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### **An important statement from the ASSR Executive Committee**

“In recent weeks, we observed and are deeply troubled with the loss of Ahmaud Arbery, Breonna Taylor, Tom McDade, George Floyd, and countless additional African-American lives who died needlessly as the result of racism and injustice. We, the American Society of Spine Society (ASSR), see you, we hear you, we stand with you, and we are committed to promote equality, inclusivity, and diversity in our work as a society as well as, in our daily lives and in our health care practices. Our thoughts and committed support go out to all those affected and to our Global Community.

As we look ahead to our 2021 Annual Symposium, we will look for specific opportunities to support social justice, celebrate our diversity, foster inclusion, and we will call on all members of our society to help us as we work to realize this goal.”

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