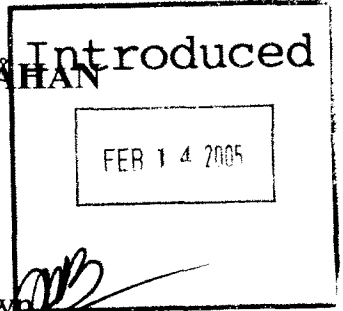


I MINA'BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
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EC Resolution No. 11 ~~(12)~~

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Relative to commending and congratulating U.S. Naval Computer and Telecommunications Station (NCTS), Guam for being awarded the Community Service/Sister Village Award Worldwide for the thirteenth (13th) consecutive year, and to extend sincere gratitude on behalf of the people of Guam to NCTS personnel for their numerous contributions to improve our community.

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

1 **WHEREAS**, over the years the personnel of the U.S. Naval
2 Computer and Telecommunications Station (NCTS), Guam have given back
3 to the community in countless ways, providing more than two thousand
4 (2,000) hours of community service to the residents of Guam, most
5 especially to the sister village of Dededo; and

6 **WHEREAS**, among the numerous notable projects NCTS personnel
7 have participated in are those that have assisted our island youth in northern
8 villages, including the Department of Youth Affairs' Youth Crime Watch
9 Programs at Astumbo Elementary, Vicente S.A. Benavente Middle and
10 DODEA Guam North Elementary schools; the Saturday Scholars tutorial
11 program at Astumbo Elementary and Vicente S.A. Benavente Middle
12 schools in the village of Dededo; participating as Science Fair Judges at
13 Astumbo Elementary and Vicente S.A. Benavente Middle schools;

1 participation in the site-improvement and maintenance projects at Vicente
2 S.A. Benavente Middle School in preparation for accreditation; the Adopt-a-
3 School program at DODEA Guam Northern Elementary/Middle Schools,
4 where volunteers provided sporting activities for students throughout the
5 school year; serving as chaperones for students during an off-campus event
6 of Vicente S.A. Benavente Middle School at GameWorks in Tumon; and the
7 donation of essential school supplies to Astumbo Elementary and Vicente
8 S.A. Benavente Middle schools; and

9 **WHEREAS**, throughout their active participation in volunteer
10 activities, NCTS personnel emphasized the importance of good
11 sportsmanship and the promotion of health and fitness among the school
12 children of our northern communities as evidenced in their voluntary
13 participation as coaches, referees and umpires for basketball, baseball,
14 football and soccer games in Youth Sports' Leagues/Programs; participation
15 in the Sister Village and Adopt-a-School Campaign Drug-Free programs; in
16 assisting Boy Scouts of America (Pack 38) and Cub Scouts of America
17 (Pack 38) by carrying out the drug-free message to scouts during weekly
18 meetings and weekend events; and

19 **WHEREAS**, NCTS remains active in the Dededo community as an
20 honorary member of the Dededo Municipal Planning Council, where a
21 representative attends monthly meetings and participates in community
22 service projects coordinated with the Office of the Mayor of Dededo; and

23 **WHEREAS**, personnel continually contribute to the community by
24 taking on beautification projects, such as the adoption and painting of two
25 school bus shelters located outside the main gate of NCTS, volunteers also
26 maintain and beautify two bus shelters quarterly, and NCTS is part of the
27 Governor's Council on Guam Beautification and Dededo Mayor's Office

1 beautification programs, highway clean-up efforts and clearing of debris
2 along hiking trails;

3 **WHEREAS**, NCTS supports of the Navy's Project Good Neighbor
4 Projects as shown in its personnel's regular participation in fun-run events
5 throughout the island, where funds are donated to charitable organizations
6 throughout the island, and they continue to provide escorts for the Dededo &
7 Astumbo Senior Citizen Centers La Rai Coronation, Dededo Liberation Day
8 Candidate and Dededo Community's Annual Christmas Tree Lighting
9 Ceremony; and

10 **WHEREAS**, NCTS personnel have given selflessly of themselves
11 using their off-duty hours volunteering in order to give back to the
12 community in which they live, and because of this for the past thirteen
13 consecutive years, in recognition of their efforts NCTS, Guam has been
14 awarded the prestigious Community Service/Sister Village Award
15 Worldwide, now therefore, be it further

16 **RESOLVED**, that the Executive Committee of *I Mina' Bente Ocho*
17 *na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*
18 and the people of Guam, commend and congratulate the NCTS personnel;
19 and be it further

20 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairman of the Executive
21 Committee certify, and the Secretary of the Legislature attest to, the
22 adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to US
23 Naval Computer and Telecommunication Station, Guam Commander Jon T.
24 Kennedy; Chief Warrant Officer IV Eli J. Williams; Lieutenant Curtis T.
25 Hall; Senior Chief Information Systems Technician Todd R. Gruchalla;
26 Senior Chief Information Systems Technician Kelvin E. Mooring; Chief
27 Information Systems Technician Roderick K. Reed; Chief Engineman

1 Roderick D. Terry; Information Systems Technician First Class John L.
2 Andrews; Information Systems Technician First Class Patricia Davis;
3 Information Systems Technician First Class Oscar C. Evans; Information
4 Systems Technician First Class Kevin B. Mitchell; Information Systems
5 Technician Second Class James A. Argiro; Information Systems Technician
6 Second Class Keith W. Chilton; Information Systems Technician Second
7 Class Harlan E. Famisan; Information Systems Technician Second Class
8 Steven P. Guymon; Information Systems Technician Second Class Craig A.
9 Hasselbring; Information Systems Technician Second Class Tyhish Y.
10 Havard; Information Systems Technician Second Class Jessica D.
11 Majchszak; Information Systems Technician Second Class Angelina G.
12 Pennell; Information Systems Technician Third Class Dawan A. Boxley;
13 Information Systems Technician Third Class Emmanuel L. Lum-Perreira;
14 Electronic Technician Third Class Roberto Rivera; Electrician Mate Third
15 Class Amanda G. Swanson; the Honorable Melissa B. Savares, Dededo
16 Mayor; and to the Honorable Felix P. Camacho, *I Maga'lahen Guahan*.
17 **DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE EXECUTIVE**
18 **COMMITTEE OF I MINA' BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN**
19 **GUAHAN ON THE ____ DAY OF _____, 2005.**

MARK FORBES
Speaker and Chairman,
Executive Committee

EDWARD J.B. CALVO
Secretary of the Legislature