

Purpose & Need

THE **PURPOSE** OF THE PROPOSED ACTIONS ARE TO PROVIDE:

- THE SECURITY ELEMENTS NEEDED FOR THE WHITE HOUSE
- PERMANENT AND AESTHETICALLY PLEASING SECURITY ELEMENTS.
- IMPROVEMENTS THAT WILL PRESERVE THE HISTORIC CULTURAL LANDSCAPE.

ACTION IS **NEEDED** TO:

- EVALUATE ROAD CLOSURES AND RELATED SECURITY ELEMENTS IN PRESIDENT'S PARK SOUTH, CONSIDERED TEMPORARY SINCE 2001.
- ENHANCE SECURITY ELEMENTS TO BE CONSISTENT WITH THE COMPREHENSIVE DESIGN PLAN FOR THE WHITE HOUSE (2000).
- IMPROVE AND PRESERVE THE VISUAL CHARACTER AND INTEGRITY OF THE WHITE HOUSE AND ITS ENVIRONS WHILE CONTINUING TO MEET SECURITY REQUIREMENTS.



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