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Press Release
**** COMMUNITY ALERT****
Suspicious Incident/Attempted Child Luring

On Wednesday, October 2, 2019, at approximately 8:10 AM, a 10 year old girl was near the intersection of Lincoln Street and Hi Lusi Avenue waiting for the school bus. A black colored Jeep SUV that was traveling westbound on Lincoln Street passed the juvenile and made a U-turn, pulling alongside the juvenile. The male driver of the Jeep rolled down the driver's side window and asked the juvenile if they wanted a ride to school. The juvenile told the male driver no. The jeep then drove away from the juvenile, turning onto Hi Lusi Avenue, where it made another U-turn and parked near the intersection, to watch the juvenile. The school bus then arrived and the juvenile got onto the school bus. The juvenile reported this to her parents after school, who then alerted the police department of the incident.

The driver of the vehicle is described as a white male, approximately 40 to 50 years old, black colored hair, black colored facial hair, wearing a black colored t-shirt. The black colored Jeep, possibly a Jeep Patriot, had a sticker with the letters "SRS" on the back of the vehicle, which possibly may be a St. Raymond's School sticker.

The Mount Prospect Police Department urges parents and children living in this area to be extra vigilant in the days ahead and to call 9-1-1 immediately should a subject and/or vehicle matching these descriptions be observed. The Mount Prospect Police Department will have an increased presence in the area.

Additionally, the Mount Prospect Police Department urges parents to use this incident as an opportunity to review safety rules with their children and to report any suspicious activity to the police immediately by calling 9-1-1.

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