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## Statement from Uvalde City Manager Vince DiPiazza on Public Memorials and Resources for Families Impacted by the Robb Elementary Shooting

Until we meet with families who lost children and parents in the Robb Elementary Shooting, we ask the public to refrain from taking items or cleaning up the public memorials dedicated to the victims.

This only pertains to pop up memorials on city property.

The city is collecting dried greenery and safely storing it for use in a future, permanent memorial.

Plans for a permanent memorial to the victims have not been determined.

The city is also reaching out to families impacted by shooting. Resources are available for those injured and hospitalized for bills including electricity, water, medical or food. Contact Gloria Resma, executive assistant to the city manager, <a href="mailto:gresma@uvaldetx.gov">gresma@uvaldetx.gov</a> or Susan Anderson, director of planning and zoning, <a href="mailto:sanderson@uvaldetx.gov">sanderson@uvaldetx.gov</a> or 830-278-3315.

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