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## East Grand Forks Public Schools

Independent School District #595

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ISD 595 is aware that the City of East Grand Forks has decided to temporarily suspend our current School Resource Officer agreement with them due to concerns in statute. In the meantime, the East Grand Forks Police Department will assign two primary officers to provide immediate support to our schools. These officers will patrol and provide walkthroughs at all ISD 595 schools and participate in education.

The safety of everyone at our schools is the top priority and ISD 595 and the City of East Grand Forks will take part in deliberate communication throughout this transition to ensure that safety at our schools is not compromised with this change. With increased discussions with the City of East Grand Forks, ISD 595 will use this opportunity to explore all areas for expanded collaboration and growth with the city and local law enforcement.

Bryan Hackbarth  
ISD 595 Superintendent