

1 House Memorial

2 A memorial to the President of the United States and
3 the Congress of the United States, urging the
4 President and Congress to denounce the January 6,
5 2021, domestic terrorism incident at the United States
6 Capitol.

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8 WHEREAS, the United States is committed to defending
9 democratic institutions and the integrity of the election system
10 and to ensuring the security of the people and facilities that
11 carry out the democratic process, and

12 WHEREAS, the January 6, 2021, domestic terrorism incident
13 at our nation's Capitol does not reflect the values of the
14 United States, and

15 WHEREAS, the Anti-Defamation League's report "Murder and
16 Extremism in the United States in 2019" found that domestic
17 extremists killed at least 42 people in the United States in 17
18 separate incidents in 2019, making 2019 the sixth-deadliest year
19 on record for domestic extremist-related murders since 1970, and

20 WHEREAS, the report found that all but one of those murders
21 were tied to right-wing extremists, and 81 percent were
22 committed by white supremacists, and

23 WHEREAS, misinformation, disinformation, and online
24 conspiracy theories such as QAnon are spreading and inspiring
25 real violence, and

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26 WHEREAS, the United States supports the right of all people
27 to peacefully exercise free speech, free assembly, and freedom
28 to worship, NOW, THEREFORE,
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30 Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Florida:
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32 That the President of the United States and the Congress of
33 the United States are urged to denounce the January 6, 2021,
34 domestic terrorism incident at the United States Capitol.

35 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this memorial be
36 dispatched to the President of the United States, to the
37 President of the United States Senate, to the Speaker of the
38 United States House of Representatives, and to each member of
39 the Florida delegation to the United States Congress.