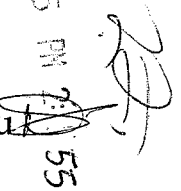


I MINA' BENTE NUEBI NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
2007 (FIRST) Regular Session

Resolution No. 45(LS)

Introduced by:

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Relative to expressing congratulations by the 29th Guam Legislature to Carmen Paulino Bermudes and commending her for having been given the honor Grand Marshall of the Malojloj San Isidro Fiesta "*San Isidro, Guardian of Farmers*", held on May 4 through the 6, 2007 and thanking her for her tireless efforts serving as a member of the San Isidro Parish Association and Guam Public School System.

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

3 WHEREAS, Carmen Paulino Bermudes was born April 19, 1947, having
4 recently celebrated her 60th birthday; she is the daughter of Vicente D. Paulino
5 (deceased) and Floren Paulino; she is one of 3 siblings and the other 2 siblings
6 are Benny Paulino and Florence Shimizu; she has 5 children: Florina
7 Bermudes, Tanya Cruz, Vince Bermudes, James Bermudez, and Carmen
8 Renee Taitague; and she is the grandmother of 3: Joshua, Carmae and Ayden;
9 and

10 WHEREAS, Carmen is a 1965 high school graduate of the Academy of
11 Our Lady of Guam; she obtained a Bachelor's Degree in Education from the

1 University of Guam in 1985 and continues to take courses in continuing
2 education for her personal self-development and certification; Carmen has
3 been an educator for 19 years; during the course of her teaching experience,
4 she chaired and represented Oceanview Middle School "Read-a-thon Week;
5 for her efforts and teamwork, she received one of 7 "Week of the Classroom
6 Teacher" awards and recently was selected the "Top Secondary Read-a-thon
7 Teacher Representative" and she will be attending the annual convention in
8 Toronto, Canada coordinated by the International Reading Association (IRA);
9 and

10 **WHEREAS**, prior to teaching in Guam, she was an instructor in the
11 Philippines for the Department of Defense (DOD); for St. Philomena Catholic
12 Day Care Center in Honolulu, Hawaii; she was furthermore employed as a
13 security guard for Duty Free and Honolulu Airport; and

14 **WHEREAS**, Carmen is currently an active member of the Malojloj San
15 Isidro Parish Association; she was the first woman president to serve twice as
16 president; furthermore, she volunteers as the Director of Religious Education
17 for confirmation catechesis and fundraising activities for much needed church
18 repairs; and

19 **WHEREAS**, Carmen's love and great devotion demonstrates her
20 energetic humanitarian spirit and generosity in donating her time to her
21 parish, community, and government projects; now, therefore, be it

22 **RESOLVED**, that *I Mina' Bente Nuebi Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does
23 hereby, on behalf of the people of Guam, recognize and commend Carmen
24 Paulino Bermudes on her selection as Grand Marshall of the Malojloj San
25 Isidro Fiesta, San Isidro, "Guardian of the Farmers", held May 4 through 6,

1 2007; and also to express I Liheslaturan Guahan's Thank You and Si Yu'os
2 Ma'ase for her hard work and tireless efforts serving as a member of the San
3 Isidro Parish Association and the Guam Public School system; and be it
4 further

5 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker certify to, and the Secretary of the
6 Legislature attest the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be
7 thereafter transmitted to; Carmen Bermudez; to Father Kenneth Carriveau,
8 San Isidro Pastor; to Mayor Franklin Taitague of Inarajan; to Louis Reyes,
9 Superintendent of the Guam Public School System, and to the Honorable Felix
10 P. Camacho, *I Maga'lahaen Guahan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY I MINA'BENTE NUEBI NA
LIHESLATURAN GUAHAN ON THE _____ DAY OF _____ 2007.**

Mark Forbes
Speaker

Ray Tenorio
Senator and
Secretary of the Legislature