



INAUGURATION OF THE PHILIPPINE HONORARY CONSULATE IN ARIZONA



Chandler, AZ, 21 September 2025 – The Philippine Consulate General in Los Angeles formally inaugurated the Philippine Honorary Consulate in Arizona on 21 September 2025, with Consul General Adelio Angelito S. Cruz and Honorary Consul Jenny Lynn M. Ho-Vijungco presiding over the ribbon-cutting ceremony.

The historic event was attended by Chandler Mayor Kevin Hartke, Ms. Sandra Watson, President/CEO of the Arizona Commerce Authority, Las Vegas Honorary Consul Bella

Aurora Belmonte, among other distinguished guests. Ms. Watson delivered a speech on behalf of Arizona Governor Katie Hobbs.

The Philippine Honorary Consulate will exercise consular jurisdiction over all counties in the State of Arizona. Its consular services will include consular notarization of documents, issuance of mortuary certificates, issuance of emergency travel documents, and provision of assistance to distressed Filipinos in emergency situations.

It will also support efforts in promoting trade, tourism, and investments between the Philippines and Arizona.

The Honorary Consul may be reached through arizona.pc.ah@dfa.gov.ph or (480) 795-7777. The office is located at 1940 W. Chandler Blvd, Suite D2, Chandler, AZ 85224. Its operations will officially commence on 01 October 2025. END.

