
HOUSE BILL 1787

State of Washington

66th Legislature

2019 Regular Session

By Representatives Chandler and Santos

1 AN ACT Relating to establishing Filipino American history month;
2 and adding a new section to chapter 43.117 RCW.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 43.117
5 RCW to read as follows:

6 The legislature declares that:

7 (1) October of each year will be known as Filipino American
8 history month;

9 (2) October is designated as a time for people of this state to
10 commemorate the contributions to the history and heritage of the
11 state and country by Filipino Americans; and

12 (3) Educational institutions, public entities, and private
13 organizations are encouraged to designate time for appropriate
14 activities in commemoration of the lives, history, achievements, and
15 contributions of Filipino Americans.

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