

I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
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Resolution No. 485-30 (LS)

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Relative to commending and congratulating Major General Donald J. Goldhorn, Adjutant General, Guam National Guard, on the occasion of his retirement after forty-one (41) years of active military service; and to further extending *Un Dångkolo Na Si Yu'os Ma'ase* to him for his leadership, his accomplishments, and his dedication to our island and our nation.

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

3 **WHEREAS,** Major General Donald James Goldhorn was born in South
4 Dakota on September 12, 1944. He is married to Janet C. Goldhorn, and they
5 have three (3) beautiful children: Corey J. Goldhorn, Anne G. Ruane and
6 Bradley J. Goldhorn; and

7 **WHEREAS,** in 1966, Major General Goldhorn graduated from Huron
8 College in Huron, South Dakota, earning a Bachelor of Arts Degree in
9 Psychology. He also graduated from Northern State University in Aberdeen,
10 South Dakota, where he earned a Master in Science Degree in Guidance and
11 Counseling; and

12 **WHEREAS,** in 1969, Major General Goldhorn completed the Medical
13 Services Officers Basic Course, and he was commissioned as a First Lieutenant
14 in the Medical Service Corps. In 1974, he completed the Medical Department
15 Advanced Office Course; he graduated from the Army Command and
16 General Staff College in 1980; and he completed his Army War College in
17 1995; and

18 **WHEREAS,** Major General Goldhorn had served for eleven (11) months
19 in Vietnam, where he held command positions with the 51st Medical
20 Company; and the Headquarters Detachment of the 67th EVAC Hospital; and

1 **WHEREAS**, Major General Goldhorn commanded South Dakota’s 147th
2 Field Artillery Brigade, and he served for three (3) years as the Chief of Staff
3 of the Guam Army National Guard, from November 1995 to March 1999; and

4 **WHEREAS**, Major General Goldhorn also served as the Assistant
5 Adjutant General of the South Dakota Army National Guard, from March
6 1999 to August 2010; and

7 **WHEREAS**, after retiring in September 2001, Major General Goldhorn
8 assumed the duties of Adjutant General , Guam National Guard on March 18,
9 2005; and

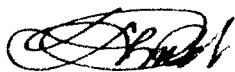
10 **WHEREAS**, Major General Goldhorn has been recognized with many
11 awards and decorations, to include: the Legion of Merit (with Oak Leaf
12 Cluster); the Bronze Star; the Meritorious Service Medal (with Oak Leaf
13 Cluster); the Army Commendation Medal for his actions in saving the life of a
14 soldier; and the Guam Commendation Medal and Humanitarian Award for
15 his actions in the recovery efforts of victims from the crash of Korean Airlines
16 Flight 801; and

17 **WHEREAS**, as the Adjutant General, Major General Donald James
18 Goldhorn was the principal advisor to *I Maga’lahen Guåhan* (the Governor of
19 Guam) on all military matters; and he was directly responsible for the
20 readiness, management and combat effectiveness of more than one thousand
21 six hundred fifty (1,650) men and women of the Guam Army and Air National
22 Guard; now, therefore, be it

1 **RESOLVED**, that *I Mina'Trenta Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on
2 behalf of the people of Guam, commend and congratulate Major General
3 Donald James Goldhorn on the occasion of his retirement after forty-one (41)
4 years of active military service; and does further extend *Un Dangkulo Na Si*
5 *Yu'os Ma'ase* to him for his leadership, his many accomplishments, and for his
6 dedication to our island and our nation; and be it further

7 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest
8 to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to
9 Major General Donald Goldhorn, Adjutant General of the Guam National
10 Guard; and to the Honorable Felix P. Camacho, *I Maga'lahren Guåhan*.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE 16TH DAY OF NOVEMBER 2010.



JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed. D.
Speaker



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