

MISSION STATEMENT

The Denver Asian Pacific American Commission serves as a support liaison and facilitator between the Asian Pacific American community in Denver, the Agency for Human Rights and Community Relations, and the Office of the Mayor of Denver.

Further, it is the Commission's objective to act as a catalyst, educator, collective voice, and respond to issues and/or advocate based on community assessment of need, and create awareness and visibility of Asian Pacific American community to the community at large.

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Denver Asian Pacific American Commission
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The Denver Asian Pacific American Commission focuses on the issues important to the Asian Pacific American Community in Metro Denver, specifically:

- Access to Services
- Discrimination/Stereotyping
- Diversity and fragmentation within the Asian Pacific American community.

CHALLENGES

Immigration

Health & Mental Health

Integration/Acculturation

Language/Translation Services

Cultural pride/recognition

Economic

Interested individuals from the Denver Asian Pacific American community are encouraged to apply for Commission Membership.

All Commission Members shall be appointed by the Mayor of the City & County of Denver and confirmed by City Council. The term of office shall be two years.

The Denver Asian Pacific American Commission consists of no less than seven (7) and no more than twenty-one (21) Members.

To apply or for further information, please contact:

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PURPOSE

Promote the work and existence of the Commission as a resource to community outlets and governmental entities within the City/County of Denver

Facilitate linkage of community services to the Asian Pacific American community

Actively recruit and increase Commission membership to include representation of the multiple Asian Pacific American communities and their diverse issues

Function proactively with work on Commission's identified top issues.

DENVER ASIAN PACIFIC AMERICAN COMMISSION

2008 COMMISSIONERS

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