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Senator Hesselbein and Representative Joers Statement on Recent Middleton Homicide

MADISON, Wis – Today our community learned of the horrific news regarding a homicide that occurred Sunday evening, involving two Sauk Trail Elementary students. Senator Hesselbein (D-Middleton) and Representative Joers (D-Middleton) released the following statement:

"We are deeply saddened by the tragic loss of two of our Middleton-Cross Plains Area School District students. This is an incredibly sad time for the school and community. Our thoughts go to the loved ones of these children and all those impacted.

"As we learn more about this heartbreaking loss, we encourage any students or staff to talk with a professional or counselor at their school."

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Senator Dianne Hesselbein (D-Middleton) Representative Alex Joers (D-Middleton)