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## **MEDIA RELEASE**

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### **President of the City Council Oliver L. Baines, III to host Second My Brother's Keeper Fresno Convening Wednesday, March 4 at 5:30pm**

President of the City Council Oliver L. Baines, III will be hosting the second My Brother's Keeper Fresno Convening on **Wednesday, March 4 at 5:30pm** at City Hall Council Chambers, 2600 Fresno Street, second floor.

He invites community leaders involved with youth and young adults to discuss the City of Fresno's acceptance of the "My Brother's Keeper Community Challenge."

The first meeting focused on what work was already happening in our community. This meeting will provide a review of the recent White House Convening of Communities who have accepted the My Brother's Keeper Community Challenge.

The MBK challenge asks communities to focus on six key targets, using current data, best practices, and policy to address the following:

1. Entering school ready to learn;
2. Reading at grade level by third grade;
3. Graduating from high school ready for college and career;
4. Completing post-secondary education or training;
5. Successfully entering the workforce;
6. Reducing violence and providing a second chance.

Council President Baines hopes you will join us and looks forward to working with you!

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