



# Prineville Police Department

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## MEDIA RELEASE:

DATE: 02/09/26

INCIDENT TYPE: Disorderly Conduct / Threats

DATE AND TIME OF INCIDENT: 02/09/2026 at about 0730 hours

LOCATION OF INCIDENT: Prineville, Oregon

## NARRATIVE OF INCIDENT:

On 02/09/2026, at approximately 7:30 a.m., the Prineville Police Department was alerted to vague and non-specific threats circulating on social media. Although there was no indication of an immediate threat, the report was treated with seriousness, and officers responded with appropriate caution.

The person connected to the threats was already known to law enforcement and has a documented history of behavioral health-related concerns. Around 9:30 a.m., officers contacted a Prineville citizen near NE Crest Drive and took him into custody without incident. At this time, there is no continuing threat to students, staff, or the community.

We want to extend our sincere thanks to the Crook County Sheriff's Office and the Crook County School District for their partnership, professionalism, and dedication throughout this situation.

PREPARED AND RELEASED BY: Lieutenant Thomas Vollmer