



September 2, 2020

Democratic Party of Orange County Central Committee
c/o Chair Ada Briceño
c/o Secretary Luis Aleman
1916 W Chapman Ave Suite B
Orange, CA 92868

Dear Central Committee members,

I, Jeff LeTourneau, hereby resign voluntarily from the following leadership positions, for the betterment of the Party and in reconciliation for harm unintentionally wrought on the Vietnamese community:

- North Vice Chair of the Democratic Party of Orange County
- Co-Chair of the Democratic Party of Orange County Resolutions Committee
- Co-Chair of the Democratic Party of Orange County Bylaws Committee

In the past days, the trauma that Ho Chi Minh's dictatorship wrought on Vietnamese members of our community has been made abundantly clear to me. To the almost 35,000 Vietnamese members of the Democratic Party in Orange County, and to all Vietnamese members in our community, I apologize for sharing the post. I hope that my resignation from leadership positions in the Democratic Party would be a first step in healing and reconciliation for our communities.

It is my hope that Democrats across Orange County can unite behind our candidates and the values of the Democratic Party. We support working families, affordable housing, access to healthcare, and opportunity for all. We must support these values not only in the lead up to the upcoming election, but for years to come.

I hope to continually learn and work alongside this group of committed volunteers to create progressive change for all.

In unity,

Jeff LeTourneau