

**I MINA'TRENTAI KUÁTTRO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÁHAN**  
**RESOLUTION STATUS**

Resolution No.	Sponsor	Title	Date Intro	Date of Presentation	Date Adopted	Date Referred	Referred to	PUBLIC HEARING DATE	DATE COMMITTEE REPORT FILED	NOTES
434-34 (LS)	FRANK AGUON, JR.	Relative to posthumously recognizing, commemorating, and acknowledging the distinguished accomplishments, contributions, and dedication of the late Honorable Francisco "Frank" Castro Blas, former Mayor of <i>Tamuning-Tumon-Harmon</i> , who was a true servant and leader of our island; and to further expressing sincere condolences to the family of the late Honorable Francisco Castro Blas on his passing.	5/21/18 10:13 a.m.	5/25/18 10:00 a.m.	5/21/18					

Resolution No. 434-34 (LS)

Introduced by:

FRANK B. AGUON, JR.

Thomas C. Ada  
William M. Castro  
B. J. Cruz  
James V. Espillon  
Fernando Barinas Estevan  
Regine Biscoe Lee  
Tammie Morrison

Louise B. Mota  
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Michael F.Q. San Nicolas  
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BE IT RESOLVED BY I MINA TRENTAI KUATTRO NA LIHESLATURAN GUAHAN:

WHEREAS, the late Honorable Francisco "Frank" Castro Blas, former Mayor of Tamuning-Tumon-Harmon, was born on February 17, 1942; and, he is the son of Tomas Leon Guerrero Blas and Maria Castro Blas, and comes from a family of seventeen (17); and

WHEREAS, Mayor Blas was married to Evangelina "Vangie" Pangelinan and resided in the village of Harmon, and they have three (3) children: Ann Blas-Camacho; Francisco C. Blas, Jr.; and Anthony P. Blas; and they are also blessed with six (6) grandchildren: Annatasha, Johanna, John II, Francisco III, Anthony Jr., and Andrew Sean; and four (4) wonderful great grandchildren: Aizaias Creed Blas Pinaula, A'livia Jay Blas Pinaula, Zsafia Joy Blas Canacho, and Zayden John Blas Camacho; and

WHEREAS, Mayor Blas graduated from George Washington High School in 1962; and he attended the University of Guam, and the Guam Community College; and he is a 1969 graduate of the Navy Apprentice Program, and retired from the U.S. Navy; and

WHEREAS, while working for the Navy, Mayor Blas was consistently increasing his knowledge and ability through training, including Machinist Apprentice Supervisory training, Quality Control, EEO Counseling, Managing Payroll, Modules I & II, Supervisory Development, TQM (Role Development of Team Leaders), JAG Manual Investigations, U.S. Military Customs Course, Energy Conservation Monitor Program, TQI Course, Managing Process Control Techniques, Management and Supervision of Hazardous Waste Operations; and he served as a PVC Maintenance Department Apprentice Instructor; and

WHEREAS, Mayor Blas' past civic, government, and community activities include: owner/manager of BlasMusik; past President of the U.S. Navy Morale & Welfare Association; former Coach/Manager of the PWC Baseball League; former Vice President of Central Little League Baseball; past President of the Hafa Adai Kiwanis International Club; past Vice President of the Tamuning Parish Council of the Blessed Diego San Vitores Catholic Church; former member of the Tamuning-Tumon-Harmon Municipal Planning Council; and past President of the Blas' Plus Association; and

WHEREAS, in his first (1<sup>st</sup>) term as Mayor of Tamuning-Tumon-Harmon, some of Mayor Blas' accomplishments were: establishment of the Tamuning Skate Park; certification of the Tamuning Baseball Field; stopping and removing an illegal dump in Harmon; assisting in the removal of an illegal dump at Ypao Point and a trailer park on Ypao Road; participation in the annual Liberation Day Parade village float, the annual community mini-carnival during the Tamuning Fiesta, the Christmas tree lighting and park ceremony, and the annual Halloween and Easter Egg Hunt events; sponsorship of Youth Baseball Teams within the community; Chairman of the 2005 and 2006 Mayors Council of Guam Employees Picnic; refurbishing the Mayor's Office, the Senior Center, and the Gym; road paving projects; village clean-ups; removal of debris projects; and the community fruit and vegetable stand; and

WHEREAS, Mayor Blas' involvements as Mayor include: Chairman of the Tamuning-Tumon-Harmon Municipal Planning Council; Sergeant-at-Arms of the Mayors Council of Guam in 2007 and 2008; Treasurer of the Association of Pacific Island Local Governments; member of the Systems of Care, DMHSA; member of the Saint Anthony/Saint Victor Catholic Church Parish Council; the Tamun Coastal Clean-up; the GVB Ko'Ko Run; Operation Stray Dog; member of the Association of Mariana Islands Mayors and Vice Mayors; he played Santa for district schools and the Department of Mental Health "Project I Famaga'on Tu"; and he was a Blas' plus advisor; and

WHEREAS, Mayor Francisco "Frank" C. Blas will always be remembered for his selfless dedication, heartfelt compassion, and honorable service to our island and nation; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that I Mina Trentai Kuattro Na Liheslaturan Guahan does hereby, on behalf of the people of Guam, posthumously recognize, commemorate, and acknowledge the distinguished accomplishments, contributions, and dedication of the late Honorable Francisco "Frank" Castro Blas, former Mayor of Tamuning-Tumon-Harmon, who was a true servant and leader of our island of Guam; and does further extend sincere condolences to the family of the late Honorable Francisco Castro Blas on his passing; 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 the family of the late Honorable Francisco "Frank" Castro Blas; and to the Honorable Edward J.B. Calvo, I Maga'lahen Guahan.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY I MINA TRENTAI KUATTRO NA LIHESLATURAN GUAHAN ON THE 21<sup>ST</sup> DAY OF MAY 2018.

BENJAMIN F. CRUZ  
Speaker

REGINE BISCOE LEE  
Legislative Secretary



5/25/18



Office of  
**SENATOR FRANK B. AGUON, JR.**

THIRTY-FOURTH GUAM LEGISLATURE · I MINA'TRENTAI KUÁTRO NA LIHESLATURAN GUĀHAN

May 22, 2018

**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** ALL HONORABLE SENATORS

**FROM:** SENATOR FRANK B. AGUON, JR. 

**SUBJECT:** Resolution Presentation

*Buenas yan Hafa Adai!*

Your presence is kindly requested at the presentation of **Resolution No. 434-34 (LS)**. Relative to posthumously recognizing, commemorating, and acknowledging the distinguished accomplishments, contributions, and dedication of the late Honorable Francisco "Frank" Castro Blas, former Mayor of Tamuning-Tumon-Harmon, who was a true servant of our island; and to further expressing sincere condolences to the Blas Family upon his passing.

*The resolution will be presented to the Blas Family during the public viewing on the day of his funeral, May 25, 2018 at 11:00 AM at St. Anthony Church, Tamuning.*

CC: Clerks  
MIS

**Committee Chairman: Guam-US Military Buildup · Infrastructure · Transportation**

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**2018 (SECOND) Regular Session**

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