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## **Community Alert: School Shooting Threat is a HOAX**

The Visalia and Tulare Police Departments have received numerous calls regarding alarming messages circulating on social media about a potential school shooting during a fire drill.

THIS IS A HOAX.

Both departments are investigating the source of these messages. Currently, there is no indication of a credible threat to any schools in Visalia or Tulare.

We urge parents and students not to share these messages. Instead, please report them to the Visalia Police Department. Your vigilance and cooperation are vital in ensuring the safety and peace of our community.

