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## Philippine Independence Day Celebrated in Passaic, New Jersey



Leaders of the Filipino-American community in Passaic, New Jersey, Consul Arman R. Talbo (4th from the right) and Vice Consul Tanya Faye Ramiro (3rd from the right) during the celebration of Independence Day in the city. (photo by PDOC)

New York, 9 June 2019- The Filipino-American community in Passaic, New Jersey held their Annual Philippine Day Celebration highlighted by festivities and a food and cultural festival on 9 June 2019 at the Third Ward Park in Passaic.

The event was organized by the Philippine Day Organizing Committee (PDOC) and was attended by hundreds of Fil-Ams living in the city and its nearby areas. Consulate personnel and local officials of Passaic likewise participated in the commemoration.

The Independence Day celebration in Passaic which is held every 2nd Sunday of June is now on its 32nd year. -end



Members of the BIBAK organization presented a traditional dance from their region during the Independence Day celebration. (photo by PDOC)



Consul Arman Talbo (center), Jersey City Council President Rolando Lavarro (4th from the right) lead the cutting of the ribbon to open the celebration of Independence day. (Photo by PDOC)