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NCGE’s Statement on the Mass Shooting at Robb Elementary School in Uvalde, TX

NCGE released the following statement:

“With unimaginable sadness, the National Council for Geographic Education joins the community of Uvalde, Texas, and the rest of the nation in grief over the senseless violence that took place at Robb Elementary School. Our hearts are with the families and loved ones of the 19 children and two teachers whose lives were taken much too soon.

Schools have been and should continue to be safe havens for our children to grow and thrive. NCGE joins millions of Americans across this country in calling for strong measures to better protect our children, our teachers and our communities from this epidemic of violence.

We look forward to that day when incidents like what happened in Uvalde, Sandy Hook, and too many other places around our country are things of the past. Until that day, NCGE will continue to offer what support we can to students, teachers and all of the victims of these senseless killings.”