

Protests around the nation have erupted in the wake of the deaths of Breonna Taylor, George Floyd, Tony Mcdade and many other unarmed black people at the hands of police. Many people have been arrested as peaceful protests have turned violent across the county. Looting and vandalism took place in multiple cities, as did violent confrontations between law enforcement and the protesters.

For many, the hesitation to join in person protestors stem from COVID-19 fears to witnessing the often violent end to these protests. But there are other ways to stand in solidarity with Black Lives Matter and other organizations standing against white supremacy from bail funds donations to educating yourself on the deep rooted issues at hand. Here is a starter guide for suggested resources.

Start [**here**](#), with a wide-ranging overview of petitions to sign, organizations to support, and more.

To donate to the George Floyd Memorial Fund, click [**here**](#).

To donate to the Justice for Ahmaud Arbery Fundraiser, click [**here**](#).

To sign the petition to demand just for Breonna Thomas, click [**here**](#).

Local Funds and Organizations

- Learn more about the Philadelphia Community Bail Fund [**here**](#).
- Learn more about the Philadelphia Bail Fund [**here**](#).
- Learn more about other multiple bail funds [**here**](#).
- Learn more about Black Lives Matter Philly [**here**](#).

Contact Your Representatives:

- Find your local representatives [here](#). Use [this](#) template to help communicate your demands.
- Contact the Minneapolis District Attorney and Minneapolis Police Department regarding the murder of George Floyd using this [form](#).
- In New York State, police officers' disciplinary and performance records are confidential and can not be accessed except by court order. Read more about the fight to repeal or reform Section 50-a [here](#) and get involved [here](#).

Educate Yourself

Here are a few books for you to read about anti-racism, but know there are many more:

- "So You Want To Talk About Race" by Ijeoma Oluo
- "How to Be an Antiracist" by Ibram X Kendi
- "Me and White Supremacy" by Layla Saad
- "The New Jim Crow" by Michelle Alexander
- "White Tears, Brown Scars" by Ruby Hamad
- "Why I'm No Longer Talking About Race" by Reni Eddo-Lodge

Visit [this](#) Google Drive folder with free pdfs of books written by black activists

Articles to Read

- Read "Want To Be A Good Ally? Here Are Some Things To Ask Yourself" [here](#)
- Read "Guide to Allyship" [here.](#)
- Read "White America, if you want to know who's responsible for racism, look in the mirror" by Dahleen Glanton [here](#)

Additional Informational Resources

- View Anti Racism Resources [here](#)
- Register to vote [here.](#)

This list is non exhaustive and will be updated regularly. If you have additional resources to share, please send an email to iharris@womensway.org.