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Rep. Zamarripa Statement on GOP Obstruction of Special Session

MADISON – State Representative JoCasta Zamarripa (D-Milwaukee) released the following statement on Governor Evers’ special session on gun violence being ignored by the Republican controlled-legislature:

“Republicans prioritizing special interests over the people of Wisconsin is as sad as it is predictable. The vast majority of Wisconsinites—even gun owners and Republican voters—support commonsense legislation like background checks on all gun sales and keeping guns out of the hands of domestic abusers. Yet the Republicans have decided their donors are more important than even discussing the possibility of practical, bipartisan ideas to combat gun violence.

“I ask my colleagues across the aisle one thing—just take a moment to listen. Listen to the families torn apart by murder and suicide by guns. Listen to the activists at the Capitol today who want a better future for their children. Listen to your constituents who are tired of inaction while gun violence becomes commonplace in our headlines.

“There are real solutions we should be able to make a reality. We need to honor victims by doing our jobs.”

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