

## PRESS RELEASE - NATIONAL PEARL HARBOR MEMORIAL DAY

From the Office of Assemblyman Fred Nanders

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## To the People of Fremont, Greetings:

Today is a very sad day. Across America, we dedicate today to those who died during a brutal and unprovoked attack on American soil by the regime of evil that ruled over Japan in the early 20th Century. On Sunday, December 7th 1941, the Imperial Japanese Navy Air Service carried out an attack on Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, which resulted in the tragic death of over 2000 Americans. To quote the press release given by Governor Grant earlier today, these people "lost their lives in the war against evil". I wish to echo that sentiment.

There is no spirit stronger than the spirit of America. It endured colonial subjugation during the Revolutionary War. It overcame the cruelty of slavery during the Civil War. It brought freedom and justice to the world during the World Wars. And on this day, we invoke that indomitable American spirit to carry us through a day of mournfulness and sorrow.

Later today, my family and I are going to join the Governor of Fremont and several senior government officials at a memorial service in Sacramento Fremont, where I intend to pay my respects to those who died and honor the victory of America against the greatest evil in living memory. On this day, my prayers are with all of America, specifically those who actively serve in our military who, every single day, put their lives on the line — just as the soldiers of the Second World War did — so that we may be free.

God Bless America.

Signed,



Assemblyman Fred Nanders Republic of Fremont