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## Alderman Pérez urges neighbors to offer support to grieving family

The tragic and unexpected death of 19-year-old Brandon Flores should bring residents together in support of the young man's family and community, Milwaukee **Alderman José G. Pérez** said Friday.

"My heart goes out to everyone who was close to Brandon," Alderman Pérez said. "This young man made his community and his school proud, and it's a tragedy that he was taken from us so soon. I hope his friends and family can count on their neighbors to help them through this incredibly difficult time."

A member of Milwaukee St. Anthony High School's first-ever graduating class in 2013, Flores will be honored by his alma mater with a visitation at **St. Anthony's Church, 1711 S. 9th St., on Monday, July 29<sup>th</sup> from 8:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.** This will be followed by a funeral mass at 10:30 a.m. and then burial at Forest Home Cemetery.

St. Anthony is accepting free-will gifts and donations for the Flores family to help cover the cost of funeral and burial expenses. Donations may be made online at [www.stanthonymilwaukee.org](http://www.stanthonymilwaukee.org) or mailed to **St. Anthony School, 1727 S. 9th St., Milwaukee, WI 53204**. Donors are asked to include the notation "FLORES MEMORIAL" in the subject line of checks.

Alderman Pérez urged his neighbors to support the Flores family any way they can. "If you can do anything to help, please do," Alderman Pérez said.