

Media Alert

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80% COALITION ANNOUNCES KENOSHA ASSEMBLY TO REMEMBER, HEAL & ACT IN WAKE OF KENOSHA MASS SHOOTING

Coalition to call for legislation and funding for commonsense gun violence prevention!

Franklin, WI – The 80% Coalition, a non-partisan group of advocacy, business, education, faith-based, healthcare, professional and service organizations from throughout Wisconsin will hold a public assembly at 12:00 p.m., Wednesday, April 21, 2021 in Kenosha, Wisconsin. Leaders from advocacy, community, faith and labor organizations will remember the lost, pray for the healing and call for action and funding for commonsense gun violence prevention.

Speakers:

Rev. Dr. Monica L. Cummings, Bradford Community Church Unitarian Universalist
Mr. Tyler Kelly, Carthage College Student & Gun Violence Prevention Advocate
Ms. Sareena Volkman, Carthage College Student
Bishop Paul Erickson, ECLA of the Greater Milwaukee Synod
Rev. Kevin Stewart, Episcopal Diocese of Milwaukee
Pardeep Kaleka, Interfaith Conference of Greater Milwaukee
Speaker, Moms Demand Action for Gun Sense in America/Students Demand Action - Wisconsin
Ms. Heidi Rose, Wisconsin Anti Violence Effort
Darryl Morin, President, Forward Latino
& More

When: 12:00 p.m., Wednesday, April 21, 2021

Where: Alford Park North, 1819 Sheridan Road, Kenosha, WI (Across from Carthage College)

About the 80% Coalition:

The 80% Coalition is non-partisan and is comprised of advocacy, business, education, faith-based, professional and service organizations committed to pushing back against hate and urging our legislators at the state and federal levels to condemn domestic terrorism and pass commonsense firearm reform legislation.

Coalition members include Advanced Wireless, Inc., Archdiocese of Milwaukee, Brady: United Against Gun Violence, Community Coalition for Quality Policing, Doctors for America, The Rt. Rev. Steven Andrew Miller, Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Milwaukee, Felmers Chaney Advocacy Board, First Unitarian Society of Milwaukee, Forward Latino, Greater Milwaukee Synod, ELCA, Hours Against Hate, Interfaith Conference of Greater Milwaukee, Islamic Society of Milwaukee, JCRC - Milwaukee Jewish Federation, March for Our Lives MKE, March For Our Lives Wisconsin, Milwaukee Muslim Women's Coalition, Mom's Demand Action for Gun Sense in America, NAACP - Milwaukee Branch, Serve 2 Unite, Wisconsin Anti Violence Effort (WAVE) and the Wisconsin Council of Churches. To learn more visit www.80percent4wi.org.

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