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City of Milwaukee Common Council

Person killed in shooting at youth flag football game

**Statement of Common Council President José G. Pérez
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The deadly violence in Milwaukee **MUST** stop!!

This afternoon, at a youth flag football game in my district, a person was killed in an act of gun violence. At a flag football game!

Milwaukee we **MUST** do better. We **MUST** be able to know and accept when we are wrong, and we **MUST** be able to resolve conflicts without resorting to violence.

I offer my condolences to the family of the victim from this incident. I pledge to help them seek justice and demand that adults begin to model positive behavior for our kids.

Milwaukee we **MUST** do better for ourselves, our children, and neighbors for the future of our city.

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