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APAPA Founder C.C Yin Featured in Documentary "Being 80" Inspiring Documentary Airs on KVIE Tonight

SACRAMENTO - The Asian Pacific Islander American Public Affairs Association (APAPA) is pleased to announce our founder, C.C. Yin, will be featured in a documentary produced by award-winning documentary filmmaker Bob Gliner. The one-hour documentary will air tonight on Tuesday, January 30 on Sacramento's KVIE (Channel 6) at 9:00PM (PST). Other air times include Sunday, February 11 on KQED Plus, Comcast Channel 10 or Channel 710 at 10:00AM and 5:00PM (PST).

"I am fortunate to achieve and live the American and California Dream, and I am honored to be featured in this documentary to share my incredible story of hardship and successes as an immigrant," said C.C. Yin, APAPA Founder and McDonald's Franchisee.

The documentary follows C.C's inspiring journey to America as an immigrant from China and Taiwan, his four-decade long journey as a successful McDonald's business owner and franchisee, and his determination over the last two decades to amplify the voices of Asian Americans through leadership and civic engagement through the national nonprofit APAPA.

"We are so proud of my father and his vision as an entrepreneur and advocate for the Asian American community. He has built a legacy in the greater community through APAPA with chapter and community leaders across the country. We are very honored that filmmaker Bob Gliner selected him to share his inspiring story," said Mary Yin Liu, APAPA National CEO.

"CC is the first interview, and inspired me to produce this documentary. 80 is the new 60, and I believe your age is just a number. A positive mindset can achieve so much at any age," said Gliner.

Background:

From filmmaker Gliner's website: "Being 80" reveals a vibrant and diverse range of several octogenarians who continue to find meaning in their lives by helping others in the process and making the world a better place for everyone.

APAPA, founded in 2001, has grown into a nationwide organization with more than 50 chapters across the country, from Sacramento to Washington, D.C. with the national headquarters located in Sacramento. Over 210+ public officials and legislators across the country have hosted and mentored students to support the APAPA National Internship Program. We are a community-based, non-profit, non-partisan organization focused on increasing API leadership and civic engagement through voter registration and education, internships, and civic leadership programs.