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First and foremost our sincere condolences go out to the family of My'ell Nash, one of our freshmen students at Warren Central High School. We are all saddened when we lose one of our young people.

Based upon our review of our records to date pertaining to the allegations of bullying presented to us by My'ell's family following this tragedy, we have found no evidence pointing to My'ell, her mother or friends at school, communicating any bullying incidents regarding My'ell to Warren Township staff. Our records do confirm multiple contacts with My'ell and her mother with school personnel, however the topic of My'ell being bullied was never mentioned during these discussions. As with any student, had bullying or hazing been reported we would have responded accordingly.

Warren Central does not tolerate bullying or hazing and will meet any such behavior with the applicable discipline. We have conducted workshops for teachers, produced television programs around the issue of bullying and recently held our "Take a Stand" anti-bullying and hazing workshop on Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day. These school-sponsored events were presented to set a standard of expected behavior among our students and to empower them to join with faculty and staff to be vigilant and vocal against both bullying and hazing on our campus.

Without question, when we find evidence of a student being subjected to bullying or hazing our administrators and teachers are expected to act swiftly to mitigate the situation. As a school, we will continue to enact measures and sponsor programs to ensure a safe and secure learning environment for each and every one of our students.

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