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Granite Quarry Police Department
Granite Quarry Fire Department

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Today has been a roller coaster of emotions for our department, families, and this community. This morning's events are still under investigation, and additional details will need to come from those investigating agencies. However, we can say that we are grateful that all three injured first responders are at home resting. Many times, throughout the morning, it has been said, "I never imagined in our town." While this is an accurate statement, it is also correct to say that "we always knew in this town" that camaraderie and community far exceed that of many towns.

In that tone, we would like to thank you for all messages, texts, phone calls, and emails we have received from each of you in support of the wellness of our members.

We also have an abundance of gratitude for our extended GQ family, including Salisbury Fire, Rowan County Sheriff's Office, Rockwell Police and Fire, Rowan County EMS, Rowan County Fire Marshal's Office, Rowan County Emergency Management, and Rowan County 911. These ladies and gentlemen never missed a beat, ensuring that we, as responders and family members, were cared for and that emergency service coverage never ceased during the incident. Because of this community, our community partners, and emergency service partners, we will continue to remain #GQSolid.

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