

Trayvon Martin: Parents Reject Zimmerman's Request for Private Meeting

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The parents of **Trayvon Martin**, Sybrina Fulton and Tracy Martin, will not grant **George Zimmerman's** request to meet with him in private, attorney **Benjamin Crump** said Thursday.

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At a press conference in Tampa, Florida, Crump said that now, the night before he could be possibly be granted bond, was "not the time" for

Zimmerman to speak with them:

Some crimes on their face are non-bondable offense. Second-degree murder is one of them," Crump said. "We didn't just demand an arrest to have George Zimmerman give the police his fingerprints and his mug shot."

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Trayvon Martin's parents in Tampa for town hall today

By Keith Morelli | Tribune Staff

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The parents of Trayvon Martin, the teen whose shooting death in Sanford three months ago sparked a national discussion about the limits of self-defense, will take part in a panel discussion on Florida's "Stand Your Ground" law in Tampa today.

The "Stand Your Ground for Justice" town-hall meeting is sponsored by the National Bar Association, the largest national network of predominantly African-American attorneys and judges.

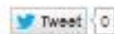
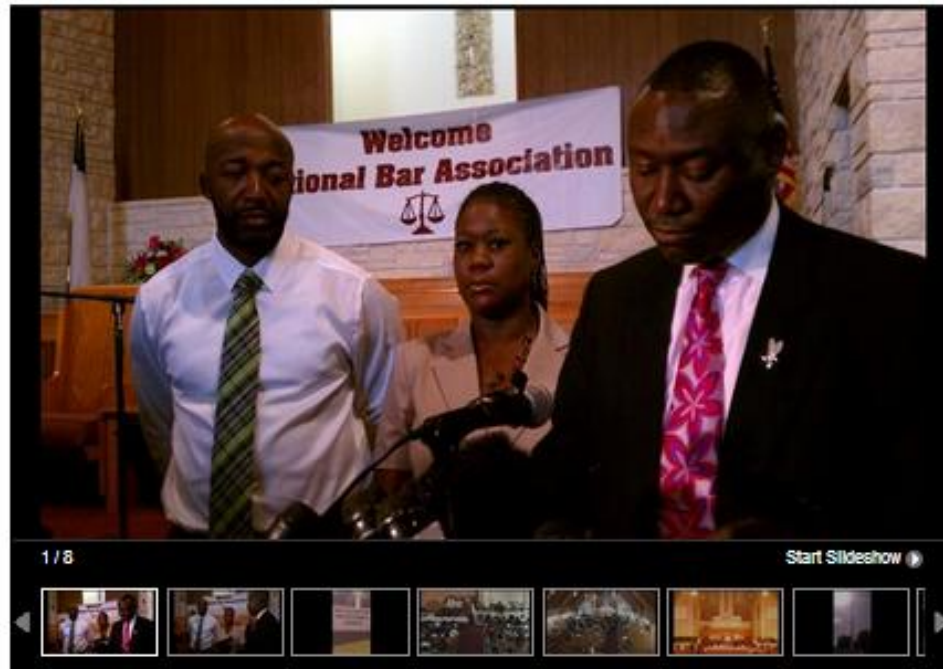
The forum is scheduled for noon at the Beulah Baptist Institutional Church, 1006 Cypress St.

The meeting will include an update on the Martin case, in which the 17-year-old was shot to death by a neighborhood-watch member in Sanford in January.

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Tampa, Florida -- Trayvon Martin's parents are in Tampa Thursday afternoon as part of a town hall meeting sponsored by the National Bar Association called, "Stand Our Ground for Justice."

Martin's parents, Sybrina Fulton and Tracy Martin are sitting together on the front pew inside Beulah Baptist Institutional Church at 1006 Cypress Street in Tampa.



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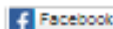
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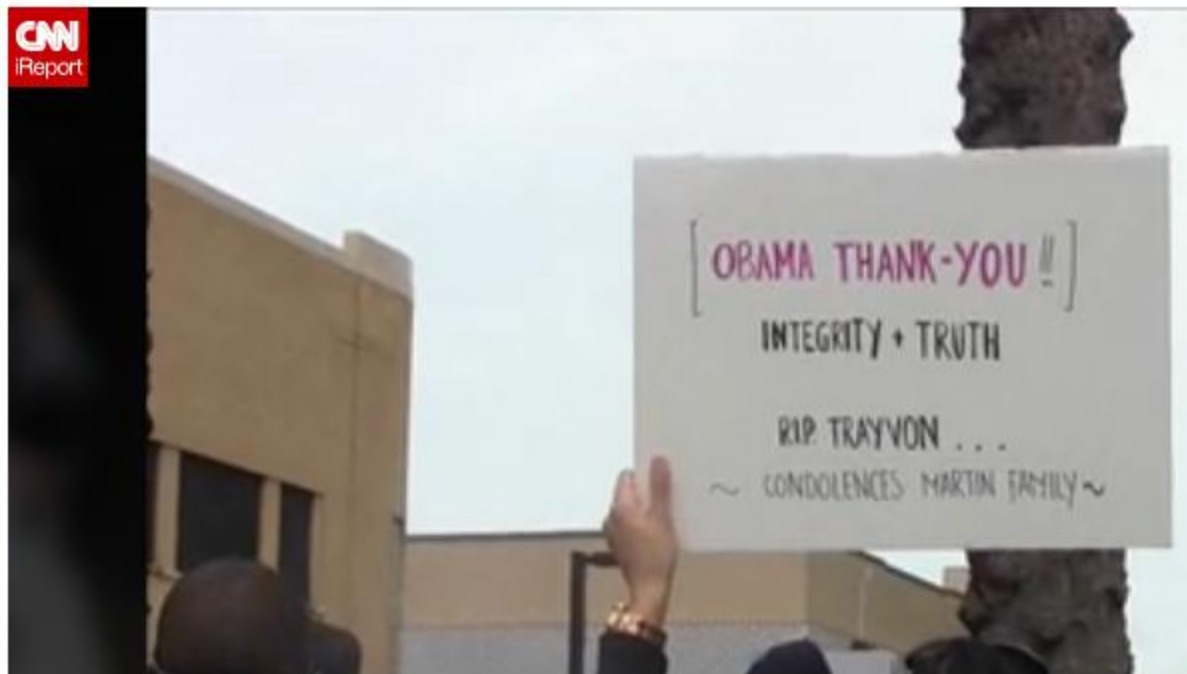
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 - rachel8, CNN iReport producer

Martin Rally in front of the federal courthouse in downtown Tampa. Tampa's rally was part of 100 cities nationwide on Saturday to call for justice and to support Trayvon Martin after the acquittal of George Zimmerman. Natural Sound video runs: 2:34



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Tampa is one of about 100 cities nationwide where protesters will heed the Rev. Al Sharpton's call for citizens to rally for justice for slain Florida teen Trayvon Martin on Saturday.

Sharpton's National Action Network is encouraging people to hold vigils outside federal buildings across the country to support a Department of Justice investigation into the killing of Martin, a 17-year-old who was shot in Sanford last year by neighborhood watch volunteer George Zimmerman.

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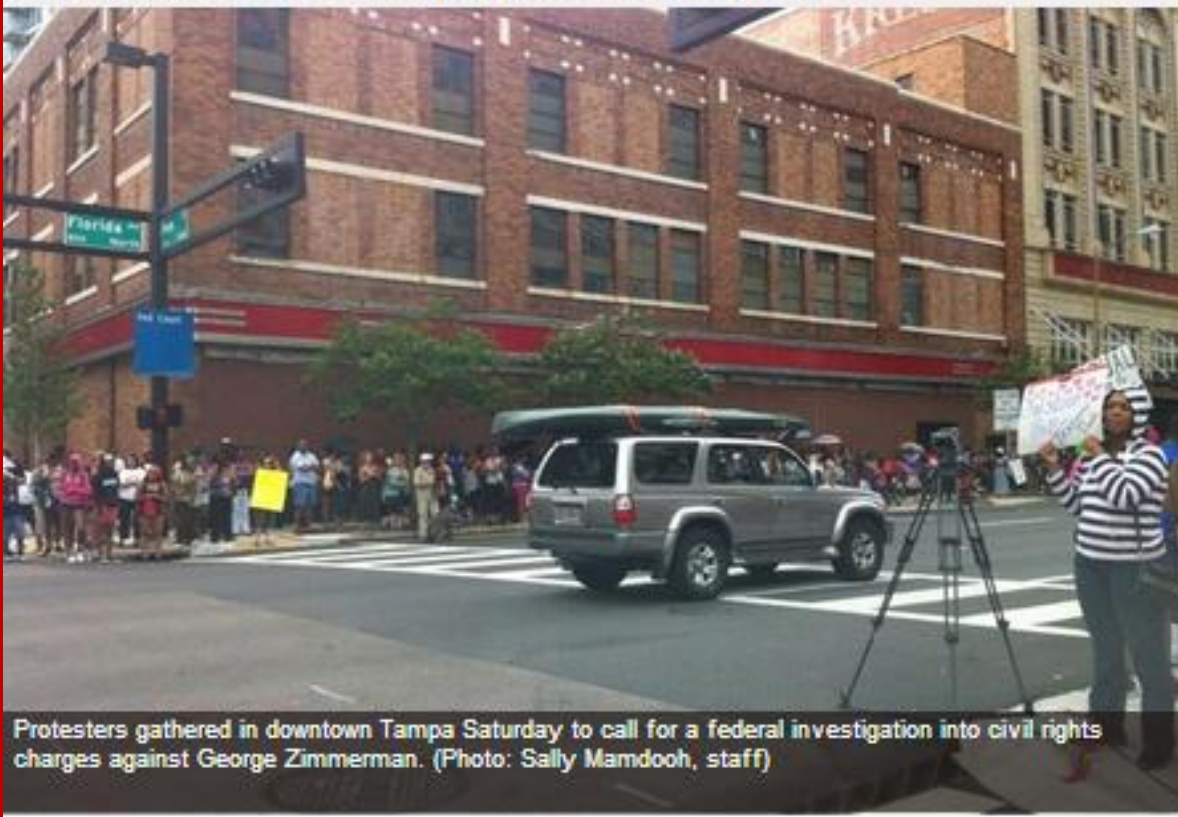
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Protesters gathered in downtown Tampa Saturday to call for a federal investigation into civil rights charges against George Zimmerman. (Photo: Sally Mamdooh, staff)

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Nearly a month after unarmed 17-year-old Trayvon Martin was shot to death in Sanford by neighborhood watch captain George Zimmerman, a crowd estimated to be around 1,000 people gathered in Tampa's Al Lopez Park to protest their outrage at Martin's death — and the fact that Zimmerman still remains a free man.

Organized by the group "Real Talk: Real Answers," the protest was welcomed by many of those in attendance, who said it gave them an opportunity to call for justice in the case, to question the wisdom of Florida's 2005 "Stand Your Ground" law, and for





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There have been rallies in New York City and Sanford, FL relating to the shooting death of 17-year-old Trayvon Martin, and now there will be one in Tampa Bay.

The rally is being put together by a local Facebook group is to be held at 10:30 a.m. at Al Lopez Park, 4010 N. Himes Avenue. It will start there and proceed to North Dale Mabry at Dr. Martin Luther King Boulevard.