



# **COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA**

**Office of the Governor**

**Robert F. McDonnell**  
Governor

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**Ms. My Lan Tran**  
Virginia Asian Chamber of Commerce  
PO Box 2640  
Glen Allen, VA 23058

**Dear Ms. Tran:**

On behalf of the Commonwealth of Virginia, I would like to extend a warm congratulations on your recent appointment as the first full-time executive director of the Virginia Asian Chamber of Commerce and administrator of the Virginia Asian Foundation.

The Virginia Asian Chamber of Commerce has a very important mission. It is imperative that organizations like yours are successful not only for the Asian Community, but for the Commonwealth as a whole. I am thrilled that you have chosen to pursue this avenue to improve your community and our state. Virginia needs leaders like you who are willing to sacrifice time and effort in order to grow our communities and our economy.

My administration shares in the goals of your organization. We wish to create new jobs and increase opportunities of all Virginians. Our strategies include supporting skills training, providing reasonable incentives for employers who create jobs, increasing state assistance for small, women and minority owned businesses, and investing in higher education so that Virginians will continue to be competitive in the 21st century.

Again, I wish to congratulate you on your appointment, and your new role as a partner to increase opportunities and jobs in Virginia.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Robert F. McDonnell'.

**Robert F. McDonnell**

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