

I MINA' TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
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RELATIVE TO THE FAMILY, FRIENDS, AND THE PEOPLE OF GUAM TO CONGRATUALTING ROSEANA DELORES PABLO LAGUANA ON HER ACHIEVEMENTS AS A MUSICIAN, INSPIRATION TO THE YOUTH OF GUAM AND ALL THE HARDWORK PERFORMED TO ACCOMPLISHING HER GOALS.

1 **BE IT RESOLVED BY I MINA' TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN:**

2 **WHEREAS,** RoseAna Delores Pablo Laguana, daughter of Carlos
3 Tenorio and Rosemary Pablo Laguana and one of six siblings of Mongmong
4 was born in Washington D.C. on July 12, 1982 and moved to Guam at the age
5 of 2 months; and

6 **WHEREAS,** RoseAna started guitar lessons at the age of five with her
7 father, another local successful respected musician on Guam. RoseAna began
8 her musical success on Guam performing initially with the Piti Middle School
9 Combo Band, continuing with the George Washington High School Concert
10 Band as a percussionist. RoseAna also joined other talented youths in the
11 Island Honor Band where they competed in Hawaii in 2000; and

12 **WHEREAS,** RoseAna joined various independent grass root bands such
13 as Sticky and Blame Adam to progress her musical abilities. As a young

1 passionate local female, she set out to advance her musical aspirations by
2 moving to Chicago City in 2001 at the young age of 19; and

3 **WHEREAS**, RoseAna auditioned and now selected for the lead guitar
4 position for an all girls band called Cat Fight. From that moment into the next
5 several years her musical career flourished in the various venues and night
6 clubs in Chicago and branched out to neighboring states; and

7 **WHEREAS**, RoseAna at age 26, developed a professional musicianship
8 and reputation that was soon recognized and acknowledged by other
9 respected bands and local musicians; and

10 **WHEREAS**, it became apparent and destined that another rising band
11 sought her out to form the top premier band called “DOT DOT DOT”,
12 consisting of RoseAna Laguana-lead guitarist, vocals; Adam Blair-guitarist,
13 lead vocals; Little Lisa- bass, vocals; Michael-Key Boards; and Stephan-
14 drums. Several months later, “DOT DOT DOT” was invited to compete and
15 represent Chicago and her Island of Guam on a nationally televised show
16 called “The Next Great American Band 2007; and

17 **WHEREAS**, the band “DOT DOT DOT” finished in the top five out of
18 thousands of competitive bands throughout the United States. They have
19 since been touring on the road throughout the country and have since
20 released a CD recording and a music video. The band has recently signed a
21 recording contract with a subsidiary of Universal Music to release their
22 second CD; and

1 **WHEREAS**, it was during these televised episodes when she performed
2 on stage that her supportive and loving family and friends from Home and
3 Mainland, witnessed a young talented driven island girl, who is a daughter,
4 sister, granddaughter, auntie, Nina, niece and cousin, blossomed into a
5 beautifully cultured and proud woman, who overcame the diverse challenges
6 and struggles she faced as an aspiring female musician in an ever competitive
7 industry; and

8 **WHEREAS**, we are very honored and proud to have RoseAna Laguana
9 with “DOT DOT DOT” come to Guam and perform live on stage for a one
10 night show at the F.D.H.S. Phoenix Center on Saturday April 25, 2009; and

11 **WHEREAS**, the families and friends of Guam and the Mainland salute
12 and commemorate her achievement as being an ambassador of Guam; and be
13 it further

14 **RESOLVED**, that *I Mina' Trenta Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on
15 behalf of the people and youth of Guam, recognize RoseAna Delores Pablo
16 Laguana of her inspiration to the youth of Guam, accomplishments and hard
17 work performed; and be it further

18 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker certify, and the Secretary of the
19 Legislature attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be
20 thereafter transmitted to Ms. RoseAna Delores Pablo Laguana; to Carlos
21 Tenorio and Rosemary Pablo Laguana, parents; to Ms. Carmen Pablo,
22 Grandmother; to Tony and Marilyn Magofna, godparents ; to John and

- 1 Ernestina Cruz, godparents; to Isaiah Laguana, godson; to the Honorable
- 2 Madeleine Z. Bordallo, Congresswoman; and to the Honorable Felix P.
- 3 Camacho, *I Maga'lahen Guåhan*.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY I MINA' TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE _____ DAY OF _____ 2009.

JUDITH T. WON PAT

Speaker

TINA ROSE MUNA BARNES

**Senator and
Secretary of the Legislature**