

Please see below for the requested updates from the Yolo County Grand Jury:

RE: ARE WE THERE YET? On the Road to School Safety - Yolo County Grand Jury 2022-23 Consolidated Report

Recommendations	Response from WJUSD	Requested Information	Update - April 2024
<p>R-1 The Grand Jury recommends that, prior to the start of the 2024-25 school year, each school district identify additional hardening approaches and develop a plan to further protect areas of its schools that remain vulnerable.</p>	<p>WJUSD responded that in the Spring of 2023, an outside vendor was hired to conduct a Security Camera Audit.</p> <p>In addition, a Capital Improvement Plan was approved to address fencing improvements and other security aspects to the campuses</p>	<p>Although the due date for implementation of this recommendation is not until the beginning of the 2024- 25 school year, the Grand Jury is requesting a status report as to what the District has done to date towards the implementation of this recommendation.</p>	<p>The Security Camera Audit was conducted in the Spring of 2023.</p> <p>Based on the results of the audit, a three-phase implementation was developed.</p> <p>As of March 2024, phase 1 of the implementation has been completed and we are initializing the 2nd phase.</p> <p>The Capital Improvement Plan to address fencing and other security measures on the campuses will begin this summer with 4 school sites undergoing fencing projects.</p>
<p>R-4 Prior to the start of the 2024-25 school year, each school district should require and document that training related to threats of violence is completed by its teachers (regular and substitute), staff and administrators every</p>	<p>WJUSD responded:</p> <p>“In collaboration with the Woodland Police Department (WPD) during the 2023-24 school year, all secondary school sites in the District will receive level 2 of Alert, Lockdown, Inform, Counter, and Evacuate (ALICE) training.”</p> <p>“Additionally, all elementary school sites and other district staff will have received by the 2023-24 school year, the level 1 training for ALICE.”</p>	<p>Although the due date for implementation of this recommendation is not until the beginning of the 2024- 25 school year, the Grand Jury is requesting a status report as to what the District has done to date towards the implementation of this recommendation.</p>	<p>As of April 2024 all but one of our secondary sites has received level 2 of the Alert, Lockdown, Inform, Counter, and Evacuate (ALICE) training. We are scheduled for the final site to be trained before the beginning of the 24-25 school year.</p> <p>For our elementary sites- we are still in the process of training and have 10 of our 12 elementary sites trained in level 1 of ALICE. To be noted - these trainings are on a rotating basis of every three years. The final 2 elementary sites will be trained next year along with the sites that will be due for training updates.</p>

