PRESS STATEMENT-School Threats

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FAIRBANKS, Alaska

Over the past several weeks, malicious prank telephone threats have been received regarding multiple schools within the Fairbanks community. Our primary concern is the safety of the children, staff, and public at the schools. Fairbanks Police have responded to every call with utmost concern and priority. The threats to schools have not been limited to our community, but also include schools across the state. Upon investigation, officers have not determined that the threats are credible.

Illegal activity such as this is neither acceptable nor funny. These acts are considered felony crimes. The Fairbanks Police Department has provided all information to the Alaska Bureau of Investigation and the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

We will continue to respond quickly and with diligence to these threats to ensure the safety of our children and residents.

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