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OSHKOSH POLICE DEPARTMENT

Date: 10/16/2018
Time: 12:25 PM
Contact: Officer Kate Mann
Public Affairs/ Crime Prevention
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Subject: Incident near Merrill School

On 10/16/2018 at approximately 10:57 AM, officers received information that a male was walking eastbound on New York Ave towards Wisconsin St in the City of Oshkosh and that he was carrying what appeared to be a rifle.

Officers located this male (a 23 year old from Oshkosh) on New York Ave near Merrill St and made contact with him. It was determined that he was carrying a B B gun. This male was taken into custody for violating his Parole rules.

The Oshkosh Police Department advised Merrill school of the situation at approximately 11:00 AM, and they followed their district emergency response plan and the school was placed in a soft lockdown.

At 11:11 AM, the Oshkosh Police Department advised Merrill school that the situation was resolved and the soft lockdown was lifted.

The Oshkosh Police Department and the Oshkosh Area School District continue to work diligently to ensure that our children are safe.