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The Jasper County Charter School System will provide superior and innovative learning experiences to prepare every student for life beyond school.

This morning, we received a social media message from multiple stakeholders about a specific threat to the Jasper County Middle School. Immediately law enforcement was contacted as they are/have been investigating the origin of the threat. We were also informed from multiple stakeholders of similar threats to other middle schools in our area, region, and other states.

An increased law enforcement presence provided by the Jasper County Sheriff's Department has been assigned to all schools as a precaution. This will continue until further notice. All threats made against our schools and any students/staff are taken seriously and the system will pursue all avenues to deter threats. Whether they are credible or not credible, our system will work cooperatively with law enforcement to ensure the individuals/groups communicating these messages are addressed to the fullest extent possible.

While the system works constantly to address items of safety, we understand the concerns of our community at this time in our nation due to the recent events happening in Winder, Georgia. While Jasper County is blessed to not be in the same scenario currently being dealt with in Winder, our schools and community also realizes that everyone is vulnerable to such a horrific act of violence and any time in any school. Not only here but across the world.

Our system thanks you for your support of our students and staff as we continue to strive for a safe environment conducive to learning. Once again, we will remain vigilant to deter these concerns today and everyday.

Sincerely,

Charles K. Garland