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Dear Rockville Centre School Community,

Earlier this afternoon, Nassau County Police Department Commissioner Patrick Ryder announced that the department will be increasing its presence at school districts throughout our region tomorrow based on a new TikTok challenge in which students throughout the nation are encouraged to make threats against their schools on Dec. 17.

It is important to note that there have not been any specific threats made toward Rockville Centre Schools; however, out of an abundance of caution, there will be officers from the Rockville Centre Police Department and the Nassau County Police Department in our district tomorrow. Please do not be alarmed if you see police cars on campus tomorrow, as it is only precautionary. All of the District Administrators and security staff have also been alerted to watch for any unusual activity.

Please take this time to speak to your children about the importance of responsible social media use and encourage them to report any suspicious activity or threatening posts to a trusted adult immediately.

Thank you for your attention and continued cooperation.

Robert A. Bartels

Interim Superintendent of Schools