

**Ohlone Community College District
Resolution No. 18/08-09
Asian/Pacific Islander Heritage Month**

WHEREAS, In May 1990, former President George Bush declared the month of May as Asian/Pacific Islander Heritage Month, and in May 1992, Governor Pete Wilson also proclaimed this month as Asian/Pacific Islander Heritage Month in California; and

WHEREAS, The history of the United States encompasses the unique culture and rich legacy passed down from the ancestry of the Asians and Pacific Islanders; and

WHEREAS, The Board of Trustees of the Ohlone Community College District recognizes the many contributions and accomplishments of the Asian and Pacific Islanders for their tenacity in pursuing the highest standards and ideals attainable; and

WHEREAS, The Board of Trustees of the Ohlone Community College District encourages the illumination of the rich cultural heritage and ethnic diversity within the greater Tri-Cities area as part of the District's commitment to cultural awareness programs;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Ohlone College Board of Trustees hereby declares May as Asian/Pacific Islander Heritage Month in appreciation of the achievements and contributions made by Asian/Pacific Islanders to the educational programs of the Ohlone Community College District. The Board of Trustees encourages all of the faculty, staff, and students to promote and join in the appropriate celebrations and observances throughout the Ohlone Community College District.

PASSED AND ADOPTED ON THIS 6th day of May, 2009.

Gari Browning, Ph.D., President/Superintendent
Ohlone Community College District
County of Alameda, State of California

John Weed, Chair, Board of Trustees
Ohlone Community College District
County of Alameda, State of California