



NAPD Statement on Asian-American Violence

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This past year, we have seen increased violence, harassment, and discrimination against Asian-Americans, including the killings of 6 Asian women and two non-Asian patrons at three different Asian-owned businesses in Atlanta last week. The racism and white supremacy that permeates our American culture and is the root of these acts of violence also permeates our criminal legal system. The promise of justice for all requires active effort to address the anti-Asian racism in our society and in our legal institutions. NAPD extends its condolences to the victims in Atlanta, their families, and the Asian community. We acknowledge the unique experiences of Asian-Americans in our legal system and are committed to combating anti-Asian bias in our communities, in our work, and in the court system.

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