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*Dear ERHS Families,*

The Pierce County Sheriff's Department is investigating an Emerald Ridge High School teacher who made threats against students during a conversation with adults off campus on Tuesday. The normal protocol for threats was followed, including immediate notification of law enforcement. The staff member was not at school today and has been placed on administrative leave since last night. Making threats against the safety of students and staff is a felony crime and taken very seriously by Puyallup School District.

We would like to thank the Pierce County Sheriff's Department for their quick response and ongoing support. Our primary concern is always for the safety and of our students and staff.

In service,

Richard Lasso  
Principal