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## **Press Release**

The Dobbs Ferry Police Department wishes to follow up regarding the Wednesday June 7<sup>th</sup>, 2022 police response at the Kenneth Clark Academy, located at 71 Broadway, Dobbs Ferry NY.

As reported, the Dobbs Ferry Police Department was notified by staff of the Kenneth Clark Academy, which is part of the Greenburgh-North Castle School District of a possible threat of violence which had been posted on a social media site.

Members of the Dobbs Ferry Police Department responded to the Kenneth Clark Academy, which had been placed in a lockdown by school staff. Concurrently, in an abundance of caution, the Dobbs Ferry Police Department notified the Dobbs Ferry School District, The Master's School, Children's Village, and Mercy College of the police response at the Kenneth Clark Academy.

Officers assisted Kenneth Clark Academy school officials as they conducted a search of their facilities. Additionally, the Dobbs Ferry Police Department was requested to assist staff of St. Christopher's with a search of campus grounds and cottages, again in an abundance of caution. While the Kenneth Clark Academy is located on the grounds of St. Christopher's, they are separate entities. No weapons were found.

The Dobbs Ferry Police Department has identified one juvenile, aged 13, who possessed information relative to this investigation. This information revealed that the original post was several weeks old and re-posted on June 6<sup>th</sup> 2022.

The Dobbs Ferry Police Department wishes to thank members of the Town of Greenburgh SWAT team, Village of Hastings Police Department, Greenburgh Drug and Alcohol Task Force and Westchester County Real Time Crime for their assistance.

The Dobbs Ferry Police Department also wishes to thank staff of the Greenburgh-North Castle School District and staff of St. Christopher's for their cooperation and help.

At this time, the reported on-line threat has not been deemed credible, however it remains under active investigation by the Dobbs Ferry Detective Division.

To our residents, thank you for your patience and trust during yesterday morning's investigation.