

**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
65-35 (COR)	Tina Rose Muña Barnes Amanda L. Shelton	Relative to recognizing the Month of March as Social Work Month; and to further recognize the National Association of Social Work – Guam Chapter on their annual conference with the theme " Hinémlo Kumunídat I Inásodda' Inachaki Put Rasa, Inatditen Binenu, yan I CHini'ot Hinirasion; Healing our Community: The Intersectionality of Race, Addiction and Historical Trauma.	3/8/19 4:32 p.m.	3/15/19 5:00 p.m.						

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**2019 (FIRST) Regular Session**

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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**, The social work profession was founded in social change. Throughout the profession's history, social workers have sought to ensure that all people have equal access to the resources and opportunities that allow them to meet their basic needs; and

**WHEREAS**, NASW upholds this challenge by advocating for the association to members of Congress and regulatory agencies that so often hold the authority to influence policy. NASW has developed a policy agenda, which asserts the association's advocacy priorities for the legislative cycle. NASW's policy agenda is consistent with the NASW policies in Social Work Speaks, which is developed by members of the association at Delegate Assembly; and

**WHEREAS**, Social work practice consists of the professional application of social work values, principles, and techniques to one or more of the following ends: helping people obtain tangible services; counseling and psychotherapy with individuals, families, and groups; helping communities or

1 groups provide or improve social and health services; and participating in  
2 legislative processes; and

3 **WHEREAS**, The practice of social work requires knowledge of human  
4 development and behavior; of social, economic, and cultural institutions; and of  
5 the interaction of all these factors. Nurturing families and permanent  
6 connections are critical to a child’s well-being. While most parents want to do  
7 what is best for their families, they cannot always do it alone; and

8 **WHEREAS**, Child welfare social workers specialize in building upon  
9 the strengths within a family and their community to help provide a safe and  
10 loving environment for their children. However, in some instances, social  
11 workers must intervene to protect children from harm; now therefore, be it

12 **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'Trentai Singko Na*  
13 *Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guahan* and the  
14 people of Guam relative to recognize the Month of March as Social Work Month;  
15 and to further recognize the National Association of Social Work – Guam Chapter  
16 on their annual conference with the theme " Hinémlo Kumunidat I Inásodda'  
17 Inachaki Put Rasa, Inatditen Binenu, yan I CHini'ot Hinirasion; Healing our  
18 Community: The Intersectionality of Race, Addiction and Historical Trauma; and  
19 be it further

20 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on  
21 Rules certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that  
22 copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Lovelle Castro, President of the  
23 National Association of Social Work – Guam Chapter and to the Honorable  
24 Lourdes Leon Guerrero, *I Maga'hågan Guåhan*.

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26 **DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY I MINA'TRENTAI SINGKO**  
27 **NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE \_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_**  
28 **2019.**