

Konsulado Panlahat ng Pilipinas



Consulate General of the Philippines

New York



MESSAGE

Allow me to convey my sincere congratulations to the Suffolk County Executive Asian American Advisory Board for organizing the 7th Annual Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage Month Celebration.

The Asian American Advisory Board's vision of bridging cultural understanding among the different ethnicities in the Suffolk County has empowered the Asian American and Pacific Islander communities to be actively engaged in the affairs of US society. It is only appropriate that this year's celebration recognize distinguished Asian Americans who have made significant contributions to the community and the greater society.

The Philippine Consulate is thankful to the Suffolk County for advancing the causes of the Asian minority groups including the Filipino Americans in the area.

I personally wish to commend Asian American Advisory Board Chairman Dr. Jim Yih-Jin Young, County Executive Steven Bellone, and Executive Director Rev. Roderick A. Pearson for their long-standing commitment to this noble endeavor.

Mabuhay ang Suffolk County Executive's Asian American Advisory Board!

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Mario L. De Leon, Jr.".

MARIO L. DE LEON, JR.
Consul General

9 May 2015, New York City