From: Megan Mauriello

Sent: Sunday, August 2, 2020 7:45 PM

To: Ethnic Studies

Subject: [EXTERNAL] Please do not remove Arab Americans from our states curriculum

Dear Ethnic Studies Open Comment,

Arab-Americans deserve to be included in the Asian-American studies curriculum. Arab-Americans have repeatedly been targeted by our government and by racist individuals and entities, especially post-9/11. In order to fight this bigotry, it is instrumental that we include history of actual Arab-Americans in curricula.

Sincerely, Megan Mauriello