#### I MINA'TRENTAI SINGKO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN RESOLUTIONS

Resolution No.	Sponsor	Title	Date Intro	Date of Presentation	Date Adopted	Date Referred	Referred to	PUBLIC HEARING DATE	DATE COMMITTEE REPORT FILED	NOTES
234-35 (COR)		Relative to recognizing Mr. Charles H. Morris for his thirty (30) years of dedicated service to the Government of Guam; and congratulating him on the occasion of his retirement from the Department of Public Health and Social Services.		10/25/19 12:00 p.m.	10/21/19 10:35 a.m.					

Resolution No. 234-35 (COR)

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Introduced by:

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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF I MINA TRENTAI SINGKO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN:

WHEREAS, in 1984, Mr. Charles H. Morris received a degree in Public Health Nutrition from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill; and he began serving as a Nutritionist with the WIC Program at Buncombe County Health Department that same year; and

WHEREAS, Charles' dream was to work overseas so he became involved with the Peace Corps and worked as a Nutritionist at the National Hospital in Western Samoa where he performed clinical duties from 1985 to 1987; and he worked out of the National Nutrition Center where he additionally conducted a malnutrition clinic, assisted with an island-wide nutrition survey, and taught Nutrition at the Nursing School and for the Dental Assistant programs; and

WHEREAS, in 1989, Charles came to work for the Pacific Basin MCH Resource Center where he served as a Nutrition Consultant for the U.S.affiliated Pacific islands of Guam, the CNMI, Palau, the Federated States of Micronesia, and the Marshall Islands for seven (7) months; and during that time, he attended a breastfeeding conference in Pohnpei, he translated numerous health education materials into various languages, and he did productions of various medias; and

WHEREAS, during that same year, Charles began a thirty (30) year public service career serving as the Administrator of Nutrition Health Services at the Guam Department of Public Health and Social Services (DPHSS). It came into its own as a DPHSS Bureau in 2003, and during his tenure the staff grew from eighteen (18) to fifty-one (51), and the WIC caseload increased from one thousand five hundred (1,500) to around seven thousand five hundred (7,500) clients. In addition, the Bureau added the Preventive Health and Health Services Block Grant in 2003 when it became a Bureau employing three (3) individuals. The WIC Program has seen a lot of progress in the past thirty-one (31) years since it has expanded its caseload, moving from one (1) to three (3) months the issuance of benefits, the outsourcing of banking services in 1993, the automation of benefits in 1995, and the electronic benefits transfer in 2009; and

WHEREAS, during Charles' time on Guam, he has also given much of his time in service to the Youth Ministry of the Faith Presbyterian Reformed Church, serving for nearly twenty (20) years. Charles and several other adults of his church counseled and led a youth group of Pohnpeian Pinglapese kids aged six (6) to eighteen (18) years old in a number of Christian activities and a session of learning and fun on Friday nights during the school year; and their goal was to be a good role model, train children in Christian principles, and build lasting relationships with them; and

WHEREAS, with the retirement of Mr. Charles H. Morris, the Department of Public Health and Social Services is losing one of its most valued, dedicated, and knowledgeable employees; and the administration, and his colleagues, friends and clients would like to wish Charles well and thank him for his endless sacrifices so that the people of Guam could live better and healthier lives; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Committee on Rules of I Mina trentai Singko Na Liheslaturan Guāhan does hereby, on behalf of I Liheslaturan Guāhan and the people of Guam, recognize Mr. Charles H. Morris for his thirty (30) years of dedicated service to the Government of Guam; and congratulate him on the occasion of his retirement from the Department of Public Health and Social Services; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Speaker and the Chair of the Committee on Rules certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Mr. Charles H. Morris; and to the Honorable Lourdes A. Leon Guerrero, I Maga Inagan Guahan.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF I MINA TRENTAI SINGKO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE 21st DAY OF OCTOBER 2019.

TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES Speaker

RÉGINE BISCOE LEE

AMANDA L HELTON Legislative Secretary



# Office of the Speaker TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES I Mina'Trentai Singko Na Liheslaturan Guahan



October 21, 2019

#### **MEMORANDUM**

TO:

All Honorable Senators

35<sup>th</sup> Guam Legislature

FROM:

Speaker Tina Rose Muña Barnes

RE:

Presentation of Resolution No. 234-35(COR)

Bueñas yan Hafa Adai,

Your presence is kindly requested at the presentation for **Resolution No. 234 - 35(COR)**. Relative to recognizing Mr. Charles H. Morris for his thirty (30) years of dedicated service to the Government of Guam; and congratulating him on the occasion of his retirement from the Department of Public Health and Social Services.

The presentation will take place on Friday, October 25, 2019 at World Cafe, Fiesta Hotel at 12:00PM. We look forward to your attendance and participation.

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# I MINA'TRENTAI SINGKO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2019 (FIRST) Regular Session

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DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF *I MINA'TRENTAI SINGKO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN* ON THE 21<sup>ST</sup> DAY OF OÇTOBER 2019.

TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES Speaker

REGINE BISCOE LEE
Chair, Committee on Rules

AMANDA P. SHELTON

Legislative Secretary

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Senator Mary Camacho Torres, Member and Chair, Subcommittee on Protocol

#### **COMMITTEE ON RULES**

I MINA 'TRENTAI SINGKO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 35<sup>TH</sup> GUAM LEGISLATURE

### **COMMITTEE VOTE SHEET**

Resolution No. 234-35 (COR) – Tina Rose Muña Barnes. – "Relative to recognizing Mr. Charles H. Morris for his thirty (30) years of dedicated service to the Government of Guam; and congratulating him on the occasion of his retirement from the Department of Public Health and Social Services."

	SIGNATURE	DATE	TO ADOPT	TO NOT ADOPT	TO ABSTAIN
Senator Régine Biscoe Lee Chair					
Legislative Secretary Amanda L. Shelton Vice Chair	VIA EVOLE	10/21/19	ν,		
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Senator Therese M. Terlaje Member					
Senator James C. Moylan Minority Member	VILLEVOTC	10/21/19	V		
Senator Mary Camacho Torres Minority Member	via Bote	10/21/19	V		
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