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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

INCIDENT: Update To Barricaded Subject

DATE: Friday, March 17th, 2023
TIME: Approximately 7:19 PM
LOCATION: 808 Austin Ave, Park Ridge

On Thursday, March 16th at approximately 7:19 PM Park Ridge Police responded to 808 Austin Ave for a report of a male subject who had been threatening his parents and was suicidal. Officers arrived on scene and learned that the parents were already out of the residence. Officers further learned that the son was still inside of the house and may be armed. Since that time the adult son has remained inside the residence.

Throughout the day, Park Ridge detectives along with the department social worker have followed up on the information provided and have learned that the parents and son have been involved in an ongoing domestic situation. We have also determined that Thursday evening's call to the police was made due to a threat that the son made over the phone about the possibility of him hurting himself. Police have since made contact with the son and were unable to substantiate that claim; however the police department has worked with the parents in creating a safety plan due to the ongoing domestic situation.

The police department continues to work with the family and have determined that the domestic situation is isolated and there is no threat to the community.