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[ON-SCREEN HEADLINE: "No Kings" Protests]

SAVANNAH GUTHRIE: And the massive No Kings, anti-Trump protest in cities and towns nationwide.

NO KINGS DEMONSTRATORS: What do we want? Trump out! When do we want it?

GUTHRIE: And this morning, the President's online response with a not-so-subtle message to demonstrators. A live report from the White House straight ahead.

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[ON-SCREEN HEADLINE: FBI Investigating Hunting Stand Near Air Force One]

GUTHRIE: We move now to an intensifying FBI investigation in Florida after the Secret Service uncovered a suspicious hunting stand near the Palm Beach Airport where Air Force One frequently lands. That discovery coming on the same weekend that millions of Americans took part in nationwide No Kings rallies against the Trump administration. NBC's Garrett Haake joins us from the White House with all of this. Garrett, good morning.

GARRETT HAAKE: Hey, Savannah, good morning. Yeah, the discovery of that hunting stand in the woods near Palm Beach Airport really raising concerns for a President who has already been the target of two assassination attempts. But the President's weekend trip to Florida went off without a hitch as around the country, millions gathered to protest a President they say is acting like a king. President Trump back at the White House after a weekend trip to Florida. The FBI investigating a suspicious hunting stand found in a tree near Palm Beach International Airport that has a direct sight line to where the President would have exited Air Force One. A spokesperson for the Secret Service says agents discovered the stand last Thursday before Mr. Trump's arrival in Florida Friday. A senior official familiar with the investigation said the stand was about 200 yards away from an area where Air Force One does not normally park, but the plane did park there on Friday due to construction. Three sources familiar with the matter say the suspicious stand may have been there for months. And investigators are now looking at several possibilities, including whether it's an old hunting stand, a perch used by a photographer or a possible threat. [GUN SHOTS] President Trump faced two assassination attempts during his 2024 campaign.

MARTIN COUNTY, FLORIDA SHERIFF [on 09/15/25]: Straight back.

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[ON-SCREEN HEADLINE: “No Kings” Protests Held Nationwide]

HAKAE: The President’s deploying of federal troops in America cities fueling No Kings demonstrations nationwide Saturday with massive crowds gathering from coast-to-coast —

WHITE, BOOMER LIBERAL IN NEW YORK CITY: The rule of law is being destroyed.

HAAKE: — rallying against the Trump presidency.

NO KINGS DEMONSTRATORS: What do we want? Trump out! When do we want it? Now!

HAAKE: Organizers said nearly seven million turned out in more than 2,700 demonstrations nationwide. The President asked about the rallies late Sunday.

PRESIDENT DONALD TRUMP: I’m not a king. I work my ass off to make our country great. That’s all it is. I’m not a king at all.

HAAKE: Mr. Trump also taunting demonstrators on social media, sharing two AI-generated videos depicting himself as a king. In one, which NBC News is choosing not to show, dumping what appears to be raw sewage on protesters.