USC Staff Assembly

DEI Support Statement for AAPI Communities

USC Staff Assembly condemns all acts of hatred, racism, xenophobia, and misogyny against

our Asian, Asian American, Pacific Islander, Pacific Islander American, Multiethnic Asian and

Multiracial Asian communities. The recent events of murder and physical and verbal assaults

have no place in our society. We are committed to ensuring USC is a community that

welcomes racial and ethnic diversity and USC Staff Assembly is firmly committed to the

inclusion of all AAPI staff, faculty, students and alumni. We are committed to eradicating

hatred, racism, discrimination and microaggressions against our AAPI Trojans. We stand with

you! We support you! We will fight on with you.

Staff, students, and faculty can report incidents of bias and discrimination via the USC Office

of Equity, Equal Opportunity and Title IX. https://eeotix.usc.edu/report/ There are additional

Staff support services through the Center for Work and Family Life. Additionally, staff,

students, and faculty can participate in weekly dialogue spaces or expert panels with the Race

+ Equity + Wellbeing Series, a collaboration between the USC office of Campus Wellbeing

and Education, and USC HR, Equity, and Compliance.

Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee

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