



Milpitas Police Department

*Steve Pangelinan
Chief of Police*

PRESS RELEASE

Bomb Threat

DATE: December 14, 2012
LOCATION: 1150 Great Mall Drive Milpitas, CA
CASE #: 12-349-131

DETAILS:

On December 14, 2012 at 1428 hours, the Milpitas Police Department was contacted by Kohl's department store employee informing us that a message of a bomb being in the store was written on the wall of the men's restroom.

Milpitas Police personnel responded to the scene and worked with Kohl's staff to evacuate the building. Milpitas Police Officers walked through the business and did not find any suspicious items. Kohl's employees have not identified any suspicious items in the building.

The Santa Clara County Sheriff's Office and the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms have bomb sniffing dogs at the location and will walk through the building in an attempt to locate any suspicious items. The Santa Clara County Sheriff's Office Bomb Squad is also responding to the scene and will stand by in the area pending the outcome of the investigation.

The stores in the Great Mall adjacent to Kohl's are closed. We ask the public to remain away from the affected area until we have completed our investigation. We expect to reopen the area at approximately 8:00 p.m.

Anyone with any information is encouraged to call the Milpitas Police Department at (408) 586-2400. Information can also be given anonymously by calling (408) 586-2500 or via the Milpitas Police Department website at:

http://www.ci.milpitas.ca.gov/government/police/crime_tip.asp

PRESS RELEASE BY: Commander Armando Corpuz
DATE/TIME: December 14, 2012, 1700 hours.