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**2023 (FIRST) Regular Session**

**Bill No. 180-37 (COR)**

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1 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF GUAM.**

2 **Section 1. Legislative Findings and Intent.** *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* finds that  
3 the *Salaglula* Pool Park, commonly known as the Inalåhan Pool Park, is better  
4 maintained and managed by the Office of the Mayor of Inalåhan than by the Guam  
5 Department of Parks and Recreation, the agency that owns and controls the property.  
6 For several years, the Office of the Mayor of Inalåhan has been handling the  
7 responsibility of maintaining the Inalåhan Pool Park, despite the park being under  
8 the administrative jurisdiction of the Guam Department of Parks and Recreation.  
9 Although the Inalåhan Mayor is not obligated and is not responsible for the

1 maintenance of the Inalåhan Pool Park, the Mayor has taken upon this burden and  
2 has shown willingness and ability to manage and maintain the park.

3 *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* also finds that the Guam Department of Parks and  
4 Recreation is unable to effectively manage and maintain the Inalåhan Pool Park due  
5 to the agency having to manage all of the island’s major parks. The Department of  
6 Parks and Recreation is spread thinly amongst Guam’s many parks, and the issues  
7 that plague the agency often results in it overlooking some of the parks around our  
8 island, one of them being the Inalåhan Pool Park. The Office of the Mayor of  
9 Inalåhan has taken the initiative to take care of the park, and the Department of Parks  
10 and Recreation has allowed the mayor to do so.

11 With this, *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* intends to transfer the administrative  
12 jurisdiction of the *Salaglula* Pool Park from the Guam Department of Parks and  
13 Recreation to the Office of the Mayor of Inalåhan. With this legislation in place, the  
14 Inalåhan Pool Park will be better maintained and managed by a government body  
15 that is willing and has the capacity to do so.

16 **Section 2.** A new § 40145 *shall* be added to Article 1, Chapter 40, Division 4,  
17 Title 5, Guam Code Annotated, to read as follows:

18 **“§ 40145. Transfer of *Salaglula* Pool Park (Inalåhan Pool Park).**

19 (a) The *Salaglula* Pool Park (Inalåhan Pool Park) is hereby  
20 transferred from the administrative jurisdiction of the Guam Department of  
21 Parks and Recreation to the administrative jurisdiction of the Office of the  
22 Mayor of Inalåhan. The transfer of said administrative jurisdiction shall  
23 become effective upon the enactment of this Act.

24 (b) The Office of the Mayor of Inalåhan shall be responsible for the  
25 maintenance, operation, and management of *Salaglula* Pool Park.

1                    (c) The Guam Department of Parks and Recreation shall allocate  
2                    funds to the Office of the Mayor of Inalåhan for the maintenance of *Salaglula*  
3                    Pool Park.”

4    **Section 3. Effective Date.** This Act *shall* become effective upon enactment.