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**TRANSCRIPT: MAYOR DE BLASIO DELIVERS REMARKS AT EDWARD R.
MURROW HIGH SCHOOL**

Mayor Bill de Blasio: Thank you Alana. Thank you. Let's thank all of the leaders of the Activism Club for making this happen!

[Cheering]

Murrow, I'm very proud of you today.

[Cheering]

I appreciate you and I appreciate students all over this city and all over this country who are standing up for change. I have to help you understand one thing, in the decades and decades before this moment, we have never seen anything like what you are doing today.

[Cheering]

There's been a fight for change for a long time, but there's never been a more powerful movement than what the students of Brooklyn and New York City and this nation have done in these last few weeks.

You are making so clear to this whole country that you are sick of the violence. You are sick of the madness. You are sick of the slaughter, and you won't stand for it.

[Cheering]

And we need your leadership. We need you because you have shown the kind of leadership that we've never seen before. And I am very certain in my heart that change is coming because of you, and I admire you and I appreciated you. Keep fighting. Thank you.

[Cheering]

Now my pleasure to introduce Ana.

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