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API Council's Stands Against Hate

On August 13, we watched the country go backwards in history. White supremacists marched through Charlottesville, Virginia fueled with hate and violence.

While we stand at a critical crossroads in America, some things, will remind unchanged:

- For more than 5 years, API Council's mission, vision and values have never wavered.
- We have always been and always will be an advocate and voice for the Asian and Pacific Islander community in San Francisco. We believe it is imperative that we remain strong and protective of our community, future and each other, and resolve to continue to support and fight for our communities' success.
- We will continue to fight every hateful, dividing piece of legislation and fight against racism, sexism, homophobia, transphobia, etc. We will also teach our members self-protection and what to do if they are the target of racist, sexist, homophobic/transphobic or anti-immigrant remarks or attacks.
- We will continue to promote equal and fair treatment for all and support members in our community by advocating for them and showing them how to advocate for themselves, for each other, and our community. We also support our members who want to fight for their beliefs and values as well.

About the Asian Pacific Islander Council

The Asian Pacific Islander Council (API Council) unites over 40 nonprofits and community leaders to advocate for equitable resources that improves the quality of life for San Francisco's underserved Asian & Pacific Islander residents.

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