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LA PCG ATTENDS 17TH ANNUAL IRVINE GLOBAL VILLAGE FESTIVAL

Los Angeles, 24 September 2018 - The Philippine Consulate General in Los Angeles attended the Opening Ceremony of the 17th Annual Irvine Global Village Festival held at the Orange County Great Park on 22 September 2018.



Left Photo: Irvine City Mayor Donald P. Wagner (3rd row, leftmost) with the Consular Representatives in Southern California during the Opening Ceremony of the 17th Annual Irvine Global Village Festival. Right Photo: Mayor Wagner with Philippine Consulate General representative to the event, Vice Consul Dyan Kristine Pastrana.

The Opening Ceremony was graced by Irvine City Mayor Donald P. Wagner and representatives of the Consular Corps in Southern California. The Consulate General was represented by Vice Consul Dyan Kristine M. Pastrana and Cultural Officer, Ms. Maria Dolores Sales.

The Filipino American Community of Orange County (TFACOC) and the Filipino-American Chamber of Commerce of Orange County (FACCOC) participated in the festival and showcased Philippine products and handicrafts.

The Festival, which is Irvine City's signature event, provides an opportunity to celebrate the city's diversity by featuring international cuisine, live entertainment, cultural exhibits, children's activities and other products from all over the world.

Irvine City received the Cultural Diversity Award in 2012 from the National League of Cities for its role in developing creative and effective programs such as the Global Village Festival. END