

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 AUTHOR/ COMMITTEE REPORT FILED	NOTES
23-37 (COR)	Amanda L. Shelton	Relative to recognizing the observance of National Career and Technical Education (CTE) during the month of February; and commending the CTE community members and educators in their role that has helped in preparing students for careers and college.	2/8/23 9:25 a.m.	2/21/23 2:30 p.m.	2/21/23 9:56 a.m.					

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Introduced by:

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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF *I MINA TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN*:

WHEREAS, February has been designated Career and Technical Education Month by the National Association for Career and Technical Education (ACTE); and

WHEREAS, the local chapter, the Guam ACTE, was established eight (8) years ago and continues the important tradition of celebrating February as CTE Month, which includes events in support of local & regional CTE educators; and

WHEREAS, ACTE is the largest national professional organization of dedicated CTE professionals, and Guam ACTE is proud to assist our local professionals in the region. This includes our CTE educators from GDOE, GCA Trades Academy, Marianas Training Center, our Charter schools, GCC, CNMI Public School, Northern Marianas College, College of the Marshall Islands, FSM Public Schools, and American Samoa; and

WHEREAS, Career and Technical Education (CTE) Month is observed during the month of February 2023 and is referred to as a time to celebrate the achievements and efforts of those promoting and supporting CTE; and

WHEREAS, Career and Technical Education (CTE) ensures that competitive and skilled workers are ready, willing, and capable of holding jobs in high-wage, high-skill, and in-demand career fields such as science, technology, engineering, art and design, mathematics, nursing, allied health, construction, information technology, energy sustainability, and many other career fields that are vital in keeping our island and people thriving in this global economy; and

WHEREAS, CTE provides individuals with rigorous academic content and relevant technical knowledge and skills needed to prepare for further education and careers in current or emerging professions or occupations to industry-recognized credentials for secondary, postsecondary, and adult learners; and

WHEREAS, secondary CTE is associated with a lower probability of dropping out of high school and a higher likelihood of graduating on-time and according to an American Federation of Teachers poll, 94% percent of parents approve expanding access to CTE and other programs that prepare students for jobs; and

WHEREAS, the signing of the Smith-Hughes Vocational Education Act on February 23, 1917, which was the first major Federal investment in secondary CTE and laid the foundation for the bipartisan, bicameral support for CTE that progressively continues, for essential Acts of Legislation; and

WHEREAS, in 2018, Congress affirmed the importance of Career and Technical Education by passing the Strengthening Career and Technical Education for the 21st Century Act, which supports program improvement in secondary and postsecondary CTE programs; and

WHEREAS, career and technical education is infused in local institution's curriculum, which provides a vital link between the world of academia and the workforce that can motivate students to continue their education, and arming them with the knowledge and flexible skills that will make it possible for them to adapt to jobs of the future; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina Trentai Siette Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* the people of Guam, recognize the observance of National Career and Technical Education (CTE) during the month of February; and commend the CTE community members and educators in their role that has helped in preparing students for careers and college; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee of Rules certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to: Guam Community College; University of Guam; Guam Trades Academy; Career Tech High Academy Charter School; and to the Honorable Lourdes A. Leon Guerrero, *I Maga'hågan Guåhan*.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF *I MINA TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN* ON THE 21ST DAY OF FEBRUARY 2023.

TINA ROSE MUNA BARNES
Acting Speaker

CHRIS BARNETT
Chairperson, Committee on Rules

AMANDA L. SHELTON
Legislative Secretary



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Legislative Secretary & Chairwoman

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

I Mina'trentai Siette Na Liheslaturan Guåhan • 37th Guam Legislature

February 21, 2023

MEMORANDUM

To: All Senators

37th Guam Legislature

From: Senator Amanda L. Shelton 

Re: Presentation Notice for Resolution No. 23-37 (COR)

Buenas yan Håfa Adai!

Resolution No. 23-37 (COR) - Amanda L. Shelton. - “Relative to recognizing the observance of National Career and Technical Education (CTE) during the month of February; and commending the CTE community members and educators in their role that has helped in preparing students for careers and college,”

The presentation will be on Tuesday, February 21, 2023, at 2:30 p.m. on Zoom.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89419685478?pwd=b0tmb3AvRnlNOWpsLzBZb0thQmJlZz09>

Meeting ID: 894 1968 5478

Passcode: 893243

We look forward to your attendance and participation.





COMMITTEE ON RULES

Chris Barnett, Chairperson, Committee on Rules

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COMMITTEE VOTE SHEET

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	INITIAL	DATE	TO ADOPT	TO NOT ADOPT	TO ABSTAIN
Senator Chris Barnett Chairperson	E-Vote	2/21/2023	✓		
Senator Sabina Flores Perez Vice Chairperson	E-Vote	2/21/2023	✓		
Speaker Therese M. Terlaje Member	E-Vote	2/21/2023	✓		
Vice Speaker Tina Rose Muña Barnes Member					
Legislative Secretary Amanda L. Shelton Vice Chairperson	<i>Ashelton</i>	2/21/2023	✓		
Senator William Mark Parkinson Member	E-Vote	2/21/2023	✓		
Senator Roy A. B. Quinata Member	E-Vote	2/21/2023	✓		
Senator Joe S. San Agustin Member					
Senator Dwayne T. D. San Nicolas Member					
Senator Christopher M. Dueñas Minority Member	E-Vote	2/21/2023	✓		
Senator Joanne Brown Minority Member	E-Vote	2/21/2023	✓		
Senator Thomas J. Fisher Minority Member					
Senator Telo T. Taitague Minority Member	E-Vote	2/21/2023	✓		
For Sponsor's Office Use Only					
Sponsor Signature: <i>Amanda Shelton</i>					
Staff Contact Person: Jay Milan					
For COR/Clerk's Office Use Only					
<u>9</u> Certified _____ Returned					
Name: Marie Crisostomo					
Date: 2/21/23 9:56 a.m.					
Notes:					