



STOP

ASIAN

HATE

STATEMENT OF SUPPORT

AGE+ is horrified and deeply saddened by the tragic violent attacks against people of Asian descent in Atlanta, Georgia. These attacks come in the context of a broader distressing trend of anti-Asian racism and violence seen around the country, including here in Oregon.

AGE+ stands with Asian families everywhere. We want you to know that we see you, we hear you, and we stand in community with you. We will be willing to speak up and speak out anytime we see injustices perpetrated against Asian & Pacific Islander communities. We acknowledge that, when our community isn't safe for one group within our community, it isn't safe for any of us in or community.

Here are some proactive steps community members can take:

- Learn about the Asian & Pacific Islander communities and their contributions to Oregon and Washington: <https://www.apano.org/>
- The group Stop Asian & Pacific Islander Hate has safety tips for those experiencing or witnessing hate: <https://stopaapihate.org/safetytipsenglish/>
- Asian American Advancing Justice has trainings on responding to anti-Asian harassment and more: <https://advancingjustice-aaajc.org/events>
- Report crimes against Asian Americans in Oregon: <https://www.doj.state.or.us/oregon-department-of-justice/bias-crimes/about-the-law/>



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