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Relative to recognizing and commending Richard Lang, a veteran of World War II, for his valiant efforts as a Marine at *Asan* Beach, Guam, and for his dedication to the United States of America.

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

1 **WHEREAS**, Richard Lang was born and raised in Omaha, Nebraska,
2 where he attended St. Joseph’s High School. He was married over fifty (50)
3 years to Phyllis, his loving wife and mother of their five (5) children: Richard,
4 William, Laura, Margaret, and Mary Jo. Richard has nineteen (19)
5 grandchildren and one (1) great grandchild; and

6 **WHEREAS**, Richard Lang served in the United States Marine Corps as
7 part of the 3rd Marine Division that landed in *Asan* during World War II. In
8 September of 1944, Richard was wounded in action on Guam as the United
9 States went on to liberate Guam from Japan; and

10 **WHEREAS**, Richard Lang was awarded a Purple Heart and a Pacific
11 Campaign Medal for his courageous efforts and unreserved dedication to his
12 mission, to his fellow Marines, and to his country; and

13 **WHEREAS**, Richard Lang continued serving his country by serving his
14 community as a Fireman in Omaha, Nebraska. He eventually retired as a
15 Fireman Lieutenant; and


16 **WHEREAS**, Richard Lang is a person who exemplifies selfless service
17 and exceptional dedication to his country. The people of Guam are grateful
18 for Richard’s distinguished efforts as part of the United States Forces that
19 engaged in battle in the Pacific; now, therefore, be it

20 **RESOLVED**, that *I Mina’Trenta Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on
21 behalf of the people of Guam, recognize and commend recognize and


1 commend Richard Lang for his service to his country, and his
2 accomplishments in his professional career; and be it further

3 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker certify, and the Legislative Secretary
4 attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter
5 transmitted to Mr. Richard Lang; and to the Honorable Felix P. Camacho, *I*
6 *Maga'lahaen Guåhan.*

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY I MINA'TRENTA NA
LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THIS 29TH DAY OF JUNE 2009.**



BENJAMIN J.F. CRUZ
Acting Speaker



TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES
Legislative Secretary