showed The Ugly Future Of The Republican Party | HuffPost Latest News

RT America ceases productions and lays off most of its staff - CNN

on Twitter: "Thread 1/ This is a thread on pro-Russian propaganda & #disinformation. I analysed the hashtags "i stand with Putin" & "i stand with Russia". I analysed around 20,000 Twitter interactions involving 9600 unique accounts Bots ✓ Engagement Farming ✓ #UkraineRussianWar #Ukraine <https://t.co/l8XBwPlc7b>" / Twitter

#IStandWithPutin /
#IStandWithRussia



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Scott, Matthew

From: Chen, Ashley
Sent: March 30, 2022 11:54 AM
To: Little, Kristen; Morawiec, Garrett; Kruk, James; Piamonte, Kandi; Larson, Nathan
Subject: RE: Media Scan - 2022-03-30

Thanks KL. No significant updates from me either.

Anti-PHO:

- According to open source, weekend anti-PHO protests are being promoted for Toronto, Calgary, Nanaimo. Another "Freedom Chain" event is being promoted by the Quebec convoy page for April 30, 2022.

Hate Crimes

Assault of Nanaimo student being treated as hate crime, RCMP say - Victoria Times Colonist

- Nanaimo BC: RCMP are investigating an alleged assault that took place on the weekend at a party at Vancouver Island University. A student was allegedly assaulted by other party-goers because of his sexuality.

Calgary police investigate damage to LGBTQ2S+ banner as possible hate motivated crime - Calgary | Globalnews.ca

- Calgary AB: CPS are investigating vandalism on a LGBTQ+ pride banner as a possible hate motivated incident. The word "REPENT" was written on a rainbow banner hanging at a Church welcoming the LGBTQ community.

Saskatoon police launch hate crime unit | The Star Phoenix

- Saskatoon SK's police force is launching a hate crime unit. *The unit began operation on Jan. 1, and consists of a one sergeant overseen by the interpersonal crimes section staff sergeant, reviewing hate crime files and other files with hate-crime components. Police also plan to revamp the online reporting section on their website to include reporting of hate-motivated incidents.*

QAnon

QAnon's Takeover of the GOP Is Virtually Complete (nymag.com)

- An opinion piece about the US Republican party's adoption of QAnon-inspired claims which may affect real politics, including the allegations of election fraud and claims that their political opponents are going easy on or support child trafficking.

From: Little, Kristen <kristen.little@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Sent: March 30, 2022 11:19 AM
To: Morawiec, Garrett <Garrett.Morawiec@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>; Chen, Ashley <Ashley.Chen@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>; Kruk, James <James.Kruk@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>; Piamonte, Kandi <kandi.piamonte@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>; Larson, Nathan <Nathan.Larson@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Subject: Media Scan - 2022-03-30

Good morning,

Not a ton of new info. Most topics have been updated in our draft of the NTL.

OVERALL SUMMARY

Discussions opposing federal mandates continue to dominate the anti-public health order space. The use of convoys in promotional materials advertising public order events or incorporated in to regularly occurring public order events as a means to travel to a static location or parade through a city is ongoing and will likely be trending in the anti-public health order movement for the foreseeable future. IMCIT is aware of numerous convoys which continue to be planned

and is attuned to changes in the threat environment. Though numerous "convoy" events have been observed on social media, none at this point have generated the level of attention, nation-wide coordination, attendance and financial support observed with the Freedom Convoy 2022 in Ottawa. Most convoys are happening as part of, or in conjunction with the weekly protests against public health orders that have been occurring Canada-wide since April 2020 and are being dealt with by the police of jurisdiction. A Bikers Freedom Convoy for April 29/30 in Ottawa is beginning to circulate online and the IMCIT is maintaining visibility to determine the level of Canada-wide attention this event receives as discussions evolve.

ANTI-PUBLIC HEALTH ORDER

- The biker convoy to Ottawa April 29/30 continues to circulate. At this time a couple Ontario based convoy routes have been posted, but the anti-public health order pages it is being promoted have a national audience.
- Video of protest against the PM yesterday in Vancouver being shared in anti-public health order networks.
- The New Blue Party in Ontario (for the general election) is circulating some anti-public health order networks

WET'SUWET'EN SOLIDARITY

- The April 7th glueyourselftoanrbc campaign is getting more circulation and will likely involve multiple climate groups disrupting RBC locations throughout Canada

NATIONALIST-13

- "rapefugees" posters put up in Southwestern Ontario. Signs like these are used to reinforce barbaric stereotypes against immigrants.
- The channel is sharing content from an individual associated to Diagon. Chatter after the content was shared indicates that potentially Diagon associates and dislike each other, however the overall sentiment in the couple of posts shared on the channel is that differences should be put aside for people who have similar grievances.

Thank you,
Kristen

Scott, Matthew

From: Ducharme, Lisa
Sent: May 20, 2022 3:35 PM
To: Chen, Ashley
Subject: RE: Re: FPNS release approval for DIAGOLON paper

Please – we'd like to at least get it out to the Five Eyes today as 1

From: Chen, Ashley <Ashley.Chen@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Sent: May 20, 2022 3:34 PM
To: Ducharme, Lisa <Lisa.Ducharme@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Subject: RE: Re: FPNS release approval for DIAGOLON paper

Hi Lisa,

I have not heard back from Eliane or anyone from FPNS about the product. I can send a heads up to her to let her know LO Washington is waiting for the product.

Thanks,
Ashley

From: Ducharme, Lisa <Lisa.Ducharme@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Sent: May 20, 2022 3:24 PM
To: Chen, Ashley <Ashley.Chen@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Subject: Re: FPNS release approval for DIAGOLON paper

Hi Ashley,

Have you heard anything back from Eliane on whether we can share the DIAGOLON product with the Divs, GoC, Five Eyes?

Reason I ask is – Sean Gordon LO Washington is waiting to share it with the US.

Appreciate anything you could do – let me know if you need my assistance.

Cheers, Lisa

Scott, Matthew

From: Ducharme, Lisa
Sent: May 13, 2022 10:25 AM
To: Chen, Ashley; Piamonte, Kandi
Subject: RE: RESTRICTED Canadian Protests - Diagonal

Hi Ashley, awesome, tks!

Hi Kandi – I'm looking forward to reading this, I've heard great things 😊 I'm on course today but will do my review over the weekend so we can get this out the door on Monday.

Cheers, Lisa

From: Chen, Ashley <Ashley.Chen@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Sent: May 13, 2022 10:13 AM
To: Ducharme, Lisa <Lisa.Ducharme@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Cc: Piamonte, Kandi <kandi.piamonte@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Subject: RE: RESTRICTED Canadian Protests - Diagonal

Hello Lisa, I am good thanks!

The DIAGOLON paper has been completed by Kandi's side of IMCIT (please see attached). This version is Pro B and I will discuss with Garrett about making a FVEY shareable version for next week.

Thanks,
Ashley

From: Ducharme, Lisa <Lisa.Ducharme@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Sent: May 13, 2022 9:41 AM
To: Chen, Ashley <Ashley.Chen@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Subject: FW: RESTRICTED Canadian Protests - Diagonal

Hi Ashley, how are you? Would you know how the Diagonal paper is doing? Can I get an ETA for review? I'm hoping to see it Monday..

(I don't want to bother Garrett as I know he's busy with NATTERJACK)..

From: Gordon, Sean <Sean.Gordon@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Sent: May 12, 2022 3:34 PM
To: Ducharme, Lisa <Lisa.Ducharme@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Subject: FW: RESTRICTED Canadian Protests - Diagonal

Hi Lisa,

I'm finally catching up on some old emails from a bunch of leave/Covid/travels.

I'm just curious whether the Diagonal product is finished? If so, can I get a copy that can be shared with a FVEY (New Zealand) partner?

Thanks,
Sean

From: Croisetière, Guillaume <Guillaume.Croisetiére@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>

Sent: April 14, 2022 3:16 PM

To: Pillay, Simon <Simon.Pillay@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>; Saghbini, Mike <Mike.Saghbini@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>; Grenier, Jean-Sébastien <Jean-Sebastien.Grenier@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>

Cc: Ducharme, Lisa <Lisa.Ducharme@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>; Gordon, Sean <Sean.Gordon@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>

Subject: RE: RESTRICTED Canadian Protests - Diagonal

Sounds good and perfect.

I cc'd the LO Sean GORDON.

Happy Easter and have a great super long weekend.

Guy

From: Pillay, Simon <Simon.Pillay@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>

Sent: April 14, 2022 3:09 PM

To: Croisetière, Guillaume <Guillaume.Croisetiére@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>; Saghbini, Mike <Mike.Saghbini@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>; Grenier, Jean-Sébastien <Jean-Sebastien.Grenier@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>

Cc: Ducharme, Lisa <Lisa.Ducharme@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>

Subject: RE: RESTRICTED Canadian Protests - Diagonal

Hi All,

I reached out to Lisa DUCHARME in FPNI as we do not have a product in FPNS at the moment. Lisa, who is on cc, advised they are in the final stages of completing a Diagonal product and will let us know when it is available.

Thanks,

Simon

KS (Simon) PILLAY, Inspector

OIC Ops 1, PRT 2 Federal Policing National Security - NHQ

From: Croisetière, Guillaume <Guillaume.Croisetiére@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>

Sent: April 13, 2022 9:24 PM

To: Pillay, Simon <Simon.Pillay@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>; Saghbini, Mike <Mike.Saghbini@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>; Grenier, Jean-Sébastien <Jean-Sebastien.Grenier@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>

Subject: RE: RESTRICTED Canadian Protests - Diagonal

Gents.

Hope all is well. As mentioned earlier last week The NZ LO in DC is asking (see below) for more information on the group a/n. I would need a contact at FPNS that I can pass on to my LO in DC (Sean GORDON)

Please and thank you,

Guy

From: Caron, Eliane <Eliane.Caron@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Sent: April 13, 2022 12:24 PM
To: Croisetière, Guillaume <Guillaume.Croisetiére@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Cc: Gordon, Sean <Sean.Gordon@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Subject: RE: RESTRICTED Canadian Protests - Diagonal

Hi Guillaume, I earlier provided the contacts of the two OICs of the teams that cover IMVE projects. You can reach out to Simon or JS at any time.

Best, Eliane

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From: Croisetière, Guillaume <Guillaume.Croisetiére@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Sent: April 13, 2022 9:51 AM
To: Caron, Eliane <Eliane.Caron@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Cc: Gordon, Sean <Sean.Gordon@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Subject: RE: RESTRICTED Canadian Protests - Diagonal

Scott, Matthew

From: Ducharme, Lisa
Sent: February 14, 2022 2:45 PM
To: Chen, Ashley
Subject: RE: Urgent WHAT WE NEED

Sounds good. And if you come across more groups or things of import in this protest space, not just in Ottawa, feel free to add. Don't rush – do your analysis until you're satisfied – the urgency for that one particular fastball request is over.. (hopefully no more like that!)

From: Chen, Ashley <Ashley.Chen@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Sent: February 14, 2022 2:41 PM
To: Ducharme, Lisa <Lisa.Ducharme@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Subject: RE: Urgent WHAT WE NEED

Roger. James and I will try to have a draft ready for you by...1600h?

From: Ducharme, Lisa <Lisa.Ducharme@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Sent: February 14, 2022 2:35 PM
To: Chen, Ashley <Ashley.Chen@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Subject: RE: Urgent WHAT WE NEED

Word doc – our usual format as planned for the STA tomorrow – no crazy rush but just want to make good use of the work to benefit more than just PCO...

From: Chen, Ashley <Ashley.Chen@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Sent: February 14, 2022 2:30 PM
To: Ducharme, Lisa <Lisa.Ducharme@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Subject: RE: Urgent WHAT WE NEED

Noted. Should I do this on a Word doc or keep in email?

From: Ducharme, Lisa <Lisa.Ducharme@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Sent: February 14, 2022 2:29 PM
To: Chen, Ashley <Ashley.Chen@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Subject: RE: Urgent WHAT WE NEED

If you could get a few pics of what those three groups logos look like, that would be great. I'm thinking we can turn this into a quick update for a broader audience.

From: Chen, Ashley <Ashley.Chen@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Sent: February 14, 2022 2:25 PM
To: Ducharme, Lisa <Lisa.Ducharme@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Subject: RE: Urgent WHAT WE NEED

Unfortunately it was all me.....lol. I don't want to pressure James into such a tasking....yet ;)

Scott, Matthew

From: Ducharme, Lisa
Sent: February 14, 2022 2:02 PM
To: Chen, Ashley
Cc: Morawiec, Garrett
Subject: RE: Urgent WHAT WE NEED

Awesome!!! Did you get the other questions I sent? Am adding other STA/assessment comments to this. Let me know if you can provide a few answers on those specific questions I just sent you re: blockades, etc...

From: Chen, Ashley <Ashley.Chen@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Sent: February 14, 2022 2:01 PM
To: Ducharme, Lisa <Lisa.Ducharme@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Cc: Morawiec, Garrett <Garrett.Morawiec@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Subject: RE: Urgent WHAT WE NEED

The presence of ideologically motivated violent extremism (IMVE) adherents have been noted in a few instances in relation to the "Freedom Convoy 2022" public order events. It is noted that not all individuals participating in convoy protests adhere to IMVE. Narratives questioning the loyalty and authority of police have been circulating surrounding this movement in recent days.

In Ottawa, one truck participating in the convoy was found displaying a THREE PERCENTERS (III%) flag. The Three Percenters were listed as a terrorist entity in Canada in 2021 and have espoused anti-immigration and anti-Islam views in the past. No other references to the THREE PERCENTERS have been noted at convoy protests in recent days and the THREE PERCENTERS have not had visible presence in Canada since being listed as a terrorist entity.

A few members of the DIAGOLON (adjacent to the PLAID ARMY) movement have been seen in Ottawa during the convoy protests. DIAGOLON/PLAID ARMY emerged as a meme-based, satirical movement online in 2021, sharing anti-government and anti-vaccine/mandate views under the guise of humour. In recent days, prominent members of DIAGOLON/PLAID ARMY have espoused increasingly violent rhetoric opposing vaccine mandates. One member was arrested in January over firearms related offences and has since been seen attending convoy events in Ottawa, frequently warning supporters of imminent law enforcement action against the convoy demonstrations, and denouncing police enforcement of such as illegal. DIAGOLON adherents express desires to form a country based on right-leaning Canadian provinces and US states. Their grievances extend beyond COVID-19 restrictions and are centered on countering "politically correct" culture.

While the majority of convoy protesters are peaceful and denounce violence, the possibility of a lone actor attack, inspired by ideologically motivated beliefs, cannot be discounted.

From: Ducharme, Lisa <Lisa.Ducharme@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Sent: February 14, 2022 1:45 PM
To: Chen, Ashley <Ashley.Chen@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Subject: FW: Urgent WHAT WE NEED
Importance: High

Ashley – what they're looking for bits...

From: Poloz, Adriana <adriana.polo@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Sent: February 14, 2022 1:44 PM
To: Ducharme, Lisa <Lisa.Ducharme@rcmp-grc.gc.ca>
Subject: FW: Urgent WHAT WE NEED
Importance: High

These would help

Scott, Matthew

From: Morawiec, Garrett
Sent: May 27, 2022 9:47 AM
To: Caron, Eliane
Cc: Mendonca, Walter; Ducharme, Lisa; Little, Kristen; Chen, Ashley
Subject: Request Permission to Release - IMCIT National Threat Assessment 04
Attachments: FPNI IMCIT - NTL SA 2022-04 - 2022-05-26 - FINAL - PA.PDF

Hi Eliane,

Just requesting permission to release our IMCIT product to the usual recipients, to include RCMP, Divs, PoJs, GoC (i.e.: CSIS, CSE, ITAC, PCO, CBSA, GOC, GAC, TC, etc...), as well as FVEY?

Thanks,

Garrett

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Scott, Matthew

From: Morawiec, Garrett
Sent: June 23, 2022 4:58 PM
To: Chen, Ashley; Little, Kristen
Subject: STA Canada Day Draft 3
Attachments: RCMP FPNI IMCIT - STA 2022-15 - Canada Day - DRAFT 3.docx

Hey, I've added a couple sentences (highlighted)

Are they ok positioned there?

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Scott, Matthew

From: NOC / CNO
Sent: May 27, 2022 1:50 PM
To: Abdallah, Rabih; Ajzerle, Sanda; Ampoma, Eric; Anson, Dan; Arcand, Michel; Bangloy Jr., Alfredo; Barker, Steven; Bornais, Stephane; Boudreau, Paul; Bradshaw, Kelly; Brennan, Brian; Burchill, Richard; Caron, Eliane; Castonguay, Claude; Chauvin, Melanie; CP Round Table / Table Ronde CP; Church, Glenn; Clarkin, Danielle; Colthart, Catherine; Cote, Marie-claude; Daley, Dennis; Dara, Chan Daktari (Dak); Desjardins, Matthew; Distribution_NHQ_FPNI_Federal_Policing_National_Intelligence; Drugea, Sebastian; Duheme, Michael; Efford, James; Efford, Sue; Elms, David; Ferguson, Bonnie; Flynn, Mark; Gauvin, Brigitte; Gordon, Eric; Hanniman, Krista; Harvey, Sandy; Hattlmann, Kevin; Hiegel, Shannon; Ing, Andy; Justin, Jayson; Lacombe, Lucie; Laplante, Stephanie; Larson, Nathan; Leather, Chris; Lewis, Kevin; McGillis, Sean; McLean, Stephanie; McMurchy, Scott; Mehrer, Keith; Mercier, Jean-Marc; Morawiec, Garrett; Ng, Will; Nichols, Wayne; Paradis, Michele; Parsons, Ches; Poloz, Adriana; Price, Liam; Purenne, Mélissa; Ramsden, Roderick; Rashidpour, Osana; Rollings, Richard; Ross, Doug; Rupa, Sorab; Rusk, Melissa; Ryan, Peter; Saghbini, Mike; Solesme, Jamie; Spenard, Melanie; Wirachowsky, Brad; Cahill, Pat; Distribution B Crops Readers / Vérificateurs de l'OREC; Grant, Rick; Hill, DeAnna; Fleury, Darcy; Hill, Rob; Asmundson, Jeff; Bridges, Caroline; Chubbs, Dave; Dolan, Barry; Eberle, Derek; Koersvelt, Peter; Lane, Eric; Leith, Lisa; Massé, Pierre; O'Neill, Charlene; Popik, Jason; Schmidt, Blayr; Smith, Dyson; Stewart, Caroline; Tiller, Rod; Tsui, Peter; Vinette, Nathalie; EDIV_CROPS; Stubbs, Eric; Christie, Jeffrey; Austin, Daniel; Dupont, Shelly; Brassard, Lysiane; Maclean, Mike; National_DIV_CROPS_DL; Boudreau, Shawn; ODiv_CROPS; Peggs, Matt; White, Andy
Subject: The monthly FPNI National Threat Landscape (NTL) 22-04 - Strat Assessment
Attachments: FPNI IMCIT - NTL SA 2022-04 - 2022-05-26 - FINAL - PA.pdf

PROTECTED 'A'

Please be advised of the following Situation Report submitted to your attention "for your action / your information". **See attached / Voir çï-joint:**

Dist: Internal Notification / Notification interne:

As per requested by Garrett MORAWIEC

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Scott, Matthew

From: Chen, Ashley
Sent: June 24, 2022 10:39 AM
To: Fisher, Michelle; Plustwa, Ryan; Fenske, Bruce; Archer, Dan; Poisson, Dave; White, Edward; Abbott, Geoffrey; Johnston, Janet; Paquette, Maxime; McCormick, Greg; Anderson, Eric; Morgan, Deanne; Smith, Laura-Lynne; Parker, Melissa; Boudreau, Danick; Picard, Claire; Mushynsky, Julie; Caron, Eliane; Murphy, Alicia; O'Meara, Robyn; Chiasson, Stephanie; Murphy, Nicole; Montpetit, Shannon; Fedec, Kari; Arthur, Jordan; Wassef, Simon; Foubert, Crystal; Johnson, Steve; Justin, Jayson; Parsons, Cynthia
Cc: Little, Kristen; Kruk, James; Morawiec, Garrett; Piamonte, Kandi; Larson, Nathan; Warden, Andrew
Subject: FW: RCMP-FPNI-IMCIT: SPECIAL THREAT ADVISORY 2022-15 - CANADA DAY 2022 - OUTLOOK
Attachments: RCMP FPNI IMCIT - STA 2022-15 - Canada Day - FINAL - 240622 - PA.pdf

Good day,

Please see attached IMCIT's latest Special Threat Advisory. IMCIT would like to thank our partners in the Divisions for their contributions.

If there are any questions or comments, please do not hesitate to reach out.

Thank you,

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Good morning,

Please see attached the latest STA from IMCIT regarding the "Rolling Thunder Ottawa" event.

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SPECIAL THREAT ADVISORY

ROLLING THUNDER OTTAWA/BIKER CONVOY – 29 APRIL TO 1 MAY 2022

KEY POINTS

- The Rolling Thunder Ottawa (“biker convoy”) event has circulated predominantly within anti-public health order networks that include anti-government and anti-authority sentiment. The event will attract individuals who have been active in the anti-public health order movement and that may hold a variety of other grievances.
- The RCMP and Police of Jurisdiction maintain visibility on evolving events, but reliable estimates on the number of bikers, vehicles, and people arriving in Ottawa on 29 April are difficult to obtain at this time.
- No solidarity events specific to the biker convoy have been observed. Weekly protests that reference anti-government sentiment regarding Liberal leadership, perceived government overreach, and freedom from all medical mandates and emergency orders continue throughout Canada.
- No formalized plots of violence related to this event have been identified at this time. The IMCIT remains vigilant to changes in the threat environment for this event and continues to maintain visibility on evolving anti-government and anti-authority grievances being discussed within ideologically motivated networks.

BACKGROUND

The event entitled “Rolling Thunder Ottawa” (hereafter referred to as the “biker convoy”) is planned to take place in Ottawa from 29 April until 1 May, 2022. Out of province attendance is expected. The specific purpose of the event is unclear, as some individuals and networks indicate that it is not a demonstration but rather an event to honour veterans, while others are promoting the event as another Freedom Convoy. Regardless, the event has predominantly circulated within anti-public health order networks that include anti-government and anti-authority sentiment.

CURRENT STATUS

Attendance

The biker convoy will likely see participation from people outside of Ontario. A Facebook page has been created to advertise the event.¹

The event is anticipated to attract individuals who have been active in the anti-public health order movement and who hold a variety of grievances. The IMCIT assesses that ideologically motivated individuals will be present. ^a The presence of ideologically motivated individuals does not necessarily mean that ideologically motivated criminality or violence will occur. The primary grievances observed online have been anti-authority and anti-government in nature, largely rooted in opposition of public health measures from the past two years and enforcement action taken as a result of Freedom Convoy 2022, specifically those which occurred in Ottawa. (See IMCIT STA 2022-10 – 2022-02-23 for more information).

Scope and Scale

Although this event is receiving national attention and participation from outside Ontario is expected, it has not generated the level of online attention, nation-wide coordination, financial support or disruptive intent that was observed with the Freedom Convoy in Ottawa. At this time, information about the event continues to evolve and it is difficult to estimate attendance.^b

Intent Once in Ottawa

There is limited detailed information regarding planned activities from 29 April to 1 May. Thus far, planned activities associated to the biker convoy include events at Parliament Hill, St. Laurent Shopping Centre, the National War Memorial and the Capital City Bikers' Church (see screenshot on page 3).² The potential for impromptu protests, organized with little or no social media advertising beforehand, exists due to the ability to mobilize people on short notice.

An Ottawa Police media release on 25 April indicated that there will be vehicle exclusion zones where “no motor vehicle protests, rallies or events will be allowed in the designated downtown core areas.”³ It is unknown how this recent news release will impact the planned activities scheduled at various Ottawa locations.

Prior to the media release, a video posted online by a vocal organizer, who claims to have been in contact with law enforcement, indicated that he received information from the City of Ottawa advising that vehicles would be blocked from entering downtown. ⁴ The video has received circulation within the same networks promoting the event, exacerbating negative sentiments and reinforcing a perception of government tyranny and control trying to place limits on personal freedoms. No visibility about other potential leaders (should they exist) is known at this time. Nationally, solidarity protests in other Canadian cities related to the Ottawa-specific event have not been identified. Since April of 2020, however, weekly protests opposed to public health orders have taken place throughout Canada. As public health measures have largely eased nationally, a variety of themes that include anti-government sentiment aimed at Liberal leadership, perceived government overreach, and freedom from all medical mandates and emergency orders throughout Canada are fueling arguments in favour of these weekly protests, which will likely occur for the foreseeable future.

^a In this context, “ideologically motivated” represents individuals or networks known to law enforcement before the Freedom Convoy 2022 event or identified by their online presence espousing racially motivated, ethno-nationalist, anti-government or anti-authority grievances. This also includes individuals who had previously attended events throughout Canada where the aforementioned grievances were expressed.

^b As an example, Calgary Police have advised that no vehicles were observed at the Calgary meet-up event which had been previously advertised online. It is possible inclement weather may also affect schedules or routes originally posted online.

General Threats

No plots of violence have been observed at the time of writing. An anti-public health order influencer, who has espoused various ideologically motivated grievances and has a large online following, posted information suggesting that he would be in attendance at the event in Ottawa.⁵ An individual associated with Diagonol has also reposted content about the event. At this time, however, no information has been observed indicating their intention to attend.⁶

Currently, no organized counter-protest has been identified. Chatter online has nonetheless referenced the potential for counter-demonstrations.⁷ As a result of the disruption caused by the Freedom Convoy, the IMCIT has observed a heightened awareness of Ottawa protests promoted by anti-public health order networks and discussion opposing Rolling Thunder Ottawa has circulated on social media since the initial planning of the event.

The IMCIT is liaising with law enforcement partners to maintain visibility on this event and will provide updates as required.

¹ <https://www.facebook.com/groups/272853018255142>, <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1072294070014696/>,
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/752742192776673/>

² <https://rollingthunderottawa.com/schedule>

³ <https://www.ottawapolice.ca/Modules/News/index.aspx?newsid=3d180865-14b0-4e4f-983d-91ba40a3152c>

⁴ <https://www.facebook.com/watch/?v=502480674798406>

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Good morning Eliane, I hope you are doing well.

Please find attached the Intelligence Assessment on DIAGOLON produced by IMCIT for FPNS. Would you mind reviewing and confirming whether this product can be released to RCMP DCAS/DIOs as well as external partners in Public Safety, PCO, CSIS, ITAC, CBSA, DND/CAF, and CSE? IMCIT would also wish to share it with Five Eyes law enforcement partners.

For the version shared outside of RCMP, IMCIT will remove the following sentence on Page 2 in the PURPOSE section: "This paper has been produced in response to a Federal Policing National Security (FPNS) request for an intelligence assessment on DIAGOLON."

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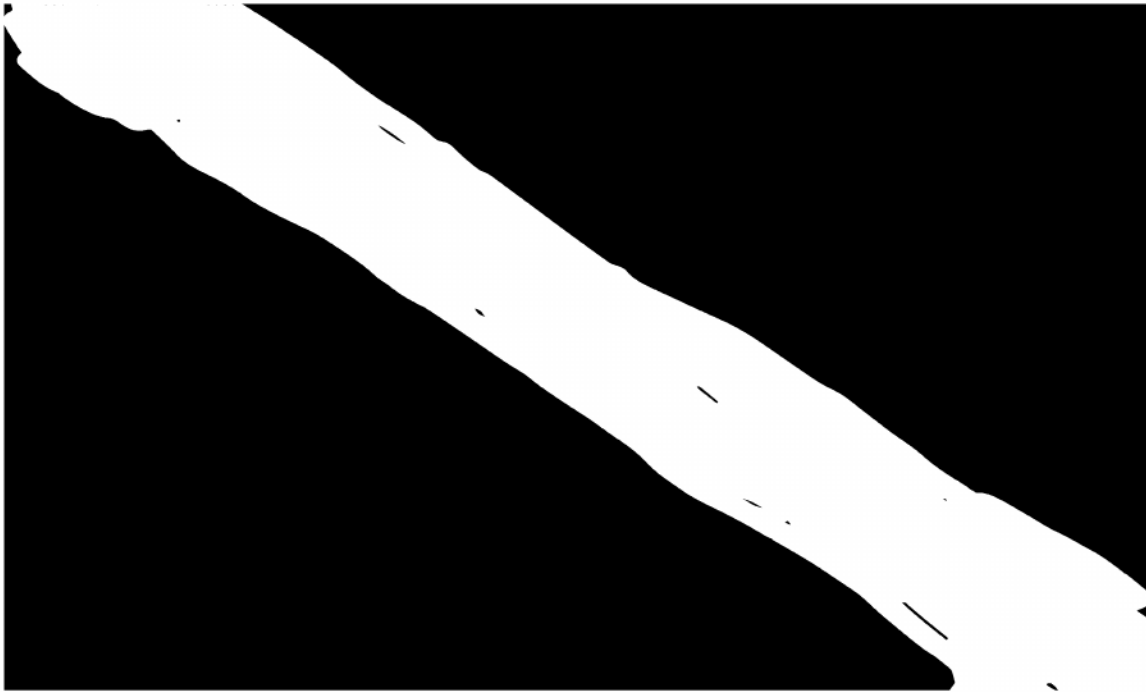
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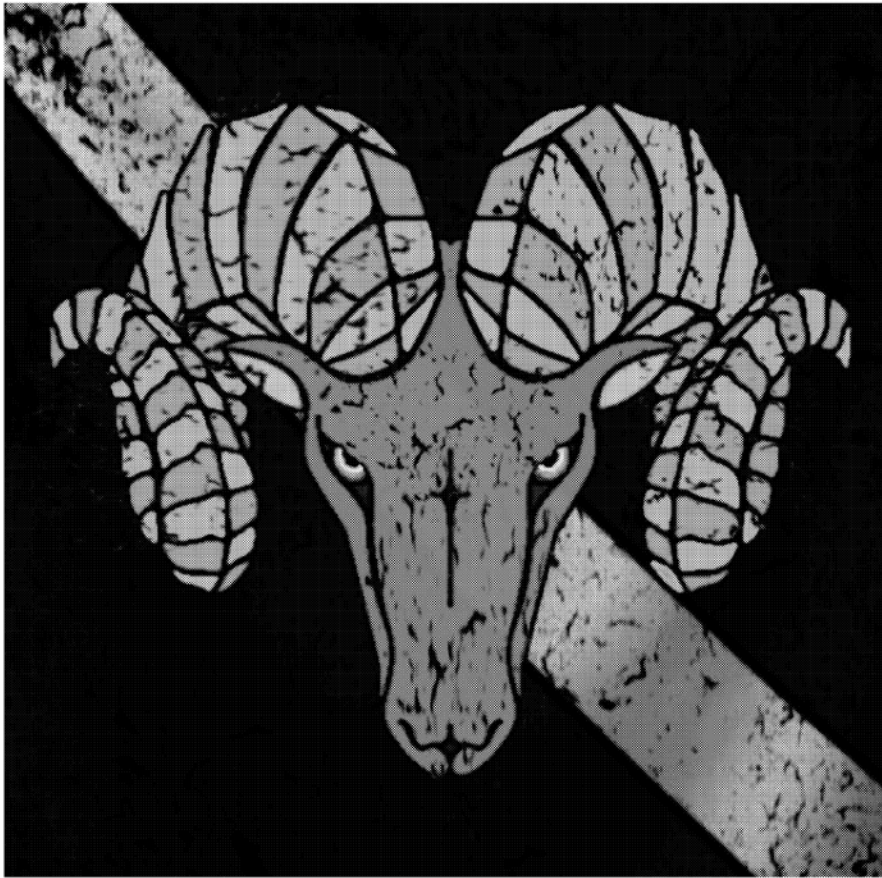
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DIAGOLON

The concept of “DIAGOLON” was produced by Jeremy MACKENZIE, an online streamer/podcast content creator, using the moniker “RAGING HUMANIST” (now “RAGING DISSIDENT” – ragingdissident.com) who imagined DIAGOLON as a region across Canada and the United States with perceived shared values in “Eastern sea board, Western Coast” and “Southern states, Midwest, Western Canada, and Alaska”. According to the website, “it has always been encouraged for people who feel they are members of the community to display fun little home made emblems so that if these people were to find each other in the real world, they would know they have some common interests.” DIAGOLON content promotes right-leaning political ideologies and maintains that it is an inclusive community while facing criticism for promoting offensive narratives. Its supporters self-label themselves as “bigots” and “bigettes”, acknowledging that their views have been accused of bigotry. While the creator insists that DIAGOLON is an imagined concept that is leaderless and based on “fun” and meme-based humour, content relating to DIAGOLON has at times contained references to use of violence to express opposition towards public health restrictions including vaccines, vaccine mandates, and lockdowns. For example, one meme mentions the use of “Black Phillip”, a cartoon ram often appearing in DIAGOLON content, as a tool to allow MACKENZIE to maintain plausible deniability when making overt claims advocating for the overthrow of the Liberal government.



Above: Flag of Diagolon.



Above: "Black Philip" cartoon often used in DIAGOLON memes.