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To our Poteet ISD students, staff, families, and community,

Let me first extend our condolences and our prayers to the Uvalde ISD's students, staff, families, and communities. We are heartbroken for the tragedy you are experiencing right now.

We want to ensure everyone that the safety of our students and our schools is and will forever be our number one priority. We met first thing this morning with our school police officers, with Poteet Police Department, and with the Sheriff's Office to debrief and discuss what just happened in Uvalde. We have many things in place that we are confident will address both the prevention and the response to an incident of this nature. For the remainder of this week and the last week of school, both the city and the county will increase their presence in and around our schools. Know that all of our counselors and mental health professionals are ready to help you and your children cope with understanding and processing the tragedy that befell our neighbors in Uvalde.

We ask our families and our community to help us be safe and stay safe by being vigilant and aware of what is going on with your children and to report any suspicious or concerning behaviors that are communicated verbally, behaviorally, or on social media. We want to assure you that we are doing all and everything we can to prevent a repeat of what just happened in Uvalde from happening in Poteet.

Sincerely and on behalf of the Poteet ISD Board of Trustees,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Charles Camarillo", written over a white oval-shaped background.

Charles Camarillo
Superintendent
Poteet ISD