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“Filipinos of South Bay Exhibit” Grand Opening on Sunday, October 2

(Chula Vista, CA, September 20, 2022) The public is invited to the Grand Opening of the “**Filipinos of South Bay Exhibit**” on Sunday, October 2, 2022 from 1:00PM - 3:00PM at the Chula Vista Heritage Museum located in the Chula Vista Public Library Civic Center Branch. The Exhibit provides a glimpse of the journey from the Philippines to South San Diego County. Memorabilia of organizations, individuals, key events, and marquee locations help trace the history and rich tapestry found within the early days forming the Filipino community. Visitors will be guided through multiple stories telling the common threads of connection, community, and contributions reflective of the Bayanihan Spirit (communal unity) and value of Kapwa (shared identity).

Filipinos of South Bay Exhibit Grand

Opening Date: Sunday, October 2, 2022

Time: 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Location: Chula Vista Public Library - Civic Center Branch

Address: 365 F Street, Chula Vista, CA 91910

“Filipinos of South Bay Exhibit” is a collaborative project by community members representing PASACAT; the Filipino American National Historical Society of San Diego (FANHS-SD); and the Council of Philippine American Organizations of San Diego, County, Inc. (COPAO). The exhibit will run from October 2022 through December 2023 and open daily to the public during Chula Vista Library, Civic Center Branch hours of operation.

The project is funded in part by the City of Chula Vista and the Create Chula Vista Arts Grant, California Humanities, County of San Diego Community Enhancement Program, Friends of the Chula Vista Heritage Museum, PASACAT, and in partnership with the South Bay Historical Society, Friends of the Chula Vista Heritage Museum, and Chula Vista Public Library.

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