

I MINA'TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN

RESOLUTIONS

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495-37 (COR)	Therese M. Terlaje	Relative to recognizing and congratulating Evan Antonio on the nomination of the Guam Hotel and Restaurant Association “2024 Most Valuable Housekeeper of the Year” Award; and to commend her contribution to our island’s hospitality industry and Guam’s visitors.	9/4/24 4:07 p.m.	9/8/24 7:00 p.m.						

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**2024 (SECOND) Regular Session**

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Introduced by:

Therese M. Terlaje *TMT*

**Relative to recognizing and congratulating Evan Antonio on the nomination of the Guam Hotel and Restaurant Association “2024 Most Valuable Housekeeper of the Year” Award; and to commend her contribution to our island’s hospitality industry and Guam’s visitors.**

1        **BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF *I***  
2        ***MINA'TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN:***

3        **WHEREAS,** it is the sense of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* to recognize the  
4        achievements of the dedicated professionals in our hospitality and tourism industry who  
5        have committed themselves to serving our community with excellence, upholding the  
6        highest standards, and contributing significantly to the well-being and satisfaction of  
7        our people and visitors alike; and

8        **WHEREAS,** Guam’s hospitality and tourism industry is a cornerstone of the  
9        island’s economy, welcoming visitors from around the world to experience the unique  
10       beauty, culture, and warmth of the *CHamoru* people; and

11       **WHEREAS,** housekeepers in Guam’s hotels, resorts, and other tourist  
12       accommodations play a crucial role in ensuring that visitors experience the highest  
13       standards of cleanliness, comfort, and safety during their stay, thereby enhancing the  
14       overall reputation of Guam as a premier travel destination; and

1       **WHEREAS**, the duties of housekeepers extend far beyond routine cleaning,  
2 encompassing meticulous attention to detail, the maintenance of guest rooms and  
3 common areas, the management of laundry services, and the provision of a welcoming  
4 environment that reflects the spirit of hospitality for which Guam is known; and

5       **WHEREAS**, housekeepers often serve as the frontline ambassadors of Guam’s  
6 hospitality industry, providing guests with a first impression of the island’s commitment  
7 to excellence, and frequently going above and beyond to accommodate the diverse  
8 needs and preferences of visitors; and

9       **WHEREAS**, the dedication and hard work of Guam’s housekeepers contribute  
10 significantly to the success and sustainability of the island’s tourism sector, directly  
11 impacting visitor satisfaction, repeat visitation, and positive word-of-mouth promotion  
12 that drives economic growth; and

13       **WHEREAS**, housekeepers in Guam’s hospitality industry not only support the  
14 visitor experience but also play an integral role in maintaining public health and safety  
15 by adhering to rigorous sanitation protocols, especially in the wake of global health  
16 challenges, thereby protecting both visitors and the local community; and

17       **WHEREAS**, the contributions of housekeepers extend beyond the confines of  
18 their workplaces, as their efforts help to preserve the cleanliness and appeal of Guam’s  
19 natural environment, ensuring that the island remains a pristine and attractive  
20 destination for generations to come; and

21       **WHEREAS**, Evan Antonio has distinguished himself as a key member of the  
22 Westin Resort Guam’s housekeeping department, where his natural helpfulness,  
23 positive attitude, and sincere commitment to service have greatly enhanced the guest  
24 experience; and

25       **WHEREAS**, Evan is recognized for his flexibility in working various shifts,  
26 seamlessly transitioning between roles in public areas and housekeeping as needed, and  
27 consistently providing high-quality service regardless of the task at hand; and

1       **WHEREAS**, his ability to adapt and excel in different roles within the  
2 housekeeping department has made him a valuable asset to the Westin Resort Guam,  
3 where his dedication to authentic hospitality service continues to set a high standard for  
4 his colleagues; and

5       **WHEREAS**, Evan’s unwavering commitment to his duties, his positive  
6 demeanor, and his consistent delivery of exceptional service have earned him the  
7 respect and admiration of both guests and colleagues, making him a deserving nominee  
8 for recognition within the hospitality industry; now, therefore, be it

9       **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'trentai Siette Na*  
10 *Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of the people of Guam, recognize and  
11 congratulate Evan Antonio on the nomination of the Guam Hotel and Restaurant  
12 Association “2024 Most Valuable Housekeeper of the Year” Award; and to commend  
13 her contribution to our island’s hospitality industry and Guam’s visitors; and be it  
14 further

15       **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules  
16 certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of  
17 the same be thereafter transmitted to Evan Antonio; and to the Honorable Lourdes A.  
18 Leon Guerrero, *I Maga'hågan Guåhan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF  
I MINA'TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE        DAY  
OF SEPTEMBER 2024.**