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ONE APIA NEVADA ANNOUNCES ERIC JENG AS ACTING EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



JENG WILL SERVE AS ACTING EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR FROM MARCH 1 TO JUNE 30 WHILE FOUNDER AND EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR DUY NGUYEN IS ON PLANNED SABBATICAL

LAS VEGAS, NV – March 1, 2023 – Today, Las Vegas-based grassroots nonprofit, One APIA Nevada announced the elevation of Deputy Director Eric Jeng to Acting Executive Director, while Founder and Executive Director Duy Nguyen, is on a planned sabbatical serving in the Nevada State Legislature.

“I am honored for the opportunity to serve as Acting Executive Director for One APIA Nevada,” says One APIA Nevada Deputy Director Eric Jeng. “In my role, I will continue to lead OAN’s work in advocating and organizing for progress, justice, and equity for Nevada’s growing Asian Pacific Islander American population at a local, state, and national level. The 2022 election proved that we are the margin of victory in many races—we saw an unprecedented turnout thanks to our creative multimodal programming and year-round organizing approach.”

“As One APIA Nevada’s deputy director for the past 5 years, we strongly believe Eric is well-equipped to take the helm and lead the organization in Duy’s absence,” remarks One APIA Nevada Board Chair Evan Louie. “The board has utmost confidence that One APIA Nevada and its mission will be in great hands.”

From March 1 to June 30, 2023, Jeng will assume the day-to-day operations of the organization and will be responsible for the execution of programs to further One APIA Nevada’s mission.

Founder and Executive Director Duy Nguyen is currently serving in the Nevada State Legislature as an Assemblymember, representing District 8.

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ABOUT ONE APIA NEVADA

Founded in June 2018, One APIA Nevada is a grassroots nonprofit advocating for policies empowering everyday Asian American, Native Hawaiian & Pacific Islander (AANHPI) Nevadans. One APIA Nevada coordinates local and national organizations’ in-state electoral efforts, engages in direct voter contact, and uplifts the voices of the AANHPI community through issue advocacy and holding elected officials accountable. For more information about One APIA Nevada, visit oneapianevada.org or @oneapianevada on Facebook, Instagram, Twitter or TikTok.