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## PRESS RELEASE

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**Re:** PRESS CONFERENCE: The Booker Family Calls for a Federal Investigation into the Death of Marvin Booker

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On Monday, May 9, 2011, the City of Denver finally released selective portions of the video, and a 40 page public statement, regarding the tragic death of Marvin Louis Booker. Marvin Booker died at the hands of members of Denver law enforcement on July 9, 2010, at the Van Cise-Simonet Detention Center. After a 10 month "investigation" the City of Denver has cleared all of the officers involved of wrongdoing. This approval of the killing of Marvin Booker by members of Denver's law enforcement follows District Attorney Mitchell Morrissey's decision not to criminally prosecute those involved his killing. In light of the City's refusal or inability to police itself, the Booker Family and other members of the community call for a federal investigation by the Department of Justice into the killing of Marvin Booker. Members of the Booker Family, their legal counsel, members of Denver community will be present to demand justice for Marvin Booker.

**DATE: MARCH 10, 2011** 

**TIME: 10 a.m.** 

**LOCATION: Alfred Arraj US Courthouse** 

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