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For Immediate Release: Statement from Dallas County Criminal District Attorney John Creuzot

As your Dallas County Criminal District Attorney, I made a promise to present officer involved shooting cases to a grand jury as quickly as possible. The intent was to prevent these cases from lingering in the system for six months or longer. We want to either, clear officers so they can get back to work; or when a grand jury determines probable cause, proceed with a trial before a jury.

The District Attorney's Public Integrity Unit presented the case of a Farmer's Branch Police Officer who was involved in a deadly shooting on June 12, 2019. Late yesterday, a Dallas County Grand Jury indicted Farmer's Branch Police Officer Michael Dunn for murder in the death of Juan Moreno exactly two weeks to the day of the shooting. This restores confidence in the community that the system can work quickly, fairly, and efficiently.

Because this is an ongoing case, the District Attorney's Office will have no further comment.

John Creuzot Dallas County Criminal District Attorney