



Ủy Ban Vận Động Nghị Quyết Ngày Việt Nam Cộng Hòa

Steering Committee for Republic of Vietnam Day Resolution

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THÔNG CÁO BÁO CHÍ

XIN PHỔ BIẾN RỘNG RÃI

V/v: Công Cuộc Vận Động Cho Nghị Quyết Ngày Việt Nam Cộng Hòa tại Tiểu Bang California và Tổ Chức Đại Lễ Ngày Việt Nam Cộng Hòa, ngày 30 tháng 10, 2016 tại Tượng Đài Việt Mỹ

Ủy Ban Vận Động Nghị Quyết Ngày Việt Nam Cộng Hòa (UBVĐNQNVNCH) xin trân trọng thông báo:

Công cuộc vận động cho Nghị Quyết Ngày Việt Nam Cộng Hòa của UBVĐNQNVNCH đã thành công trong việc thông qua các Nghị Quyết hay Tuyên Bố Công Nhận Ngày **26 tháng 10 hàng năm là Ngày Việt Nam Cộng Hòa** tại các TP Garden Grove, Santa Ana, Westminster tại Orange County, California.

Hiện tại công cuộc vận động cho Nghị Quyết Ngày Việt Nam Cộng Hòa tại cấp bậc Tiểu Bang California đã được văn phòng của TNS Tiểu Bang Janet Nguyễn xúc tiến với nhiều triển vọng sẽ sớm có kết quả trong nay mai. TNS Lou Correa cũng hứa sẽ tiếp tay để Nghị Quyết này sớm có.

Mục đích của Nghị Quyết Ngày Việt Nam Cộng Hòa là để Vinh Danh Chính Nghĩa của VNCH trong cuộc chiến bảo vệ Chính Thể Dân Chủ, Nền Cộng Hòa, Quyền Tự Do của người dân, Tính Mạng Tài Sản của Nhân Dân Đồng Bào Miền Nam Việt Nam và Tri Ân những sự Hy Sinh Đóng Góp của Chính Quyền Việt Nam Cộng Hòa, cùng Quân Dân Cán Chính, các vị Dân Cử, Quân Đội Hoa Kỳ, Quân Đội Đồng Minh và gia đình họ trong cuộc chiến Việt Nam.

Để đánh dấu khởi đầu sự thành công quan trọng và đầy ý nghĩa của công cuộc vận động này, Ủy Ban VĐNQNVNCH đã thành lập Ban Tổ Chức **Đại Lễ Ngày VNCH tại Tượng Đài Chiến Sĩ Việt Mỹ vào ngày 30 tháng 10 năm 2016**, đồng thời cũng tổ chức **Cuộc Thi Viết Về VNCH** cho Con Em, Hậu Duệ của Việt Nam Cộng Hòa để khuyến khích giới trẻ học hỏi, nghiên cứu về Chính Nghĩa của VNCH cùng Những Sự Hy Sinh Đóng Góp của Chính Quyền, Quân Dân Cán Chính, Dân Cử VNCH, Quân Đội Hoa Kỳ, Quân Đội Đồng Minh và gia đình họ trong cuộc chiến Việt Nam.

Ủy Ban VĐNQNVNCH xin trân trọng thông báo và kính mời sự tham gia đông đảo của đồng hương, đồng bào mọi giới vào việc tổ chức, yểm trợ, bảo trợ, tham gia các sinh hoạt trong việc tổ chức Đại Lễ Ngày Việt Nam Cộng Hòa đầu tiên này bằng cách:

- 1.- Khuyến khích và giúp đỡ con em nghiên cứu, học hỏi về **Chính Nghĩa của VNCH cùng Những Sự Hy Sinh Đóng Góp của Chính Quyền, Quân Dân Cán Chính, Dân Cử VNCH, Quân Đội Hoa Kỳ, Quân Đội Đồng Minh và gia đình họ trong cuộc chiến Việt Nam** và tham gia vào **Cuộc Thi Viết Về Việt Nam Cộng Hòa**. Xin xem Thông Báo Chi Tiết riêng Về Cuộc Thi Viết Văn này.
- 2.- Vận động gây quỹ, bảo trợ, tham gia **Cuộc Thi Viết Về VNCH**, tham gia **Buổi Tiệc Gây Quỹ của Ban Tổ Chức Đại Lễ Ngày VNCH ngày 9 tháng 9, 2016 tại Majesty Restaurant, và Đại Lễ Ngày VNCH, 30 tháng 10, 2016 tại Tượng Đài Chiến Sĩ Việt Mỹ**.

**Nguyễn Tấn Lạc, Nguyên Chủ Tịch Cộng Đồng Việt Nam - Nam California,
Điều Hợp Viên Ủy Ban Vận Động Nghị Quyết Ngày Việt Nam Cộng Hòa**

Attachments:

Republic of Viet Nam Day Resolutions or Proclamation passed by cities of Orange County

1.- City of Garden Grove passed the Republic of Viet Nam Day Resolution on Oct. 14, 2014

CITY OF Garden Grove

R E S O L U T I O N

Republic of Vietnam Day

October 26

- WHEREAS,** *The Vietnamese American community of Garden Grove was originally a community of Vietnamese refugees consisting of the citizens of all backgrounds from the Republic of Vietnam fleeing their country after the Vietnam War, which was launched by the Vietnamese Communists from 1955 to 1975 and ended on April 30, 1975, in order to protect their lives and cultural heritage from being damaged or possibly destroyed, and*
- WHEREAS,** *During the Vietnam War the Government of the Republic of Vietnam and its armed forces, people, elected, and governmental officials struggled continuously and bravely to defend and protect the freedom, lives, and property of the people, to safeguard the Republic and the new born democratic government created after the reestablishment of independence from French colonial rule, and*
- WHEREAS,** *During the Vietnam War against the invasion of the Vietnamese Communists, the United States and its allied armies from Australia, South Korea, Thailand, New Zealand, and Philippines also made enormous contributions and sacrifices in protecting freedom, democracy, lives, and property of the Vietnamese people and the Republic of Vietnam, and*
- WHEREAS,** *The Vietnamese American community with a population of nearly two million, consisting of many industrious and talented members, after four decades of immigration has matured with numerous successes in all fields from culture to education, business and politics, science and technology, electronics and internet, trading and financing, court and military, and has contributed a significant effort to the maintaining of the development, and protecting the fabric of the American society at the local, state and federal government levels, and*
- WHEREAS,** *The just cause of the struggle to defend and protect freedom, democracy, lives and property of the people and the Republic of Vietnam, and the enormous sacrifice and contributions of the army, people, elected and governmental officials and their families have been ignored or forgotten after the end of the Vietnam War in April 1975, and*
- WHEREAS,** *Even in the United States, the sacrifices of more than 58,000 American soldiers and the contributions of about three million former servicemen and servicewomen as well as their families during the Vietnam War have not been recognized and honored properly.*

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, *that the Garden Grove City Council designates the date of October 26 of each year, as the Republic of Vietnam Day to honor the just cause of the Republic of Vietnam, and to commemorate the contributions and sacrifices of the army, people, elected and governmental officials of the Republic of Vietnam as well as American soldiers, Vietnam War Veterans, allied armies, and their families.*

October 14, 2014


Bruce A. Prosser
Mayor


Dan Shapiro
Mayor Pro Tem


Bruce S. Jones
Council Member


Christopher T. Phan
Council Member


Eric Tsai
Council Member

2.- City of Santa Ana passed a **Proclamation** recognizing Republic of Vietnam Day on Jan. 20, 2015

City of Santa Ana

PROCLAMATION

Recognizing

REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM DAY

WHEREAS, more than 23,000 Vietnamese Americans reside in Santa Ana, who have made significant contributions in the fields of education, business, science, technology, and many others; and

WHEREAS, armed servicemen, government officials, and citizens have continuously defended their freedom, lives, and property to safeguard the democratic government of Vietnam; and

WHEREAS, Vietnamese Americans have enhanced social, cultural, and economic diversity throughout the city, state, and nation. They have also contributed towards maintaining and developing the fabric of American society at the local, state, and federal government levels; and

WHEREAS, the sacrifices and efforts of more than 58,000 American soldiers, as well as millions of former servicemen and servicewomen during the Vietnam War should be honored and acknowledged; and

WHEREAS, The Steering Committee for Republic of Vietnam Day Resolution has led efforts to designate October 26th of every year as Republic of Vietnam Day in order to commend the sacrifices and contributions of the army, people, and government officials during the Vietnam War and thereafter.

NOW, THEREFORE, WE, THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL of the City of Santa Ana, do hereby proclaim October 26th as

REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM DAY

and encourage community members to recognize and appreciate the contributions that Vietnamese Americans have made to our community.

Dated: January 20, 2015

Angelica Amezcua

Angelica Amezcua
Councilmember

David Benavides

David Benavides
Councilmember

Michele Martinez

Michele Martinez
Councilmember

Roman Reyna

Roman Reyna
Councilmember

Vincent Sarmiento

Vincent Sarmiento
Councilmember

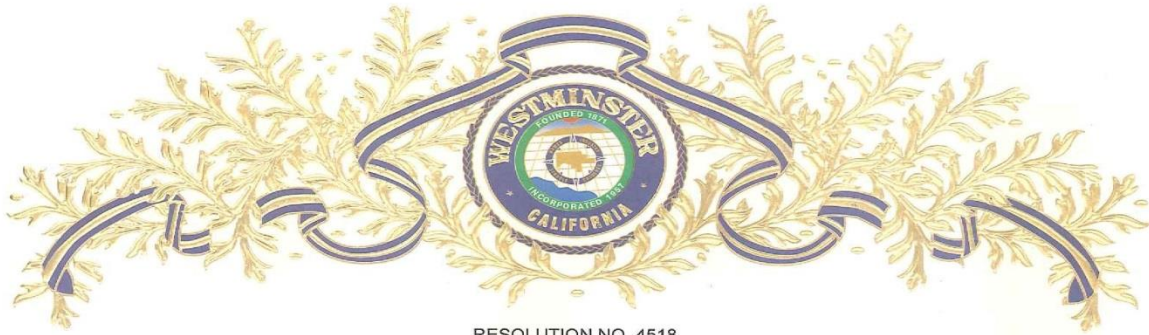
Sal Tinajero

Sal Tinajero
Mayor Pro Tem



Miguel A. Pulido
Miguel A. Pulido
Mayor

3.- City of Westminster passed the **Republic of Viet Nam Day** Resolution on Jan. 14, 2015



RESOLUTION NO. 4518

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMINSTER DESIGNATING OCTOBER 26TH OF EACH YEAR AS REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM DAY TO HONOR THE JUST CAUSE AND COMMEMORATE THE CONTRIBUTIONS AND SACRIFICES OF THE ARMY, PEOPLE, ELECTED AND GOVERNMENTAL OFFICIALS OF THE REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM AS WELL AS AMERICAN SOLDIERS, VIETNAM WAR VETERANS, ALLIED ARMIES AND THEIR FAMILIES

WHEREAS, the Vietnamese American community of Westminster was originally a community of Vietnamese refugees consisting of the citizens of all backgrounds from the Republic of Vietnam fleeing their country after the Vietnam War, which was launched by the Vietnamese Communists from 1955 to 1975 and ended on April 30, 1975, in order to protect their lives and cultural heritage from being damaged or possibly destroyed;

WHEREAS, during the Vietnam War the Government of the Republic of Vietnam and its armed forces, people, elected, and governmental officials struggled continuously and bravely to defend and protect the freedom, lives, and property of the people, to safeguard the Republic and the new born democratic government created after the reestablishment of independence from French colonial rule;

WHEREAS, during the Vietnam War against the invasion of the Vietnamese Communists, the United States and its allied armies from Australia, South Korea, Thailand, New Zealand, and Philippines also made enormous contributions and sacrifices in protecting freedom, democracy, lives, and property of the Vietnamese people and the Republic of Vietnam;

WHEREAS, the Vietnamese American community with a population of nearly two million, consisting of many industrious and talented members, after four decades of integration has matured with numerous successes in all fields from culture to education, business and politics, science and technology, electronics and internet, trading and financing, court and military, and has contributed a significant effort to the maintaining of the development, and protecting the fabric of the American society at the local, state and federal government levels;

WHEREAS, the just cause of the struggle to defend and protect freedom, democracy, lives and property of the people and the Republic of Vietnam, and the enormous sacrifices and contributions of the army, people, elected and governmental officials and their families have been ignored or forgotten after the end of the Vietnam War in April 1975; and


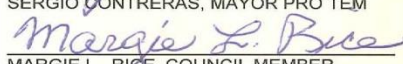
WHEREAS, even in the United States, the sacrifices of more than 58,000 American soldiers and the contributions of about three million former servicemen and servicewomen as well as their families during the Vietnam War have not been recognized and honored properly.

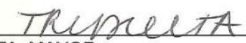


NOW, THEREFORE THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WESTMINSTER DOES HEREBY RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

The Mayor and City Council of the City of Westminster designates the date of October 26th of each year, as the Republic of Vietnam Day to honor the just cause of the Republic of Vietnam, and to commemorate the contributions and sacrifices of the army, people, elected and governmental officials of the Republic of Vietnam as well as American soldiers, Vietnam War Veterans, allied armies, and their families.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 14th day of January, 2015 by the following vote:

AYES:	COUNCIL MEMBERS:	TA, CONTRERAS, CAREY, DIEP, RICE
NOES:	COUNCIL MEMBERS:	NONE
ABSENT:	COUNCIL MEMBERS:	NONE


SERGIO CONTRERAS, MAYOR PRO TEM

MARGIE L. RICE, COUNCIL MEMBER


TRI TA, MAYOR

DIANA LEE CAREY, COUNCIL MEMBER

TYLER DIEP, COUNCIL MEMBER