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November 30th, 2022

Dear parents/guardians,

We were made aware of a possible threat of violence and immediately contacted police to investigate the incident. The threat was made a month ago, but was not reported at the time. Upon hearing of the incident, we investigated and talked to witnesses who heard the comment. Saline County Sheriff's office has been involved in the investigation.

At this time, we have been assured by law enforcement that students and staff are safe to attend school. Nevertheless, student and staff safety is our top priority, and we will continue to closely monitor this situation.

The student who made this threat has been identified and is being dealt with through the disciplinary process of the school and could face possible legal action. We cannot go into more detail of this incident because of student privacy laws and because the investigation is ongoing.

We take all threats seriously as the safety of our students and staff is our top priority. Again, after consultation with local authorities, we feel comfortable that the school is safe at this time.

I want to thank the Saline County Sherriff Department and everyone who had a part in quickly resolving this situation.

Sincerely,

Shain Crank
Galatia School Superintendent