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Rep. Hintz Statement on Mass Shooting in Las Vegas

MADISON – Today, Assembly Democratic Leader Gordon Hintz (D-Oshkosh) released the following statement regarding last night’s mass shooting in Las Vegas:

“My wife and I woke up this morning to news about another deadly mass shooting. The 337th of the year.

“The shooter rained bullets down on a trapped music festival crowd for ten minutes, firing automatic weapons from his 32nd floor hotel room.

“This massacre in Las Vegas was the deadliest mass shooting in modern American history. The facts are still becoming clear, but we know that at least 58 innocent people lost their lives and over 500 more have been reported injured.

“It would seem that no one in America is safe from gun violence. Not children in their school, not worshippers in their church, not members of Congress playing baseball, not members of the LGBTQ community at a nightclub. And not country music fans at a Las Vegas music festival.

“Our caucus stands ready to find new ways to combat the scourge of gun violence. We will work with anyone ready to move beyond ‘thoughts and prayers’ to create real and lasting change.

We shall overcome. Together.”

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