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Ruidoso Municipal Schools takes the health and safety of all students, staff₃and volunteers very seriously. To that end, today, the District implemented its shelter-in-place protocols at both Ruidoso Middle School and Ruidoso High School in order to better understand and control a potentially critical and harmful situation. This step was necessary to ensure the protection of our students but was not related to any violent episode nor due to any alleged overdose as reported in social media. Although the shelter-in-place has been lifted, the District, in conjunction with the Ruidoso Police department is continuing to investigate the situation and will take appropriate action if necessary.

The District recognizes that parents and families entrust us with the safety and well-being of their children and loved ones and we take that responsibility seriously. Every day, we strive to strengthen our commitment to the betterment of children and the communities we serve. We thank our community for the on-going support.

Dr. George Bickert

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