

Mayors' Council of Guam Konseheton Mahot Guåhan

February 16, 2009

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Office of the Speaker Judith T. Won Pat, Ed. J

The Honorable Judith T. Won Pat, Ed.D Speaker Mina' Bente Trenta Na Liheslaturan Guåhan 155 Hesler Street Hagåtña, Guam 96932

Dear Mr. Speaker,

Buenas yan Hafa Adai. Transmitted herewith for your information and file is a copy of **Resolution No. 2009-03** adopted by the members of the Mayors' Council of Guam.

Resolution No. 2009-03 "RELATIVE TO RECOGNIZING AND COMMENDING PETER R. SGRO JR. AND THE HOSPITAL DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION, INC. A NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION FOR THEIR OUTPOURING OF TIME AND EFFORT TO ASSIST, ADVOCATE AND SUPPORT IMPROVEMENTS TO THE QUALITY OF SERVICES RELATING TO HEALTH CARE FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE PEOPLE OF GUAM".

Thank you for your attention regarding this matter. If you should have any questions or comments relative to the above resolution, please do not hesitate to call me.

Sincerely,

ANGEL R. SABLAN

Executive Director

cc: File/Chrono



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CERTIFICATION OF THE ADOPTION OF A MAYORS' COUNCIL RESOLUTION

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT RESOLUTION NO. 09-03 "RELATIVE TO RECOGNIZING AND COMMENDING PETER R. SGRO JR. AND THE HOSPITAL DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION, INC. A NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION FOR THEIR OUTPOURING OF TIME AND EFFORT TO ASSIST, ADVOCATE AND SUPPORT IMPROVEMENTS TO THE QUALITY OF SERVICES RELATING TO HEALTH CARE FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE PEOPLE OF GUAM" WAS DULY ADOPTED ON THE 12^{TH} DAY OF FEBRUARY 2009.

VICE MAYOR LOUISE C. RIVERA, SECRETARY Mayors' Council of Guam



MAYORS' COUNCIL OF GUAM

Resolution No. 09-03

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Introduced By:

Vice Mayor R.R.D.C. Hofmann Mayor R.B. Blas Mayor C.S. Tayama Vice Mayor L.C. Rivera Mayor F.M. Taitague Mayor F.C. Blas Mayor J.T. Terlaje Mayor Dale E. Alvarez Vice Mayor A.A. Benavente Vice Mayor June U. Blas Mayor N.C. Blas Vice Mayor J.B. Chaco Mayor E.T. Chargualaf Mayor J.A. Cruz Vice Mayor R.J. Flores Mayor J.C. Gogue Mayor V.D. Gumataotao Mayor R.S. Lizama Mayor P.M. McDonald Mayor J.B. Palican Mayor V.L. San Nicolas Mayor D.D. Sanchez Mayor M.B. Savares Mayor V.S. Taitague Vice Mayor A.R.G. Ungacta Mayor A.C. Villagomez

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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYORS' COUNCIL OF GUAM:

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WHEREAS, as the island leaders who work with our people and our communities on a daily basis, we know, experience, and witness first hand the needs, concerns, and difficulties of our people; and

WHEREAS, the need for an efficient healthcare system that can provide modern, adequate, and affordable prevention and treatment services has always been a major concern of our island residents; and

WHEREAS, the Hospital Development Foundation, Inc. has provided a vision and a plan and has made good faith efforts to begin the process of improving the quality of care for our people and continue to seek investors to develop a new privately owned and managed hospital on Guam; and

WHEREAS, this vision and plan was conceptualized and spearheaded by Peter R. Sgro, Jr., President of the Hospital Development Foundation, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, the Hospital Development Foundation, Inc. recognizes that the anticipated military build-up will add stress to an already fragile healthcare system with an estimated increase in our population by 20,000 to 25,000 people; and

WHEREAS, the Hospital Development Foundation, Inc. members have demonstrated a commitment to foster improvements to Guam's healthcare delivery system, while also addressing the significant need for additional hospital bed capacity and additional hospital services to meet the demands of a growing Guam community; and

WHEREAS, the Hospital Development Foundation, Inc. also promotes and participates in activities that increase public awareness of the need for an improved and efficient healthcare and delivery system and additional medical services that will benefit the people of Guam; and

WHEREAS the Hospital Development Foundation, Inc. advocates for the development of a privately owned and managed hospital facility on Guam, and that the Corporation shall not in any manner whatsoever, maintain any financial ownership or pecuniary interest in any such facility; and

WHEREAS, the Hospital Development Foundation, Inc. engages in educational activities such as seminars, conferences or round table discussions designed to improve the

quality of health care services on Guam and to raise the awareness of needs associated with improving the quality of health care services on Guam; *now therefore be it*

RESOLVED, that the *Konsehelon Mahot Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of the people of Guam, and the people of Guam, recognize, commend and congratulate Peter R. Sgro Jr. and the Hospital Development Foundation, Inc. for its unselfish efforts, determination, dedication and accomplishments in advocating and supporting the availability of additional services relating to health care that benefits the people of Guam; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the President certify and the Council Secretary attest to the adoption hereof and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Mr. Peter R. Sgro, Jr., to all the officers and Board of Directors of the Hospital Foundation, Inc., the Honorable Speaker Judith T. WonPat, Ed.D., *I Mina Trenta Na Liheslaturan Guåhan*; and to the Honorable Felix P. Camacho, *I Maga'låhen Guåhan*, the Governor of Guam.

DULY ADOPTED ON THE <u>12TH</u> DAY OF FEBRUARY 2009.

CERTIFIED BY:

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ATTESTED BY:

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MAYOR CAROL S. TAYAMA President

VICE MAYOR LOUISE C. RIVERA Secretary