I MINA'TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN RESOLUTIONS

Resolution No.	Sponsor	Title	Date Intro	Date of Presentation	Date Adopted	Date Referred	Referred to	PUBLIC HEARING DATE	DATE AUTHORS REPORT FILED	NOTES
110-37 (LS)		Relative to recognizing Lillian Leon Anderson as a Centenarian during "2023 Senior Citizens Month"; and commemorating her celebration of one hundred one years (101) of longevity.	5/3/23 1:27 p.m.	5/18/23 10:00 a.m.	5/3/23					

Amanda L. Shelton

Chris Barnett Frank Blas, Jr. Tina Rose Muña Barne

William A. Parkinson Sabina Flores Perez Roy A. B. Quinata Joe S. San Agustin Dwayne T. D. San Nicolas



Relative to recognizing Lillian Leon Anderson as a Centenarian during "2023 Senior Citizens Month"; and commemorating her celebration of one hundred one years (101) of longevity.

BE IT RESOLVED BY I MINATRENTAL SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN:

WHEREAS, Lillian Leon Anderson, fondly known as "Nana" or "Tan Lil from the Bottom of the Hill," was born in Los Angeles, California; and is the daughter of †Arturo and †Camarina Robles Leon. She lived most of her life in Pago Bay, Chalan Pago, but now

WHEREAS, while living in San Francisco, Lillian met and fell in love with a CHamoru sailor, †Thomas Borja Anderson, shortly after the attack on Pearl Harbor, Hawaii and they were married in 1942. Lillian would soon make Guam her home, living in a postwar community and raising four (4) children: Dolores Anderson Muña, Darlene Anderson Franquez, Daniel Frank Anderson, and John Thomas Anderson; and were also blessed with fifteen (15) grandchildren, thirteen (13) great-grandchildren, and three (3) greatgreat-grandchildren; and Lillian and Thomas celebrated forty-six (46) years of marriage until his passing in 1988; and

WHEREAS, as the matriarch of her family, Lillian was a proud homemaker and caretaker to many children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren over the years, both her own and that of her close friends and family. Many of them have fond memories of spending time with her at her home along the river in Pago Bay, where they would jump off "Nana's bridge" and swim in the river. It was considered a special treat to visit her, and she would have as many as ten (10) children at her house on a normal day; among the many children under her care were identical twins Vice Speaker/Senator Tina Rose Muña Barnes and Donna Muña Quinata;

WHEREAS, Lillian is known for her cooking and sharing her Mexican heritage with all who came to visit her. Her fresh tortillas were unrivaled, and her kitchen was rarely empty of food; and even into her nineties, Lillian could be found in her kitchen cooking while listening to Spanish music, and she would enjoy making tortillas and refried beans; and

WHEREAS, Lillian is a very welcoming and sociable person, and she was especially eager and happy to extend her hospitality and befriend people of Hispanic backgrounds that made their way to Guam; and she enjoyed cooking Mexican food for them and conversing in Spanish, and many of them have remained close to her over the years; and

WHEREAS, during her younger years, Lillian enjoyed dancing and was always enthusiastic about dancing the jitterbug; and despite needing to use a walking cane in her eighties; she still happily dances with anyone who offered to dance with her; now

RESOLVED, that I Mina'trentai Siette Na Liheslaturan Guåhan does hereby, on behalf of the people of Guam, recognize Lillian Leon Anderson as a Centenarian during "2023 Senior Citizens Month"; and commemorate her celebration of one hundred one years (101) of longevity; and it be 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 Lillian Leon Anderson; and to the Honorable Lourdes A. Leon Guerrero, I Maga'hågan Guåhan.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY I MINA TRENTAL SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE 3RD DAY OF MAY 2023.

AMANDA L. SHELTON

Legislative Secretary



I MINA'TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2023 (FIRST) Regular Session

Resolution No. 110-37 (LS)

Introduced by:

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DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY I MINA'TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÂHAN ON THE 3RD DAY OF MAY 2023.

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Speaker

AMANDA L. SHELTON Legislative Secretary



Office of Senator AMANDA L. SHELTON

Legislative Secretary & Chairwoman

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

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May 16, 2023

MEMORANDUM

To:

All Senators

37th Guam Legislature

From:

Senator Amanda L. Shelton

Re: Presentation Notice for

(LS), 111-37 (LS), 112-37 (LS), 113-37 (LS),

Presentation Notice for Resolution No. 108-37 (LS), 109-37 (LS), 110-37

Buenas yan Håfa Adai!

Resolution No. 108-37 (LS) – **Amanda L. Shelton.** – Relative to recognizing Rosario Flores Leon Guerrero as a Centenarian of the 2023 Senior Citizens Month; and commemorating her celebration of one hundred and three years (103) of longevity.

Resolution No. 109-37 (LS) – **Amanda L. Shelton.** – Relative to recognizing Josefina de la Concepcion Diaz as a Centenarian of the 2023 Senior Citizens Month; and commemorating her celebration of one hundred and one years (101) of longevity.

Resolution No. 110-37 (LS) – **Amanda L. Shelton.** – Relative to recognizing Lillian Leon Anderson as a Centenarian of the 2023 Senior Citizens Month; and commemorating her celebration of one hundred and one years (101) of longevity.

Resolution No. 111-37 (LS) – **Amanda L. Shelton.** – Relative to recognizing Magdalena Perez Taitano Fausto as a Centenarian of the 2023 Senior Citizens Month; and commemorating her celebration of one hundred years (100) of longevity.





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Resolution No. 112-37 (LS) – **Amanda L. Shelton.** – Relative to posthumously recognizing the late † Victoria Robeniol Rebugio as a Centenarian of the 2023 Senior Citizens Month; commemorating her celebration of one hundred years (100) of longevity; and further expressing condolences to her family on her passing.

Resolution No. 113-37 (LS) – **Amanda L. Shelton.** – Relative to recognizing Teodora Andrada as a Centenarian of the 2023 Senior Citizens Month; and commemorating her celebration of one hundred and two years (102) of longevity.

The resolution will be presented on Thursday, May 18, 2023, 10:00 AM at Hyatt Regency Hotel.

We look forward to your attendance and participation.

