## I MINA'TRENTAI SINGKO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN RESOLUTIONS

Resolution No.	Sponsor	Title	Date Intro	Date of Presentation	Date Adopted	Date Referred	Referred to	PUBLIC HEARING DATE	DATE COMMITTEE REPORT FILED	NOTES
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## *I MINA'TRENTAI SINGKO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN* 2019 (FIRST) Regular Session

Resolution No. 70 -35 (COR)

Introduced by:

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Relative to recognizing and congratulating the Bali Field School on its 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary and the impact it has made on the lives of its students.

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

3 WHEREAS, in 1999 the Anthropology program at the Unibetsidåt Guahan 4 (University of Guam) began participating in a collaborative primatology research 5 project with Udayana University in Bali, Indonesia and later in 2004, the Sociology 6 Program established the Bali Field School embedded within the Community 7 Development course; and

8 WHEREAS, the Mawar Family in Ubud, Bali has served as host to some 9 scores University of Guam students for the past twenty years, and who have cared for 10 and been their family away from home, and who, in 2008, visited Guam themselves 11 and were hosted by these same students; and

WHEREAS, the Threads of Life Organization in Ubud, Bali that works with culture and conservation to alleviate poverty throughout the islands of Indonesia has accompanied Guam students in their field study in which they visit and live with village families and learning about efforts to revive traditional textiles and culture. In turn, they visited Guam in 2011 as guests to showcase textiles and to run workshops in the community and schools about natural dyeing and cultural sustainability; and 1 WHEREAS, the Bali Field School has connected the islands of Guam and Bali 2 in meaningful ways by inviting a great number of other scholars, filmmakers, and 3 cultural leaders to Guam to share and engage our community in critical discourse on 4 the preservation of culture and values; and

5 WHEREAS, for the past twenty years University of Guam students studying 6 community development have ventured to Bali, Indonesia to immerse themselves in 7 meaningful and life-changing cross-cultural experiences and who learn first hand from 8 community development practitioners, local and international scholars, cultural 9 artisans, and community organizers; and

WHEREAS, the Bali Field School has proven to be an invaluable educational experience for students of community development to travel abroad, to live and experience an entirely new culture together, and most especially, apply their knowledge in their communities back home; now, therefore be it

14 **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'trentai Singko Na* 15 *Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* and the people 16 of Guam, recognizing and congratulating the Bali Field School on its 20th 17 Anniversary and the impact it has made on the lives of its students; and be it further;

18 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules 19 certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of 20 the same be thereafter transmitted to Dr. Kirk Johnson, Professor of Sociology at 21 Unibetsidåt Guahan (University of Guam) and to the Honorable Lourdes Leon 22 Guerrero, *I Maga'hågan Guåhan*.

## DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF *I MINA'TRENTAI SINGKO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN* ON THE DAY OF MARCH 2019.

TINA ROSE MUÑA-BARNES Speaker **RÉGINE BISCOE LEE** Chairperson, Committee on Rules

AMANDA L. SHELTON Legislative Secretary