

**Public Access Guidelines  
Nebraska State Penitentiary  
August 14, 2018**

**Important:** Failure to adhere to the following guidelines or compliance with instructions from law enforcement officers and/or Nebraska State Penitentiary staff will be cause for removal from the premises.

**Admission and Parking on NSP Grounds**

- Public parking is **NOT** permitted on the penitentiary grounds or at Cornhusker State Industries (CSI).
- Members of the public will be allowed on penitentiary grounds no earlier than **8:00 a.m.** on August 14, 2018.
- Pedestrians should only cross at the following locations, staffed by Lincoln Police Department officers:
  - S 14<sup>th</sup> Street
  - Pioneers & S 8<sup>th</sup> Street
  - Pioneers & Highway 2
- Entry to the penitentiary grounds is permitted only on foot at South 14<sup>th</sup> Street
- Buses are not permitted to enter the penitentiary parking lot. Passengers can be dropped off near the Amigos/Kings Classic Restaurant across from the penitentiary. Do not block traffic along 14<sup>th</sup> Street. .
- All persons entering the penitentiary grounds are subject to person and vehicle search
- Two areas are designated for public gathering:
  - Upon admission, members of the public must identify “proponent” or “opponent” in order to be directed to the appropriate public area
- The following rules must be observed:
  - Remain within assigned areas as directed by law enforcement
  - No weapons of any kind are permitted on the grounds.
  - No backpacks, gym bags or other bags are permitted on penitentiary grounds
  - No coolers or chairs are permitted on penitentiary grounds.
  - Only hand held signs will be permitted. No signs will be allowed that are mounted on poles, sticks or other objects. No exceptions.
  - Do not cross barriers
  - Do not approach the security fence
  - Do not film the facility or inmates through the fence
  - Do not film the Front Entrance corridor
  - Failure to adhere to the guidelines or compliance with instructions from law enforcement officers and/or Nebraska State Penitentiary staff will be cause for removal from the premises.

**Execution Sequence**

According to the death warrant, the execution can occur from 12:01 a.m. to 11:59 p.m. on Tuesday, August 14, 2018.

Unless there is a stay or legal action that would prevent the execution from proceeding, the execution will occur at approximately 10:00 a.m.

**Departure from Penitentiary Grounds**

Members of the public and media are required to depart the penitentiary grounds when directed by law enforcement and no later than one (1) hour after completion of the execution.

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