

(PROPOSED) RESOLUTION Re: Condemning the Normalization of Open Hate

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Proposed Resolution:

ADP Resolution condemning the normalization of open hate

Whereas we recognize our democracy is at stake, and as Democrats we must be united.

Whereas the last decade has seen a normalization and increase in various expressions of hate, such as:

- Nearly 400% increase in antisemitic incidents over one year.¹
- 216% growth in anti-Arab & Islamophobic incidents from the previous year.²
- 19% rise in anti-LGBTQ+ incidents as reported by the FBI from 2021-22.³
- 11% increase in hate crimes overall from 2021-22, with a majority (52%) targeting Black people.⁴
- Hate crimes against Latinos increased across America, most notably in Los Angeles, with 88 hate crimes in 2022, followed by Phoenix's 15 incidents, and Chicago with 12.⁴

Therefore, be it resolved that the Arizona Democratic Party

1. Rejects all forms of open hate and victimization of the Other.
2. Condemns all blatant and passive aggressiveness towards Jews, Hispanics, Arabs, LGBTQ+, Women and all other marginalized groups.

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Footnotes

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