

I MINA'TRENTAI SAIS NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
RESOLUTIONS

Resolution No.	Sponsor	Title	Date Intro	Date of Presentation	Date Adopted	Date Referred	Referred to	PUBLIC HEARING DATE	DATE COMMITTEE REPORT FILED	NOTES
97-36 (L.S)	Amanda L. Shelton	Relative to posthumously recognizing and commemorating the late Romana Blas Villagomez for her contributions to our island; and expressing condolences to her family on her passing on behalf of the people of Guam.	5/24/21 4:26 p.m.	5/27/21 9:00 a.m.	5/24/21					

Resolution No. 97-36 (LS)

Introduced by:

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Relative to posthumously recognizing and commemorating the late Romana Blas Villagomez for her many contributions to our island; and expressing condolences to her family on her passing on behalf of the people of Guam.

BE IT RESOLVED BY I MINA TRENTAI SAIS NA LIHESLATURAN GUAHAN:

WHEREAS, Romana Blas Villagomez was born on February 29, 1920 in the heart of *Hagåtña*, Guam, and is the daughter of Rosa Pereira Crisostomo and Jesus Santos Blas. Romana, fondly known as "Auntie Ana/Nana," is formerly from the village of *Hagåtña* and presently resides with her daughter Louise V. Perez in *Barrigada*, where she had resided for the past ten (10) years; and

WHEREAS, Romana was married to the love of her life, Pedro Perez Villagomez, for thirty-three (33) years until his unfortunate passing on September 18, 1976; and she had remained committed to her vows and never remarried; and

WHEREAS, Romana is the matriarch of her family and is affectionately known as "Auntie Romana" to her nieces and nephews. She had always lived a very simple life and had three (3) children: Rosa, Louise, and Carl; and she was also blessed with six (6) granddaughters, three (3) grandsons, and abundantly blessed with two (2) great-grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, Romana was a homemaker who, for the most part, enjoyed raising her children; and she was also affectionately known as "Nana" to her family. She loved to sew and she was very skilled and hard working with her sewing. She enjoyed the seam work and intricacy of each stitch, and as a mother she had sewn many outfits for each of her children; and she had also made prom dresses for each of her daughters. Evidently, being a mother was a never-ending task and she was also certainly a very great cook; and her dinner bread rolls was one of her specialties at gatherings with family and friends as it was an essential dish for her to bring, and many individuals indulged in her dinner bread rolls; and

WHEREAS, Romana also liked to reminisce and tell stories of World War II, and she had always been a devout Catholic who attended Mass every Sunday; and although she may not have attended Mass regularly, Romana still donated to the Santa Barbara Church in *Dededo* and Our Lady of Lourdes Church in *Yigo*; and

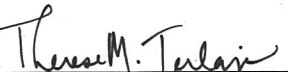
WHEREAS, Romana had always remained committed to her faith and her spouse, and she was a simple woman who always helped those in need; and although she had stopped doing the activities she had loved to do when she turned ninety (90) years old, she continued to have her strength and independence; now therefore, be it

WHEREAS, Romana was a loving wonderful lady who was unselfish and a devout Catholic; and she was an avid church-goer who cared for so many others until her passing; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that *I Mina Trentai Sais Na Liheslaturan Guahan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guahan* and the people of Guam, posthumously recognize and commemorate the late Romana Blas Villagomez for her many contributions to our island; and express condolences to her family on her passing on behalf of the people of Guam; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Speaker certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to the family of the late Romana Blas Villagomez; and to the Honorable Lourdes A. Leon Guerrero, *I Maga'hagan Guahan*.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY I MINA TRENTAI SAIS NA LIHESLATURAN GUAHAN ON THE 24TH DAY OF MAY 2021.


THERESE M. TERLAJE
Speaker


AMANDA L. SHELTON
Legislative Secretary





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2021 (FIRST) Regular Session

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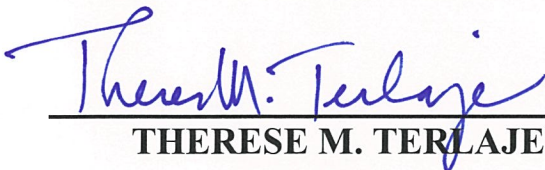
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THERESE M. TERLAJE
Speaker



AMANDA L. SHELTON
Legislative Secretary



Office of Senator

AMANDA L. SHELTON

Legislative Secretary & Chairwoman

Committee on Air Transportation, Parks, Tourism, Higher Education and the
Advancement of Women, Youth and Senior Citizens

I Mina'trentai Sais Na Liheslaturan Guåhan • 36th Guam Legislature

May 26, 2021

MEMORANDUM

To: All Senators
36th Guam Legislature

From: Senator Amanda L. Shelton 

Re: Presentation of Resolution No. 97 through 104-36 (LS)

Buenas yan Håfa Adai!

Please join me in presenting the following Legislative Resolution(s):

Resolution No. 97-36 (LS) - Amanda L. Shelton - Relative to posthumously recognizing and commemorating the late Romana Blas Villagomez for her contributions to our island; and expressing condolences to her family on her passing on behalf of the people of Guam.

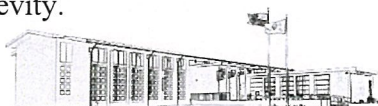
Resolution No. 98-36 (LS) - Amanda L. Shelton - Relative to posthumously recognizing and commemorating the late Paz Mendiola Sablan for her contributions to our island; and expressing condolences to her family on her passing on behalf of the people of Guam.

Resolution No. 99-36 (LS) - Amanda L. Shelton - Relative to recognizing Felecisema Alcira Montalban as a recipient of the 2021 Centenarian; and commemorating her the celebration of her one hundred-two (102) years of longevity.

Resolution No. 100-36 (LS) - Amanda L. Shelton - Relative to recognizing Jose Aguinaldo Peralta as a recipient of the 2021 Centenarian; and commemorating her the celebration of her one hundred-one (101) years of longevity.

Resolution No. 101-36 (LS) - Amanda L. Shelton - Relative to recognizing Josefina Liberty Villanueva Sancianco Ragan as a recipient of the 2021 Centenarian; and commemorating her the celebration of her one hundred (100) years of longevity.

Resolution No. 102-36 (LS) - Amanda L. Shelton - Relative to recognizing Amalia Yokoi Farfan as a recipient of the 2021 Centenarian; and commemorating her the celebration of her one hundred-two (102) years of longevity.



Resolution No. 103-36 (LS) - Amanda L. Shelton - Relative to recognizing Teodora P. Andrada as a recipient of the 2021 Centenarian; and commemorating her the celebration of her one hundred-one (101) years of longevity.

Resolution No. 104-36 (LS) - Amanda L. Shelton - Relative to recognizing Rosario Flores Leon Guerrero as a recipient of the 2021 Centenarian; and commemorating her the celebration of her one hundred-one (101) years of longevity.

The presentation will take place virtually on **Thursday, May 27, 2021 at 9:00 a.m. via Zoom.**

Resolution Nos. 97 through 405-36 (LS) will be hand delivered to the respective recipients.

We look forward to your attendance and participation.

Si Yu'os Ma'åse'!

