

I MINA'TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN
RESOLUTIONS

| Resolution No. | Sponsor | Title | Date Intro | Date of Presentation | Date Adopted | Date Referred | Referred to | PUBLIC HEARING DATE | DATE AUTHORS REPORT FILED | NOTES |
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| 46-37 (LS) | Therese M. Terlaje | Relative to recognizing the National Association of Social Workers (NASW) Guam Chapter on the observance of "Social Work Month" during the month of March 2023 and on their annual conference with this year's theme, <i>Intergenerational Healing: Supporting Families Across the Lifespan</i> ; and commending the NASW Guam Chapter for their dedication and commitment to improving the lives of individuals and their families. | 3/3/23 12:00 p.m. | 3/9/23 3:00 p.m. | 3/3/23 | | | | | |

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Resolution No. 46-37 (LS)

Introduced by: Therese M. Terlaje

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BE IT RESOLVED BY I MINA TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUAHAN:

WHEREAS, the Social Work Profession was founded on social movements that worked towards the goal of equality and justice, ultimately inspiring social change; and throughout the profession's history, Social Workers have sought to ensure that all people have equal access to the resources and opportunities that allow them to meet their basic human needs; and

WHEREAS, the Social Work profession has always been present in times of crisis, helping individuals cope with grief and loss by empowering them through counseling and connecting them to the resources they need for stability, while respecting their right to self-determination; and

WHEREAS, Social Workers have advocated for positive changes that have made society a better place to live, by urging lawmakers to adopt socially sound policies, to include the establishment of a minimum wage, the improvement of workplace safety, and the enactment of social safety net programs that help ameliorate hunger, homelessness, and poverty; and

WHEREAS, the National Association of Social Workers (NASW) upholds their mission by advocating for the association to the members of the United States Congress and regulatory agencies that so often hold the authority to influence policy. The NASW has developed a policy agenda, which asserts the Association's advocacy priorities for the legislative cycle; and NASW's policy agenda is consistent with the NASW policies in Social Work Speaks, which is developed by members of the Association at the Delegate Assembly; and

WHEREAS, the Social Work Profession is one of the fastest growing professions in the United States, with nearly eight hundred thousand (800,000) people expected to be employed as Social Workers by 2028, working in every facet of community life, including schools, hospitals, mental health clinics, senior centers, elected offices, private practices, prisons, military entities, corporations, and in numerous public and private agencies; and

WHEREAS, Social Workers help clients who face a disability, life-threatening disease, or a social problem such as inadequate housing, unemployment, or substance abuse; assist families that have serious domestic conflicts involving child or spousal abuse; conduct research, advocate for improved services, engage in system design and develop policies, all specializing in serving a particular population or working in a specific setting; and

WHEREAS, Social Workers have helped our island and our nation live up to its values by successfully advocating for equal rights for all - no matter their race, skin color, sexual identity, gender, gender expression, abilities, culture, or religion, and Social Workers continue to stand ready to assist and serve our island and our nation in overcoming present and future challenges; and

WHEREAS, this year's "Social Work Month" theme, *Intergenerational Healing: Supporting Families Across the Lifespan* aims at healing and strengthening families as a critical component of the overall health and wellness from the results of past trauma and to learn effective ways to address it in the present, and future, heal from it, and gain the courage to move forward positively and productively; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that I Mina Trentai Siette Na Liheslaturan Guahan does hereby, on behalf of I Liheslaturan Guahan the people of Guam, recognize the National Association of Social Workers (NASW) Guam Chapter on the observance of "Social Work Month" during the month of March 2023 and on their annual conference with this year's theme, *Intergenerational Healing: Supporting Families Across the Lifespan*; and commend the NASW Guam Chapter for their dedication and commitment to improving the lives of individuals and their families; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to the National Association of Social Workers Guam Chapter; and to the Honorable Lourdes A. Leon Guerrero, I Magsa'hdagan Guahan.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY I MINA TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUAHAN ON THE 3RD DAY OF MARCH 2023.

THERESE M. TERLAJE
Speaker

AMANDA L. SHELTON
Legislative Secretary



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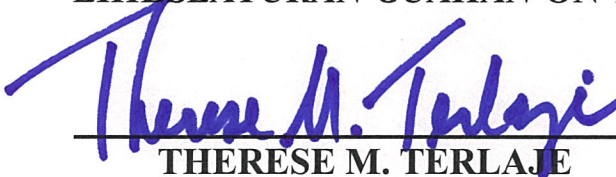
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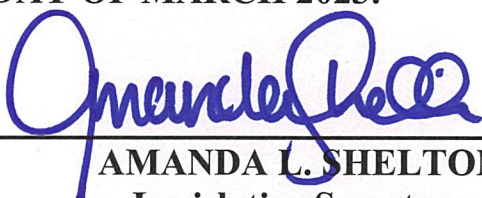
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Committee on Health, Land, Justice and Culture

March 8, 2023

MEMORANDUM

To: All Senators, Stakeholders

From: Speaker Therese M. Terlaje *TMT*

Subject: **Notice of Presentation - Resolution Nos. 42-37 (LS) to 46-37 (LS)**

Buenas yan Håfa Adai!

Please join us for the presentation of the following commendatory resolutions:

1. Resolution No. 42-37 (LS) - **"Relative to congratulating Talysa Quintara Kakas as the recipient of the "2023 National Association of Social Work (NASW) Guam Chapter Social Work Student of the Year Award," and further recognizing her for serving the people of Guam and strengthening healthy relationships in our island community."**
2. Resolution No. 43-37 (LS) - **"Relative to congratulating Angelina-Marie Cruz Lape as the recipient of the "2023 National Association of Social Workers (NASW) Guam Chapter Social Worker of the Year Award," and further recognizing her for serving the people of Guam and strengthening healthy relationships in our island community."**
3. Resolution No. 44-37 (LS) - **"Relative to recognizing and congratulating Julian J. Aguon as the recipient of the "2023 National Association of Social Workers (NASW) Guam Chapter Public Citizen Award," and further recognizing him for serving the people of Guam and strengthening healthy relationships in our island community."**
4. Resolution No. 45-37 (LS) - **"Relative to congratulating the GotYourSix71 Non-Profit Organization as the recipient of the "2023 National Association of Social Workers (NASW) Guam Chapter Exemplary Service Provider Award," and further recognizing the non-profit organization for serving the people of Guam and strengthening healthy relationships in our island community."**

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The presentation will be held on **Thursday, March 9, 2023, 3:00 p.m.** at the **Westin Hotel Guam, Tumon.**

We look forward to your attendance and participation.

Si Yu'os Ma'åse'!

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