

## A Program of the LA County Commission on Human Relations

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## How LA vs Hate is Addressing The LA City Council Racist Audio Tapes & Antisemitic Incidents

The Los Angeles County Commission on Human Relations envisions a county where it will be the norm to value and draw upon cultural diversity to enrich all aspects of our lives and to understand and appreciate individual differences and commonalities as well, so that everyone feels a sense of belonging.

It is that continued vision that has enabled this County to make the solid gains found in elective representation which have been due to past inter-racial solidarity and community building. At this difficult time for the City of Los Angeles, the Commission extends its assistance to all people who have been harmed by recent expressions of words or actions of hate heard in tapes of city and union officials. The LA vs Hate program provides resources to help our communities support one another toward making our County an inclusive place for all populations. All are welcome to make use of these free resources by calling 211. Hate has no home in Los Angeles County. The Commission stands committed to our vision to promote better human relations by working to transform prejudice into acceptance, inequity into justice, and hostility into peace.

LA vs Hate United Against Hate Week will take place from November 13th to 19th and we invite all County stakeholders to join our efforts to combat bias, celebrate our county's diversity, and uplift our communities. Likewise a series of art-led responses to the recent hate incidents will be launched during United Against Hate Week as powerful reminders that we stand in solidarity

with all communities in Los Angeles County. These include the following:

- LA vs Hate Street Teams will be going out to all five Supervisorial Districts starting
  Thursday November 10th, speaking with small businesses, hospitality and retail
  stores, informing them of the LA vs Hate program and 211LA support for businesses
  impacted by hate. They will also be giving out and helping businesses post "Together
  vs Hate" and or "Juntos contra el Odio" posters on their business entrances.
- "Together vs Hate" Wheatpastes will be posted in hundreds of locations in all five Supervisorial Districts starting Thursday, Nov 10th for four days.
- "Together vs Hate" ads will run in La Opinion and Impulso in Spanish and Our Weekly in English during the week of November 7th, 2022
- A large "Together vs Hate" three-panel banner will be placed on a major highway overpass overlooking the 405 freeway at Sunset Blvd on Wednesday, November 16th, 2022.
- A panel discussion on "Locatora Radio" with leaders representing the Black, Brown,
  Asian and Jewish communities will be released during United Against Hate week (Nov
  13-19th) discussing coalition building and intergroup solidarity between LA County
  residents.
- LA Metro will feature digital "Together vs Hate" ads on all Metro stations during United Against Hate week (Nov 13-19th) and a pop-up informational event will take place on Saturday November 19th from 3 pm to 8pm for LA Metro riders at the 7th and Metro subway station.
- The City of Santa Monica will be distributing "Santa Monica vs Hate" posters to its businesses during November 2022.
- The City of Manhattan Beach will be distributing "Manhattan Beach vs Hate" posters to its businesses during November 2022.