

I MINA'BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
2005 (FIRST) Regular Session

Resolution No. 41 (EC)

Introduced by:

J. A. Lujan

Mike Cruz, M.D.

RELATIVE TO COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING
MR. ELMER S. SARDOMA
FOR HIS SERVICE AS PRESIDENT
OF THE ILOILO ASSOCIATION OF GUAM 2004-2005

1 BE IT RESOLVED BY I MINA'BENTE OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN
2 GUÅHAN:

3 WHEREAS, Elmer Servidad Sardoma was born on February 29, 1956, to
4 Burt S. Sardoma, Sr. from San Joaquin, Iloilo and Juanita Latusa Servidad of
5 Calinog, Iloilo; and

6 WHEREAS, Elmer S. Sardoma became a resident of Guam in 1965, at
7 the age of ten; and

8 WHEREAS, in 1984, Elmer Sardoma wed the former Elena Barba, and
9 from this blessed union presented to the world two sons and two daughters,
10 namely Jimmy James, Michael, Jennifer and Michelle; and

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1 **WHEREAS**, Mr. Sardoma is a product of the Guam public school
2 system, having attended Wettengel Elementary, George Washington Junior
3 and George Washington High schools; and

4 **WHEREAS**, Mr. Sardoma pursued further education, earning an
5 Associate of Arts degree from Kemper Military School and College in 1977,
6 majored in Psychology and Criminal Justice at the University of Guam, and
7 attended the Criminal Apprenticeship Program at Ft. McClelland, Alabama in
8 1992; and,

9 **WHEREAS**, Elmer S. Sardoma graduated from the Guam Police
10 Academy, 24th Cycle, at Guam Community College in 1984, and has since
11 performed distinguished service, earning numerous awards and recognition
12 from his superiors; and

13 **WHEREAS**, Elmer S. Sardoma currently holds the rank of Sergeant I,
14 and the position of Shift Supervisor, Agat Precinct; and

15 **WHEREAS**, Mr. Sardoma has been actively involved in civic affairs, as a
16 former Member of the Guamerica Lions Club, and Member of the Filipino
17 President Club Association of Guam; and,

18 **WHEREAS**, Elmer S. Sardoma was elected to the office of 1st Vice-
19 President of the Iloilo Association of Guam in 2003, and assumed full
20 leadership responsibilities during the tragic incapacity of the duly elected
21 President; and

22 **WHEREAS**, the Iloilo Association of Guam suffered the loss of its
23 chosen President as its members were recovering from the combined effects of
24 Typhoon Chata'an and Supertyphoon Pongsona the previous year; and

1 **WHEREAS**, as President, Elmer S. Sardoma was instrumental in
2 revitalizing the membership of the Iloilo Association of Guam, accomplishing
3 together with the membership spirited participation in Santa Cruzan,
4 successive first place awards for their booth displays at Pista Sa Nayon, a
5 donation of wheelchairs to the Guam Memorial Hospital, and ending his term
6 with a positive balance in the Association's account; and

7 **WHEREAS**, Mr. Sardoma's family and the Iloilo Association of Guam
8 recognize his dedication to the quality of life in this community, and have
9 supported him fully in his endeavors; now, therefore, be it

10 **RESOLVED**, that *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* hereby congratulates and
11 commends, on behalf of the People of Guam, Mr. Elmer S. Sardoma, on the
12 successful completion of his challenging term as President of the Iloilo
13 Association of Guam; and now be it further

14 **RESOLVED**, that *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* commends the family of Mr.
15 Elmer S. Sardoma: his wife Elena, and children Jimmy James, Michael,
16 Jennifer and Michelle, for supporting Mr. Sardoma in his professional and
17 civic endeavors over the years; and be it further

18 **RESOLVED**, that *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* congratulates the Members,
19 Officers and Directors of the Iloilo Association of Guam on the occasion of its
20 16th Anniversary and Induction Ball, celebrated on Saturday, March 9, 2005 at
21 the Chamorro Ballroom, Guam Marriott Resort and Spa, Tumon, with best
22 wishes for every success in the years to come; and be it further

23 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker certify, and the Secretary of the
24 Legislature attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be

1 thereafter transmitted to Mr. Elmer S. Sardoma, Outgoing President of the
2 Iloilo Association of Guam, the Incoming President and Board of Directors of
3 the Iloilo Association of Guam; and to the Governor of Guam.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY *I MINA'BENTE OCHO NA*
LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE DAY OF 2005.**

MARK FORBES
Speaker

EDWARD J.B. CALVO
Senator and Secretary of the Legislature