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*I BELIEVE that every person is entitled to dignity and respect, regardless of race or color.*

*I BELIEVE that every thought and every act of racial prejudice is harmful; if it is my thought or act, then it is harmful to me as well as to others.*

*Therefore, from this day forward I WILL strive daily to eliminate racial prejudice from my thoughts and actions.*

*I WILL discourage racial prejudice by others at every opportunity.*

*I WILL treat all people with dignity and respect;*

*I WILL commit to working with others to transform the Clemson region into a place that treats people of all races, ethnicities, and cultures with justice, equity, and compassion, and*

*I WILL strive daily to honor this pledge, knowing that the world will be a better place because of my effort.*

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