Asian Americans Advancing Justice Mourns The Passing Of Trinh Huynh

Norcross, GA, April 4, 2017 — On April 3, Trinh Huynh, a beloved member of Atlanta’s Asian American community, was fatally shot. This horrible tragedy comes on the heels of a rise in anti-immigrant sentiment and hate crimes against immigrants.

We at Asian Americans Advancing Justice - Atlanta extend our deepest condolences to Ms. Huynh’s family and friends. Ms. Huynh was an upstanding community member, proud former refugee, and an active voice in the legal community.

"We are saddened by the tragic passing of Trinh Huynh. Our thoughts go out to her friends and loved ones, while we celebrate her life and her vast contributions to our city, our state, and the nation," said Stephanie Cho, Executive Director of Advancing Justice-Atlanta.

About Asian Americans Advancing Justice - Atlanta

Asian Americans Advancing Justice - Atlanta (formerly Asian American Legal Advocacy Center or AALAC) is the first non-profit law center dedicated to Asian immigrants and refugees (“Asian Americans”) in the Southeast.

Our goal is to engage, educate and empower under-represented Asian Americans to greater civic participation.

We are one of five independent organizations that make up the national Asian Americans Advancing Justice. Together with our affiliates in Chicago, DC, Los Angeles and San Francisco, we bring more than 100 years of collective experience in addressing the civil rights issues faced by Asian Americans and other vulnerable and underserved communities. Visit www.advancingjustice-atlanta.org.