

I MINA'BENTE NUEBI NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
2007 (FIRST) Regular Session

Executive Committee
Resolution No. 104

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Relative to congratulating and extending a sincere *Un Dângkolo Na Si Yu'us Ma'åse'* to the Rotary Club of Guam Sunrise on its Tenth (10th) Anniversary on Guam.

1 **BE IT RESOLVED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF I**

2 ***MINA'BENTE NUEBI NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN:***

3 **WHEREAS,** the Rotary Club of Guam Sunrise was chartered to help
4 meet the various community needs of the island with in-kind, monetary,
5 service, and material donations; and

1 **WHEREAS**, the Club has developed numerous fund-raising events,
2 donating money to the Alee Shelter, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Sanctuary, and
3 Guam’s public schools; and

4 **WHEREAS**, in 1998, the Club held its first annual 5K Run, which
5 continues today, attracting hundreds of Guam’s runners, and the fourth such
6 run raised more than Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000) for the needy; and

7 **WHEREAS**, in 2000, the Club adopted Chief *Quipuha* Park under the
8 Government of Guam’s Adopt-A-Park program, providing landscaping
9 services, paint, and beautification efforts; and

10 **WHEREAS**, the Club participated in and made donations to the U.S. Air
11 Force’s Annual Christmas Drop and the John F. Kennedy High School Art
12 Room Project; and

13 **WHEREAS**, to foster goodwill with our neighbors in Japan, a Sister
14 Club Relationship was established with the Rotary Club of Ryugasaki Chuo;
15 and

16 **WHEREAS**, the Club began its first annual Golf tournament in 2001,
17 raising over Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000); and

18 **WHEREAS**, becoming even more aggressive, the Club established the
19 “Help Guam’s Needy and Homeless Project” donating Nine Thousand
20 Dollars (\$9,000) in clothing to the Salvation Army; Club members participated
21 on weekends in the Habitat for Humanity projects and cleaning the grounds
22 and painting at LBJ Elementary School; and members also made numerous
23 monetary donations to the Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Alee Shelter, Rainbows for
24 Children, and Sanctuary; and

1 **WHEREAS**, in 2002, the Club was honored with the Rotary
2 International Presidential Citation as a “Distinguished Rotary Club” and also
3 received the Rotary International Quest Award for having the highest increase
4 in membership during that year; and

5 **WHEREAS**, the Club hosted the “World of Opportunities” Vocational
6 Conference, which registered over two hundred fifty (250) high school
7 students from eight (8) of the island’s high schools and attracted presenters
8 and exhibitors from numerous different vocations; and

9 **WHEREAS**, fostering goodwill relations with our neighboring
10 countries, the Club established a Sister City Relationship with the Rotary Club
11 of Mandaluyong-Uptown of District 3800, Philippines; and

12 **WHEREAS**, the Rotary Sunrise Club became a primary sponsor for the
13 Low Vision Project of 2005, providing almost Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000)
14 in funds and supplies to Micronesia Missions so it could conduct vision
15 screenings for over four hundred (400) children and adults in Kosrae,
16 Pohnpei, and Chuuk; and

17 **WHEREAS**, the Club developed and sponsored a major Auto Raffle
18 Fundraiser that raised over Eight Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$8,500) for
19 Guam’s charities; and

20 **WHEREAS**, in April 2005, the Club sent a mother and child from
21 Pohnpei to Manila for medical eye treatment, coordinating with the Rotary
22 Club of Pohnpei and the Rotary Club of Mandaluyong-Uptown to provide
23 airfare, lodging, and assistance; and

1 **WHEREAS**, the Rotary Sunrise Club hosted the Inter Island meeting of
2 two hundred (200) Rotarians District 2750 in Japan, and all four (4) Guam
3 Rotary Clubs in May of 2005; and

4 **WHEREAS**, the Club has sent many of its members and officers to other
5 off-island Rotary conventions throughout the years, spreading warm
6 greetings and goodwill, and serving as Guam's ambassadors to the mainland
7 U.S. and other countries; and

8 **WHEREAS**, in 2006, the Rotary Club of Guam Sunrise hosted the Guam
9 Community College Leadership Development Conference, and completed the
10 Film for Youth/Film Premier Project, a joint project with the Department of
11 Public Health and Social Services; and

12 **WHEREAS**, the Club's good work continued this year with the
13 finalization of the Micronesian Multi-purpose Learning Center/Septic Tank
14 Project in Mangilao, the completion of the Low Vision Project in Pohnpei, and
15 the Club's two (2) major fundraising events: the Annual Golf Tournament
16 and the Super Auto Raffle; and

17 **WHEREAS**, over the past two (2) years, the Club has generously
18 contributed to the American Red Cross-Guam Chapter, the Alee Shelter, Big
19 Brothers and Big Sisters of Guam, Guam Rugby Association, Sanctuary, the
20 Tamuning Playground Project, and the GCC Lodging Management Program;
21 and

22 **WHEREAS**, the Guam Club of Rotary Sunrise presently has a
23 committed membership of over thirty-five (35) members led by the current
24 President, Mr. Frank C. Tung Ph.D., CHE and President Elect, Mr. Mickey
25 Flynn; and

1 **WHEREAS**, the Club will remain a very important part of Guam’s civic
2 organizations, assisting our people in need, supporting other fellow
3 organizations, donating time, resources and funding to many worthwhile
4 causes, and will no doubt continue as a blessing to our island community; and

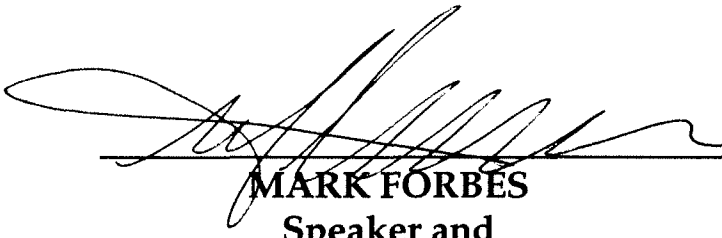
5 **WHEREAS**, this month, the Guam Club of Rotary Sunrise celebrates its
6 Tenth (10th) Year Anniversary of serving our island and region; and

7 **WHEREAS**, for all its generous contributions to the island, it is a fitting
8 gesture that our people, through *I Liheslaturan Guåhan*, formally expresses our
9 gratitude to the Club; now, therefore, be it

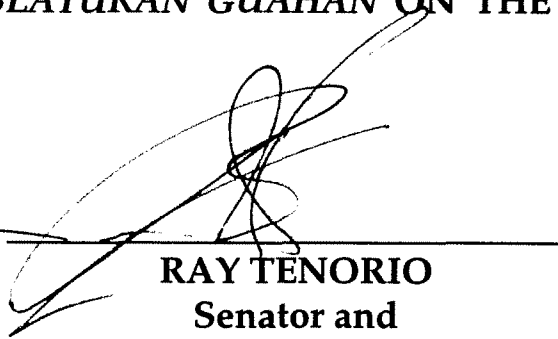
10 **RESOLVED**, that the Executive Committee of *I Mina’Bente Nuebi Na*
11 *Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* and the
12 people of Guam, congratulate and extend its sincerest *Un Dångkolo Na Si*
13 *Yu’us Ma’åse’* to the Rotary Club of Guam Sunrise on its Tenth (10th)
14 Anniversary; and be it further

15 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairman of the Executive
16 Committee certify, and the Secretary of the Legislature attest to, the adoption
17 hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to the Rotary
18 Club of Guam Sunrise; to Mr. Frank C, Tung, Ph.D. CHE, President; to Ms.
19 Michelle Diego, Secretary; to Mr. John Ibanez, Treasurer; to Mr. Mickey Flynn,
20 President Elect; and to the Honorable Felix P. Camacho, *I Maga’lahen Guåhan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
OF *I MINA'BENTE NUEBI NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN* ON THE 27TH
DAY OF JUNE 2007.**



MARK FORBES
Speaker and
Chairman, Executive Committee



RAY TENORIO
Senator and
Secretary of the Legislature