

I MINA 'TRENTAI KUATTRO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
RESOLUTION STATUS

Resolution No.	Sponsor	Title	Date Intro	Date of Presentation	Date Adopted
276-34 (LS)	Therese M. Terlaje Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr.	Relative to commending and congratulating Ms. Bernadette "Bernie" Valencia on the occasion of her promotion to the position of Vice President and General Manager of Matson Navigation Company for Guam and Micronesia; and to further expressing a warm and sincere Un Dångkolo na Si Yu'os Ma'åse' to her for her outstanding service to the people of Guam.	10/23/17 12:33 p.m.	10/27/17 12:00 p.m.	10/23/17

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BE IT RESOLVED BY I MINA TRENTAI KUÅTTRO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN:

WHEREAS, on July 30, 2008, Ms. Bernadette "Bernie" Valencia joined Matson Navigation Company as Regional Manager for Sales and Customer Service with the responsibility of the Western Pacific to include Guam, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, the Republic of Palau, the Federated States of Micronesia, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, and Asia; and

WHEREAS, on July 21, 2013 Ms. Bernadette "Bernie" Valencia was promoted to General Manager for Matson Navigation Company where she has overseen the operations of the Guam office and has become the recognizable representative of Matson in the island's community and the Micronesian region; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Bernadette "Bernie" Valencia's exemplary leadership has contributed to Matson's growth in the Western Pacific and has helped the company build long standing relationships with customers and local teams in Guam and Micronesia; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Bernadette "Bernie" Valencia was instrumental in the launch of Matson's environmental program on Guam *Adahi I Tano*: Taking Care of the Land, through which Matson supports and rewards non-profit organizations for successfully carrying out cleanup initiatives throughout the community; and

WHEREAS, most recently, Ms. Bernadette "Bernie" Valencia oversaw the acquisition of land and construction of Matson's new regional headquarters in *Anigua*, Guam. In August 2017, the company celebrated the grand opening of the regional headquarters building, which commemorated their twenty-one (21) years of service to the region, and Matson's commitment to Guam and Micronesia; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Bernadette "Bernie" Valencia also sits as a board member of several local organizations, to include the Guam Chamber of Commerce, the Employer's Council, iRecycle, iCan Resources Inc., and the Guam Contractors' Association Trades Academy; and, she also serves on the USO Advisory Council and the University of Guam Small Business Advisory Board; and

WHEREAS, in her new role as Vice President and General Manager of Matson Navigation Company for Guam and Micronesia, Bernie Valencia will manage the new Naha, Okinawa service that made its first port of call on September 2, 2017; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Bernadette "Bernie" Valencia is a daughter of Guam who was raised on the island and graduated from the Academy of Our Lady of Guam in 1987; and, she furthered her education, earning a Bachelor of Science Degree in Aviation Maintenance Management from San Jose State University; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that I Mina Trentai Kudtiro Na Liheslaturan Guåhan does hereby, on behalf of I Liheslaturan Guåhan and the people of Guam, commend and congratulate Ms. Bernadette "Bernie" Valencia on the occasion of her promotion to the position of Vice President and General Manager of Matson Navigation Company for Guam and Micronesia; and does further express a warm and sincere *Un Dangkolo na Si Yu'os Ma'åse'* to her for her outstanding service to 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 Ms. Bernadette "Bernie" Valencia, Vice President and General Manager, Matson Navigation Company; and to the Honorable Edward J.B. Calvo, *I Magu'åthen Guåhan*.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY I MINA TRENTAI KUÅTTRO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE 23RD DAY OF OCTOBER 2017.


 BENJAMIN J.F. CRUZ
 Speaker


 RÉGINE BISCOE LEE
 Legislative Secretary



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