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NAACP Temple Branch Response to the Officer Involved Shooting and Death of Tiffany McCoy

On behalf of the NAACP Temple Branch, we express our most profound remorse and condolences for the tragic incident that occurred on Sunday Morning, September 23, 2023, resulting in the death of Tiffany McCoy of Killeen, Texas. We recognize the deep pain and loss that the law enforcement officers, and Tiffany's family endured during this challenging time.

We are acutely aware that this incident has left our community in shock and sorrow. The circumstances surrounding this officer-involved shooting are currently under investigation by the Texas Rangers. We understand the importance of transparency and accountability and are committed to providing as much information as possible throughout the investigative process.

Our primary goal is to ensure a thorough, impartial, and fair investigation to reveal the truth and serve justice. Words alone cannot ease the pain and suffering caused by this tragic event. Still, we want to assure everyone involved that we are dedicated to cooperating fully with the investigative process.

As we await the results of the Texas Rangers' investigation, we will do our utmost to keep the community informed to the extent possible and appropriate. We understand the importance of maintaining open lines of communication during this difficult time and will strive to provide updates as soon as possible.

We also want to express our support for the officers involved in this incident. We acknowledge the tremendous challenges and responsibilities law enforcement officers face daily and the emotional toll such events can take on them. Our thoughts are with them as they navigate through this challenging period.

Once again, we extend our deepest condolences to the family and friends of Tiffany McCoy. Our hearts go out to you, and we share in your grief. We hope that, in time, you find the strength to heal and find solace in the memories you hold dear.

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