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RSU 57 prepares respectful, responsible and creative thinkers for success in the global community.

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Dear RSU 57 Community,

This letter is to inform you that RSU 57 has recently addressed incidents at our high school and middle school, considered as terrorizing. Our school officials acted immediately and identified the individuals and have taken appropriate disciplinary measures and have notified law enforcement officials to ensure school safety.

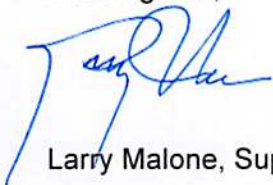
Our administration responded quickly to these concerns because our students brought this information directly to school personnel. We are proud of the students' actions, courage, and display of responsible citizenship. Although these incidents did not require further levels of safety procedures, please know our district has safety protocols and procedures in place and monitor and adjust them based on current circumstances locally and nationally.

We share in the sadness of those districts devastated by acts of violence in their schools. These recent tragedies occurring in schools across our country bring sadness, fear, anger, and a concern for the safety and well being of our children. It also brings about a focus of conversation within our community and schools, which may be a way of dealing with the fear and anger; however, there are those individuals choosing to capitalize on an opportunity to create terror, and any such action, comment, or post will be acted upon and treated as such.

Based on how information gets communicated quickly through various platforms in our society, you may come across information before the school district. We encourage you to act similar to our students and take immediate action by contacting local law enforcement and the school district whenever there is a presence of danger to our community.

Our children's safety is our priority.

Best regards,



Larry Malone, Superintendent of Schools