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## **PRESS RELEASE**

### **Buchanan Community Schools School Resource Officer**

**BUCHANAN** - Buchanan Community Schools, in partnership with the City of Buchanan is excited to announce Officer Amy Bruce as the district's School Resource Officer. Officer Bruce was selected by the city and will provide services to the district's four schools. The School Resource Officer (SRO), will lead and assist school officials in safety and crime prevention. SROs serve as more than law enforcement officers, they serve as educators, emergency managers, and informal counselors.

By placing Officer Bruce in this role, the City of Buchanan continues to show its commitment to the safety and security of students, staff, and families of Buchanan Community Schools. Buchanan Community Schools is appreciative of the partnership between the city and the school district.

Officer Amy Bruce has been with the Buchanan Police Department for approximately 2 years. She obtained her Bachelor's degree in Criminal Justice with a minor in Psychology from Spring Arbor University. Officer Bruce was also Co-Officer of the Year for 2022. She is excited to serve our students and brings good investigative skills and a willingness to learn and grow. Officer Bruce will begin her role as SRO on January 9, 2023.