



**Borough of Elmwood Park
Police Department**
182 Market Street
Elmwood Park, N.J. 07407

Community Advisement:

Dear Elmwood Park Residents:

September 19, 2019

On September 19, 2019 at approximately 12:45pm Elmwood Park Police responded the Elmwood Park Board of Education Office, and 16th Avenue School on the report of a possible threat made by an employee of the district.

The Board Office as well as 16th Avenue School was briefly placed into a lockdown until officers on scene felt that students and staff were safe. The employee was immediately taken into custody by the police officers at the scene.

Both buildings have been declared safe and there is no residual threat to safety. No criminal charges have been filed at this time.

The Elmwood Park Police Department will continue to ensure our schools and your children are safe at all times.

Sincerely,
Michael Foligno
Chief of Police/Borough Administrator



