



# HMONG 18 COUNCIL, INC.

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March 31, 2021

Dear friends and families.

On behalf of Hmong 18 Council, Inc., I appreciate you being a part of our community, family, and daily life. I invite you to join us on our annual fundraising and share an exciting opportunity with you to give back to our community. Your support is a cornerstone of our work in building a safer community, empowering families and youths, and developing leaders through our 2021 "**We Stand Together**" giving campaign would help us further our service to the Hmong community together.

Our community recently hits with the rising in discrimination, racism, and violence against people of Asian descent from within our community and across the country that has our community members worried about their safety and loved ones. Discrimination and racism are nothing new, but the Asian community is currently facing an unprecedented rising number of hate crimes against our people. The latest was the 8 People Killed in Atlanta-Area Massage Parlor Shootings, With Fears of Anti-Asian Bias.

In addition to the rising in discrimination, racism, and violence against people of Asian in the last few years, the Trump Administration's negotiation with the Lao People's Democratic Republic in 2020 to tearing our community's family apart, and our community face the death wave of an epidemic outbreak of coronavirus and eventually turned into a pandemic known as the COVID-19 and still killing members of our community and their loved one.

These are just a few highlights of the works taken by our organization every day to serve and protect our Hmong community in Minnesota. We're continuing to work every day to build a better community for members of our community. We're also working to resolve cultural conflicts and to increase community resources for members of our community.

But, we can't do it without your help. Therefore, please consider supporting our mission with your gift and generosity today! Your generous support will help us better serve and protect our Hmong community in Minnesota in response to future crises.

H18C depends on our community's investment, which has a stronger voice for our Hmong families to address our needs and concerns and how best to receive a positive outcome for everybody. Over the last decade and so, we have received funds from donors like you and various fundraising events to sustain our organization today. Our 2021 fundraising campaign goal is to raise \$60,000 by April 30, 2021. With your generosity, we hope to further our financial support to obtain at least 2 FTEs within H18C and continue providing scholarships for Hmong high school seniors who look forward to their higher education endeavors. These are not just short-term but long-term commitments to continue our work.

While we are proud of our accomplishments these last 24 years, we acknowledge there is much work still to be done. As we start with a new year, help us mark this 24th year with the most generous gift you can make today. We can only continue to meet the Hmong community's challenges today with the help of our friends and family. Please support us with your gift to Hmong 18 Council, Inc., because *We Stand Together*.

Please use the following donation form to make your donation. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the following individuals:

Kou Yang (Tooj Kub Yaj), Donation Chair at 612-730-2644,  
Nres Xeem Vang Lo (Nyiaj Vaj Lauj), Fundraising Chair at 651-338-4872, or  
Nres Xeem Naul Pao Vang (Nom Pov Vaj), Fundraising Co-Chair at 651-755-3502  
Nao Houa Moua, President, Hmong 18 Council, Inc.

Thank you in advance for your generosity.

Sincerely & respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Houa Moua', followed by a period.

Houa Moua (Nom Huas Muas)  
President of Hmong 18 Council, Inc.

Hmong 18 Council, Inc. (H18C) of Minnesota celebrates 24 years of *enhancing the Hmong community's social justice, traditional values and practices, and developing emerging leaders.*



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## Donation Form:

Your gift and donation are tax deductible. Once we receive your donation, we will send you a tax deductible letter. In addition, you will also be recognized in our Facebook page, mention in our donor wall at the office, display on our website at [www.hmong18council.org](http://www.hmong18council.org), and print in our Annual Report.

### Tell us about yourself?

Individual and Family (Sub-Clan Organization)

Community Organization (Clan Organization)

Business and Corporation

Leadership Circle, \$1,000

Honorary and Memorial Gifts

### Every gift matters! Please choose your gift amount below:

\$100     \$250     \$500    Other \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Would you like to make this a recurring gift?  Yes  No

Do you give permission to release your name in public?  Yes  No

### Family, Community Organization or Business Name:

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Donor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please complete this form and enclose a check made payable to:**

***Hmong 18 Council, Inc.*** and mail it to:

1068 Payne Avenue, St. Paul, MN 55130

Or, you may donate online at <http://www.hmong18council.org/donate/>  
Please note, PayPal will deduct a fee of 2.9% + \$0.30 USD per transaction.

*Hmong 18 Council, Inc. (H18C) is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization (EIN: 41-1888349). Our mission is: enhance the Hmong community in social justices, traditional values, practices and to develop emerging leaders.*