HOW AND WHY A PEACEFUL PROTES BECAME A MOB

Groups don't become a mob without some reason. Generally it involves two major elements: basic beliefs of the people and a trigger incident. In our situation today the trigger was the horrible murder of George Floyd which confirmed the beliefs of many of the young people that police are brutal and evil. Powerful groups wanting to disrupt the government and society saw this as an opportunity. They knew what would happen as they had cultivated in the minds of young people that the police were brutal and racist. Young people are generally idealist and thoughtful of other people. It is the elements that make them vulnerable to unscrupulous people. Chapter 8 in Strong's book "America's Failing Schools" give much more information on how this developed.