



**Ferris State University Statement on Football Head Coach Tony Annese**  
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As a result of an incident that occurred in the locker room during halftime of the team's game against Michigan Technological University in Houghton on Saturday, Oct. 26, Ferris State University football head coach Tony Annese will serve an eight-day suspension effective today and including the team's road game on Saturday, Nov. 9 at Northwood University in Midland, Mich. Upon learning of the incident, University officials conducted an immediate review of the incident. Coach Annese will be reinstated on Thursday, Nov. 14. During the suspension, head coaching duties will be handled by assistant head coach/offensive line coach Rob Zeitman. As this is a personnel matter, the University will not make any additional comments regarding this incident.

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