

**I MINA'TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÁHAN
RESOLUTIONS**

Resolution No.	Sponsor	Title	Date Intro	Date of Presentation	Date Adopted	Date Referred	Referred to	PUBLIC HEARING DATE	DATE AUTHORS REPORT FILED	NOTES
162-37 (LS)	Therese M. Terlaje	Relative to recognizing the REALTORS® Relief Foundation for awarding Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$500,000) for the purpose of providing housing assistance to the families impacted by Typhoon Mawar; and commending the Guam Association of REALTORS® for their unwavering commitment to providing support and opportunities for our island community.	7/24/23 2:49 p.m.	7/29/23 12:00 p.m.	7/24/23					

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BE IT RESOLVED BY I MINA'TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÁHAN:

WHEREAS, the REALTORS® Relief Foundation (RRF) began out of necessity by four (4) National Association of REALTORS® (NAR) leaders: Richard Mendenhall, (MO) 2001 NAR President; Cathy Whatley, (FL) 2001 NAR First Vice-President; Martin Edwards, Jr., (TN) 2001 President-elect; and Pat Kaplan, (OR) 2001 Treasurer, who along with their team helped the victims of 9/11 and their families; and the RRF continues to be driven by dedicated REALTORS® who carry forth the mission of the REALTORS® Relief Foundation; and

WHEREAS, today, the 2023 RRF Board members include Mike McGrew (KS), President, Dave Charron (MD), Vice President, Michael Ford (AR), Immediate Past President, Leigh Brown (NC), Director, Greg Hrabcak (OH), Director, and Norman Morris (LA), Director who oversee the work of the Foundation with a primary focus on grant approval and disbursement; and

WHEREAS, across the country, the REALTOR® family has come together to support the Foundation and push its advancement in every community by serving the public in every way possible with dedication, and their commitment is even stronger in the wake of a disaster; and

WHEREAS, in 2022, RRF supported one thousand eight hundred (1,800) families, and aid was sent to thirteen (13) states and territories following seventeen (17) disasters; and with two thousand two hundred ninety-three (2,293) individuals and two hundred ninety (290) REALTOR® Associations, Three Million Six Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$3,650,000) was dispersed to victims, and sixty (60) companies gave selflessly to financially support the RRF mission and illustrate the heart of the REALTOR® community; and

WHEREAS, according to the RRF 2022 Impact Report, the 2022 annual campaign fundraising effort raised over Four Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$4,500,000) to ensure it is ready to respond to any disaster thanks to the unwavering support of individual REALTORS®, REALTOR® Associations, and affiliated members of the REALTOR® family across the country; and

WHEREAS, through their collaboration, the RRF is able to multiply their impact where communities need it most; and when disasters strike, the REALTORS® Relief Foundation stands ready to provide housing-related support to communities impacted by hurricanes, earthquakes, tornadoes, floods, blizzards, wildfires, or other disasters, and that the most important thing is getting help to where it is needed most; and working alongside state and local association partners in the impacted areas, RRF is able to pool the support of the entire REALTOR® family to help meet the housing needs of victims and their families; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that *I Mina'trentai Siette Na Liheslaturan Guáhan* does hereby, on behalf of the people of Guam, recognize the REALTORS® Relief Foundation for awarding Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$500,000) for the purpose of providing housing assistance to the families impacted by Typhoon Mawar; and commend the Guam Association of REALTORS® for their unwavering commitment to providing support and opportunities for our island community; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Speaker certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to the REALTORS® Relief Foundation, Guam Association of REALTORS®; and to the Honorable Lourdes A. Leon Guerrero, *I Maga'hagan Guáhan*.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY I MINA'TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÁHAN ON THE 24TH DAY OF JULY 2023.

Therese M. Terlaje
 THERESE M. TERLAJE
 Speaker

Amanda L. Shelton
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 Legislative Secretary



MARIE CRUZ
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 07/28/23, 11:15am

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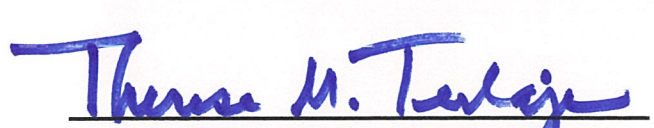
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THERESE M. TERLAJE
Speaker



AMANDAL. SHELTON
Legislative Secretary



Office of the Speaker
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I Mina'trentai Siette na Liheslaturan Guåhan | 37th Guam Legislature
Committee on Health, Land, Justice, and Culture

July 25, 2023

MEMORANDUM

To: All Senators, Stakeholders

From: Speaker Therese M. Terlaje *TMT*

Subject: **Notice of Presentation - Resolution No. 162-37 (LS)**

Buenas yan Håfa Adai!

Please join us for the presentation of Resolution No. 162-37 (LS) - **"Relative to recognizing the REALTORS® Relief Foundation for awarding five hundred thousand (\$500,000) dollars for the purpose of providing housing assistance to the families impacted by Typhoon Mawar; and commending the Guam Association of REALTORS® for their unwavering commitment to providing support and opportunities for our island community."**

The presentation will be held on **Saturday, July 29, 2023, at 12:00 p.m.** at the **Micronesia Mall Center Court, Dededo.**

We look forward to your attendance and participation.

Si Yu'os Ma'åse'!

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