



# VIRGINIA BEACH CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS CHARTING THE COURSE

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### RESOLUTION FOR FILIPINO AMERICAN HISTORY MONTH

October 2020

**WHEREAS**, one of our nation’s greatest strengths is its vast diversity which enables Americans to see the world from many viewpoints; and

**WHEREAS**, Filipino Americans are an integral part of that diversity; and

**WHEREAS**, Filipino Americans are the second largest Asian American group in the nation and Virginia Beach has the highest percentage of Filipino Americans in Virginia;

**WHEREAS**, through the study of their contributions, all students may find role models whose participation, commitment and achievement embodies the American spirit and ideals; and

**WHEREAS**, the School Board of the City of Virginia Beach recognizes the importance of multicultural diversity education within our school division.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT**

**RESOLVED:** That the School Board of the City of Virginia Beach officially recognizes the month of October 2020, as Filipino American History Month, whose theme is “The History of Filipino American Activism”; and be it

**FURTHER RESOLVED:** That the School Board of the City of Virginia Beach encourages all citizens to support and participate in various school activities during Filipino American History Month; and be it

**FINALLY RESOLVED:** That a copy of this resolution be spread across the official minutes of this Board.

Adopted by the School Board of the City of Virginia Beach this 13<sup>th</sup> day of October 2020.



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Carolyn T. Rye, School Board Chair

  
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Aaron C. Spence, Superintendent

Attest:

  
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Regina M. Toneatto, Clerk of the Board