

JAPANESE AMERICAN CITIZENS LEAGUE
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National Council Meeting
Washington, D.C.
July 7, 2017

REPORT OF THE RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

A district council and five chapters filed seven proposed resolutions with the Resolutions Committee this year for review and approval. The Committee reviewed each proposal to determine if it was consistent with the JAACL Constitution and Bylaws, followed the Committee's rules, and was concisely and clearly written. The proponents edited their proposals after the Committee provided feedback.

The following proposals were submitted for formal review by the entities noted and accepted by the Resolutions Committee after being edited:

- R-1.** Mass incarceration (New England Chapter)
- R-2.** Religious discrimination in refugee policy (Consolidated proposal of the New England and Honolulu Chapters)
- R-3.** Dakota Access Pipeline (Seattle Chapter)
- R-4.** Midwest District Council office (Midwest District Council)
- R-5.** Wakamatsu Tea and Silk Colony (Florin-Sacramento Valley and Sacramento Chapters)
- R-6.** Teacher training workshops (Midwest District Council)

Please note that the acceptance of these proposals by the Committee does not constitute a recommendation that the National Council adopt them.

Emergency Resolutions. Additional proposals may be submitted at this time only by using the procedure set forth in the Resolutions Committee Rules and the Emergency Resolution form. The Rules and Form are available at: <https://jaacl.org/2017convention/> or upon request to puyehara@gmail.com. *Anyone considering making an emergency proposal should immediately establish contact with the Committee chair and submit the proposal to the Committee as soon as possible.*

Note to Delegates. All delegates are encouraged to review the proposals, the Resolutions Committee Rules, and the Standing Rules in preparation for the National Council meeting, and to attend the Delegate Orientation at Convention to learn more about the resolutions process.

Please join me in thanking the Resolutions Committee members for their hard work in

reviewing the proposals. The committee members are: Tiffany Ikeda, NCWNP; Joy Goto, CCDC; Sarah Baker and Kota Mizutani, NY/SC; Eileen Yamada-Lamphere, PNW; Monica Thammarath, EDC; Larry Grant, IDC; Eric Langowski, MDC; and Kurt Ikeda, PSW. Thanks also to Becky Ozaki for providing staff support to the committee.

We look forward to working with all the delegates in Washington, D.C. in considering these resolutions. Should you have any questions, please contact me at puyehara@gmail.com.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/

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Chair
Resolutions Committee

Philadelphia
June 5, 2017

Attachments:

- R-1
- R-2
- R-3
- R-4
- R-5
- R-6