

I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
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Resolution No. 483-31 (COR)

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Relative to recognizing Sanctuary, Inc.'s Top Ten supporters for their support and contributions to Guam's youth and families on the occasion of Sanctuary's fortieth (40th) year anniversary, celebrating four (4) decades of service to the community at their Inaugural Blue Carpet Gala event.

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

WHEREAS, Sanctuary, Inc. was founded on November 1971 by Father Robert Phelps and Mr. Luis Martinez, who later became the organization's first Executive Director; and

WHEREAS, the main goal of Phelps and Martinez was to create a safe haven or temporary alternative to detention for Guam's young people; and

1 **WHEREAS**, the organization began in the southern part of the island, where
2 members of the community temporarily housed youth who were not appropriate for
3 the youth correctional facility; and

4 **WHEREAS**, it is the vision of Sanctuary, Inc. to be a community-based
5 organization which exists to improve the quality of life for Guam's youth, to promote
6 reconciliation during times of family conflicts, to foster the development of
7 responsible community members, and to advocate for their needs in an effort to
8 preserve family unity, by providing: twenty-four (24)-hour crisis intervention services,
9 temporary safe refuge during family conflicts and abuse, supportive counseling for
10 youth and families, and outreach, education and prevention programs; and

11 **WHEREAS**, Sanctuary, Inc. provides a wide range of services, including a
12 twenty-four (24)-hour Crisis Hotline, a COED Emergency Shelter, a Transitional
13 Living Program, *Sagan Na' Homlo Para I Manhoben* for youth battling chemical
14 dependency, Case management services, *Ayuda Para I Komunidat* AmeriCorps
15 Program, Street Outreach Project, Relationship Intelligence Project, Youth Embracing
16 Sanctuary (YES) Crew positive youth development program, Parenting Skills and
17 Parent Support group, Youth and Adult Anger management, Tobacco Cessation, Self-
18 Esteem, drug and alcohol education and treatment groups, and HIV/STD testing and
19 education; and

20 **WHEREAS**, Sanctuary, Inc's top ten (10) supporters have been Mr. Jehan'ad
21 Martinez, Mrs. Anna Kao, the Bank of Guam, Attorney David Lujan, the Pacific Daily
22 News/Gannett Foundation, the Stations of KUAM, the Bank of Hawaii, Mr. Van
23 Shelly, Vice Speaker Benjamin J.F. Cruz, and Delta Airlines; now therefore, be it

24 **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'Trentai Unu Na*
25 *Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* and the people
26 of Guam, recognize Sanctuary, Inc.'s Top Ten (10) supporters for their support and

1 contributions to Guam's youth and families on the occasion of Sanctuary's fortieth
2 (40th) year anniversary, celebrating four (4) decades of service to the community at
3 their Inaugural Blue Carpet Gala event; and be it further

4 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules
5 certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of
6 the same be thereafter transmitted to Sanctuary's Top Ten (10) supporters: Mr.
7 Jehan'ad Martinez, Mrs. Anna Kao, the Bank of Guam, Attorney David Lujan, the
8 Pacific Daily News/Gannett Foundation, the Stations of KUAM, the Bank of Hawaii,
9 Mr. Van Shelly, Vice Speaker Benjamin J.F. Cruz, and Delta Airlines; to Sanctuary's
10 Executive Director, Mrs. Millie Lujan; and to the Honorable Edward J.B. Calvo, *I*
11 *Maga'låhen Guåhan.*

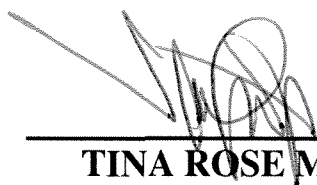
**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF
I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THIS 7TH DAY OF
AUGUST 2012.**



JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed.D.
Speaker



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Chairperson, Committee on Rules



TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES
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