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ALL FILIPINO-AMERICAN ORGANIZATIONS ENJOINED TO CELEBRATE THE FILIPINO AMERICAN HISTORY MONTH

The Consulate General of the Philippines strongly encourages all Filipino-American communities in Chicago, suburban Illinois, and the Midwest, as well as those in Oklahoma, Arkansas, Mississippi and Louisiana, to hold relevant activities to celebrate the **Filipino American History Month (FAHM)** this coming October.

In pursuit of this worthy endeavor, officers or representatives of Fil-Am organizations are invited to participate in a **planning meeting** which will be held on **Tuesday, 22 August 2017, from 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm** at the Kalayaan Hall of the Consulate General, 122 S. Michigan Avenue, Suite 1600, Chicago, IL 60603. The meeting is in response to the request of the Philippine American Cultural Foundation (PACF) to meet with other Fil-Am organizations in order to plan the activities for the month-long celebration of FAHM.

Commemoration of the FAHM is made possible by virtue of S. Resolution 298 passed by the US Senate on 01 October 2009, and H. Resolution 780 passed by the US House of Representatives on 02 November 2009, which both recognize October as Filipino American History Month.

The Consulate will appreciate receiving RSVPs to the meeting, *not later than 21 August 2017*, through the Consulate General's Cultural Officer, Ms. Anna Liza F. Alcantara, who may be reached using the following contact details:

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