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PRESS RELEASE

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On March 11th, 2024 at approximately 2:51 P.M the Richmond Police Department was dispatched to the Richmond-Burton High School. Upon arrival a Richmond Police Officer was notified by school administrators that a juvenile female student had reported the alleged distribution of sensitive images that were discovered electronically and shared with other students.

The Richmond Police Department immediately began investigating the matter, and has been in close communication with the McHenry County State's Attorney's office. The investigation remains on going at this time.

The Richmond Police Department has been contacting all parents of the victims involved in this investigation. Anyone with information related to this incident is asked to contact the Richmond Police Department at 815-678-4163 ext. 208.

Further information will not be released at this time, due to the age of those involved, per Illinois State Statute regarding the confidentiality of juvenile law enforcement records.

The Richmond Police Department takes all matters regarding the safety and welfare of our community seriously. Those violating the law will be held accountable for their actions.

The Richmond Police Department empathizes with the members of our community and the persons and families affected by this incident.