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**NextGen Wisconsin to Attend Families Belong Together Rallies
Across the State**

*NextGen organizers will protest family separation policies and engage young voters ahead
of midterm elections*

MADISON, WI — On **Saturday, June 30th**, NextGen Wisconsin will stand in solidarity with immigrant families and engage young Wisconsinites at the Families Belong Together protests in Madison, Stevens Point, Oshkosh, Eau Claire, La Crosse, and Milwaukee. Since the beginning of May, the Trump administration has separated [2,342 children](#) from their parents along the southern border of the United States. Rather than supporting the DREAM Act, GOP lawmakers continue to push destructive, anti-immigrant legislation which holds Dreamers hostage to placate Trump's base and would allow the Administration to jail children for an indefinite amount of time. NextGen Wisconsin is rallying people to protest on Saturday to tell Wisconsin Republicans loud and clear: these policies are an assault on American values, and we will vote you out of office this November.

With an initial \$2.5 million investment, NextGen Wisconsin is organizing young voters across the state ahead of November. With over 31 staff and fellows already on the ground, NextGen is working to organize young voters in their communities and has already registered over 3,000 young Wisconsinites to vote this year.

Families Belong Together Rally — Madison

WHO: NextGen Wisconsin

Indivisible Madison
Voces de la Frontera
Dane County Sanctuary Coalition
Madison National Organization for Women
Planned Parenthood Advocates of Wisconsin
ACLU Wisconsin
Women's March Wisconsin
Wisconsin Faith Voices for Justice
GRUMPS (Grandparents United for Madison Public Schools)
WHEN: June 30th, 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
WHERE: Wisconsin State Capitol, 2 E Main St.
Madison, Wisconsin 53703

Families Belong Together Rally — Oshkosh

WHO: NextGen Wisconsin organizers and volunteers
WHEN: June 30th, 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
WHERE: Roe Park, 408 Washington Ave
Oshkosh, WI 54901

Families Belong Together Rally — Stevens Point

WHO: NextGen Wisconsin organizers and volunteers
WHEN: June 30th, 12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.
WHERE: Old Kmart Parking Lot, 111 Division St,
Stevens Point, WI 54481-1831

Keep Families Together Rally — Eau Claire

WHO: NextGen Wisconsin organizers and local progressive activists
WHEN: June 30th, 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
WHERE: Wilson Park, S Barstow St.
Eau Claire, WI 54701

Families Belong Together Rally — Milwaukee

WHO: NextGen Wisconsin organizers and volunteers
Citizen Action of Wisconsin
ACLU of Wisconsin

WHEN: June 30th, 12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

WHERE: Senator Ron Johnson's Milwaukee Office

517 East Wisconsin Avenue, Suite 408, Milwaukee, WI 532024500

Families Belong Together Rally — La Crosse

WHO: NextGen Wisconsin organizers and volunteers

YWCA La Crosse

La Crosse Immigration Task Force

Cia Siab, Inc.

Centro Latino

WHEN: June 30th, 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

WHERE: La Crosse City Hall

400 La Crosse St.

La Crosse, WI 54601

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