

NVO Nonviolent Statement

In the great scheme of things, everything is connected. What happened January 6, 2021 in Washington, D.C., is connected to the defacement of the wall at Kendall-Perkins Park in Owensboro.

As a country, Democracy is being challenged and eroded by the actions of citizens who lack respect for property, other people, and themselves. As members of NonViolent Owensboro (NVO), we call out violence wherever it appears.

We stand with our brothers and sisters who are hurting from the despicable destruction of the new mural depicting their African heritage. We stand with our elected officials who are upholding the ideals of America, even when we fall short of what we dream. We urge resolve in working to make America the nation where all are accepted and each person is respected for the gifts that they bring to our community.