

OHIO LEADERS: DENOUNCE DISCRIMINATION AGAINST ASIAN COMMUNITIES

TAKE ACTION NOW



As the COVID-19 pandemic continues to take an increasing toll on our country, Asians in America have experienced alarming levels of harassment as well as physical attacks. This is not the first time that marginalized communities—including people of Asian descent—have faced increased harassment and violence in the face of a national emergency.

No amount of fear justifies the prejudice, discrimination, and attacks against Asians that we are seeing today. Racist scapegoating has a long and ugly history that has impacted countless communities of color. It is critical that Asian people feel safe, especially in these extraordinary times. We urge state officials to make clear that any anti-Asian sentiment is un-American.

DENOUNCE THE SPEAD OF XENOPHIBIA AND RACISM! Tell Ohio officials to issue statements declaring that hate, racism, harassment, and discrimination against Asians in America are unacceptable. It is the duty of public officials to uphold the civil and constitutional rights of all individuals regardless of race, ethnicity, nationality, disability, income, or any other protected characteristic.

Message Recipients:

Governor DeWine

Your State Senator

Your State Representative

YOUR MESSAGE

Subject

Denounce Discrimination against

Dear Ohio officials,

I urge you to denounce the spread of xenophobia and racism against Asian Americans.

I write to express my grave concern over the increasing incidents of hate, discrimination, and violence against Asian Americans. We urge your office to send a public message condemning attacks against Asian American communities.

Not being loud enough in condemning these actions contributes to this environment and emboldens attacks. People engaged in such racist, hateful

I urge your office to use the tools at its disposal and send a public message that attacks against Asian American communities are unacceptable, and that Asians are an integral part of U.S. communities.

Sincerely,

[First Name] [Last Name]

[Your Address]

YOUR INFORMATION

This system requires that you provide your name and contact information. This information will not be used for any purpose other than to identify you to the recipient.

Salutation *

(required by some officials)

First name *

Last name *

E-mail address *

Address *

Address Line 2

City *

State *

Zip Code *

Phone *

Phone Type *

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