

*I MINA'TRENTAI UNU LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN*  
*2011 (FIRST) SESSION*

2011 APR -5 PM 2:02

Resolution No. 64-31(COR)

Introduced by

Sam Mabini, Ph.D. *SM*

**Relative to commending the Serve Guam Commission for improving lives, strengthening communities, and in fostering civic engagement through service and volunteering and recognizing April 9-17, 2011 as National Volunteer Week.**

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

**WHEREAS**, it is through volunteerism and community service that our island perpetuates the idea of *Inafa'maolek* and the definition of community; and

**WHEREAS**, it is in the tireless efforts and commitment of volunteers that make a real and lasting change for our island's people; and

**WHEREAS**, "National Volunteer Week" was created in 1974 when President Nixon signed an executive order to establish the week as an annual celebration of volunteering; and

**WHEREAS**, The act formally launched AmeriCorps, a network of national service programs that engage Americans in intensive service meet the nation's critical need in education, environment, public safety, health, and other unmet human needs; and

1       **WHEREAS**, AmeriCorps incorporated two existing national service  
2 program: The Volunteers In Service To America (VISTA) and the National Civilian  
3 Community Corps (NCCC); and

4       **WHEREAS**, “National Volunteer Week” reflects the power that volunteers  
5 have to “inspired by example” volunteers both encourage those they help and  
6 motivate others to serve and celebrate the noble and selfless action of  
7 volunteerism; and

8       **WHEREAS**, Our Island Community will host 2011 National Volunteer  
9 Week beginning April 9<sup>th</sup> and ending on April 17<sup>th</sup>, 2011, with the office of *I*  
10 *Maga’lahen Guahan* in the promotion of community outreach and civic  
11 engagement; and

12       **WHEREAS**, The National Volunteer Week’s service projects include  
13 AmeriCorps Mid Year Retreat & Training, Thank-A-Volunteer, AmeriCorps Care  
14 & Distribution of “Get Well Cards,” AmeriCorps Reads, First Lady’s Easter Egg  
15 Hunt with Special Needs Children, Membership Drive and World Youth Day-Faith  
16 Based; and

17       **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina trenta I Uno Na*  
18 *Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of the people of Guam, commends the  
19 Serve Guam Commission and its partners in their tireless efforts in making Guam a  
20 better place by improving lives, strengthening communities, and fostering civic  
21 engagement through service and volunteering and recognizes April 9 to 17, 2011,  
22 as the “National Volunteer Week”; and be it further

23       **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairman of the Committee on Rules  
24 certify, and the Secretary of the Legislature attest to, the adoption hereof and that  
25 copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Director Leah Beth

1 Naholowaa, Guam Department of Labor; The Serve Guam! Board of Commission;  
2 Guam Volunteer Center in partnership with Dr. Robert A. Underwood, President,  
3 University of Guam; AmeriCorps Alums; AmeriCorps\*VISTA; AmeriCorps  
4 Programs; to Doris Aguon, Program Manager, to Darrel Wilkerson, Program  
5 Officer; Program Directors; to Trisha Blas, AmeriCorps UOG Success Center, to  
6 George L. Salas, Sanctuary, Incorporated, -*Ayuda Para I Komunidat*, to Rev.  
7 Michael Crisostomo, IHOM Life Corp AmeriCorps, to Zina Ruiz, Pa'a  
8 AmeriCorps, AmeriCorps\*VISTA Supervisors; to Dr. Julie Ulloa-Heath and Sallie  
9 McDonald; to Lulu Duenas President and Josephine Mesa Vice President, Guam  
10 Memorial Hospital Volunteers Association; to Bert Unpingco, President, AARP  
11 Guam Chapter #4837, to Angel Sablan, Executive Director, Mayor Melissa  
12 Savares, President and Robert Hofmann, Vice President of Mayors' Council of  
13 Guam; the Corporation for National and Community Service; and to the Honorable  
14 Edward J.B. Calvo, *I Maga'lahan Guahan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON  
RULES OF *I MINA'TRENTA I UNO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÁHAN* ON  
*THIS \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF APRIL 2011.***

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**JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed.D**  
**Speaker**

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**RORY J. RESPICIO**  
**Chairperson, Committee on Rules**

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**TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES**  
**Legislative Secretary**



OFFICE OF SENATOR  
**Sam Mabini, Ph.D.**

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## Memorandum

**To:** All Senators  
**From:** Senator Sam A. Mabini  
**Date:** 4/5/2011  
**Re:** Resolution No. 64-31 (COR) Presentation  
*Re*

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*Buenas yan Hafa Adai!*

Please join me in presenting Resolution No. - **"Relative to commending the Serve Guam Commission for improving lives, strengthening communities, and in fostering civic engagement through service and volunteering and recognizing April 9-17, 2011 as the National Volunteer Week."**

On Friday, April 8, 2011 at the Governor's large conference room in Adelup.  
Presentation Time is 11:20am

I look forward to your attendance and participation

Si Yu'os Ma'ase.

**Cc:** Clerk of the Legislature  
Sergeant at Arms  
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