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Dear Mr. Mayor:

It is with most interest that I send you this E-mail, although I respect the Vietnamese community, I am very concerned about our precious land dedicated to our US Servicemen and Woman, Coast Guard and Merchant Marines who served our country so gallantly and died to preserve our freedom and heritage, this land should be preserved for the US Service and not foreign services, we try to spread democracy all over the world and shed our blood for this purpose and although the peoples of those nations want the same freedoms in behalf of their citizens it is not right that they put memorials on our dedicated plots of land and it should never be considered or debated, please support us Veterans views and do not grant this request, they can purchase their own plots of land and honor there soldiers at their own expense.

Respectfully,
William W. Melanson
USAF Veteran (1961-1969)