

*I Mina' Trentai Dos Na Liheslaturan Guåhan*  
**Resolutions Log Sheet**

Resolution No.	Sponsor	Title	Date Intro	Date of Presentation	Date Referred	Committee / Ofc Referred	Date Adopted
56-32 (LS)	Judith T. Won Pat	RELATIVE TO OBSERVING THE MONTH OF MARCH, 2013 AS GUPOT CHAMORRO (CHAMORRO CELEBRATION), AND TO COMMENDING THE CHAMORRO STUDIES DIVISION OF THE GUAM PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM, THE CHAMORRO LANGUAGE TEACHERS, AND TO ALL OTHERS WHO HAVE COLLABORATED IN THEIR EFFORTS TO THE PROMOTION AND PERPETUATION OF THE CHAMORRO LANGUAGE AND CULTURE.	2/25/13 3:02 P.M.	03/01/13			2/25/2013

**I MINA 'TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATORAN GUÅHAN**  
**Sesion (PRIMERU) Rigulåt 2013**  
**2013 (FIRST) Regular Session**

*Risulasion Numiru. 56-32 (LS)*  
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*Inentrodusen as:*

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*Chumilong yan inecha na u ma onra i måtso na mes tåtkumu  
Gupot Chamoru 2013 yan inorabuena para i, Dibision  
Inestudion Chamorro yan i espesiåt na prugråma siha gi  
Dipåtamenton Idukasion Guåhan, todú i manma'estra/ron  
Chamoru, yan todú ni' mandanna' para u ma abiba yan  
abånsa i lengguåhi yan kotturan chamorro.*

Relative to commending the *Chamorro* Studies Division of the Guam Department of Education, the *Chamorro* language teachers, and all others who have collaborated in the promotion and perpetuation of the *Chamorro* language and culture during the observance of the month of March 2013 as *Gupot Chamorro* (*Chamorro* Celebration).

1           ***U MA PRUPONI NI' MINA'TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN***  
2   ***GUÅHAN:***

3           ***BE IT RESOLVED BY I MINA'TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATURAN***  
4   ***GUÅHAN:***

5           ***KUMU, I temá para I Gipot Chamoru 2013, TUNGO' I FINO' MAÑAINA-TA***  
6   ***YAN NA'SETBE KADA DIHA, ya ta fanachu yan prutehi todú I Tano' I mañaina-ta***  
7   ***ni' manma akupa yan ma chule'guan hit ya ta chule' tåtte para I manmamaila' siha***  
8   ***na hinerasion. Ginen ini I MÅNOT NA GAI LIMA NA LUCHAN TÅNO' SINAHU u***  
9   ***nina'fanfitme yan manmetgot hit tåtkumu Manchamorro na taotåogues; yan***

10          **WHEREAS**, this year's 2013 *Gupot Chamorro* (*Chamorro Celebration*) theme,  
11   **"Tungo' I Fino' Mañaina-Ta Yan Na'setbe Kada Diha,"** or "Know the Language of  
12   Our Elders and Use It Every Day," compels all *I Mandotaotåno'* or *Chamorros* to rise  
13   up and protect against reoccupation and unjust takings of the *Chamorro* homelands,  
14   for such takings will diminish the future efforts of our children to survive and exist as  
15   indigenous peoples of the Marianas, which consists of fifteen (15) islands within *I*  
16   *Islas Sinahi Archipelago*, and which is vital to our strength and wisdom in recognizing  
17   the importance of revitalizing the *Chamorro* identity; and

18          ***KUMU, u fanma rikoknisa kada unu este siha na Manmaga' ni' chumochonnek***  
19   ***mo'na i lind'la' irensiå-ta para un hinerasion esta I otro; yan***

20          **WHEREAS**, all *Chamorro* language and cultural leaders are to be recognized  
21   for their individual and collective efforts to sustain our indigenous language, culture  
22   and heritage from one generation to the next; and

23          ***KUMU, u sigi luma'la' mo'na I kotturan Chamoru gi Dåndan, Baila, Lålai***  
24   ***U mestoria yan Atten Fina'tinas parehu gi entre i attista, che'cho' atte yan gi***  
25   ***minenhalom susiåt sa' esta mumalilingu i lina'la' i kottura yan i lengguåhi sa' put i***  
26   ***hinatmen estrangheru siha giné Uropa yan Amerika; yan***

1       **WHEREAS**, the *Chamorro* language and culture continues to exist through its  
2 daily use in music, dance, *lålai*, storytelling, and traditional arts and crafts; and  
3 although rich in such knowledge and skills, the indigenous people face losing their  
4 language and cultural lifestyle through European and American influences; and

5           **KUMU**, *gai responsåpbledå i manmå'gas på'go para u eppok yan ma iduka*  
6 *todu I famagu'on-ta put I prisisu-ña I irensiå'-ta yan kostumbre-ta na kumu siha u*  
7 *fanmå'gas un diha gi mamaila' na tiempo; yan*

8       **WHEREAS**, it becomes the responsibility of today's leaders to provide support  
9 and encouragement, and to educate our children about our heritage, and that one day  
10 they too will lead; and

11          **KUMU**, *otden na u fanmatuna yan ma rikoknisa i che'cho'-ñiha I*  
12 *Manma'estra/ron Chamoru yan I Dibision Inestudion Chamoru yan I Espesiåt na*  
13 *Prugråma Siha gi Dipåttamenton Idukasion Guåhan kumu siha prumotetehi,*  
14 *umabåbansa, yan sumostietieni mo'na i lengguåhi yan kotturan Chamoru gi Eskuelan*  
15 *Pupbleko siha yan gi kumunidåt; yan*

16       **WHEREAS**, it is imperative that the efforts of the *Chamorro* Studies Division  
17 and the *Chamorro* Teachers of the Guam Department of Education be acknowledged  
18 as the vanguards who have dedicated their efforts to emphasizing the significance of  
19 protecting, promoting and perpetuating the *Chamorro* language and culture in Guam's  
20 public schools, and in the community; and

21          **KUMU**, *parehu u ma rikoknisa I mamalu siha na ahensian atungo', I*  
22 *Dipåttamenton Kåhao Guinahan Chamorro, I Kåhan Kotturan Guåhan, I Inangokkon*  
23 *Inadahen Guåhan, I Unibetsedåt Guåhan, I Ufisinan Binisitan Guåhan, I Inetnon*  
24 *Lalåhen Guåhan, På'a' Taotaotano', Inangokon Inadahen Guahan yan todु I Inetnon*  
25 *siha gi enteru Kumunidåt Guåhan na u ma kontenuha mo'na I mision ni' para u ma*

1      *prutehi, adahi yan sostieni, abånsa yan abiba I lengguåhi ;yan kotturan Chamoru,*  
2      *åhe' ti gi durånten I mes ha' na gi di'åriu lina'la'; yan*

3            **WHEREAS**, it is also worthy to acknowledge the collaboration of all the  
4      *Chamorro language and culture stakeholders, including, the Department of Chamorro*  
5      *Affairs, the Guam Council on the Arts and Humanities Agency, the University of*  
6      *Guam, the Guam Visitors Bureau, the Young Men's League of Guam, På'a Tåotao*  
7      *Tåno'*, the Guam Preservation Trust, and all of Guam's community organizations that  
8      continue to carry out our mission to protect, promote and perpetuate the *Chamorro*  
9      language and culture, not only during *Chamorro Month* but in their everyday lives;  
10     and

11        **KUMU**, *todu I manufisiåles yan I Mangge'helo' Ahensia siha u fampattesipa gi*  
12        **"PRUGRÅMAN TINAITAI BISITA"** *ya u fanmanaitai kadada' estoria gi Chamorro*  
13        *gi famagu'on kosaki annok siha kumu manmudelu ya ma supopotte I Lengguåhi yan*  
14        *Kotturan Chamorro; yan*

15            **WHEREAS**, during the 2013 *Gupot Chamoru*, public officials and government  
16      leaders will participate as "Celebrity Readers," reading short stories in *Chamorro* to  
17      the public school students of the Guam Department of Education in a show of support  
18      as role models for the *Chamorro* language and culture; and

19        **KUMU**, *u ma onra yan rikoknisa I MANHÅCHA SIHA NA GINANNAN*  
20        *PINENTAN TEMA gi Acha'ikak Pinentan Estodiånte 2013 para kada grådon*  
21        *katagoriu; yan*

22            **WHEREAS**, the first place winners of the 2013 *Gupot Chamoru* Theme Poster  
23      Contest will be honored, recognized and acknowledged by receiving their  
24      plaques/certificates for their win, within their respective grade level categories; and

1       **KUMU**, ta eppok todū I taotāo Guåhan na u fampattesipa gi todū I aktededåt  
2       siha kosaki u fanyinama I tiningo'-ñiha mas put I haga'-ta; yan tumaimanu hit na  
3       taotaogues; put este na; yan

4       **WHEREAS**, the people of Guam are encouraged to attend the planned  
5       activities and events so that they can be attuned and enlightened to the *Chamorro*  
6       language and culture, and be knowledgeable of its history and evolution; now  
7       therefore, be it

8       **MA DITETMINA**, *I Mina'Trentai Dos Na Liheslaturan Guåhan*; yan I taotao  
9       Guåhan u diklåra MÅTSO NA MES tåtkumu GUPOT CHAMORU 2013; yan era mås  
10      na

11       **RESOLVED**, that *I Mina'Trentai Dos Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby,  
12       on behalf of the people of Guam, recognize the month of March 2013 as *Gupot*  
13       *Chamorro* (*Chamorro* Celebration); and be it further

14       **MA DITETMINA**, *ni' Mina'Trentai dos na Liheslaturan Guåhan*; yan todū I  
15       taotāo Guåhan u ma rikoknisa I Manma'estra/ron Chamorro; yan I Dibision  
16       Inestudion Chamorro; yan gi Dipåttamenton Idukasion Guåhan put i minesngon  
17       guinaiyan-ñiha put para u ma abiba; yan abånsa mo'na I lengguhi; yan kotturan  
18       Chamorro; yan era mås na

19       **RESOLVED**, that *I Mina'Trentai Dos Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby,  
20       on behalf of the people of Guam, acknowledge all the *Chamorro* Studies teachers of  
21       the Guam Department of Education for their unwavering devotion to the perpetuation  
22       of the *Chamorro* language and culture; and be it further

23       **MA DITETMMINA**, *na I Mina'Trentai dos na Liheslaturan Guåhan u*  
24       *ekstende agadisimento yan I taotāo Guåhan*, ya ta saluda todū I mamalu na Inetnon  
25       yan Grupu Siha ni' umabåbansa mo'na I lengguåhi; kotturan Chamorro ni' put I  
26       finatta siha yan aktebedåt ni' siña ma li'e' yan ma fa'tinas siha na lepblo yan matiriåt

1       *ni' para u mafa'nå'gue yan tungo' I Lengguåhi yan Kotturan Chamorro para todū I*  
2       *estodiånte siha yan para todū I taotåtao kumunidåt; yan put era mås na*

3           **RESOLVED**, that *I Mina'Trentai Dos Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby,  
4       on behalf of the people of Guam, salute all of the many collaborators who have  
5       assisted in the development of activities to showcase the *Chamorro* language and  
6       culture; have made possible attractions at which examples of the *Chamorro* culture  
7       may be viewed; and have developed curricula/instructional materials for the teaching  
8       of the *Chamorro* language and culture to Guam's students; and be it further

9           **MA DITEMINA**, na *I Ge'helo' Liheslaturan Guåhan, yan I Sikritårian*  
10      *Liheslatura u settefika na u ma adopta yan na'siguru na ma na'gai kopia: si Jose Q.*  
11      *Cruz, Etmas Ge'helo' Membron Idukasion Pupplekon Guåhan, si Siñot Jon J.P.*  
12      *Fernandez, Ge'helo' Dipåttamenton Idukasion Guåhan, si Joseph Cameron,*  
13      *Prisidenten Dipåttamenton Kåohao Guinahan Chamorro, si Ronald T. Laguña,*  
14      *Atmenestradot, Dipåttamenton Idukasion Guåhan, Dibision Inestudion Chamoru,*  
15      *Sinot Jimmy Teria yan si Severina Atalig, I Dos Ge'helo'- Kumiten Silibrasion Gupot*  
16      *Chamoru 2013, I Kåhan Kotturan Guinahan Guåhan, si Dåktot Robert T.*  
17      *Underwood, Prisidenten Kulehon Kumunidåt Guåhan, si Danny Cruz, Prisidenten*  
18      *Inetnon Lalåhen Guåhan, si siñot Karl Pangelinan, Hinerát Må'gas, Setbision Bisitan*  
19      *Guåhan, si Linda T. Reyes, Atkådi na Iksekatibu Ufisiát, På'a Taotao Tano', si Dan*  
20      *"Pågat" Jackson, Maga'låhi, Nasion Chamorro yan, si Hunoråpble Edward J.B.*  
21      *Calvo, I Maga'låhen Guåhan.*

22           **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to,  
23       the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Dr. Jose  
24       Q. Cruz, Chairman, Guam Education Board; to Mr. Jon J.P. Fernandez,  
25       Superintendent, Guam Department of Education; to Mr. Ronald T. Laguana,  
26       Administrator, DOE *Chamoru* Studies Division; to Mr. Jimmy S. Teria and Servina

1 Atalig, Committee Chairs of the 2013 *Gupot Chamorro* Central Planning Committee;  
2 to Mr. Joseph Cameron, President of the Department of *Chamorro* Affairs; to Dr.  
3 Robert Underwood, President, University of Guam; to Mr. Danny Cruz, President,  
4 Young Men's League of Guam; to Mr. Karl Pangelinan, General Manager, Guam  
5 Visitors Bureau; to Ms. Linda T. Reyes, Chief Executive Officer, *Pa'a Taotao Tano'*;  
6 to Mr. Dan "Pågat" Jackson, *Maga'låhi, Nasion Chamorro*; and to the Honorable  
7 Edward J.B. Calvo, *I Maga'lahan Guåhan*.

**NA U INADOPTA GI RIGULÅT NU I MINA'TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATORAN GUÅHAN GI DIHA BENTE-DOS GI FIBRERU NA MES, DOS MIT TRESSE NA SÅKKAN (2013).**

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY I MINA'TRENTAI DOS NA LIHESLATORAN GUÅHAN ON THE 22<sup>ND</sup> DAY OF FEBRUARY 2013.**

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