

**I MINA'TRENTAI SAIS NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
RESOLUTIONS**

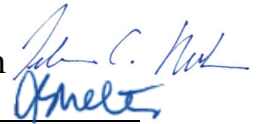
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24-36 (LS)	Telena Cruz Nelson Amanda L. Shelton	Relative to recognizing and commending the Engineers, Architects, and Land Surveyors of our island community on the celebration of "Engineers, Architects, and Land Surveyors Week" from February 21-27, 2021, with this year's theme: "Imagining Tomorrow"; and to further expressing <i>Un Dàngkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'åse'</i> to them for making a difference in our world and improving the quality of life for all our people, and for their tremendous contributions to the local community, industry, and society.	2/19/21 2:18 p.m.	2/25/21						

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2021 (FIRST) Regular Session

Resolution No. 24-36 (LS)

Introduced by:

Telena Cruz Nelson
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1 **BE IT RESOLVED BY *I MINA'TRENTAI SAIS NA LIHESLATURAN***
2 ***GUÅHAN*:**

3 **WHEREAS**, the principles and practices of Engineering, Architecture, and Land
4 Surveying (EALS) have served humankind in its creation of social, cultural, and
5 economic systems through a disciplined approach to physical developments for over
6 two thousand (2,000) years; and

7 **WHEREAS**, Engineers, Architects, and Land Surveyors contributed greatly to
8 the rebuilding of our island after World War II. Their expertise can be seen in many
9 homes, school buildings, newly-constructed roads, and water and power lines servicing
10 our community; and

1 **WHEREAS**, our Pacific island paradise has been greatly transformed since the
2 time our ancestors lived in *latte*-supported huts and built the fastest *proas* in the world.
3 History books tell us tales of the structures built by our ancestors, and about the
4 dexterity of the ancient *CHamoru* people; and

5 **WHEREAS**, now in the twenty-first (21st) century, we see the ingenuity and
6 creativity in the work of Guam’s Engineers, Architects, and Land Surveyors; and, power
7 of their creativity, imagination, mathematics, science, and technology to enhance our
8 quality of life, build better communities, and promote our culture through historical
9 preservation; and

10 **WHEREAS**, it is the result of countless hours of work by dedicated private-
11 sector, government, and military Engineers, Architects, and Land Surveyors that has
12 led to the enhanced quality of life we enjoy every day; and

13 **WHEREAS**, during the celebration of “EALS Week,” the social impact of this
14 event increases public dialogue about the need for the expertise of our Engineers,
15 Architects, and Land Surveyors; spreading education to youth, educators, and parents;
16 and serving as the catalyst that sparks organizations and volunteers to make a difference
17 by engaging students in engineering, architecture, and land surveying, and celebrating
18 the profession; and

19 **WHEREAS**, “EALS Week” also promotes the values of good design and work
20 within the community, and the allied professionals that create a safer, more sustainable
21 environment, as well as maintain the rich heritage of the island; and

22 **WHEREAS**, EALS provide services and products that touch many aspects of
23 life including the health, welfare, and safety of Guam’s people for a better future; help
24 to turn ideas into reality; design the building environment from concept to completion;
25 and help to support the President’s and Governor’s vision of improving our island’s
26 students in the fields of Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics, also
27 known as STEM; and

1 **WHEREAS**, “EALS Week” is an annual event that helps bring awareness to the
2 work and contributions of our nation’s Engineers, Architects, and Land Surveyors.
3 Guam’s “EALS Week” is filled with activities for adults and youth in our island
4 community, helping to advance the image of engineering and getting them involved;
5 now therefore, be it

6 **RESOLVED**, that *I Mina'trentai Sais Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on
7 behalf of the people of Guam, recognize and commend the Engineers, Architects, and
8 Land Surveyors of our island community on the celebration of “Engineers, Architects,
9 and Land Surveyors Week” from February 21-27, 2021, with this year’s theme:
10 “Imagining Tomorrow”; and does further express *Un Dångkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'åse'* to
11 them for making a difference in our world and improving the quality of life for all our
12 people, and for their tremendous contributions in the local community, industry, and
13 society as a whole; and be it further

14 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the
15 adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Brent Wiese,
16 Chairperson of the Guam Building Code Council; Maria Cristi, Chairperson of the
17 Guam Professional Engineers, Architects, and Land Surveyors; Gabriel Jugo, President
18 of the Guam Society of Professional Engineers; Scott Thompson, President of the
19 Society of American Military Engineers; and to the Honorable Lourdes A. Leon
20 Guerrero, *I Maga'hågan Guåhan*.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY I MINA'TRENTAI SAIS NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE DAY OF FEBRUARY 2021.

THERESE M. TERLAJE
Speaker

AMANDA L. SHELTON
Legislative Secretary