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Death Investigation   **Thursday, February 20, 2025**

On Monday, February 3, 2025 around 10:34 a.m., the Gainesville Police Department received several calls regarding an attempted suicide at a residence in the 300 block of Cunningham Street. First Responders were immediately dispatched to the scene with the first officer arriving within two minutes of the call. Life saving measures had already been started by an adult at the location and then continued by First Responders. The victim was transported to a medical facility and later air lifted to a children's hospital in the Dallas/Fort Worth Metroplex, although she succumbed to her injuries on Saturday, February 8, 2025.

The Gainesville Police Department extends its deepest and heartfelt condolences to the family for their loss. There are no words that could be spoken to ease their pain. This tragedy impacts not only the family, but our entire community including our First Responders that made the scene. Our prayers go out to all of those involved.

The Gainesville Police Department is handling the investigation of her death. An investigation into the bullying allegations is being handled by the Gainesville Independent School District.

The investigation into this case is ongoing and anyone with information is asked to contact the Gainesville Police Department by calling (940) 668-7777, or through Facebook at Facebook.com/GTPolice. Those wishing to remain anonymous can contact the Crimes Tip Hotline at (940) 612-0000.

It is important to note that a complaint, arrest, or indictment should not be considered as evidence of guilt and that all persons charged with a crime are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

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