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Bewley Statement on the Death of George Floyd

MADISON – Senate Democratic Leader Janet Bewley (D-Mason) released the following statement on the death of George Floyd:

"I want to extend my sincere condolences to the family and friends of George Floyd. His life was taken senselessly and justice needs to be served. As leaders, we must listen and acknowledge that the pathway to equality is still too far off for too many of our friends and neighbors. We can no longer tolerate systemic injustice – which, sadly, can often be a matter of life or death in communities of color in Wisconsin and across the nation. We can and must do better."

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