

**I MINA'BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN**  
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**Executive Committee**  
**Resolution No. 129**

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**Relative to commending and acknowledging Mr. Brian K. Hoppy for his dedication and contributions over many years relative to his oversight on environmental assessments for certain projects for the United States Air Force in Guam, assuring the protection of Guam's environment, and the safety of the workers and wildlife affected by each project.**

1           **BE IT RESOLVED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF I**  
2 ***MINA'BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN:***

3           **WHEREAS, ensuring safe workplaces, as well as making sure that our**  
4 **island's pristine environment is not negatively affected by construction**  
5 **projects, are important to the people of Guam; and**

1           **WHEREAS**, Mr. Brian K. Hoppy, Senior Vice President/Business Unit  
2 Manager/Biologist for Environmental Conservation & Planning for  
3 Engineering-Environmental Management (e<sup>2</sup>M), Inc, has devoted his career to  
4 protecting the environment and improving safety in the workplace; and

5           **WHEREAS**, Mr. Hoppy received a Bachelor of Science (B.S.) Degree in  
6 Biology from George Washington University in 1990 and a Certificate in  
7 Environmental Management, also from George Washington University, in  
8 1996; and

9           **WHEREAS**, Mr. Hoppy has done a tremendous amount of his work  
10 here in Guam, including serving as Program Manager for contracts  
11 supporting the Pacific Air Forces, Air Force Reserve Command, Air National  
12 Guard, Air Mobility Command, Air Force Special Operations Command, Air  
13 Force Center for Environmental Excellence, U.S. Coast Guard, U.S. Navy,  
14 Army National Guard (ARNG), National Park Service, U.S. Fish and Wildlife  
15 Service, as well as other Federal and International Government Agencies; and

16           **WHEREAS**, Mr. Hoppy's experience includes administration of  
17 contracts, management of integrated natural resources management plan  
18 preparation, wetlands evaluations, threatened and endangered species  
19 surveys, Endangered Species Act consultations, fish and wildlife surveys,  
20 overseeing the performance of archeological surveys, pollution prevention  
21 plan preparation, environmental compliance assessments, environmental  
22 regulatory analysis, innovative technology assessments, and data base  
23 management; and

24           **WHEREAS**, Mr. Hoppy managed the Environmental Assessment (EA)  
25 preparation for the construction of the new Readiness Center which serves the

1 peace-time missions of the Guam ARNG in Barrigada, to replace facilities  
2 formerly housed at Fort Juan Muña, the EA requiring coordination with  
3 neighboring landowners to ensure that their concerns were addressed; and

4       **WHEREAS**, the Readiness Center provides the space needed for all  
5 personnel to perform the necessary tasks to improve their readiness posture to  
6 support combat objectives, as well as the necessary administrative, training,  
7 and storage areas required by ARNG to achieve proficiency in required  
8 training tasks; and

9       **WHEREAS**, Mr. Hoppy additionally managed the EA for a pest  
10 management plan for Guam ARNG facilities at Fort Juan Muña in Harmon  
11 and the U.S. Property and Fiscal Office and Readiness Center in Barrigada, a  
12 total area of some sixty-six (66) acres, ensuring that proper implementation of  
13 prevention or management of pests that interfere with the supply,  
14 maintenance, and administrative missions of the Guam ARNG would not  
15 adversely affect health, or damage property, structures, or material,  
16 coordinating with neighboring landowners to ensure that their concerns are  
17 addressed; and

18       **WHEREAS**, Mr. Hoppy also managed the EA for Air Force projects,  
19 including the proposed munitions storage facilities construction at Andersen  
20 Air Force Base (AAFB), ensuring the safety of the personnel handling the  
21 munitions, as well as coordinating with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and  
22 Guam Division of Aquatic and Wildlife Resources to ensure the conservation  
23 of habitat for the Marianas crow and the Marianas fruit bat; and also  
24 managing the EA for the Army and Air Force Exchange Service (AAFES)  
25 facility construction at AAFB; and

1           **WHEREAS**, Mr. Hoppy led a diverse group of scientists in analyzing  
2 the affects of the construction activities on biological resources, especially  
3 threatened and endangered species and wetlands; hazardous materials and  
4 wastes; cultural, land, aesthetic and water resources; and air quality in  
5 accordance with the requirements of the Clean Air Act; and

6           **WHEREAS**, Mr. Hoppy's other ongoing and upcoming work in Guam  
7 includes vegetative and archeological surveys and vegetative mapping of  
8 AAFB, an update of the AAFB Integrated Natural Resources Management  
9 Plan, green sea turtle and Marianas fruit bat management plans for AAFB,  
10 and work on the Sustainable Guam Initiative; now, therefore, be it

11           **RESOLVED**, that the Executive Committee of *I Mina'Bente Ocho Na*  
12 *Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* and the  
13 people of Guam, commend and acknowledge Mr. Brian K. Hoppy for his  
14 dedication and contributions over many years relative to his work to assure  
15 the protection of Guam's environment, and the safety of the workers and  
16 wildlife affected by each project; and be it further

17           **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and Chairman of the Executive  
18 Committee certify, and the Secretary of the Legislature attest to, the adoption  
19 hereof and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Mr. Brian  
20 Hoppy; to the Guam Army National Guard; to the Commanding Officer of  
21 Andersen Air Force Base, Guam; to the President, Engineering-Environmental  
22 Management (e<sup>2</sup>M), Inc.; and to the Honorable Felix P. Camacho, *I Maga'lahren*  
23 *Guåhan*.

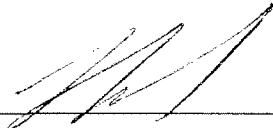
DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY *I MINA'BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN* ON THE 13TH DAY OF FEBRUARY 2006.



**MARK FORBES**

**Speaker**

**Chairman, Executive Committee**



**EDWARD J.B. CALVO**

**Senator and**

**Secretary of the Legislature**