

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
433-32 (LS)	Tommy Morrison V. Anthony Ada	RELATIVE TO COMMENDING THE GOVERNOR'S SERVE GUAM COMMISSION THE GUAM VOLUNTEER CENTER; AMERICORPS ALUMS; THE AMERICORPS PROGRAMS; AYUDA PARA I KOMUNIDAT, SANCTUARY, INC.; PA'A AMERICORPS; GUAM HOMELAND SECURITY; TATUHA, INC. GUAM VOLUNTEER CENTER; GUAHAN ACADEMY YOUTH PROJECT; PARA I MINALEK TAOTAO-TA, AMOT FARM; SUPERIOR COURT OF GUAM, SERVE GUAM JUSTICE CORP.; THE NON COMMUNICABLE DISEASE (NCD) CONSORTIUM OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES; THE UNIVERSITY OF GUAM; THE GUAM COMMUNITY COLLEGE; THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION; THE MAYORS' COUNCIL OF GUAM; GUAM HOMELAND SECURITY; THE GUAM MEMORIAL HOSPITAL VOLUNTEERS ASSOCIATION; THE GUAM VOLUNTEER ORGANIZATION AGAINST DISASTERS; THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS, AND GUAM'S FAITH-BASED NGOs FOR HOSTING THE 6TH ANNUAL GUAM VOLUNTEER CENTER CONFERENCE ON VOLUNTEERING AND SERVICE AND EXPRESSING THE GRATITUDE OF THE PEOPLE OF GUAM FOR THEIR SERVICE TO OUR ISLAND.	8/14/14 4:43 p.m.	8/23/14 10:00 a.m.			08/14/14

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Relative to commending the Governor's Serve Guam Commission; the Guam Volunteer Center; Americorps Alums; the Americorps Programs; *Ayuda Para I Komunidad*; Sanctuary, Inc.; *Pa'a* Americorps; Guam Homeland Security; TATUHA, Inc. Guam Volunteer Center; *Guåhan* Academy Youth Project; *Para I Minaolek Taotao-Ta*, *Amot* Farm; the Superior Court of Guam, Serve Guam Justice Corporation; the Non Communicable Disease (NCD) Consortium of the Department of Public Health and Social Services; the University of Guam; the Guam Community College; the Guam Department of Education; the Mayors Council of Guam; the Guam Memorial Hospital Volunteers Association; the Guam Volunteer Organization Against Disasters; the Department of Corrections; and Guam's faith-based NGOs for hosting the "6TH Annual Guam Volunteer Center Conference on Volunteering and Service"; and to further expressing the gratitude of the people of Guam for their service to our island.

1 **BE IT RESOLVED BY I MINA'TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN**
2 **GUÅHAN:**

3 **WHEREAS**, critical needs within our community are often met through the
4 efforts of volunteers who give their time and resources toward making a positive
5 impact on the lives of individuals and the community as a whole; and

6 **WHEREAS**, increasing fiscal pressures on governments have resulted in
7 increasing demands on volunteer services necessitating the strengthening of the
8 capacity of volunteers and volunteer organizations in order to meet societal needs; and

9 **WHEREAS**, being cognizant of the need to create a more efficient,
10 responsive, accountable and collaborative volunteer environment on Guam, the
11 government of Guam created the Serve Guam Commission, which is tasked to build
12 and reinforce a culture of service, citizenship, and responsibility throughout our
13 island, and to promote participation in national service programs; and

14 **WHEREAS**, since its establishment on June 2, 2005, the Governor's Serve
15 Guam Commission, together with its community partners, have endeavored to
16 promote and strengthen volunteer service opportunities, in large part through its
17 annual Guam Volunteer Center Conference; and

18 **WHEREAS**, on Saturday, August 23, 2014, the Governor's Serve Guam
19 Commission, the Guam Volunteer Center, the AmeriCorps Alums, and the
20 AmeriCorps Programs, in partnership with the Non Communicable Disease (NCD)
21 Consortium of the Department Of Public Health And Social Services, the University
22 Of Guam, the Guam Community College, the Guam Department of Education, the
23 Mayors Council of Guam, Guam Homeland Security, the Guam Memorial Hospital
24 Volunteers Association, the Guam Volunteer Organization Against Disasters, the
25 Department of Corrections, and Guam's faith-based NGOs will host the "6th Annual
26 Guam Volunteer Center Conference"; and

1 **WHEREAS**, the six (6) strategic focus areas for this year’s Conference are
2 Education, Economic Opportunity, Environmental Stewardship, Disaster Services,
3 Healthy Futures, Veterans and Military Families, and Capacity Building: Recruitment
4 and Retention of Volunteers; and

5 **WHEREAS**, the theme for this year’s Conference is “Service Unites,” which
6 is most appropriate and relevant to individual volunteers, volunteer organizations, and
7 our community as a whole as we strive to collaborate on issues such as: civic
8 engagement opportunities, innovative strategies, best practices, and tools and
9 technologies; now therefore, be it

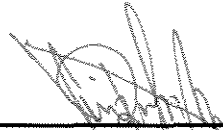
10 **RESOLVED**, that *I Mina’Trentai Dos Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby,
11 on behalf of the people of Guam, commend the members and staff of the Serve Guam
12 Commission; Mayor Melissa Savares, Chairperson of the Board; Doris Aguon,
13 Executive Director; Julie Ulloa-Heath and President Robert Underwood, Guam
14 Volunteer Center; Jaydee Damaso, Chairperson of the AmeriCorps Alums; the
15 AmeriCorps Program and Executive Directors, Antoinette Bautista and Mildred
16 Lujan; *Ayuda Para I Komunidat*, Zina Ruiz and Linda Reyes, *Pa’a* AmeriCorps;
17 Edison Natividad, Ambrosio Constantino and James McDonald, AmeriCorps Guam
18 Homeland Security; Tiffany San Nicolas and Mayor Louise C. Rivera, AmeriCorps
19 TATUHA, Inc., Guam Volunteer Center; Lisa Jensen and Donna Dwiggin,
20 AmeriCorps *Guåhan* Youth Academy; Gwen Aguon and Bernice Nelson, *Para I*
21 *Minaolek Taotao-Ta*, *Amot* Farm; Jackie Cruz and Joshua Tenorio, Superior Court of
22 Guam, Serve Guam Justice Corporation, and their community partners, for their
23 continuing efforts in enhancing the lives and livelihoods of our residents, fostering
24 civic engagement through volunteer service, and for hosting the “6th Annual Guam
25 Volunteer Center Conference”; and does further express sincere gratitude to them for
26 their important service to our community; and be it further

1 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to,
2 the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to the
3 members of the Serve Guam Commission; to the Program Directors of the
4 AmeriCorps Programs; to the heads of the hosting partner organizations; and to the
5 Honorable Edward J.B Calvo, *I Maga'lahen Guåhan*.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY I MINA'TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE 14TH DAY OF AUGUST 2014.



JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed.D.
Speaker



TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES
Legislative Secretary