

Our hearts are heavy as we mourn the brutal murder of George Floyd (z"l) in Minneapolis at the hands of police.

As the talmud teaches us, "Whoever destroys a single life, it is as if they destroyed an entire world." The violence of white supremacy is never singular — the systemic racism that allows Black people to be murdered with impunity is destroying our whole world.

We know that the uprisings taking place all around the country right now, from Minneapolis to Raleigh to Asheville, may have been sparked by George Floyd's death, but that they are also happening in response to centuries of violence and oppression, countless lost lives, and the destruction of entire worlds — worlds which can never be reclaimed.

We can, however, build new worlds, and Carolina Jews for Justice stands in solidarity with the Black leaders — within our Jewish community and beyond — who are actively fighting for and constructing that future. To support this work, please visit: https://www.carolinajewsforjustice.org/black_lives_matter

This page will be updated regularly with opportunities to take action and contribute resources in support of the uprisings in North Carolina sparked by the death of George Floyd. We will also include educational resources and opportunities, particularly for white Jews, to support the ongoing work of dismantling white supremacy, both internally and externally.