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Statement Against Racial Injustice

Dear AIA Washington Council Members,

AIA Washington Council stands with our black and brown brothers and sisters who have carried the pain of injustice and violence due to racism and racists actions and policies throughout our history. Though technology allows us a glimpse into some of these brutal, hate-filled actions, we know that these injustices have been going on in black and brown communities without consequence for decades.

It must end. We are committed to dismantling systemic and institutional racism, racist policies and police violence so that all members of our community can live a life without fear and hate. We adopt AIA National's statement against racial injustice and commit to putting it into action: [Statement on Racial Injustice](#)

We ask our community of members to join us and to stand alongside our black and brown brothers and sisters. We will educate ourselves, we will act on behalf of those who are oppressed and we will fight to take down these centuries-old systems of inequality and prejudice.

We also want to listen to you, our membership. If you want to share thoughts on how we can do better, please contact us at office@aiawa.org.

Regards-

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