

I MINA' TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÁHAN
2012 (SECOND) Regular Session

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Resolution No. 386-31 (one)

Introduced By:

T.R. Muña Barnes 

Relative to recognizing November 2012 as "Sanctuary, Incorporated Month" and commending the Board of Directors, staff and supporters of Sanctuary for their contributions on the occasion of its Forty-First (41st) Anniversary.

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2 **BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF *I MINA' TRENTAI***
3 ***UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÁHAN:***

4 **WHEREAS**, Sanctuary, Incorporated was established in 1971 by Father Robert
5 Phelps and Mr. Luis Martinez, who recognized the importance of providing youth-
6 oriented programs and services on island; and

7 **WHEREAS**, the primary mission of Sanctuary is "Helping Youth and Families
8 Help Themselves"; and

9 **WHEREAS**, since its creation, Sanctuary has remained at the forefront of
10 providing comprehensive services to runaway, homeless, and troubled youth and their
11 families. Throughout the years, Sanctuary has continually expanded its programs to
12 better address the needs of our island's children who confront issues such as physical
13 and emotional abuse, sexual abuse, gang involvement, negative peer pressure and
14 substance abuse. With a firm foundation, our children and youth will be better able to
15 face the challenges of the future; and

16 **WHEREAS**, Sanctuary, Incorporated continuously strives to provide support
17 programs that now include a twenty-four (24) hour Crisis Hotline, COED Emergency

1 Shelter, Transitional Living Program, *Sagan Na'Homlo Para I Manhoben* for youth battling
2 chemical dependency, Case management services, *Ayuda Para I Komunitad* AmeriCorps
3 Program, Street Outreach Program, Relationship Intelligence Project, Youth Embracing
4 Sanctuary (YES) Crew positive youth development program, *Fan Macho'cho* Economic
5 Development-Aquaculture and Healing Farms Organic Farming Project, Parenting
6 Skills and Support group, Adult Anger Management, Youth Anger Management,
7 Tobacco Cessation, Self-Esteem, Drug and Alcohol Education and Treatment groups,
8 HIV/STD testing and education; and

9 **WHEREAS**, Sanctuary has instilled values, built character and provided
10 education for the youth and their families; and

11 **WHEREAS**, Sanctuary encourages island residents to join in various events
12 throughout the month of November to help educate others about Sanctuary's services;
13 and

14 **WHEREAS**, November 2012 will mark the Forty-First (41st) anniversary of
15 Sanctuary, Incorporated; now, therefore be it

16 **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina' Trentai Unu Na Liheslaturan*
17 *Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of the people of Guam recognize November 2012 as
18 "Sanctuary, Incorporated Month" and commend the Board of Directors, staff and
19 supporters of Sanctuary for their contributions on the occasion of its Forty-First (41st)
20 Anniversary; and be it further

21 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules
22 certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of
23 the same be thereafter transmitted to Ms. Mildred Q. Lujan, Executive Director,
24 Sanctuary, Inc.; to Rita Jugo, Regine Lee, Jaha Cummings, Marilyn Megofna, Lagrimas
25 Lujan, Gerry Perez, Mark Sanchez, and Denisha Sulio, members of the Board of
26 Directors, Sanctuary, Inc.; the Honorable Madeline Z. Bordallo, Guam's Delegate to the

- 1 U.S. House of Representatives; and to the Honorable Edward J.B. Calvo, *I Maga'låhen*
- 2 *Guåhan*.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF I
MINA' TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THIS _____ DAY OF ____
_____ 2012.

JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed.D.
Speaker

RORY J. RESPICIO
Chairperson, Committee on Rules

TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES
Legislative Secretary