

I Mina' Trentai Dos Na Liheslaturan Guåhan

Resolutions Log Sheet

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484-32 (LS)	T. C. Ada Chris M. Dueñas	Relative to commending and congratulating the Employees, Management, and Board of Directors of the Jose D. Leon Guerrero Commercial Port Authority of Guam on the celebration of its Thirty-Ninth Year Anniversary, and on the observance of "Port Week," from October 20 to October 24, 2014.	10/16/14 3:14 p.m.	10/20/14 11:30 a.m.			10/16/14

I MINA'TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
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Resolution No. 484-32 (LS)

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Relative to commending and congratulating the employees, management, and Board of Directors of the Jose D. Leon Guerrero Commercial Port Authority of Guam on the celebration of its Thirty-Ninth Year Anniversary, and on the observance of “Port Week,” from October 20 to October 24, 2014.

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

3 **WHEREAS,** the Jose D. Leon Guerrero Commercial Port (Port) was
4 established as a public corporation and autonomous government agency by the
5 enactment of Public Law 13-87 in October 1975; and

1 **WHEREAS**, over the last three (3) decades, the Port has developed into a
2 major transshipment center for the Western Pacific Region, providing full services to
3 ocean passenger, cargo and fishing vessels; and

4 **WHEREAS**, in Fiscal Year 2014, the Port processed more than one million
5 seven hundred thousand (1,700,000) revenue tons of cargo, providing vital goods to
6 the people of Guam; and

7 **WHEREAS**, the Port continues to support the neighboring islands of
8 Micronesia, by transshipping approximately thirty-seven million (37,000,000) gallons
9 of fuel and three hundred three thousand (303,000) revenue tons of essential goods
10 throughout Micronesia; and

11 **WHEREAS**, three hundred forty-seven (347) Port employees operate and
12 maintain five (5) cargo handling piers, a container yard, two (2) marinas, a Harbor of
13 Refuge, and two (2) recreational beaches; and

14 **WHEREAS**, as part of the Guam Commercial Port Improvement (GCPI)
15 Program, the Port completed Phase I of its Container Freight Station renovation
16 project in February 2014, which is designed to provide office space for operations
17 personnel, as well as covered storage space for cargo. Shortly thereafter, the Port
18 embarked on Phase II, for the demolition of Warehouse II and the break bulk yard
19 modification, which was completed in May 2014; and

20 **WHEREAS**, with the final stage of the GCPI Program, the Port commenced its
21 Phase III container yard expansion and new terminal gate complex, which is
22 anticipated to be completed in the third quarter of 2015; and

23 **WHEREAS**, in June 2014, the Port completed the construction of its Port
24 Command Center and Security Enhancement Project, a new comprehensive command
25 and control integration system that will oversee the management and operations of the
26 Port's responses to any incidents and emergency situations; and

1 **WHEREAS**, even in the midst of undertaking improvements to modernizing its
2 footprint, the Port simultaneously continues to embark upon other capital
3 improvement projects, which include: (1) implementation and integration service of
4 its terminal operating system; (2) the repair of F-5 Wharf; and (3) improvements to its
5 *Agat Small Boat Marina*, as well as other facility upgrades; and

6 **WHEREAS**, the employees, management, and Board of Directors of the Jose
7 D. Leon Guerrero Commercial Port continue to remain steadfastly committed to
8 taking on the challenges of modernizing the Port to meet the ever-changing needs of
9 the island’s economic growth; now therefore, be it

10 **RESOLVED**, that *I Mina'Trentai Dos Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby,
11 on behalf of the people of Guam, congratulate and commend the dedicated employees,
12 management and Board of Directors of the Jose D. Leon Guerrero Commercial Port
13 on the occasion of its Thirty-Ninth (39th) Year Anniversary, and on the observance of
14 “Port Week,” from October 20 to October 24, 2014; and does further encourage the
15 people of Guam to actively participate in the activities related to the celebration of the
16 Port’s Thirty-Ninth (39th) Year Anniversary, and the observance of “Port Week”; and
17 be it further

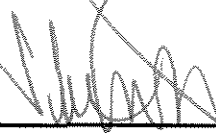
18 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to,
19 the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Ms.
20 Joanne M.S. Brown, General Manager of the Jose D. Leon Guerrero Commercial Port;
21 to Mr. Francisco G. Santos, Chairperson of the Jose D. Leon Guerrero Commercial

- 1 Port Board of Directors; and to the Honorable Edward J.B. Calvo, *I Maga'laha*
- 2 *Guáhan*.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY *I MINA'TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN GUÁHAN* ON THE 16TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2014.



JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed.D.
Speaker



TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES
Legislative Secretary