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CONDEMNING WHITE SUPREMACY AND NEO-NAZIS IN AMERICA

On August 11 and 12, 2017, hundreds of torch-bearing white supremacists and neo-Nazis, chanting racist and anti-Semitic sentiments, terrorized the city of Charlottesville, Virginia. As a result of their evil actions, violence erupted and three individuals lost their lives and many others were injured.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Dane County Board of Supervisors unequivocally condemns the racist, violent actions of the white supremacists and neo-Nazis in Charlottesville; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the hate and bigotry displayed by white supremacists in Charlottesville has no place in our nation, nor do weapons and torches have any place in a peaceful demonstration; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Dane County Board of Supervisors expresses their deepest sympathies to the three individuals who lost their lives in this violence.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that the Dane County Board stands in unity with all of its fellow constituents against racism, anti-Semitism, bigotry and hate, and reaffirms its commitment to fighting for racial and economic justice, gender equality, and human and civil rights for all.