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Swift Response and Collaboration: Ensuring Election Safety Amid Recent Mail Incident

LOS ANGELES – Los Angeles County Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk (RR/CC) Dean C. Logan released a statement on reports of a suspicious mail incident addressed to the RR/CC.

"Late Wednesday afternoon, my office received concerning information from federal and state authorities regarding mail addressed to election offices in multiple states that potentially contained hazardous materials. The shared notification by the FBI and the Secretary of State's Office alerted us that our office was among those targeted by the suspicious mailings and that, in other jurisdictions, the mail pieces contained potentially dangerous substances.

We promptly cooperated with the U.S. Postal Service, contributing to the interception of a suspicious mail piece addressed to our Department. The suspect mail piece was identified and intercepted by the U.S. Postal Service prior to delivery to any County facility and is under review by law enforcement authorities.

I appreciate the swift response and collaboration among various agencies. These actions helped prevent a potentially serious incident. The safety and security of our operations are top priorities, and we are grateful for the vigilance shown in this instance.

While this incident is concerning and such activity is a threat to a free and fair elections process, our established protocols facilitated a quick and effective response. My office will continue to implement security measures during mail intake processing that protect the integrity of voting materials and the safety of our employees.

This incident should not discourage anyone from participating in our democratic process. Your vote matters, and we are committed to ensuring the safety and integrity of our elections. We encourage voters to remain engaged and confident in the security measures we have in place. We remain vigilant and will pursue enforcement against any attempt to disrupt our operations."

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