

I MINA'BENTE NUEBI NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
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Resolution No. 60 (LS)

As amended.

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Relative to commending and expressing our heartfelt *un dāngkolo na si Yu'os ma'āse'* to Citi Guam and Citi Foundation for their many contributions to the island of Guam.

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

3 WHEREAS, Citigroup Guam, also referred to as Citi Guam, first opened
4 its doors on December 1967. Today, it services a consumer and corporate base
5 of more than twenty thousand individual and business accounts with over
6 one hundred (100) employees who proudly serve the community every day;
7 and

1 **WHEREAS**, Citi Guam not only provides financial services, but also
2 fosters and participates in community service initiatives through the
3 Citigroup Global Volunteer Program, where its employees make a difference
4 in our local community by expanding on its tradition of volunteerism; and

5 **WHEREAS**, the Citi Foundation supports Guam’s local community
6 through grants that improve education, financial literacy and community
7 development; and

8 **WHEREAS**, by working with local civic organizations, Citi Guam
9 employee volunteers and the Citi Foundation have contributed to improving
10 Guam’s quality of life; and

11 **WHEREAS**, in November 18, 2006, on the 1st Annual Citigroup Global
12 Community Day, Citi Guam employees served a special Thanksgiving feast to
13 patients, their families, and staff of Guam Memorial Hospital’s Skilled
14 Nursing Unit in Barrigada; while another group of Citi Guam employees
15 helped pack Food Boxes at the Salvation Army Guam Chapter’s warehouse
16 for their annual Food Drive, at which Citi Guam employees donated eight
17 hundred (800) cereal boxes to feed eight hundred (800) needy families; and

18 **WHEREAS**, Citi Guam received accolades from Big Brothers Big Sisters
19 of Guam and received the Distinguished Service Award for encouraging its
20 employees to take time off from work to assist in community service and for
21 being the first in the business community to adopt a school; and a Citi Guam
22 employee, Ms. Grace Gagaring received the 2007 Mentor of the Year Award;
23 and

24 **WHEREAS**, since the inception of the National “Teach Children to Save
25 Day” and the “Get Smart About Credit Day”, a program sponsored by the

1 American Bankers Association Foundation to teach children and youth about
2 the financial facts of life, Citi Guam employees have taken time off from their
3 work schedules and become teachers; Citigroup has taught over one thousand
4 seven hundred (1,700) elementary school students and over three hundred
5 twenty six (326) high school students on Guam in these programs. Citi Guam
6 employee volunteers used the Citigroup Financial Education Curriculum to
7 teach over seven hundred fifty (750) students at Price Elementary School, FQ
8 Sanchez Elementary School, Merizo Elementary School and Marcial A. Sablan
9 Elementary School on 'Teach Children to Save Day'; and

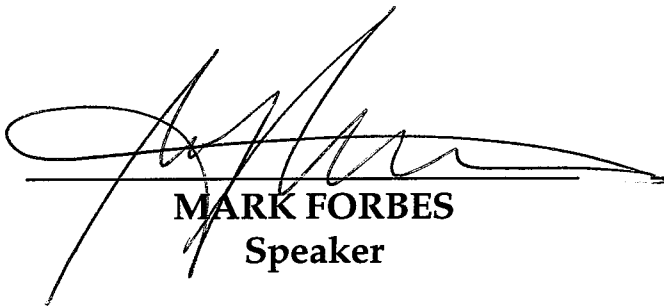
10 **WHEREAS,** since 1998, Citi Guam and Citi Foundation have
11 contributed more than Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$500,000) and
12 countless hours to the improvement of our community. Recipients of Citi
13 Guam's generosity include: Excellence in Teaching Foundation, the University
14 of Guam's Small Business Development Center, KGTF (Channel 12) Public
15 Television, Sanctuary, Inc., Big Brothers Big Sisters of Guam, Inarajan
16 Elementary School, Junior Achievement of Guam, the American Red Cross,
17 Dededo Senior Citizens Center, the Nieves M. Flores Public Library in
18 *Hagatña*; now, therefore, be it

19 **RESOLVED,** that *I Mina'Bente Nuebi Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does
20 hereby, on behalf of the people of Guam, commend and express our heartfelt
21 *un dāngkolo na si Yu'os ma'āse'* to Citi Guam and Citi Foundation for their
22 many contributions to the island of Guam 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
25 thereafter transmitted to Mr. Madhu Seshadri, Country Officer for Citi Guam;

1 to Ms. Pamela P. Flaherty, Senior Vice President of Corporate Citizenship,
2 President and Chief Executive Officer, Citi Foundation; to Mr. Charles Prince,
3 Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Citi; and to the Honorable Felix P.
4 Camacho, *I Maga'lahaen Guåhan*.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY *I MINA'BENTE NUEBI NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN* ON THE 2ND DAY OF MAY 2007.



MARK FORBES
Speaker



RAY TENORIO
Senator and
Secretary of the Legislature