

Video: The Forgotten 1985 Police Bombing of a Philadelphia African-American Community

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*On 13 May 1985, Philadelphia police bombed the **Move compound**, killing 11 people, including five children, and destroying an entire neighborhood.*

As the DNC wraps up in Philadelphia, the Guardian takes a look at this largely forgotten event in the context of current national debates on race, policing and politics in America.

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