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## Statement Regarding Incident Between Rancho Cordova Youth and Law Enforcement Officer

We are saddened to learn about an allegation of excessive force in our own community between a Rancho Cordova police officer and a 14 year-old boy. Our heartfelt sympathy goes out to the youth and his family who were directly affected by what happened. And to our community, who is now called to heal from an incident that erodes the trust between people of color and law enforcement.

As an organization, the Folsom Cordova Community Partnership exists to provide solutions and resources to prevent this type of violence towards children and youth from occurring. We are steadfast in our commitment to work with our community and local law enforcement to prevent these unacceptable incidents in the future. We will continue to support the citizens of Rancho Cordova and will do everything within our power to rebuild the trust between our community and the Rancho Cordova Police Department.

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