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STUDENTS TO HOST A MARCH ON THE NRA IN MADISON

MarchOnNRA Wisconsin protesters on August 4th will be joined by Parkland students.

MADISON, WISCONSIN, JULY 26th — The Madison MarchOnNRA will commence at 4:00PM, promptly at Library Mall. The march will continue down State Street and end at the Capitol where speakers will give our demands and speak on the issue of gun violence and money in politics.

Speakers will include, Carlitos Rodrigues, a Parkland shooting survivor and Brady Campaign activist, Khary Penbaker, DNC Representative and a victim of gun violence, student organizers and activists, and more. A finalized speakers list will be released on July 28th.

MarchOnNRA Wisconsin is partnered with the national March For Our Lives organization, which started in the aftermath of the Parkland shooting, and the Brady Campaign to Prevent Gun Violence, and Team ENOUGH, a youth organization apart of the Brady Campaign.

MarchOnNRA Wisconsin is currently drafting legislation that includes, but not limited to, universal background checks, reinstituting the 48-hour waiting period, raising the age to purchase a firearm to 21, campaign finance, and more. Legislation will be reintroduced by MarchOnNRA Wisconsin and state legislators in the current session and next session until passage. MarchOnNRA Wisconsin is inviting all members of the community to help lobby these bills in the state legislature.

Along with the legislation, MarchOnNRA Wisconsin will be pushing for a legislatively referred constitutional amendment in Wisconsin, similar to the Question 1 on the April 2018 ballot, expressing that all persons shall be free from gun violence.

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