

**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
530-37 (COR)	Committee on Rules	Relative to authorizing the expenditure of up to Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$500,000) from the Capitol District Fund for the necessary repairs of the <i>Hagåtña</i> Downtown Station as a result of damages in the aftermath of Typhoon Mawar, pursuant to § 79602 of Article 6, Chapter 79, Title 21, Guam Code Annotated.	9/13/24 9:40 a.m.		9/19/24 4:33 p.m.					

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**2024 (SECOND) Regular Session**

**Resolution No. 530-37 (COR)**

Introduced by:

Committee on Rules

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

3        **WHEREAS**, the *Hagåtña* Downtown Station, located at 223 W. *Chalan Santo*  
4        *Papa Hagåtña*, GU 96910-9998, otherwise known as the *Hagåtña* Post Office, is  
5        Capitol District property; and

6        **WHEREAS**, § 79602 of Article 6, Chapter 79, Title 21, Guam Code Annotated,  
7        directs that those expenditures for the “repair, renovation, and restoration” of Capitol  
8        District properties shall be drawn from the Capitol District Fund, pursuant to a  
9        Legislative Resolution; and

10       **WHEREAS**, as of July 9, 2024, the available Fund balance of the Capitol District  
11       Fund is Five Hundred Sixty-five Thousand Sixty-seven Dollars and Thirty Cents  
12       (\$565,067.30); and

13       **WHEREAS**, over the past sixteen (16) months, the *Hagåtña* Post Office  
14       operations have been delayed, postponed, and otherwise impeded by the extended delay  
15       in the repairs, renovations, and restorations needed as a result of damage from Typhoon

1 Mawar, requiring urgent maintenance and repair to the roof, ceiling, gutters, and  
2 draining system; and

3 **WHEREAS**, these challenges have negatively impacted the regular operations  
4 of the United States Post Office and has caused damages to parcels and packages; and  
5 the Guam Legislature has been working with the Federal Emergency Management  
6 Agency (FEMA) to assist with the repairs of the facility; and

7 **WHEREAS**, in FEMA compensation under the *Consolidated Appropriations*  
8 *ACT, 2022*, the FEMA assistance will compensate no less than ninety percent (90%) of  
9 the incurred cost of what is covered by FEMA after the scope of work has been  
10 completed and invoices have been filed with FEMA; and Management Personnel of the  
11 Guam Congress Building have completed a site assessment with FEMA; now therefore,  
12 be it

13 **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'trentai Siette Na*  
14 *Lihselaturan Guåhan* does hereby authorize the expenditure of up to Five Hundred  
15 Thousand Dollars (\$500,000) from the Capitol District Fund for the repairs needed at  
16 the *Hagåtña* Downtown Station, known as the *Hagåtña* Post Office, in accordance with  
17 the Standing Rules of *I Mina'trentai Siette Na Lihselaturan Guåhan* and § 79602 of  
18 Article 6, Chapter 79, Title 21, Guam Code Annotated; and be it further

19 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules  
20 certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of  
21 the same be thereafter transmitted to the members of the Committee on Rules of *I*  
22 *Mina'trentai Siette Na Lihselaturan Guåhan*; to the Honorable Therese M. Terlaje,

- 1 Speaker, *I Mina'trentai Siette Na Liheslaturan Guáhan*; and to Joseph R. San Agustin,
- 2 Executive Director, *I Mina'trentai Siette Na Liheslaturan Guáhan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF  
*I MINA'TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÁHAN* ON THE 19<sup>TH</sup> DAY  
OF SEPTEMBER 2024.**

  
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THERESE M. TERLAJE  
Speaker

  
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CHRIS BARNETT  
Chairperson, Committee on Rules

  
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AMANDA L. SHELTON  
Legislative Secretary



# COMMITTEE ON RULES

Chris Barnett, Chairperson, Committee on Rules

*I Mina'trentai Siette Na Liheslaturan Guahan*

37<sup>th</sup> Guam Legislature

## COMMITTEE VOTE SHEET

**Resolution No. 530-37 (COR) – Committee on Rules. – “Relative to authorizing the expenditure of up to Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$500,000) from the Capitol District Fund for the necessary repairs of the Hagåtña Downtown Station as a result of damages in the aftermath of Typhoon Mawar, pursuant to § 79602 of Article 6, Chapter 79, Title 21, Guam Code Annotated.”**

	INITIAL	DATE	TO ADOPT	TO NOT ADOPT	TO ABSTAIN
<b>Senator Chris Barnett</b> Chairperson	E-vote	9/19/24	✓		
<b>Senator Sabina Flores Perez</b> Vice Chairperson	E-vote	9/19/24	✓		
<b>Speaker Therese M. Terlaje</b> Member					
<b>Vice Speaker Tina Rose Muña Barnes</b> Member					
<b>Legislative Secretary Amanda L. Shelton</b> Member					
<b>Senator William A. Parkinson</b> Member					
<b>Senator Roy A. B. Quinata</b> Member	E-vote	9/19/24	✓		
<b>Senator Joe S. San Agustin</b> Member	E-vote	9/19/24	✓		
<b>Senator Dwayne T. D. San Nicolas</b> Member	E-vote	9/19/24	✓		
<b>Senator Joanne M. Brown</b> Minority Member					
<b>Senator Christopher M. Dueñas</b> Minority Member	E-vote	9/19/24	✓		
<b>Senator Thomas J. Fisher</b> Minority Member					
<b>Senator Telo T. Taitague</b> Minority Member	E-vote	9/19/24	✓		
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Sponsor Signature: <i>DUB</i>					
Staff Contact Person: Kamarin Nelson					
<b>For COR/Clerk's Office Use Only</b>					
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Name: Marie Crisostomo					
Date: September 19, 2024 at 4:33 p.m.					
Notes:					