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## FORT BEND COUNTY JUDGE KP GEORGE STATEMENT FOLLOWING MASS SHOOTING IN UVALDE, TX

**(FORT BEND, TX)** - My thoughts and prayers are with the victims of Robb Elementary who tragically lost their lives to a senseless act of gun violence today. I also pray for and hold in my heart the parents, families, faculty, staff, first responders, and the people of Uvalde, TX, whose lives have forever been changed by this unimaginable tragedy.

Words can not express the heartbreaking and shocking nature of the event that occurred today. Our children go to school to learn in a caring and safe environment. The horrific actions of this single individual, once again, serve as a reminder, that even in our efforts to keep our schools safe, there are those who wish to inflict harm on the most vulnerable amongst us, our children.

While I am heartbroken by this tragedy, I am thankful for the quick response by law enforcement agencies who worked together to save lives with their courageous actions and bravery.