

Family Statement
May 5, 2015
Preliminary Hearing // Boulder, Colorado

"The Wilkins family deeply appreciates the support afforded to us by Stan Garnett and his team at the Boulder County District Attorney's office. We are confident in their ability to successfully see that justice is carried out in a manner proportionate with the circumstances surrounding the attack on Michelle and the resulting tragic death of her soon to be born daughter Aurora. We endorse the charges chosen by the District Attorney and believe them to be correct and reflective of what is permissible under current Colorado law.

As a family, we believe that efforts to seek justice on behalf of Michelle and Aurora are now in the hands of Colorado's Twentieth Judicial District -- not in ours. We now choose to let the legal system run its proper course and will refrain from making any comments on the conduct of the court case until it is concluded and a verdict reached.

We continue to be heartened by the many messages of love, comfort, and unity we have received not only from around the country, but from around the world. Our conviction that we are members of a global community overwhelmingly filled with virtuous people loving and looking out for each other has been continually validated in the days and weeks since the attack. We are thankful and humbled by the support we've received and the many generous contributions made to assist in Michelle's recovery.

Michelle continues to recuperate – physically and spiritually. She has departed Colorado for the time being, but is in a familiar place surrounded by friends and family united in her support and well-being."

For the many people who continue to generously reach out to assist Michelle with her recovery and expenses, they can contribute online at a social media site set up by her family:

<http://www.gofundme.com/michelle-wilkins>

They can also mail their donations to:

The Michelle Wilkins Trust Fund
c/o The Kapsak Law Firm, LLC
1610 Hover St, Suite 203
Longmont, CO 80501