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Building Community Through Bridging Cultures and Embracing Diversity.

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January 15, 2026

Dear **Volunteers**,

Greetings from the **Philippine American Friendship Community (PAFCOM) Inc.!**

The Philippine American Friendship Community Incorporated (PAFCOM Inc.), a leading organization for 36 years, invites you to volunteer for our vibrant 2026 Annual Grand Parade & Festival on Sunday, June 28, at Lincoln Park, Jersey City, celebrating Filipino culture in America!

Established in 1990, PAFCOM empowers Filipino Americans in New Jersey & beyond, fostering peaceful assimilation and well-being through vital services in health, education, and immigration. Our dedication, recognized by the 2021 Banaag Award from the Philippine Presidential Award for Filipino Individuals and Organizations Overseas, continues as we prepare for this landmark event, where thousands celebrate Filipino pride.

We are seeking dedicated volunteers to help ensure the success of our upcoming Grand Parade and Festival. Key responsibilities include coordinating parade participant sequences, managing vehicular traffic in designated areas, pacing the parade, and overseeing crowd control. We also ask all volunteers to maintain general security awareness throughout the event.

As a token of our gratitude, you will receive a complimentary lunch, a certificate of appreciation, and exclusive access for photos with event celebrities. Your participation amplifies Filipino pride and our love for the Philippines.

Join us in making this event unforgettable—contact us today to volunteer! We look forward to hearing from you soon!

Respectfully yours,

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To volunteer, please return this page with your printed name, date and signature.

PRINTED NAME

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Enjoy making a difference in your community; join the PAFCOM Family!