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**H. R. No. 341**

**Representatives Synenberg, Upchurch**

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Robinson, Troy, Thomas, C., Bryant Bailey, Baker, Brownlee, Sims, Tims, White,  
E., Grim, Miller, J., McNally**

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**A R E S O L U T I O N**

To condemn President Trump's sharing of a racist video on 1  
February 5, 2026. 2

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF  
OHIO:**

WHEREAS, The month of February is designated in this state 3  
and in the nation as Black History Month to honor and recognize 4  
the contributions that African Americans have made in the 5  
history of this state and the United States; and 6

WHEREAS, Former President Barack Obama served as the forty- 7  
fourth president of the United States and is recognized as the 8  
first African American to serve our country as president; and 9

WHEREAS, On February 5, 2026, during Black History Month, 10  
President Donald Trump posted a video on the Truth Social media 11  
platform that depicted former President Obama and his wife, 12  
Michelle Obama, in a racist, disrespectful manner, superimposing 13  
their faces on the bodies of apes in a jungle; now therefore be 14  
it 15

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the House of 16  
Representatives of the 136th General Assembly of the State of 17  
Ohio, fully condemn and disapprove of President Trump's actions 18  
and stand against such divisive behavior; and be it further 19

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives 20  
transmit duly authenticated copies of this resolution to the 21  
members of the Ohio Congressional delegation and the news media 22  
of Ohio. 23