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Speaker Benjamin J.F. Cruz

Honorable Benjamin JF Cruz
Speaker
I Mina'Trentai Kuåttro na Liheslaturan Guåhan
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Dear Mr. Speaker:

Transmitted herewith is a copy of Resolution No. 2017-006 which was duly and regularly adopted by the Barrigada Municipal Planning Council on March 30, 2017.

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Resolution No. 2017 – 006, "Relative to expressing the Municipal Planning Council's unequivocal support for Bill 62-34 (COR), AN ACT TO TRANSFER LOT NAVAL AIR STATION AGAÑA 19 TO THE JURISDICTON AND RESPONSIBILITY OF THE MAYOR OF BARRIGADA FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING NEEDED RECREATIONAL FACILITIES."

Sinseramente,

ROWENA HERNANDEZ
Acting Council Secretary

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cc: All Senators

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BARRIGADA

MUNICIPAL PLANNING COUNCIL
Thursday, March 30, 2017

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Resolution No. 2017 - 006

Introduced by: Chairman and all Members of the Barrigada Municipal Planning Council

Relative to expressing the Municipal Planning Council's unequivocal support for Bill 62-34 (COR), "AN ACT TO TRANSFER LOT NAVAL AIR STATION AGAÑA 19 TO THE JURISDICTON AND RESPONSIBILITY OF THE MAYOR OF BARRIGADA FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING NEEDED RECREATIONAL FACILITIES."

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MUNICIPAL PLANNING COUNCIL OF BARRIGADA:

WHEREAS, the municipality of Barrigada has long expressed its desire to utilize, maintain and operate for public benefit, Lot NAS Agaña 19; and

WHEREAS, the issue of utilizing the Tiyan recreation facilities is not new to Barrigada. The Community first submitted its proposal to the *Komitea Para Tiyan* NAS Reuse Master Plan back in March 1995. Barrigada presented an alternative plan of action to the *Komitea Para Tiyan* for their review. The plan was to transfer Tiyan to the jurisdiction of the Mayor so that the area can be fully utilized as a sports, recreation and park area; and

WHEREAS, some of the relevant history concerning the disposition of public lands in Barrigada were used for islandwide public purposes such as land exchanges; the other was for the construction of the Guam Memorial Hospital Acute Care Facility and also for exchange purposes with landowners whose

properties were designated as part of the Prison Buffer Zone while none were reserved for community; and

WHEREAS, even the area where the Mayor's office is situated is fast becoming inadequate; and

WHEREAS, a closer look at Barrigada reveals the following:

1. Barrigada has been divided into two (2) areas by federal landholdings [(NAS) Naval Air Station, and (NCTAMS) the Naval Computer and Telecommunications Area Master Station];
2. The Tri intersection of Routes 8, 10 and 16, with all the tremendous traffic volume, further separates the community;
3. Barrigada Heights area has no public parks/recreational facilities;
4. San Antonio and Lalo areas have no public parks/recreational facilities; and
5. Village proper area, Leyang, Aspengao and Canada have very limited access to one (1) outdoor asphalt multi-purpose basketball court; one (1) outdoor volleyball court, and one (1) multi use community center recreation area located adjacent to the Mayor's office.

now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the Municipal Planning Council does hereby on behalf of the residents of Barrigada respectfully request *I Mina'Trentai Kuåttro na Liheslaturan Guåhan* to act favorably and support the passage of Bill No. 62-34 (COR) "AN ACT TO TRANSFER LOT NAVAL AIR STATION AGAÑA 19 TO THE JURISDICTON AND RESPONSIBILITY OF THE MAYOR OF BARRIGADA FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING NEEDED RECREATIONAL FACILITIES;" and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Chairperson of the Council, certify to and the Vice Mayor and the Secretary of the Council attest to the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to the Honorable Benjamin JF Cruz, Speaker, and to all Senators of *I Mina'Trentai Kuåttro na Liheslaturan Guåhan*; and to the Honorable Edward J.B. Calvo, *I Maga'lahen Guåhan.*

DULY AND REGUARLY ADOPTED ON THE 30th DAY OF March, 2017.

JUNE U. BLAS
Mayor

JESSIE P. BAUTISTA
Vice Mayor

ROWENA HERNANDEZ
Acting Council Secretary

HAMI BÅRIGÅDA