Joint Statement para sa Pakikiisa ng AAPI sa #Black Lives Matter at sa Movement para sa mga Taong Black

Lubos kaming nalulungkot. Bagama't hindi na maibabalik ng mga salita ang buhay nina Alton Sterling, Philando Castile, Sandra Bland, Freddie Gray, Rekia Boyd, Michael Brown, Renisha McBride, Akai Gurley at marami pang iba na may mga kwentong hindi batid ng iba, nakikiisa kami sa mga Black organizer sa isang pagkilos na naglalayong lumaban para sa kalayaan, makataong dignidad at makabagong hustiya para sa mga Black. Kami, bilang mga Asian American at Pacific Islander, ay ganap na nakikiisa sa #BlackLivesMatter at sa movement para sa mga taong Black.

Hindi namin matatanggap ang malawakang pag-aakusa ng krimen at malawakang hindi makatarungang panghuhuli ng pulis, karahasan at pagpatay sa ating mga kapatid na Black. Hindi kami makakapayag na manahimik na lang sa kakulangan ng pananagutan, pagiging transparent at responsibilidad ng pulisya at tagapagpatupad ng batas. Itinatakwil namin ang matagal nang umiiral na racism na dahilan ng mga karaniwang pagkamatay ng mga kapatid na Black. Hinihiling namin na tapusin na ang kasalukuyang nangyayaring karahasan na ito na pinapayagan ng estado at ang mga racist na institusyon na patuloy na nagsasawalang-bahala sa mga buhay ng Black. Hustisya ang kailangan namin ngayon.

Naninindigan kaming kikilos sa loob ng aming mga komunidad at pangungunahan ang aming mga kasamahan. Sama-sama kaming magmamartsa. Sama-sama kaming lalaban at dadalhin namin ang kanilang mga pangalan. Dahil kung hindi magiging malaya ang mga Black, walang sinuman sa atin ang magiging malaya.

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Advancing Justice - Asian Law Caucus
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Alliance of South Asian American Labor (ASAAL)
Alliance of South Asians Taking Action (ASATA)
Anakbayan USA
API Equality - Northern California (APIENC)
API Queer Women and Trans Community (APIQWTC)
API Solidarity DC
Asian American Alliance at Duke
Asian American Legal Defense and Education Fund (AALDEF)
Asian American Millennials Unite
Asian American Organizing Project
Asian American Pacific Islander Progressive Alliance
Asian American Psychological Association
Asian American Resource Workshop
Asian American Student Union (University of Minnesota, Twin Cities)
Asian American Studies Task Force
Asian Americans Advancing Justice - AAJC
Asian Americans Advancing Justice | Chicago

Asian Americans Advancing Justice - Los Angeles
Asian Americans United
Asian Americans/Pacific Islanders in Philanthropy - Philadelphia
Asian Pacific American Heritage Week - University of Pennsylvania
Asian Pacific American Labor Alliance, AFL-CIO
Asian Pacific American Labor Alliance, AFL-CIO - Washington, DC
Asian Pacific American Network of Oregon
Asian Pacific American Student Development, UC Berkeley
Asian Pacific Environmental Network (APEN)
Asian Pacific Institute on Gender-Based Violence
Asian Pacific Islander Alliance (APIA) at UC Santa Barbara
Asian Students in America at Carleton College
Asian Pacific Partners for Empowerment, Advocacy and Leadership (APPEAL)
Asian & Pacific Islander American Health Forum
Asian/Pacific American Librarians Association
Asian/Pacific Islander Queers United for Action (AQUA)
AZAPIAVote Table
Baltimore Asian Resistance in Solidarity
Berkeley South Asian Radical History Walking Tour
CAAAV: Organizing Asian Communities
Center for APA Women
ChangeLab
Chinatown Community for Equitable Development (CCED)
Chinese Progressive Association - San Francisco
Council for Native Hawaiian Advancement
Council on American-Islamic Relations, SFBA
Dari Project
Densho
DRUM - Desis Rising Up and Moving
East Coast Asian American Student union
Empowering Pacific Islander Communities
Filipino Advocates for Justice
Filipino American Democratic Club of New York
Freedom Inc
GABRIELA USA
Gay Asian Pacific Islander Men of New York (GAPIMNY)
Girls Make Better Ninjas: AAPI Feminism Workshop
Hai Ba Trung School for Organizing, SoCal
Hmong Innovating Politics
Intercollegiate Taiwanese American Student Association
Jahajee Sisters: Empowering Indo-Caribbean Women
Japanese American Citizens League Philadelphia Chapter
Lantern Media Network
LELO (Legacy of Equality, Leadership and Organizing)
KAN-WIN
Kimchi Mamas
Korean American Resource and Cultural Center
Migrante Washington D.C.
Muslim Community Network
Muslim Women's Professional Network - St. Louis
National Asian American Pacific Islander Mental Health Association, NAAPIMHA

National Asian Pacific American Families Against Substance Abuse
National Asian Pacific American Women's Forum
National Asian Pacific American Women's Forum - Bay Area
National Asian Pacific American Women's Forum - New York
National Coalition for Asian Pacific American Community Development
National Council of Asian Pacific Americans (NCAPA)
National Korean American Service & Education Consortium (NAKASEC)
National Queer Asian Pacific Islander Alliance
OCA – Asian Pacific American Advocates
OneAmerica
Pan Asian American Student Alliance of the University of San Francisco
Penn Taiwanese Society
Philadelphia South Asian Collective
Pilipino American Unity for Progress, Inc. (UniPro)
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Queer Women of Color Media Arts Project - QWOCMAP
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Services, Immigrant Rights, and Education Network (SIREN)
South Asian American Policy & Research Institute (SAAPRI)
South Asian Americans Leading Together
South Asian Fund For Education, Scholarship & Training (SAFEST)
Southeast Asia Resource Action Center (SEARAC)
Southeast Asian Community Alliance
Southeast Asian Coalition (SEAC)
Southwest Asian & North Afrikan - Los Angeles (SWANA-LA)
Stanford Asian American Activism Committee
Trikone Northwest
VAYLA New Orleans
Viet-Unity Los Angeles
Wakefield Asian Club
Yale School of Drama's Asian American and Asian Theater Coalition

Allied Organizations
After Bruce PR & Marketing
Agenda Project Action Fund
Alabama Coalition for Immigrant Justice
Ceanothus Consulting
Chutney Pride Inc.- A Nonprofit LGBT Caribbean Organization
Community Health Partnership
Elemental Partners
Families Of Color Seattle
Freedom at Emory University
Freedom Trainers
The Gathering for Justice/Justice League NYC
Lionswrite Communications
Military Religious Freedom Foundation

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Richmond Reproductive Freedom Project
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UFCW Minority Coalition
United Steelworkers
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Workers Defense Project