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RE: New Gardiner Middle School Design

Oregon City Police Department representatives met with Oregon City School District bond staff on Thursday, August 29, 2019. The purpose of the meeting was to review the safety and security features of the current design for the new replacement Gardiner Middle School. Both agencies appreciated the time spent reviewing and improving the security and safety of the school design.

During the school design review, both groups believe that a six (6) foot fence around outdoor spaces regularly used by students is not a high enough fence for student safety and security. It is the recommendation of the Oregon City Police Department that fences around outdoor student spaces be eight (8) feet high to create safer and more secure environments for student use.

Sincerely,



James Band
Chief of Police