



TAIWANESE AMERICAN CITIZENS LEAGUE

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For the Self Determination of Taiwan

Whereas, the membership of TACL have recently, within the last two generations, immigrated from Taiwan, and

Whereas, the membership of TACL currently have family and friends residing in Taiwan, and

Whereas, the membership of TACL make occasional, or more frequent, visits to Taiwan, and

Where, the above indicate just reason for the membership of TACL to be concerned about the situation in Taiwan, and

Whereas, Taiwan may represents the homeland for the membership of TACL, and

Whereas, the people of Taiwan, including the friends and family or the membership of TACL, have a duly elected democratic government, and

Whereas, Taiwan has had effective political separation from various colonial governments on Taiwan for more than 100 years, and

Whereas, the government representing the membership of TACL in the US has not taken an affirmative stance on the self-determination for the free people of Taiwan, and

Whereas, the President of US has in fact made statements about Taiwan which disregarded the principles of self-determination, and

Whereas, as American citizens, the membership of TACL would believe in the right of self-determination for any free people;

Be It Resolved That

TACL take the official position of supporting and advocating for the self-determination for the people of Taiwan for any issues including those of sovereignty, and furthermore that

TACL take actions to declare its official position by means of official letters to agencies and representatives of the membership of TACL in the US government, or other actions as deemed necessary by the membership and its elected representatives of TACL.