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Rep. Dittrich Statement Regarding Kenosha Unrest

Madison – Representative Barbara Dittrich (R - Oconomowoc) shared the following statement regarding the unrest last night in Kenosha:

"Last night's police incident in Kenosha has left a sense of shock all the way from Wisconsin to Washington DC, where I am currently representing our state at a celebration of the 100th anniversary of Women's Suffrage.

"While there is one video perspective being widely circulated on social media, the public needs to hear the full story before we can understand what went wrong on Sunday evening. It would be irresponsible to rush to judgment before the Department of Justice completes its full investigation that is currently underway.

"Meanwhile, my prayers are with all who were impacted by what happened, and I stand with my colleagues in supporting exploration into how we can restore public trust while assuring safe communities. I urge my fellow Wisconsinites to remain peaceful while making their voices heard at this tragic time. The last thing our state and our nation needs at this time is for hurt to be added to hurt."

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