



**PAFCOM family: “Enjoy making a difference in your community; join the PAFCOM family.”**

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JERSEY CITY, N.J. — On Presidents' Day (Feb. 18, 2019), Philippine American Friendship Community, Inc. (PAFCOM) on its 4th Taste of the Philippines, served breakfast and full lunch meals to over 200 guests.

What great honor to celebrate the spirit of Presidents' Day, through community service in the heart of Jersey City's revitalization zone by helping those in need at Let's Celebrate Soup Kitchen.

"We are grateful about Philippine Day (referring to the Taste of the Philippines), the food is amazing!" said one of the participants.

Some of the Filipino dishes served were Chicken Apritada, Pinakbet, Pansit, fish and more.

Jersey City Council President Rolando Lavarro, Jr. and his family volunteered up early during the breakfast feeding.

Some of the volunteers were President-elect Helen Castillo, Assistant Treasurer Lita Roxas, Public Relations this writer and more PAFCOM members and friends.

Young volunteers had a day off from school.

Miss Teen PAFCOM Krismarie was one of these young volunteers.



**PAFCOM staff members and volunteers at The Home Center with Director of the**

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With Jersey City, N.J. Council President Rolando Lavarro, Jr.