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[ON-SCREEN HEADLINE: Fighting Back]

GEORGE STEPHANOPOULOS: Fighting back. Minnesota and Illinois taking Homeland Security to court over the surge in immigration officers. Minnesota calls it federal invasion of Twin Cities days after a mother of three was shot and killed by ICE agents. Illinois accuses Trump administration of creating climate of fear.

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[ON-SCREEN HEADLINE: States Sue Trump Administration Over Deployments]

ROBIN ROBERTS: Now to Minnesota and Illinois officials suing the Trump administration over the mass deployment of federal agents, claiming their actions are unconstitutional. Faith Abubey is on the scene for us there in Minneapolis. Good morning to you, Faith.

FAITH ABUBEY: Good morning to you, Robin. Officials here are accusing DHS of pushing limit of immigration crackdown to sow fear and chaos in this community. They say, so far, the dramatic operations have cost Twin Cities billions in law enforcement resources.

[SCREAMING] This morning, the states of Minnesota and Illinois taking DHS to court amid a surge of thousands of immigration officers that officials are calling a federal invasion.

MINNEAPOLIS MAYOR JACOB FREY (D): We are not asking ICE not to do ICE thing says. We are asking this federal government to stop the unconstitutional conduct invading our streets everyday. You have seen the videos. At times, there are as many as 50 agents arresting one person. The scale is wildly disproportionate. It has nothing to do with keeping people safe.

ABUBEY: Minnesota accusing DHS of engaging in unconstitutional stops and arrests, brandishing weapons, and dragging people out of schools and hospitals.

ANTI-ICE THUGS: Shame! Shame! Shame!

ABUBEY: Federal agents firing teargas to clear demonstrators after agents were involved in a car crash.

MINNESOTA ATTORNEY GENERAL KEITH ELLISON (D): This has to stop. It just has to stop.

ABUBEY: Officials in Illinois calling for a stop to the “turmoil and climate of fear.”

ILLINOIS ATTORNEY GENERAL KWAME RAOUL (D): The repeated invasions of private property, wrongful arrests, illegal interrogations, and violent confrontations have not made our city or state safer.

ABUBEY: The Trump administration pushing back arguing they are protecting the American people. The lawsuits coming nearly week after disturbing cell phone videos shows an agent shot and killed 37-year-old mom Renee Good. And the Hennepin County attorney tells me that they are moving forward with the criminal investigation into that deadly ICE shooting despite federal authorities blocking access to key evidence in this case. They do expect to make a decision at some point on whether to charge the ICE agent involved, guys.

MICHAEL STRAHAN: Alright, Faith, thank you so much for that.