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## The Urban League of Greater Cleveland Condemns Violent Attack on Israel and Stands in Solidarity Against Hatred and War

Cleveland, OH – As the nation's leading civil rights organizations join together in solidarity over the deadly terrorist attack against Israel over the weekend, the Urban League of Greater Cleveland (ULGC) is also standing with our local organizations such as the American Jewish Committee (AJC) Cleveland, the Jewish Federation of Cleveland as well as the Anti-Defamation League (ADL), one of the organizers of the 60th Anniversary March on Washington.

"We are committed to supporting our Jewish brothers and sisters as we stand against all forms of hatred and terrorism," said Marsha A. Mockabee, ULGC President & CEO. "We not only condemn this horrible attack, but we are in agreement that these acts of violence will not be tolerated."

Mockabee said for decades, the Urban League has been on the frontlines of the civil rights movement together, and will continue to show our unwavering support during this crisis.

Along with the National Urban League, other local civil rights partners in solidarity are the National Action Network (NAN), the NAACP, and the National Council of Negro Women (NCNW).

"We confirm our commitment to one another both locally and throughout the world," said ULGC Board Chair Kevin Clayton. "We will continue to hold these innocent families and our partners in our hearts, sharing prayers for their safety."

Mockabee said the Urban League is also calling on all of our partners and colleagues to join us in solidarity because hatred and war must end.