

# PROCLAMATION



City and County of Denver

## Proclamation 22, Series of 2010

Honoring the Eighteen-Year Anniversary of Nippon Kan's Tradition of Serving Meals at the Denver Rescue Mission

**WHEREAS**, Nippon Kan Cultural Center/Domo Restaurant are celebrating an important milestone on May 16, 2010, monthly for the past 20 years they have funded, supplied, prepared and served 60,000 meals at the Denver Rescue Mission; and

**WHEREAS**, Nippon founder Gaku Homma Sensei provides a powerful foundation of humanity and service to others as measured by his staff, students and volunteers; and

**WHEREAS**, Nippon Cultural Center seeks to underscore the values of honoring the underprivileged by providing assistance to orphanages, hospitals and schools for children in over 35 countries around the world; and

**WHEREAS**, Nippon Cultural Center dedication to the study and practice of the martial arts of Aikido which enhances self-esteem, non-violent conflict resolution, peace of mind and body enabling students to respect the nature of their bodies and the development of their minds; and

**WHEREAS**, on this milestone day, this heightens the awareness of what can be accomplished through honoring mankind.

**NOW THEREFORE,**

**BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER:**

**Section 1.** That the Council hereby recognizes and commends Gaku Homma and his students for wholeheartedly giving back to the community.

**Section 2.** That the Clerk of the City and County of Denver shall attest and affix the seal of the City and County of Denver to this proclamation and that a copy be transmitted to Gaku Homma.

PASSED BY THE COUNCIL \_\_\_\_\_ 2010

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