

San Diego County SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

NEWS RELEASE INFORMATION SHEET

Subject: Bomb Threat - Poway High School

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SYNOPSIS:

On June 11, 2019, Poway sheriff's deputies responded to investigate a threat that had been received by a Poway High School staff member. Deputies determined that an individual sent a Poway High School staff member an email claiming one or more explosive devices had been concealed on campus. In coordination with high school staff, deputies secured the campus and searched it with the assistance of Harbor Police K-9 units. No devices were found. Poway detectives and other units are investigating the source of the original threat. All students and staff on campus are safe.

The Sheriff's Department would like to acknowledge the exceptional cooperation from the Poway High School staff in ensuring this incident was resolved with professionalism and minimal disruption.

If anyone has any information regarding the originator of the threat, please contact the Poway Sheriff's Station at (858) 513-2800.