

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
94-37 (COR)	Chris Barnett	Relative to recognizing Farron "The Guam Guy" Taijeron for his commitment to maintaining Guam's environment; and commending him for raising awareness and stewardship of the environment.	4/21/23 2:21 p.m.	4/28/23 4:30 p.m.	4/27/23 3:57 p.m.					

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Relative to recognizing Farron "The Guam Guy" Tajjeron for his commitment to maintaining Guam's environment; and commending him for raising awareness and stewardship of the environment.

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

WHEREAS, Farron "The Guam Guy" Tajjeron is the son of Emelie Mills Tajjeron and Francisco Cepeda Tajjeron of *Chalan Pago* and is married to Hayoung Lee Tajjeron; and

WHEREAS, Farron is majoring in Agriculture and Life Sciences at the University of Guam (UOG), is a Conservation Coordinator with the Nature Conservatory, and is a Young Pacific Leaders 2022 Alumnus; and

WHEREAS, Farron is a Climate Adaptation for Resource Management Fellow with the Pacific Islands Climate Adaptation Science Center (PI-CASC), working on wildfires on Guam and a UOG Marine Lab Research Associate working on developing techniques and approaches to coral reef restoration; and

WHEREAS, Farron is an avid diver and is Guam's first Master Free Diving instructor; and

WHEREAS, Farron is the founder of the "Guam Extreme Cleanup Crew," a group of friends who participated in rock-climbing and diving and decided to use their abilities to clean up these parts of the island; and

WHEREAS, Farron has used social media to promote environmentalism with thousands of followers and hundreds of thousands of views across multiple platforms; and

WHEREAS, Farron hosts the local Podcast "The Guam Guy Show" and has covered multiple oil spills in *Apra Harbor*, the mud-slide of *Marbo Cave*, tire reef removal in *Malesso*, stormwater flooding in *Hagåtña*, the effects of erosion in southern Guam and the effects of erosion underwater; and

WHEREAS, Farron has dedicated many hours volunteering, taking part in the Friends of Island Dano's Cocos Island Brown Tree Snake removals and the Guam Department of Agriculture Forestry Division's tree-planting, among many others; and

WHEREAS, Farron is the creator of the Professional Association of Diving Instructors (PADI) certification course and is a Crown of Thorns Starfish (COTS) Control Technician, teaching volunteer divers to manage coral-eating crown of thorns starfish; and

WHEREAS, Farron is the co-inventor of rock-climbing-cliffside-drone cleanups with Michael Quitugua and Bella Wings Aviation; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'trentai Siette Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of the people of Guam, recognize Farron "The Guam Guy" Tajjeron for his commitment to maintaining Guam's environment; and commend him for raising awareness and stewardship of the environment; and be it further

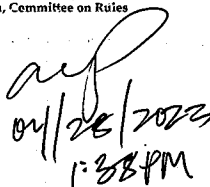
RESOLVED, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Farron "The Guam Guy" Tajjeron; and to the Honorable Lourdes A. Leon Guerrero, *I Maga'hågan Guåhan*.

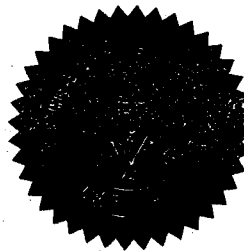
DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF I MINA'TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE 27TH DAY OF APRIL 2023.


THERESE M. TERLAJE
Speaker


CHRIS BARNETT
Chairperson, Committee on Rules


AMANDA L. SHELTON
Legislative Secretary


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2023 (FIRST) Regular Session

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COMMITTEE ON RULES

Chris Barnett, Chairperson, Committee on Rules

I Mina'trentai Siette Na Liheslaturan Guåhan

37th Guam Legislature

COMMITTEE VOTE SHEET

Resolution No. 94-37 (COR) – Chris Barnett. – “Relative to recognizing Farron “The Guam Guy” Taijeron for his commitment to maintaining Guam’s environment; and commending him for raising awareness and stewardship of the environment.”

	INITIAL	DATE	TO ADOPT	TO NOT ADOPT	TO ABSTAIN
Senator Chris Barnett Chairperson	DCB	04/27/23	✓		
Senator Sabina Flores Perez Vice Chairperson	e-vote	04/27/23	✓		
Speaker Therese M. Terlaje Member	e-vote	04/27/23	✓		
Vice Speaker Tina Rose Muña Barnes Member					
Legislative Secretary Amanda L. Shelton Member					
Senator William A. Parkinson Member	e-vote	04/27/23	✓		
Senator Roy A. B. Quinata Member	e-vote	04/27/23	✓		
Senator Joe S. San Agustin Member					
Senator Dwayne T. D. San Nicolas Member	e-vote	04/27/23	✓		
Senator Joanne Brown Minority Member	e-vote	04/27/23	✓		
Senator Christopher M. Dueñas Minority Member	e-vote	04/27/23	✓		
Senator Thomas J. Fisher Minority Member					
Senator Telo T. Taitague Minority Member	e-vote	04/27/23	✓		
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Sponsor Signature: 					
Staff Contact Person: Erin M. Grajek, Committee Director					
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9 Certified _____ Returned					
Name: Marie Crisostomo					
Date: 4/27/23 3:57 p.m.					
Notes:					



Senator Chris “Malafunkshun” Barnett

Chairperson

Committee on Education, Public Safety, and the Arts · Committee on Rules

I Mina'trentai Siette Na Liheslaturan Guåhan

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

April 27, 2023

MEMORANDUM

To: All Senators, Stakeholders, Media
From: Senator Chris “Malafunkshun” Barnett
Re: PRESENTATION NOTICE for Resolution No. 94-37 (COR)

Håfa adai:

The presentation of **Resolution No. 94-37 (COR)** “Relative to recognizing Farron “The Guam Guy” Taijeron for his commitment to maintaining Guam’s environment; and commending him for raising awareness and stewardship of the environment.” will take place on Friday, April 28, 2023 at 4:30 pm. The presentation will be held at The Office of Senator Chris Barnett at the Guam Congress Building in Hagåtña.

We look forward to your attendance and participation.