

To the office of U.S. Representative Dave Min

Re: HR 10114 (119th Congress), To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 15642 Sand Canyon Avenue in Irvine, California, as the "Mary Kageyama Nomura Post Office Building". • Latest action (2026-08-17): Referred to the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform. VFA SI Solution #283 • published 2026-08-21 • <https://www.valuesforamerica.com/solutions/283> Office of record (Congress.gov): 1034 Longworth House Office Building, Washington, DC • (202) 225-5611

Mary Kageyama Nomura Post Office Building Designation Act of 2025

The measure, as described from the official record: To honor Mary Kageyama Nomura by naming a specific federal post office building after her.

THE PROPOSAL

Section 1. Designation. The facility of the United States Postal Service located at 15642 Sand Canyon Avenue in Irvine, California, shall be known and designated as the 'Mary Kageyama Nomura Post Office Building'. Any reference in law, map, regulation, document, paper, or other record of the United States to such facility shall be deemed to be a reference to the 'Mary Kageyama Nomura Post Office Building'.

Section 2. Sunset. This designation shall expire 10 years after the date of enactment, unless reauthorized by an Act of Congress. The Postmaster General shall, not later than 90 days before expiration, submit a report to Congress on the suitability of continuing the designation.

Section 3. Implementation. The Postal Service shall install a plaque at the facility describing the contributions of Mary Kageyama Nomura within 180 days of enactment. The cost of the plaque shall not exceed \$500.

Section 4. No additional funds. The Postal Service shall carry out this Act using existing funds.

OPERATIVE PROVISIONS (VFA PROPOSAL)

Funding Source	Existing Postal Service funds
Funding Amount	Not to exceed \$500 for the plaque; no additional appropriation
Sunset Years	10 years
Oversight Body	Postmaster General
Enforcement Mechanism	If the plaque is not installed within 180 days, the designation is void.
Effective Date	Upon enactment

CONSTITUTIONAL BASIS

- Article I, Section 8, Clause 7 (Postal Clause)
- Article I, Section 8, Clause 18 (Necessary and Proper Clause)

- Tenth Amendment (implied by no infringement on states)

WHY BOTH SIDES CAN BACK IT (VFA'S ASSESSMENT)

Honors Democratic priorities of recognizing historical contributions, especially of a Japanese American community member, and Republican priorities of fiscal restraint and limited government by imposing a sunset clause and using existing funds without new appropriations.

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