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MEDIA ADVISORY

Elected Officials To Hold City Hall News Conference On Quadruple Homicide

Members of the Unity Caucus will today address issues associated with the shooting that left four people dead early Friday (July 4) on N. 28th St. between W. Wright and W. Clarke Streets. **Ald. Willie C. Wade**, chair of the Unity Caucus – composed of elected officials who represent inner-city districts – said the 1:15 p.m. City Hall news conference will be a "call to action" for the community.

"We will be standing together and stating unequivocally that it's unacceptable for violence to be used to resolve problems, and it's also unacceptable not to help law enforcement solve this heinous crime if people have information they can pass along," he said.

The Unity Caucus members include State Senator Spencer Coggs, State Representative Tamara Grisby, County Board Chairman Lee Holloway and Common Council President Willie L. Hines, Jr., all who represent the Milwaukee neighborhood where Friday's shooting incident occurred. Members of the Urban League and the NAACP have also been invited to participate in today's event.

WHAT: Unity Caucus News Conference

WHEN: Today, July 7, 1:15 p.m.

WHERE: City Hall Rotunda, 200 E. Wells St.