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15 Points

The Constitution provided and outline of government. During the Presidency of George Washington several precedents were established. Choose **THREE** of the following precedents and provide information on the historical circumstances and the impact of the precedents

Precedent	Historical Circumstances (Specific Factual Information)	Impact of Precedent (Long term impact)
Two-term presidency	X	X
Hamilton's Financial plan (B.E.T) Rebellion occurred in 1794.	Hamilton created a Financial Plan to create a stable economy. This plan included Bank of U.S., Excise taxes, and tariffs. In Western Pennsylvania the farmers were very upset with the tax on whiskey. They threatened to not pay the taxes. George sent 15,000 troops to end the rebellion.	Hamilton's financial plan was very successful and helped stabilize the economy. It showed how powerful the government was. His financial plan was executed for many years and helped other presidents.
Cabinet System	George Washington created a cabinet system that shaped and defined the federal government. His cabinet included Alexander Hamilton, Henry Knox, Thomas Jefferson, and Edmund Randolph. Each of these men helped him succeed with his presidency by providing him with plans and ideas.	After George, all the presidents created cabinets. They associated themselves with smart men who could help them. This precedent became a tradition for further presidents.
Foreign Policy of Neutrality	In 1796 George Washington gave his fare well address. In this statement he told the United States to stay out of foreign affairs and remain neutral. S. A. F. E s t a t e s a l l i a n c e s a n d n e u t r a l i t y	This precedent was very successful. The United States followed this precedent for about 100 years. It was important for the U.S. to keep its independence and remain stable. For example, this precedent was executed when France wanted help from the U.S. with its war against Great Britain, Washington broke this alliance because he wanted to protect the independence of the United States.