

*I Mina' Trentai Dos Na Liheslaturan Guðhan*  
**Resolutions Log Sheet**

| <b>Resolution No.</b> | <b>Sponsor</b>        | <b>Title</b>   | <b>Date Intro</b>      | <b>Date of Presentation</b> | <b>Date Referred</b> | <b>Committee / Ofc Referred</b> | <b>Date Adopted</b> |
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| <b>12-32 (COR)</b>    | Vicente C. Pangelinan | Relative to recognizing the participants of the 2013 Martin Luther King Day of Service celebrated on January 21, 2013, and to memorialize Dr. King's ongoing call to action. | 1/16/2013<br>9:07 a.m. | 1/21/2013<br>11:00 a.m.     |                      |                                 | <b>1/18/2013</b>    |



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## VOTING SHEET

Resolution No. 12-32 (COR) – V. C. Pangelinan “Relative to recognizing the participants of the 2013 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day of Service celebrated on January 21, 2013; and to further memorializing Dr. King’s ongoing call to action.”

|  | SIGNATURE | DATE    | TO ADOPT | TO NOT ADOPT | TO ABSTAIN |
|--|-----------|---------|----------|--------------|------------|
| SENATOR RORY J. RESPICIO<br>Chairperson                  |           | 1/18/13 | ✓        |              |            |
| SENATOR THOMAS C. ADA<br>Vice-Chairperson                |           | 1/18/13 | ✓        |              |            |
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| SENATOR FRANK BLAS AGUON, JR.<br>Member                  |           |         |          |              |            |
| SENATOR MICHAEL F.Q. SAN NICOLAS<br>Member               |           | 1/18/13 | ✓        |              |            |
| SENATOR V. ANTHONY ADA<br>Minority Member                |           | 1/18/13 | ✓        |              |            |
| SENATOR ALINE YAMASHITA<br>Minority Member               |           | 1/18/13 | ✓        |              |            |

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Sponsor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ *Lisa Damca for Senata Pangelinan* \_\_\_\_\_  
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 Date: \_\_\_\_\_ *1/18/13* \_\_\_\_\_

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 Date: \_\_\_\_\_ *1/18/13* \_\_\_\_\_  
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***I MINA'TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN***  
**2013 (FIRST) Regular Session**

**Resolution No. 12-32 (COR)**

Introduced by:

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Relative to recognizing the participants of the 2013 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day of Service celebrated on January 21, 2013; and to further memorializing Dr. King's ongoing call to action.

1           **BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF *I MINA***  
2           ***TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURNAN GUAHAN***

3           **WHEREAS,** the 2013 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day of Service, on  
4 Monday, January 21, 2013, is designated by Guam law as a day to honor and  
5 celebrate Dr. King's life and legacy of service by helping our neighbors and

1 communities; and by promoting his message of equality, social justice, and  
2 opportunity for all; and

3 **WHEREAS**, this day, also designated as an official Guam holiday,  
4 recognizes a true leader who continues to serve as a shining example, as  
5 Guam seeks its appropriate full recognition as a member of the American  
6 family; and

7 **WHEREAS**, the 2013 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day of Service is fully  
8 supported by the Governor's Serve Guam! Commission; the Guam  
9 Department of Labor; the National and Community Service (CNCS); the  
10 Agency for Human Resources Development (AHRD); the Guam Volunteer  
11 Center, in partnership with University of Guam, and the three (3) national  
12 programs: AmeriCorps, AmeriCorps Alums and AmeriCorps\*VISTA; and our  
13 five (5) AmeriCorps Programs: Sanctuary, Incorporated; AmeriCorps UOG  
14 Success Center; IHOM Life Corp AmeriCorps; *Pa'a* AmeriCorps; *Guma' Mami*  
15 AmeriCorps; our Governor's Serve Guam! Commission Disability Inclusion;  
16 and *Inetnon Na'saonao*; and

17 **WHEREAS**, the ceremony marking the 2013 Martin Luther King, Jr.  
18 Day of Service is to be held on January 21, 2013, at 10:00 a.m., at the *Agaña*  
19 Shopping Center Court; and

20 **WHEREAS**, during the 1950s and 1960s, as America's foremost civil  
21 rights leader, the Reverend Martin Luther King, Jr. was able to achieve great  
22 strides, finally securing voting rights for African-American citizens, who had  
23 long been denied this fundamental citizen's right of our democratic society;  
24 and

1           **WHEREAS**, while Reverend King and his followers and supporters  
2 were able to win victories for voting rights in many American states, to this  
3 day in 2013, the citizens of the District of Columbia, and the U.S. territories of  
4 Guam, the U.S. Virgin Islands, American Samoa, and Puerto Rico continue to  
5 be disenfranchised from national elections; and

6           **WHEREAS**, due to the continuation of a political status not on par with  
7 most of the United States, American citizens and residents of Guam continue  
8 to be denied the fundamental right to have a say in selecting our national  
9 leaders; and

10           **WHEREAS**, although Guam has been treated as U.S. soil since it was  
11 taken from the Spanish Crown by force of arms in 1898, its citizens were long  
12 subjected to rule by the U.S. military, which could be, at the whim of  
13 individual commanders, arbitrary and capricious, much as were many local  
14 governments in the mainland United States, in which persons of color were  
15 denied a say by systematic disenfranchisement; and

16           **WHEREAS**, it was only after a long history of American military rule,  
17 interrupted by the Japanese seizure of Guam and harsh treatment at the hands  
18 of that country during World War II, that the people of Guam were “allowed”  
19 to elect a Governor and Legislature to represent them; and

20           **WHEREAS**, we do not enjoy the ironclad Constitutional civil rights  
21 guaranteed to other American citizens; and

22           **WHEREAS**, the elements that reflect the honorable legacy of Dr. King  
23 and his living teachings are seen in current events that are unfolding on  
24 Guam, including the exercise of civic responsibility by our citizens in response  
25 to the present military buildup; and

1           **WHEREAS**, in the spirit of Reverend King, Guam will redouble its  
2 efforts to capture and enjoy the civil rights enjoyed by other Americans. As  
3 Reverend King said in 1969, “We shall overcome because the arc of the moral  
4 universe is long, but it bends toward justice”; now therefore, be it

5           **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina’Trentai Dos Na*  
6 *Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* and the  
7 people of Guam, recognize the participants of the 2013 Dr. Martin Luther  
8 King, Jr. Day of Service, and acknowledge Guam’s parallel pursuit of the  
9 continuing legacy of enhanced voter rights that is Reverend King’s legacy;  
10 and be it further

11           **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on  
12 Rules certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and  
13 that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to George Santos, Director,  
14 Guam Department of Labor; to Alfredo Antolin, Director, Agency for Human  
15 Resources Development; to Ms. Lagrimas (Pinki) Lujan, Chairperson, Serve  
16 Guam! Commission; to Ms. Joannalynn Fullerton, Vice Chairperson; to Ms.  
17 Doris Aguon, Executive Director; to the Members of the Board and staff; to the  
18 Guam Volunteer Center, in partnership with the University of Guam and Dr.  
19 Robert A. Underwood; to the AmeriCorps Program Directors: George L. Salas  
20 and Mildred Lujan, Sanctuary, Incorporated; Julie Ulloa-Heath and Sunny  
21 Lee, AmeriCorps UOG Success Center; Reverend Michael Crisostomo and  
22 Archbishop Anthony S. Apuron, IHOM Life Corps AmeriCorps; Zina Ruiz  
23 and Linda Reyes, *Pa’a* AmeriCorps; Jirrah Cabrales and Bernadita Grajek,  
24 *Guma’Mami* AmeriCorps and *Inetnon Na’saonao*, Disability Inclusion; to the

- 1 Honorable Madeleine Z. Bordallo, Guam's Delegate to the United States
- 2 Congress; and to the Honorable Edward J.B. Calvo, *I Maga'lahaen Guåhan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF  
*I MINA'TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN* ON THE 18<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF  
JANUARY 2013.**



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



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**RORY RESPICIO**  
Chairman, Committee on Rules



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**RORY RESPICIO**  
Acting Legislative Secretary