



CONSULATE GENERAL OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES CHICAGO

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PHILIPPINES PARTICIPATES IN PEACE DAY IN CHICAGO

The Philippine Consulate General together with members of the Chicago Consular Corps attended the 41st anniversary of Peace Day in Chicago on September 23, 2019 at Daley Plaza, downtown Chicago. Mayor of Chicago Lori Lightfoot delivered her remarks during the event urging everyone “to make peace a priority everywhere, everyday”.

Philippine Consul General Gina Jamoralin was accompanied by Philippine Consulate staff, Mr. Sheridan Sabeniano and Ms. Barbara Mateo. Mr. Sabeniano, Protocol Officer, carried and proudly waved the Philippine flag on stage during a parade of flags representing all United Nations member countries.

The event was organized by the Peace School, an Illinois non-profit organization, and Chicago Build the Peace Committee.

Peace Day in Chicago has been commemorated since September 7, 1978 - three years before the establishment of the International Day of Peace by the United Nations in 1981.

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Philippine Consul General Jamoralin on stage rose and wave a small Philippine flag when the Philippines' name was called during a roll call of countries represented at the event, while other members of the Chicago Consular Corps applauds.



Chicago Mayor Lori Lightfoot delivering her remarks at Daley Plaza.



Mr. Dan Sabeniano holding the Philippine flag during the parade of flags on stage and proudly waving it when the name of the Philippines was called.

