



**USTA NORTH CAROLINA**

# USTA NC & NCTF STATEMENT ON CURRENT EVENTS



Tennis is for all.

USTA North Carolina and the North Carolina Tennis Foundation fully support the statements released by USTA and USTA Southern in recent days. We join them in promoting fairness, inclusion and equal treatment.

The events unfolding before us in our local communities and around the world have strengthened USTA North Carolina's and NC Tennis Foundation's commitment to diversity and inclusion. We stand with our black and brown players, volunteers, industry colleagues, and employees in condemning racism and social injustice.

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We stand in solidarity with all people of color in an effort to make an impact within the game of tennis. It is our fervent desire that, as we all reflect on current events, the North Carolina tennis community will rally to fight against systemic racism and the historical oppression of people of color.

There is hard work ahead, but we face it with hope. One of the many things tennis has taught us is that each new point is an opportunity to do better, to be better.