

***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
555-37 (COR)	Therese M. Terlaje	Relative to recognizing and commending Blanca A. Imbo for her outstanding leadership as Immediate Past District Governor of Lions International District 204 for Lions Year 2023-2024; and for her dedicated service to the communities of Guam, Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands (CNMI), and the Marshall Islands.	10/11/24 8:00 a.m.	10/19/24 6:00 p.m.						

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**2024 (SECOND) Regular Session**

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Introduced by:

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1        **BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF**  
2 ***I MINA'TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN*:**

3        **WHEREAS**, it is the sense of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* to recognize the  
4 accomplishments of those distinguished citizens of this great island who have devoted  
5 themselves to faithfully serving the best interests of our community and the needs of  
6 our people; and

7        **WHEREAS**, one such distinguished citizen is Blanca A. Imbo, a dedicated  
8 member of the Guam Galaide Lions Club since April 1, 2010, has exemplified the  
9 values of service, leadership, and compassion throughout her distinguished fourteen  
10 (14) year career with Lions International, holding numerous significant roles in service  
11 of her club and community; and

12        **WHEREAS**, Blanca served as Club President for Lions Year (LY) 2014-2015,  
13 Zone Chairperson from 2018-2020, Second Vice District Governor for LY 2021-2022,  
14 First Vice District Governor for LY 2022-2023, and most notably as District Governor

1 of Lions International District 204 for LY 2023-2024, representing Guam, the CNMI,  
2 and the Marshall Islands; and

3 **WHEREAS,** as of July 1, 2024, Blanca holds the distinguished title of  
4 Immediate Past District Governor, a role she will serve in until June 30, 2025,  
5 continuing to provide leadership and guidance to Lions District 204; and

6 **WHEREAS,** under District Governor Imbo’s exceptional leadership in Lions  
7 Year 2023-2024, Lions International District 204 chartered two new Lions Clubs, added  
8 two hundred eighty seven (287) new members, and performed one thousand nine  
9 (1,009) service activities that benefited thirty thousand eight hundred thirty eight  
10 (30,838) individuals across Guam, the CNMI, and the Marshall Islands, addressing  
11 various needs such as healthcare, disaster relief, and humanitarian services; and

12 **WHEREAS,** she has demonstrated a commitment to addressing the global cause  
13 of diabetes awareness and prevention, successfully organizing three Community Health  
14 Fairs in Guam and one in Saipan, bringing vital health services and education to the  
15 island communities; and

16 **WHEREAS,** recognizing the importance of leadership development and  
17 organizational excellence, District Governor Imbo spearheaded numerous training and  
18 development initiatives for Lions officers and members, including Officer Trainings,  
19 Zone Chairperson Workshops, Global Action Team Meetings, Guiding Lion  
20 Certifications, and the Emerging Lions Leadership Institute, ensuring that Lions in  
21 District 204 continue to grow and excel in their service; and

22 **WHEREAS,** in her tenure as District Governor Imbo hosted the first-ever Joint  
23 Global Action Team Night in collaboration with Multi District 301 Philippines and  
24 District 204 Guam, fostering fellowship, collaboration, and mutual understanding  
25 among Lions in the Global Action Team Area 5; and

26 **WHEREAS,** she welcomed the first visit of Lions Clubs International  
27 Foundation Chairman and Immediate Past International President Brian Sheehan to  
28 District 204, marking a significant milestone for the district, with over \$112,000 in  
29 contributions from Lions and Clubs of District 204 to the Lions Clubs International

1 Foundation, furthering efforts in disaster relief, humanitarian services, and addressing  
2 global areas of greatest need; and

3 **WHEREAS**, as a dedicated supporter of the Lions Clubs International  
4 Foundation, Blanca was honored with the prestigious title of Progressive Melvin Jones  
5 Fellow (PMJF), recognizing her extraordinary contributions to the foundation and her  
6 commitment to the Lions' mission of service to humanity; and

7 **WHEREAS**, Blanca's remarkable career and unwavering commitment to service  
8 has inspired countless others to follow in her footsteps, ensuring that the Lions' mission  
9 continues to thrive and make a meaningful impact on the lives of people across Guam,  
10 the CNMI, and the Marshall Islands; now therefore, be it

11 **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'trentai Siette Na*  
12 *Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of the people of Guam, recognize and  
13 commend Blanca A. Imbo for her outstanding leadership as Immediate Past District  
14 Governor of Lions International District 204 for Lions Year 2023-2024; and for her  
15 dedicated service to the communities of Guam, Commonwealth of the Northern  
16 Mariana Islands (CNMI), and the Marshall Islands; and be it further

17 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules  
18 certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of  
19 the same be thereafter transmitted to the Blanca A. Imbo; and to the Honorable Lourdes  
20 A. Leon Guerrero, *I Maga'hågan Guåhan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF  
I MINA'TRENTAI SIETTE NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE DAY OF  
OCTOBER 2024.**