

HUMAN RIGHTS FOR BLACK PEOPLE

*A Movement For Black Lives, Black Lives Matter
and Coalizão Negra Por Direitos Manifesto*

Emilly. Rebeca. João Alberto. George Floyd. Marielle Franco. Breonna Taylor. João Pedro. Michael Brown. Eric Garner. Amarildo. We continue to mourn these lives and the lives of so many other black people murdered daily across the African Diaspora, in a constant war promoted by state and private forces against the black people

On this week of international day of human rights, black people who struggle together representing more than 200 organizations in Brazil and in the United States, demand that the universal declaration of human rights be fulfilled in the defense of Black lives.

Historically we affirm and defend our humanity. In quilombos, in favelas, in electoral processes, in the countryside, in forests and on the streets, we fight for our liberation. And just as promoting the death of our people is a global capitalist-neoliberal, white supremacist and hetero-cis-patriarchal policy, the articulation for our liberation is not limited to national borders.

In the tradition of our ancestors, we commit ourselves to an internationalist, Afro-diasporic strategy and unite in the struggle for a future without racism and oppression. We demand that the rights of our people be respected as is articulated in the political agenda of the Black Coalition for Rights and the Movement for Black Live's political platform Vision for Black Lives.

We demand the guarantee of human rights to black people!

We want to live, not just survive!

Stop the genocide.

