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Trusted Shipbuilding Partners,

In connection with the recent company announcement in reference to preventive safety measures against the spread of COVID-19, the following procedures are being implemented at Newport News Shipbuilding (NNS). These procedures apply to any person, including subcontractors and suppliers, entering the premises.

**Beginning Monday, May 4, an outside contractor will begin temperature screenings of everyone entering the gates at NNS.** All gates, with the exception of the 31st and 41st Street pedestrian gates, and the 37th Street drive-in gate, will be manned with temperature screeners. The 31st and 41st Street gates will be closed for access, but will remain open for people who are exiting the shipyard. Screening will expand to include NNS buildings outside of the shipyard gates as soon as additional screening equipment becomes available.

Anyone who tests positive for a temperature of 100 degrees F or higher will not be allowed entry into the shipyard. Individuals who decline the screening present a risk to all of us, and therefore, will not be granted access. As a reminder to previous announcements, cloth face coverings are also mandatory when entering the shipyard and should be worn when within 6 feet of another individual or group.

Additional information relating to NNS communications regarding COVID-19 may also be accessed through the [NNS Supplier website](https://www.hii.com/supplier-resource-center/). 

Thank you for your continued partnership.

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