

MASSABESIC HIGH SCHOOL

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Dear MHS Community,

This letter is being provided to you as an update from a letter that was sent yesterday morning regarding a potential school safety issue. We are aware of information related to a potential school safety issue from yesterday being shared via social media and other technology platforms.

Review: At approximately 9:30 a.m. on Tuesday, October 1, 2024, MHS administration was alerted to vandalism in one of our bathrooms that referenced a potential safety issue. In accordance with district policy, we immediately began investigating this matter to ensure the ongoing safety of our students, staff, and visitors at Massabesic High School. In accordance with district policy and school protocols, we have been collaborating with the York County Sheriff's Department with this investigation and will continue to do so.

At the time of sending the community a letter on Tuesday, October 1, 2024, and still at this time within the investigation, we do not believe the situation poses a credible threat. However, we take any concern seriously and we will continue to investigate this situation. The safety of everyone on our campus remains our top priority.

In an effort to ensure the safety of all who visit our campus, we continue to encourage all students, staff, and community members to report any unsafe conditions or concerns they may encounter. Open communication is crucial in maintaining a safe environment for all.

Thank you for your continued support and vigilance.

Sincerely,

Mr. Ty Thurlow, Principal

Dr. Stephen Marquis, RSU 57 Superintendent of Schools