



Renton Mayor Armondo Pavone joins Gov. Jay Inslee in condemning hate crimes against Asian American and Pacific Islander communities



RENTON MAYOR ARMONDO PAVONE issued the following statement condemning the recent incidents of violence against Asian American and Pacific Islander communities. Earlier today, the mayor hosted Gov. Jay Inslee, along with other elected officials and community leaders, at Renton City Hall to take a strong stand against recent hate crimes targeting members of the Asian American and Pacific Islander communities.

I, along with the entire Renton City Council, stand alongside Gov. Jay Inslee and many elected officials in support of our Asian American and Pacific Islander communities and against hate of any kind.

A hate crime against any one of our communities is a crime against all of us. We need to attack these hateful acts, and we must hold accountable the individuals who commit these crimes.

Renton is a welcoming and inclusive city. Our primary goal is to protect our residents and promote mutual respect and appreciation for all people within this community.

We are honored and proud that Gov. Inslee chose Renton to send this clear message to our Asian American communities:
WE ARE WITH YOU AND WE STAND IN SOLIDARITY!

- [Watch the mayor's statement](#)

Mayor Armondo Pavone

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Renton Mayor Armondo Pavone speaks at today's press conference.



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