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**FILIPINO-AMERICAN ATHLETES SOUGHT**

*By the City of Chicago for the 2016 Olympic and Paralympic Games bid*

NEW YORK – The Philippine Consulate General New York wishes to inform the Filipino community that Ms. Eileen Hubbell, Director of International Relations for the Office of the Mayor of the City of Chicago, and 5-time Olympic Gold Medalist Nadia Comaneci, are seeking the assistance of the community in identifying international athletes living in the United States

This initiative to locate and engage athletes and hopefuls living in the US at all levels is in conjunction with the City of Chicago's bid to be the host city for the 2016 Olympic and Paralympic Games.

Olympians and Paralympians are invited to contact the Chicago 2016 Olympic bidding committee at [www.chicago2016.org](http://www.chicago2016.org) or the office of Ms. Comaneci at [ncomaneci@chicago2016.org](mailto:ncomaneci@chicago2016.org).

The Philippine Consulate General New York encourages the community to participate in identifying Olympians and Olympic hopefuls in the community, so that their talent and skill can be recognized. END