

I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÁHAN
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Relative to commending and congratulating the faculty of John F. Kennedy High School for their contributions in offering the highest quality public school education at the high school level, based on Stanford Achievement Test (SAT-10) results; and in providing the education necessary to equip our graduates with the knowledge and skills to compete in our 21st Century work environment.

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

3 **WHEREAS, John F. Kennedy High School (JFKHS) offers the highest quality**
4 **public school education at the high school level, based on Stanford Achievement Test**

1 (SAT-10) results, and aims to provide the education necessary to equip our graduates
2 with the knowledge and skills to compete in our 21st Century work environment; and

3 **WHEREAS**, JFKHS students have demonstrated a steady improvement in
4 science, reading, math, language arts, spelling, and social sciences; and

5 **WHEREAS**, despite the series of challenges the JFKHS community has faced
6 over the last three (3) years, student achievement did not suffer due to the resilience
7 and creativity of the qualified faculty; and

8 **WHEREAS**, the JFKHS faculty worked in high performing collaborative
9 teams, thereby contributing to an effective functioning Professional Learning
10 Community; and

11 **WHEREAS**, the JFKHS faculty have demonstrated their ability to sustain
12 positive growth in student achievement in the wake of inadequate physical resources
13 and financial challenges; and

14 **WHEREAS**, the JFKHS faculty also managed to increase curricular and co-
15 curricular activities in the wake of inadequate physical resources and financial
16 challenges; and

17 **WHEREAS**, the JFKHS faculty have consistently demonstrated positive
18 energy and a *esprit de corps* towards the uplifting of students, and towards peer
19 mentorship, leadership and professional development; and

20 **WHEREAS**, the JFKHS faculty have increased their implementation of
21 research-based instructional methods, literacy strategies, and formative, as well as
22 summative, assessment modalities; and

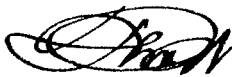
23 **WHEREAS**, the JFKHS faculty, as a whole, have contributed to the
24 development and growth of the Freshman Academy Program; now therefore, be it

25 **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'Trentai Unu Na*
26 *Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* and the people

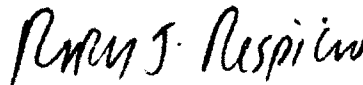
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2 their contributions in offering the highest quality public school education at the high
3 school level, based on Stanford Achievement Test (SAT-10) results, and in providing
4 the education necessary to equip our graduates with the knowledge and skills to
5 compete in our 21st Century work environment; and be it further

6 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules
7 certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of
8 the same be thereafter transmitted to Ken Chargualaf, Principal of John F. Kennedy
9 High School; to the Faculty of John F. Kennedy High School; to Taling Taitano,
10 Interim Superintendent of Department of Education; and to the Honorable Edward
11 J.B. Calvo, *I Maga'lahaen Guåhan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF
I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE 7TH DAY OF
JUNE 2012.**



JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed.D.
Speaker



RORY J. RESPICIO
Chairperson, Committee on Rules



TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES
Legislative Secretary