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WORKING FOR WELL-BEING AND RIGHTS OF ASIAN AMERICANS
MAY CHEN AND JAPANESE AMERICAN REPRESENTATIVE LESLIE WONG
CALLING FOR SUPPORT OF JESSE JACKSON'S BID FOR THE PRESIDENCY

May Chen and Japanese American Leslie Wong who support the Black reverend Jesse Jackson running for President expressed that Jesse Jackson is the hope of minorities and hope that voters in the 15th C.D. will cast their sacred vote on the April 19th primary to support Jesse Jackson and to help May Chen and Leslie Wong become New York State Jackson delegates to the National Democratic Convention in Atlanta in July.

On Sunday, February 7, 1988 at 3 pm at the Asian American Arts Centre, Asians for Jesse Jackson held a meeting where May Chen and Leslie Wong both members of Asians for Jesse Jackson made presentations and said that Jesse Jackson has shown his real concern for the minorities and their problems, and that our concerns are his concerns.

Leslie Wong who was born in the concentration camps during World War II said "Jesse Jackson has been supportive of the Japanese American fight for Redress/Reparations from the beginning and that he has taken a clear stand on the human rights issues in Korea, Philippines, and other Asian countries. In Vincent Chin's case, he met with Vincent Chin's mother, and cared about her situation and fought for justice for Vincent Chin.

May Chen who has been working in Chinatown for almost 20 years currently the assistant director of the Immigration Project at ILGWU-Local 23-25 pointed out: Jesse Jackson has said that our flag is red, white and blue, but our nation is a rainbow - red, yellow, brown, black and white. America is not like a blanket, one piece of unbroken cloth - the same color, the same texture, the same size. It is more like a quilt - many patches, pieces, many colors, many sizes, all woven and held together by a common thread. May Chen also said that the Rainbow Coalition put forward by Jesse is extremely important. This year Jackson gained much wider constituency support from the Rainbow, minorities and others. The Jesse Jackson campaign welcomes Asian American participation and involvement.

In the February 7, 1988 meeting, there were close to 100 Chinese, Japanese, Latino, Philippino, Black and White attending. This meeting can be called a Rainbow Meeting. Also present were Stanley Hill, Executive Director of DC 37, and Co-Chairman of New Yorkers for Jesse Jackson; Bill Nuchow, Constituency Chairperson of New Yorkers for Jesse Jackson; members of Asians for Jesse Jackson and others and they all agreed that people from all races, all levels; united together will make Jesse Jackson win.

May Chen urged all Chinese who are citizens but not yet registered to register before February 19th so that they can cast their sacred vote on April 19th, primary day. At the same time, she also called for those Chinese who have bi-lingual capacity to help the election out on April 19th.

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為亞裔少數民族利益做事 陳美瑛及日裔美子 支持克遜總統總選

候選人，以及支持陳、黃兩人成為紐約州代表，出席七月在阿特蘭大市舉行的民主黨提名大會。

週日（七日）下午，傑克遜亞裔助選委員會在亞美舞蹈社舉行招待會，會上十五選區有意競選民主黨傑克遜助選代表的陳美瑛和黃美子，黃作了競選發言。她們一致認為，傑克遜一直關注少數族裔的權益，他為亞裔人所急，為亞裔人所痛。

第二次世界大戰在日裔集中營出生的日裔黃美子，黃說道，傑克遜從始至終對日裔就第二次世界大戰被監禁，要求賠償

【本報紐約訊】有黑人和亞裔人士收效，而傑克遜的競選活動比任何其他候選人更歡迎亞裔人的參與與投入。

參加七日下午招待會的近百人有華裔、日裔、西語裔、非裔、黑人和白人，稱得上是彩虹式的集會。

到會的紐約市城市工會、彩虹式的支持，而傑克遜的競選活動比任何其他候選人更歡迎亞裔人的參與與投入。

工會領導，黑人斯坦尼·希爾（STANLEY HILL）和紐約市貨運工會司理，白人比爾·盧欽（BILL N. UCHOW）在會上都一致表示，各族裔、各階層的人士團結起來，會使得傑克遜的選。出席七日集會的還有傑克遜亞裔助

選委員會成員。陳美瑛呼籲，日裔得公民資格，尚未作選民登記的華人，儘快於二月十九日前登記為民主黨選民，以便在初選日投上神聖的一票。同時，她呼籲，能有更多懂中、英語的華人在四月十九日初選日自願出來協助投票活動。

的支持，到對待韓國、菲律賓等亞洲國家的人權問題所採取的立場；在陳果仁事件中，他連親自會晤陳果仁的母親，關懷備至，並為其伸張正義。

在華人社區服務近廿年，現任國際女服工會廿三廿五分會移民計劃副主任的陳美瑛指出，傑克遜曾經提出過，美國的社會層面就如其星條旗，紅、白、藍三色相間。陳說道，傑克遜提出的彩虹聯盟非常重要。今年傑克遜