

# SHOOTING AT TRUMP EVENT

There was an apparent attempt to shoot Donald Trump at his campaign event in Butler, PA tonight.

The Secret Service spox has released this statement.



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Here is the latest information from our investigation. We are grateful to the Secret Service team and our law enforcement partners for their swift action. Our thoughts go out to the families affected by this tragedy.



The graphic features a dark blue background with a yellow and white Secret Service seal at the top left. To its right, the text "UNITED STATES SECRET SERVICE" is in a small, white, sans-serif font, followed by "PRESS STATEMENT" in a larger, bold, yellow font. Below the seal, the date "July 13, 2024" is displayed in a small, white, sans-serif font. The main text of the statement is in a white, sans-serif font, detailing the incident. At the bottom right, the name "Anthony Guglielmi" and title "Chief of Communications" are in a small, white, sans-serif font. A thin horizontal line separates this from the website address "www.secretservice.gov" at the very bottom.

"During former President Trump's campaign rally in Butler, Pennsylvania on the evening of July 13th at approximately 6:15 p.m., a suspected shooter fired multiple shots toward the stage from an elevated position outside of the rally venue. US Secret Service personnel neutralized the shooter, who is now deceased. US Secret Service quickly responded with protective measures and the former president is safe and being evaluated. One spectator was killed, two spectators were critically injured. The incident is currently under investigation and the Secret Service has formally notified the Federal Bureau of Investigation."

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I condemn political violence, and I call for better control on dangerous weapons. I am grateful that Trump was not badly injured.

There is already far too much disinformation and polarized reaction to this event. Because I don't want this site to be a part of either (and because we don't have the resources to track comments closely), I'm setting this post *not* to accept comments.

It will take some time to have a better understanding of this event. Please allow that to happen.

President Biden issued this statement.