



## VISALIA POLICE DEPARTMENT

*Jason Salazar, Chief of Police*

---

Elizabeth Jones, P.I.O./Media and Communications Manager  
(559) 713-4370 (office) / (559) 713-4807 (fax)  
elizabeth.jones@visalia.city

**\*\*\*NEWS RELEASE\*\*\***

**August 18, 2023**

### VPD Detectives Investigating Mt. Whitney School Threat

This evening, VPD Detectives received information related to a social media threat at Mount Whitney High School.

Detectives are investigating this threat and working closely with VUSD.

The safety of our children is our **FIRST** priority and anything that threatens that will not be tolerated. **ALL** threats will be taken seriously and those posting such threats will face serious consequences. We encourage all students and parents to talk about social media and the outcome of posting inappropriate material.

There will be an increased law enforcement presence throughout all VUSD campuses next week.

Remember, if you see something, please **SAY** something.

This is an active investigation. Anyone with information is encouraged to contact the Visalia Police Department at 559-734-8117.

