# CACS FOUNDATION

### **Mission Statement**

The CACS Foundation is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization determined to nurture, preserve and promote Chinese culture and Chinese-American history. It creates and supports charitable and educational opportunities of culture and arts through fundraising and community donations.

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CHINESE AMERICAN COUNCIL of SACRAMENTO

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The Chinese American Council of Sacramento is a 501(c)4 nonprofit organization established to be the voice of Sacramento's Chinese American Community; it will also support other groups including Asian American and Pacific Islanders that are underserved and in need of representation.

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Frank Sai Fat, Founding Member and visionary of the Chinese American Council of Sacramento



The Chinese American Council of Sacramento (CACS) was established in 1987 under the leadership of restauranteur and Chinese American community leader, Frank Sai Fat.

Mr. Fat's original restaurant, "Frank Fats" located on L Street in downtown Sacramento became a gathering place for politicians and community leaders.

It was in this environment that the concept of an organization that could speak out on behalf of the Chinese American community for equal rights and social justice florished. **n May 2016** the CACS Board of Directors applied to establish CACS Foundation with a 501(c)3 non-profit tax-exempt status and received approval in October 2018. Currently CACS consists of two separate organizations:

- The **Chinese American Council of Sacramento**, a 501(c)4 organization;
- The **CACS Foundation**, a 501(c)3 organization.

With this arrangement, CACS will be able to continue its advocacy role in the community as well as involved with cultural and educational programs, qualifying for charitable tax-exempt donations.

#### What can the **Chinese American Council of Sacramento** do for you?

• Encourage participation of Asian Americans in civic engagement.

- Promote equal opportunities for education and employment.
- Develop leadership skills and mentoring youths.
- Influence policy and decision makers to support the underserved.
- Promote policies that support human rights locally and abroad.
- Foster a stronger and more diverse presence in the community through local and State decision makers.
- Build bridges with other organizations and groups with like missions and goals.

## What can the **CACS Foundation** do for you?

- Nurture, preserve and promote Chinese culture and history, through organizing and funding projects and events.
- Create educational opportunities of Chinese culture and arts in the greater Sacramento Area.
- Support the future development and education of Chinese and other Asian Pacific Islander youth in the greater Sacramento Area.
- Promote a positive image of Chinese and other Asian Pacific Islander Americans.
- Encourage cultural exchanges among Chinese and other groups.
- Engaged in historical preservation of Chinese heritage and artifacts.

