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119TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

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Condemning all forms of hate.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mrs. WATSON COLEMAN submitted the following resolution; which was  
referred to the Committee on \_\_\_\_\_

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# RESOLUTION

Condemning all forms of hate.

Whereas hate in any form must be identified and condemned;

Whereas discriminatory rhetoric and the scapegoating of vulnerable communities are the main drivers of race-related attacks;

Whereas hate-based violence also extends to hate crimes, discriminatory policing and immigration policies, and hate speech;

Whereas the total number of single-bias incidents in 2024 was 11,323;

Whereas 64 percent of hate crimes committed in 2024 were committed against a person and 38 percent were committed against property;

Whereas, in 2024, ethnicity-related hate crimes made up the majority of all reported bias crimes;

Whereas African Americans make up the majority of victims in race-related hate crimes in 2024;

Whereas Asian American hate crimes remained elevated in 2024, approximately 3 times the pre-pandemic annual average between 2013 and 2018;

Whereas Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander hate crimes increased by 93 percent between 2023 and 2024;

Whereas the Sikh community experienced 151 hate crimes in 2024;

Whereas antisemitic hate incidents have increased across educational institutions and places of worship, causing an increase in threats to public safe havens;

Whereas 2024 was the highest year on record for antisemitic incidents since 1979;

Whereas anti-Muslim hate crimes have increased nearly 5 percent from 2023 to 2024;

Whereas xenophobia in the framework of immigration policy has caused the displacement of thousands of migrant children;

Whereas LGBTQIA+ hate crimes comprised 1 in 5 offenses in 2024;

Whereas 78 percent of victims of transgender and gender nonconforming fatal attacks were victims of color, 56 percent being Black transgender women;

Whereas the right to religious freedom is a right for all Americans and non-Americans;

Whereas hate based on race, ethnicity, religion, sexual orientation, age, or disability has no place in the fabric of our democracy;

Whereas bigotry, racial biases, transphobia, islamophobia, antisemitism, and xenophobia must be met with State and Federal repercussions to prevent their deleterious effects on democracy and democratic institutions; and

Whereas, in response to frequent acts of hate-based violence against vulnerable communities and members therein, Congress must prioritize acknowledging and responding equitably: Now, therefore, be it

1       *Resolved*, That the House of Representatives—

2           (1) condemns all representations of discrimina-  
3       tion including racism, islamophobia, antisemitism,  
4       transphobia, homophobia, sexism, ageism, xeno-  
5       phobia, ableism, and ethnic or religious bigotry;

6           (2) supports the implementation of comprehen-  
7       sive policies to prevent and respond to hate crimes,  
8       including education and training on prevention and  
9       response, State and Federal intervention, and ac-  
10      knowledgment of the challenges facing vulnerable  
11      groups;

12          (3) reassures the needs of victims' advocacy, in-  
13      cluding communication support, incident reporting,  
14      physical and mental health resources, legal represen-  
15      tation, and response and recovery;

1           (4) supports allocating funding for programs  
2           that are culturally and linguistically accessible to  
3           vulnerable populations within these communities, in-  
4           cluding but not limited to undocumented and immi-  
5           grant communities, women, and LGBTQIA+ com-  
6           munities;

7           (5) supports allocating resources to community-  
8           based organizations that uplift the experiences of  
9           vulnerable populations; and

10          (6) reaffirms the Federal Government's com-  
11          mitment to combat all forms of hate, bigotry, and vi-  
12          olence to exercise the importance of an inclusive de-  
13          mocracy.