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BIRDWELL, KACAL COMMENT ON RECOVERY OF WEST ONE YEAR AFTER TRAGEDY

State Senator Brian Birdwell and State Representative Kyle Kacal released the following statements in advance of the one-year anniversary of the April 17, 2013 fertilizer-plant explosion in West, Texas.

"In reflecting on the year following this tragedy, I cannot help but feel pride in the incredible work of our local and state first responders, the continual leadership shown by Mayor Tommy Muska and his fellow city and county officials, and the resilience of the citizens of West," Birdwell said. "It is no surprise to see Texans pull together and rebuild like this."

"The hearts of all Texans continue to reach out to the community of West and those affected by last year's tragedy," Kacal said. "We acknowledge with deep appreciation the tremendous response to the local rebuilding efforts and stand in solidarity as we continue to work toward the future of West."

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Senator Brian Birdwell (R-Granbury) and Representative Kyle Kacal (R-College Station) represent the City of West in Senate District 22 and House District 12, respectively.