

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
285-32 (COR)	Dennis G. Rodriguez, Jr.	Relative to commending and congratulating the Guam Plaza Hotel and JP Superstore on the occasion of their 30th Anniversary and to further extending an Un Dångkolo na Si Yu'os Ma'åse' to Mr. Eric Ichioka & Mrs. Nina Ichioka for their excellence in service and outstanding support of our island visitors and all the people of Guam.	12/19/13 3:02 p.m.	01/07/14 6:00 p.m.			01/07/14

I MINA'TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN GUÁHAN
2013 (FIRST) Regular Session

Resolution No. 285-32 (COR)

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Relative to commending and congratulating City Hill Company (Guam), Ltd., on the Thirtieth (30th) Year Anniversary of the Guam Plaza Hotel and JP Superstore; and to further extending an *Un Dângkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'åse'* to Mr. and Mrs. Eric and Nina Ichioka, President and Vice-President of City Hill Company (Guam), Ltd., for their excellence in service and outstanding support of our island's visitors and the people of Guam.

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

1 **WHEREAS**, in December 1983, City Hill Company (Guam), Ltd., parent
2 company of the Guam Plaza Hotel and the Japan Plaza Duty Free Store opened its
3 doors and welcomed its first guests; and

4 **WHEREAS**, the Guam Plaza Hotel launched Phase I with 118 rooms, and the
5 Japan Plaza Duty Free Store with over 17,000 square feet of retail space; and

6 **WHEREAS**, in 1984, the Guam Plaza Hotel began an expansion and
7 completed Phase II in 1987. Further responding to the demand for affordable, yet
8 comfortable hotel rooms, they built an additional phase to the property and added 195
9 rooms, moving the Blue Marlin Restaurant to the new phase and allowing for
10 additional seating; and

11 **WHEREAS**, in 1990, the Guam Plaza Hotel completed building Phase III,
12 adding 210 rooms to the hotel; and

13 **WHEREAS**, in July 1994, the Guam Plaza Hotel opened a Japanese restaurant,
14 “Akebono”; and

15 **WHEREAS**, in 1997, Tarza Waterpark was built and offered the island a
16 treasure. Filled with many attractions, Tarza has become known as one of Guam’s
17 most exciting experiences; and

18 **WHEREAS**, in 2002, Sails Restaurant became known as Nana’s Café / Sails
19 BBQ. With the indoor dining area offering seafood and steaks, the outdoor Sails BBQ
20 offered tourists and diners an opportunity to experience the local culture of barbecuing
21 their meals; and

22 **WHEREAS**, in August 2003, the Japan Plaza Duty Free Store opened its first
23 store in the Micronesia Mall as JP Edge, featuring women’s designer brands and
24 accessories; and

1 **WHEREAS**, in early 2004, the Japan Plaza Duty Free Store changed its name
2 to JP Superstore, bringing a new look with the same excellent customer service, and
3 reaching out to a new customer base while maintaining their dedicated customers; and

4 **WHEREAS**, in September 2004, JP Superstore expanded its footprint in the
5 Micronesia Mall with the opening of JP Xtreme, featuring men’s designer brands and
6 accessories; and

7 **WHEREAS**, in August 2006, Jia Asian Bistro opened in the lobby of the Guam
8 Plaza Hotel, providing a mix of Asian cuisines; and

9 **WHEREAS**, by November 2008, the Guam Plaza Hotel completed renovations
10 of the lobby and rooms to provide a contemporary and stylish experience for visitors;
11 and

12 **WHEREAS**, in September 2009, the JP Superstore opened its third store in the
13 Micronesia Mall, offering souvenirs, beauty products, unique goods, and
14 consumables. With three stores in the busiest mall on Guam, JP Superstore has
15 received tremendous support and has built a loyal fan base amongst the Guam
16 community; and

17 **WHEREAS**, in October 2011, the Guam Plaza Hotel seized the opportunity for
18 having a banquet space that could also be used for various functions and occasions,
19 thus the *Kahida* Banquet and Multipurpose Space was built. With a unique interior
20 and large window panels, the *Kahida* can host a wide range of events and gatherings;
21 and

22 **WHEREAS**, in 2012, City Hill Company (Guam), Ltd. opened the first free
23 standing Juicy Couture store in the *Tumon* Sands Plaza; and

24 **WHEREAS**, the commitment to the community of the owners, staff and
25 management of the Guam Plaza Hotel, JP Superstore, and City Hill Company (Guam),

1 Ltd. is shown in their spirit of volunteerism and service in the various charitable
2 events they sponsor, including: the Third Annual *Todu* Guam 5K Run for the
3 Philippines; the Salvation Army Holiday food drives by Team Members; the
4 Thanksgiving Day meal service at the *Chamorro* Village; collecting charitable
5 donations through the kettle ringing campaign; the American Cancer Society Annual
6 Plane Pull; various monetary donations to worthwhile causes; the Make-A-Wish
7 Foundation Silent Auction; contributions to the Guam Lion's Club; donating to the
8 *Yigo, Tamuning* and *Dededo* Mayors' Offices; donations of various supplies and
9 equipment to Catholic Social Service, Saint Dominic's Senior Care Home, *Guma'*
10 *Mami* and *Guma' San Jose*; and monetary contributions to disaster victims in the
11 Philippines, Taiwan, China and Japan; and

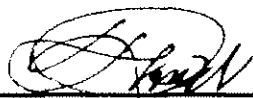
12 **WHEREAS**, it is the wish of Mr. and Mrs. Eric and Nina Ichioka to create a
13 family-friendly, culturally enhanced environment for all of Guam's visitors and
14 residents to experience the warmth and love of all the people of Guam in their
15 encounters with the Guam Plaza Hotel and JP Superstore; now therefore, be it

16 **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'Trentai Dos Na*
17 *Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* and the people
18 of Guam, commend and congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Eric and Nina Ichioka, President
19 and Vice-President of City Hill Company (Guam), Ltd., the Guam Plaza Hotel and JP
20 Superstore on the occasion of their Thirtieth (30th) Year Anniversary; and does further
21 extend a warm *Un Dångkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'åse'* for their commitment to excellence
22 in service and outstanding support of our island's visitors and the people of Guam;
23 and be it further

24 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules
25 certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of

- 1 the same be thereafter transmitted to Mr. and Mrs. Eric and Nina Ichioka; and to the
- 2 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 7TH DAY OF
JANUARY 2014.**



JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed.D.

Speaker



RORY J. RESPICIO

Chairperson, Committee on Rules



TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES

Legislative Secretary



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	SIGNATURE	DATE	TO ADOPT	TO NOT ADOPT	TO ABSTAIN
SENATOR RORY J. RESPICIO Chairperson	<i>evote</i>	<i>1/7/14</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
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Date: *1/7/14*

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Date: *1/7/14*

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