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To: Darlene Bloom, Clerk of the Board

From: Vice Chair Janet Nguyen, First District

**SUBJECT: SUPPLEMENTAL CONSENT CALENDAR ADDITION TO JANUARY 27,
2009: LUNAR NEW YEAR 2009**

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Please add this resolution to the Board consent calendar agenda for the Lunar New Year 2009

Patricia C. Bates for

Chair Patricia C. Bates
Orange County Board of Supervisors, 5th District

Janet Nguyen

Vice Chair Janet Nguyen,
Orange County Board of Supervisors, 1st District

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RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF
ORANGE COUNTY, CALIFORNIA
<January 27, 2009 >

Upon the motion of Vice Chair Janet Nguyen, the following resolution was adopted by the Orange County Board of Supervisors:

WHEREAS, the Vietnamese American Community has become a vibrant addition the social, economic, and cultural tapestry of Orange County; and

WHEREAS, the Lunar New Year is celebrated by many Asian cultures, including the Chinese Community and the Korean Community as Solnal; and

WHEREAS, Tết, the Vietnamese Lunar New Year, marks the beginning of spring and is the most observed holiday within the Vietnamese Community; and

WHEREAS, January 26, 2009 is the first day of the Year of the Ox, and celebrations last for three days; it is a time for families to come together to honor their ancestors and welcome the New Year with hopes of prosperity and good health; and

WHEREAS, Orange County is home to the largest Tết Festival in the nation; as the largest cultural event in Little Saigon, the Festival attracts over 100,000 patrons annually;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Orange County Board of Supervisors does hereby recognize January 26 through January 28 2009 as the celebration of the Lunar New Year and wish everyone peace and prosperity in the Year of the Ox.

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