

I Mina' Trentai Dos Na Liheslaturan Guåhan
Resolutions Log Sheet

Resolution No.	Sponsor	Title	Date Intro	Date of Presentation	Date Referred	Committee / Ofc Referred	Date Adopted
164-32 (COR)	Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr. R.J. Respicio Aline Yamashita, Ph.D., V. Anthony Ada	Relative to recognizing and congratulating the Filipino Community of Guam (FCG) on the occasion of their observance of the One Hundred Fifteenth (115 th) Anniversary of the Proclamation of the Independence of the Republic of the Philippines and the Induction of the 2013 Officers and further extending a warm and sincere <i>Un Dangkolo Na Si Yu'us Ma'ase</i> for keeping the Philippine's culture and heritage strong among the Filipinos in our island community.	06/04/13	6/14/13 8pm			06/14/13



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SENATOR V. ANTHONY ADA Minority Member					
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1 **BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF *I***
2 ***MINA'TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN:***

3 **WHEREAS, after numerous years of foreign rule under Spain, the Philippines**
4 **archipelago was surrendered to the United States of America under the 1898 Treaty of**

1 Paris. Meanwhile, guided by their love for their own country, the Filipinos fought
2 with pride and valor to acquire their independence. Numerous brave and heroic men
3 and women, such as Jose Rizal, Melochora Aquino, Andres Bonifacio and General
4 Emilio Aguinaldo, shed blood, sweat, and tears to accomplish their mission of
5 acquiring their destiny of independence; and

6 **WHEREAS**, on June 12, 1898, Philippine General Emilio Aguinaldo declared
7 the Independence of the Philippines at his hometown in Kawit, Cavite, Philippines,
8 where thousands of people from the provinces gathered to witness the historic event,
9 including the dramatic unfurling of the Philippine flag while joyfully singing the
10 Philippine Nation Anthem, “LupangHinirang,” also translated to “Beloved Country,”
11 after which the “Act of Declaration of Independence” was recited proclaiming
12 sovereignty from the colonial rule of Spain; and

13 **WHEREAS**, at first, the United States did not recognize the declaration, but
14 they later recognized and granted independence to the Philippines on July 4, 1946,
15 through the Treaty of Manila. In May 1962, President Diosdado Macapagal issued a
16 declaration stating that Philippines Independence Day is to be observed every year on
17 the 12th day of June; and

18 **WHEREAS**, the Filipino Community of Guam (FCG) annually observes the
19 occasion of Philippines Independence Day, along with the many Filipinos on Guam,
20 and they organize various events in preparation of the significant celebration to
21 commemorate the day in which the Philippine Islands successfully gained
22 sovereignty. To this day, the people of the Philippines continue to acknowledge their
23 heroes, and the Filipino Community of Guam ensures that the celebration is extended
24 to our island community; and

25 **WHEREAS**, the Filipino Community of Guam (FCG) was established in 1955,
26 and it continues to serve as the umbrella organization for all the other Filipino

1 organizations on Guam. The FCG conducts various efforts throughout the year to
2 benefit different initiatives in Guam and in the Philippines; and

3 **WHEREAS**, the success of the Filipino Community of Guam is due to the
4 leadership and commitment of the hardworking Officers of the FCG. This year, the
5 Filipino Community of Guam welcomes the induction of the 2013 FCG Officers,
6 which includes Roy Salvador A. Adonay, President; Leah Beth O. Naholowaa, Ed.D.,
7 1st Vice President; Meilou T. Milligan, Ph.D., 2nd Vice President; Dan Michael A.
8 Romulo, 3rd Vice President; Emily B. Cid, Secretary; Corazon J. Mucho, Assistant
9 Secretary; Elizabeth M. San Nicolas, Treasurer; Merly D. Sutacio, Assistant
10 Treasurer; Clarito C. Viray, Auditor; Mila K. Moguel, Public Relations Officer; and
11 Jesusa B. Umbrero and Ignacio L. Mercado, Peace Officers; and

12 **WHEREAS**, in addition, the Board of Trustees includes Mark V. Pangelinan,
13 Sr., Chairman Emeritus; Emilio Y. Uy, Chairman; and Senator Rory J. Respicio, Vice
14 Chairman; and the membership also includes Senator Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr., Danny
15 M. Manuel, Mike W. Naholowaa, Tessie B. Marcos and Nonoy S. Solidum; and


16 **WHEREAS**, the Filipino Community of Guam continues to be an active player
17 in our island community, as well as a partner to various Filipino organizations
18 throughout the island. The newly inducted FCG Officers will continue to uphold the
19 mission of the FCG, as well as cultivate the culture and heritage of the Philippines
20 among the Filipinos on Guam. Its efforts are appreciated and well received by our
21 island community, and most especially, the Filipino community on Guam; now
22 therefore, be it

23 **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'Trentai Dos Na*
24 *Lihselaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Lihselaturan Guåhan* and the people
25 of Guam, recognize and congratulate the Filipino Community of Guam (FCG) on the
26 occasion of its observance of the One Hundred Fifteenth (115th) Year Anniversary of

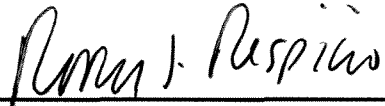
1 the Proclamation of the Independence of the Republic of the Philippines, as well as
2 the induction of the 2013 FCG Officers; and does further extend a warm and sincere
3 *Un Dangkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'ase'* to the FCG for keeping the Philippine's culture
4 and heritage strong among the Filipinos of our island community; and be it further

5 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules
6 certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of
7 the same be thereafter transmitted Roy Salvador A. Adonay, President of the Filipino
8 Community of Guam; and to the Honorable Edward J.B. Calvo, *I Maga'lahren*
9 *Guåhan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES
OFI MINA'TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE 14TH DAY
JUNE 2013.**



JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed.D.
Speaker



RORY J. RESPICIO
Chairperson, Committee on Rules



TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES
Legislative Secretary