



**FIFTH ASSEMBLY)
STATE OF TENNESSEE)
Term 2014-2015**

RESOLUTION No. 29

**RESOLUTION SPONSORING THE SECOND CONSULAR OUTREACH
FOR THE RENEWAL OF PASSPORTS AND DUAL CITIZENSHIP OF
FILIPINO-AMERICANS IN NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE IN
PARTNERSHIP WITH THE PHILIPPINE EMBASSY**

Introduced by Jaycel Montealegre

WHEREAS, the Filipino American Association of Tennessee was formed for the following purposes, among many others:

- “3) To enhance the history and cultural heritage of the Filipino American community through humanitarian, medical, sports, cultural and religious program.***
- 4) To promote the general welfare of the Filipino American community in Tennessee.***
- 5) To foster, enhance, support, maintain and preserve a harmonious social, civic and educational relationship among members and other ethnic community organizations.***
- 6) To encourage and promote a harmonious relationship among Filipino Americans and other ethnic American communities in the United States of America.”***

WHEREAS, the Philippine Embassy Consulate General in the United States of America conducts regular consular outreach missions to bring its various consular services to Filipinos within its jurisdiction but are in distant proximities from the embassies’ office locations, among such services offered during such consular missions are the Renewal of Passports to Filipino nationals, acknowledgment and/or authentication of legal documents and the processing of Dual Citizenship pursuant to Republic Act 9225 otherwise known as the Citizenship Retention and Reacquisition Act of 2003;

WHEREAS, per Resolution No. 12, the Philippine Embassy Consulate General has partnered with the Filipino American Association of Tennessee in delivering such service for the first time in Tennessee last May 20, 2014 at Smyrna, Tennessee and, with the help of F.A.A.T. volunteers, turned out to be a very successful event;

WHEREAS, the Philippine Embassy Consulate General is partnering again with F.A.A.T. to deliver the same services for the second time in Nashville, Tennessee, this time will be a 2-day event on May 30-31, 2015 in Global Mall at Antioch, Tennessee (see attached flyer);

WHEREAS, to enhance cultural awareness and appreciation of the Philippine Heritage, Filipino-American businessmen are also invited to participate in the event, such businessmen or vendors are expected to cater to their own needs and will hold F.A.A.T. free from any liability associated to the business endeavors they shall incur during or as a result of the Consular Outreach Event; *Further*, to help shoulder the costs of conducting the outreach and other services that F.A.A.T. provides, such businessmen shall pay a vendor fee of ONE HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS (\$150.00) for 2 days or SEVENTY FIVE DOLLARS (\$75.00) per day ON OR BEFORE APRIL 15, 2015.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, BY THE 2014-2015 CURRENT BOARD OF OFFICERS OF F.A.A.T., TO SPONSOR THE 2ND CONSULAR OUTREACH ON MAY 30 AND 31ST, YEAR 2015, AT THE GLOBAL MALL (FORMER HICKORY HOLLOW MALL) IN ANTIOCH, TENNESSEE, IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE PHILIPPINE EMBASSY OF WASHINGTON, DC.

Approved,

THE BOARD

SAVE THE DATE!!!

MAY 30 & 31, 2015 (Weekend)

Venue : TBA

Embassy of the Philippines from Washington DC

in cooperation with

The F.A.A.T. Inc.

will host its

2nd ANNUAL OUTREACH

We will provide service to Filipinos who wants to

APPLY / RENEW their

*** PHILIPPINE PASSPORTS and DUAL CITIZENSHIPS.**

More information will be announced via

www.filamoftn.org and/or <http://www.philippineembassy-usa.org/>

Facebook Wall/Page: FAAT - The Filipino American Association of Tennessee

(Forms can be downloaded directly from the Embassy Website)

