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**Asian Americans in Action Solidarity Statement Against  
Anti-Black Racism and Violence**

As a community, Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders are no strangers to the dehumanizing effects of racism and oppression. Recent events in our nation compel us to speak out specifically about anti-black violence. We will not be silent.

Let their names be said: George Floyd, murdered while in police custody. Breonna Taylor, murdered by police while asleep in her home. Ahmaud Arbery, murdered while jogging in his neighborhood. Christian Cooper, terrorized while birdwatching. We express our condolences to their families, and share in their outrage at the continuing legacy of white supremacy in our social and political institutions. We strongly condemn these racially-motivated deaths and crimes in the strongest possible terms and stand with Black and African American communities to demand justice.

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Asian Americans in Action is a non-profit organization that advocates for Asian American and Pacific Islander (AAPI) issues and policies, and elevates the voices and stories of AAPI communities in Orange County.