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Kristen Clarke
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Re: DOJ Tulsa Race Massacre Review and Evaluation Results

Dear Assistant Attorney General Clarke:

Thank you for releasing the Tulsa Race Massacre review and evaluation results report.

I am grateful for the extensive fact-finding and documentation of the Department of Justice into the Tulsa Race Massacre. However, I must express my disappointment that no prosecution will be carried out despite the heinous crimes committed during the massacre. Survivors and their families have been seeking compensatory justice for this atrocity for over 100 years and have been consistently denied judicial intervention at every level. It is particularly painful for the only two 110-year-old survivors who must now suffer yet another denial of justice and accountability.

I appreciate the report's factual findings which discredit the distorted narratives and prevarications that have, for over a century, justified the denial of lawsuits, insurance claims, and other means of achieving justice for victims. Despite the perceived legal and practical limitations to prosecution, I urge the Department of Justice to continue supporting the survivors, descendants, and broader Greenwood community with their historical reckoning, in any way possible.

Sincerely,



Al Green
Member of Congress

*Progenitor of Aug. 20th as
Slavery Remembrance Day*

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