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Treasurer Daniel Elliott Responds to Swatting Incidents Targeting Senators

INDIANAPOLIS – Treasurer Daniel Elliott released a statement on recent swatting incidents targeting Indiana State Senators.

"I'm appalled by the recent string of swatting incidents and swatting attempt incidents targeting Indiana state senators. There is no room for threats of violence in our political discourse.

"After speaking with the affected senators, I've directed my team at Indiana Statewide 911 to examine these threats and the specific manner in which they were made and see if there are any changes in policy or safety protocols that need to be brought to the Indiana Statewide 911 Board and the General Assembly."

About the Statewide 911 Board

Daniel Elliott serves as the chair of Indiana's Statewide 911 Board. It is a quasi-state government agency that is led by the Indiana Treasurer's Office. It has statewide jurisdiction over 911 services. The board's two primary responsibilities include collecting surcharges from all communication service providers and distributing the funding to local units of government, as well as the operation of a statewide public safety ESInet for 911 calls, including Text to 911 services.

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