

Council on American-Islamic Relations: Calls for hate crime probe into racist vandalism, threats targeting Wisconsin Black family

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(WASHINGTON D.C, 3/15/2022) – The Council on American-Islamic Relations (CAIR), the nation’s largest Muslim civil rights and advocacy organization, today called for a hate crime investigation into alleged racist vandalism [targeting a Black family](#) in West Allis, Wisc.

The tires of the family’s car were [reportedly slashed](#), and a window was smashed. The perpetrator of the vandalism also left a hate note on the car threatening the family and using the n-word. The family’s car has reportedly been the target of similar vandalism five times this year. Police said they are conducting an investigation of the incident.

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<https://www.cbs58.com/news/west-allis-couple-says-theyve-become-target-of-hate-crimes-in-their-neighborhood>

‘I was shocked’: Vandal leaves racist notes, threatens West Allis couple ([yahoo.com](#))

<https://news.yahoo.com/shocked-vandal-leaves-racist-notes-032326930.html>

“These disturbing attacks demonstrate the seriousness of the threat posed by racism and white supremacy in Wisconsin and nationwide,” said **CAIR National**

Communications Director Ibrahim Hooper. “We urge law enforcement authorities to investigate this incident as a possible hate crime.”

He said CAIR and the American Muslim community stand in solidarity with all those challenging antisemitism, anti-Black racism, xenophobia, Islamophobia, and white supremacy.

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