



Pasuguan ng Pilipinas

Ottawa

Embassy of the Philippines

## MESSAGE

I send my warmest greetings to the officers and members of the Filipino Association of New Brunswick.

Let me congratulate all of you on the launching of your website, which undoubtedly serves as a vital link between the Filipino Association of New Brunswick and the growing Filipino community in the province. To me, the connections fostered by your website are symbolic of the Filipino values of harmony, friendship and mutual understanding among *kababayans*, especially when we are far away from home.

I encourage the Filipino Association of New Brunswick to continue its active and vigorous efforts to be of greater service to the Filipino-Canadian community in New Brunswick. I am glad to learn of your numerous worthy projects, especially those geared toward assisting Filipino newcomers in New Brunswick, for these represent a genuine commitment to serve our *kababayans*.

Allow me, through your website, to welcome our new migrants in New Brunswick to the Filipino community in Canada. Indeed, the primary purpose of my visit to New Brunswick in September 2007 was to personally greet our newcomers and wish them a happy and prosperous life here in Canada.

*Sampu ng aking mga kasama sa Pasuguan ng Pilipinas sa Ottawa, malugod akong bumabati sa inyong lahat at sa inyong mga mahal sa buhay.*

*Mabuhay ang Filipino Association of New Brunswick! Mabuhay kayong lahat!*

  
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