“Ten years ago, I mourned with the rest of the nation as we witnessed a horrific tragedy on September 11, 2001. 9/11 changed the lives of many Asian Pacific Americans, including the Muslim, Sikh, and South Asian community. Today, let us take the time to not only remember the victims and honor the heroes of this tragic event, but to also work together to overcome the ethnic and religious biases that have gripped our country for the past decade.”