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#### Incidents/Articles of Note:

- U.S. Intel Says 9/11 Anniversary 'May Inspire Homegrown Violent Extremists
- Threat to Mississippi from stolen plane ends in arrest, no injuries
- Man police named in alleged July 4 mass shooting plot pleads guilty to unrelated charge
- Suspect in custody, charged with WMD possession in recent Randleman bomb scare (NC)
- Student arrested after writing message on Snapchat threatening to shoot up school (FL)
- 2 California men arrested after selling guns and gifting pipe bombs to undercover agent
- Court Sentences Anti-Government Militia Member for Murder of Santa Cruz County, CA
- Grand Jury Indicts Man for Attempting to Provide Material Support to ISIS

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## - Tools and Resources -



Article | Homeland Security Today

### Assessing the Risk to Soft Targets from Malicious Drones

Post-September 11 counterterrorism measures have pushed terrorists toward soft targets. After September 11, the United States government drastically increased security on a wide range of potential terrorist targets, from U.S. military bases to airports. However, limited resources and competing policy priorities mean that not every place where people congregate en masse can be protected. So hitting soft targets makes a lot of sense. As a result, terrorists are increasingly adopting drones as a terrorism tool.



Report | FBI

# Active Shooter Incidents in the United States in 2021

The FBI defines an active shooter as one or more individuals actively engaged in killing or attempting to kill people in a populated area.3 Implicit in this definition is the shooter's use of a firearm. The active aspect of the definition inherently implies the ongoing nature of an incident, and thus the potential for the response to affect the outcome.

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