

Meanings of election victories

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Re-elected Councilman-at-Large Rolando Lavarro, Jr. of Jersey City on election night.

THE convincing victories of two distinguished Filipino-Americans in the Nov. 7 elections have significant meanings.

Jersey City's Councilman-at-Large and Council President Rolando Lavarro, Jr. and Bergenfield Councilman Arvin Amatorio, both re-electionists, were re-elected in virtual landslide victories.

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There is no doubt that Filipino voters in both Jersey City and Bergenfield influenced the outcome of the polls.

But, noteworthy was the fact that both have penetrated the varied groupings in their diverse communities.

There are some 15,000-20,000 Filipinos living in Jersey City.

We will place 60 percent as voters.

Lavarro topped the eight candidates for council-at-large with over 18,000 votes.

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