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St. Anthony community members,

As the community processes the final verdict for the Derek Chauvin trial, we want to reach out and provide important information and resources for our community.

City Administration continues to work closely with the St. Anthony Police Department (SAPD) to ensure the safety and well-being of residents and visitors. As an active participant of the multi-organizational and metro-area effort to coordinate public safety activities, the SPAD's goal is to protect people, property and free speech. Individuals will be allowed to express their emotions and demonstrate their First Amendment right, by way of peaceful protests.

The SAPD remains dedicated to building upon its ongoing work that began in 2016 with the Department of Justice's Collaborative Reform Initiative to develop a culture that emphasizes a service mindset. Learn more about the SAPD's work at: [savmn.com/AccountableandTransparent](http://savmn.com/AccountableandTransparent)

In St. Anthony, we are committed to creating an inclusive, welcoming, and safe community for all people. We will take the time to listen, reflect, learn, and support each other. Some of you may be experiencing heightened emotion, stress, and anxiety. Please reach out to your family members, friends, and others in your support network. The following resources are also available:

- [Northeast Youth and Family Services](#): Provides mental health and community-based support services
- Hennepin County adult crisis hotline: 612-596-1223
- Hennepin County children's crisis hotline: 612-348-2233
- Ramsey County children's crisis hotline: 651-266-7878
- Ramsey County adult crisis hotline: 651-266-7900
- [Ramsey County Healing Circles](#): In person and virtual community healing circles to support health and wellbeing.
- Minnesota crisis hotline: Text "MN" to 741741
- [United Way 211](#): Connects you with mental health experts and resources
- [Volunteers of America](#): Provides mental health services
- [Community Engagement Circles](#): Partnership between Family Services Collaborative and St. Anthony-New Brighton Community Services

