



DECLARING TIBETAN UPRISING DAY

- WHEREAS,** on March 10, 2025, Tibetans throughout the world will commemorate the Anniversary of the Tibetan National Uprising against the brutal occupation of their country and pay tribute to the more than one million Tibetans who lost their lives in their struggle for the freedom of Tibet; and
- WHEREAS,** the occupation and ongoing suppression of human rights and freedom in Tibet, and the intentional marginalization of Tibetan language, culture, and identity should continue to be a concern for all freedom-loving people everywhere; and
- WHEREAS,** in 2022, a bipartisan and bicameral bill, promoting a resolution to the Tibet-China Conflict Act, was introduced in the U.S. Congress to advance US' interest in peacefully resolving China's occupation of Tibet and pressures the Chinese government to resume negotiations with the Dalai Lama's envoys, asserting that the United States views the Tibet-China conflict as unresolved and that the Tibetan people deserve a say in how they are governed by recognizing their right to self-determination; and
- WHEREAS,** the City of Berkeley stands in solidarity with the Tibetan people and their just, peaceful, and non-violent movement to remind the world of the occupation, suppression, and degradation of culture, religion, land, and identity of the Tibetan people by China; and
- WHEREAS,** on March 10th, 2025 at 8:00AM, community members will gather at Berkeley City Hall, **as they have been doing for the last 26 years**, to raise the Tibetan flag for a week and commemorate the anniversary of the Tibetan National Uprising against the Chinese Communist Party's invasion and occupation.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that I, Adena Ishii, Mayor of the City of Berkeley, do hereby declare March 10, 2025 to be

Tibetan Uprising Day

in the City of Berkeley.

Adena Ishii
Mayor

