

I MINA'TRENTAI OCHO 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
121-38 (LS)	Telo T. Taitague Therese M. Terlaje Chris Barnett Sabina Flores Perez Frank F. Blas, Jr. Shelly V. Calvo Jesse A. Lujan Christopher M. Dueñas William A. Parkinson Joe S. San Agustin V. Anthony Ada Vincent A.V. Borja Eulogio Shawn Gumataotao Tina Rose Muña-Barnes Sabrina Salas Matanane	Relative to recognizing Ms. Monica Jesus Guerrero for her forty (40) years of dedicated service and contributions to the government of Guam; and congratulating her on her retirement.	12/5/25 9:39 a.m.	1/9/26 11:30 a.m.	12/5/25 9:39 a.m.					

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BE IT RESOLVED BY I MINA 'TRENTAI OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN:

WHEREAS, Ms. Monica Jesus Guerrero, Chief Planner, retires on January 2, 2026, after completing forty (40) years of government service at the Bureau of Statistics and Plans, formerly known as the Bureau of Planning; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Guerrero graduated from Seattle University in Washington State with a Bachelor of Arts (BA) in Criminal Justice with a minor in Computer Science in 1986; and

WHEREAS, on September 22, 1986, Ms. Guerrero began her career with the government as a Planner I with the Planning Information Program Division, Bureau of Planning; and

WHEREAS, in 1995, Ms. Guerrero was promoted to Planner II. Eight years later, through her exceptional performance on the job, Ms. Guerrero was promoted to Planner III. In 2013, Ms. Guerrero was promoted to Planner IV and appointed Supervisor of the Planning Information Program; and

WHEREAS, in 2017, she received the Magnificent Professionals (MagPRO) Award for Employee of the Year – Planning. The MagPRO Awards is a government-wide employee recognition designed to honor outstanding public servants within the Executive Branch of the Government of Guam. This Award demonstrates her outstanding performance for going above and beyond her required duties and commitment to serving the people of Guam; and

WHEREAS, in 2024, she was promoted as Chief Planner of the Bureau, attaining the highest position in the Planning series; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Guerrero has served under eleven (11) Executive Branch Administrations with four (4) Governors serving two (2) consecutive terms and served under fourteen (14) Bureau Directors; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Guerrero served as staff support to the South Pacific Games and was instrumental in the privatization of GTA; and

WHEREAS, for over twenty (20) years, Ms. Guerrero served as the Guam State Data Center liaison in partnership with the U.S. Census Bureau in providing census data to the Government of Guam agencies, private entities, nongovernmental organizations, and the community; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Guerrero has mastered the use of various software such as the Integrated Microcomputer Processing System and the CSPro to generate and disseminate census data; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Guerrero provided lead technical and programmatic support to the 2010 and 2020 Census of Guam; and

WHEREAS, for eighteen (18) years, Ms. Guerrero served as the lead grants manager for the Western Pacific Information Fisheries Network and the Interjurisdictional Fisheries Act, collecting and reporting data on tuna transshipment as part of Guam's efforts to manage and sustain its fishery resource; and

WHEREAS, for more than fifteen (15) years, Ms. Guerrero led the Business Sector Disaster Damage Assessment, coordinating partner government agencies to collect data on estimated losses reported by businesses following a disaster; and

WHEREAS, in partnership with the University of Guam and the University of Michigan, Ms. Guerrero was instrumental in developing the calculation of Guam's Social Vulnerability Index (SVI) for Guam, which is used to assist government and emergency officials in identifying and providing relief to areas most prone to disasters; and

WHEREAS, for over fifteen (15) years, Ms. Guerrero served in the Department of Public Health's NCD Consortium's Data and Surveillance Action Team, contributing significantly to various data reports and the 5-Year Guam NCD Strategic Plan for 2019 - 2023; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Guerrero served as the lead grants manager for the implementation of the Economic Development Administration's Statewide Planning Grant, which funded the Department of Agriculture's Agriculture Master Plan, Phase II of the Additive Manufacturing, and the Transshipment Feasibility Study; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Guerrero played a key role in the application and implementation of the National Telecommunications and Information Administration's Broadband Infrastructure Program, which is bringing fiber-optic cable and 5G service to southern Guam residents and delivering low-latency connectivity for users across the island; and

WHEREAS, throughout her professional career as a Planner, Ms. Guerrero has provided countless support and technical assistance to various government agencies in the development and implementation of grants and projects, studies and research, data verification of the Guam Visitors Bureau's visitor arrival statistics and Guam Customs and Agriculture forms, as well as the development of various government plans; and

WHEREAS, the Bureau of Statistics and Plans expresses its deep appreciation to Ms. Guerrero's family, most notably her sister Oreo Guerrero, and her two (2) nephews, Joaquin and Jordan, for their unwavering support throughout Ms. Guerrero's forty (40) years of dedicated service; and

WHEREAS, *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* further extends its best wishes to Ms. Guerrero as she enters the ranks of the retired class; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that *I Mina'trentai Ocho Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of the people of Guam, recognize Ms. Monica Jesus Guerrero her forty (40) years of dedicated service and contributions to the government of Guam; and congratulate her on her retirement; 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 Ms. Monica Jesus Guerrero; to Mrs. Lola E. Leon Guerrero, Director, Bureau of Statistics and Plans; and to the Honorable Lourdes A. Leon Guerrero, *I Maga'dågan Guåhan*.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY I MINA 'TRENTAI OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE 5TH DAY OF DECEMBER 2025.

Frank F. Blas, Jr.
Speaker

Sabrina Salas Matanane
Legislative Secretary



12:38 pm 01/07/24

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2025 (FIRST) Regular Session

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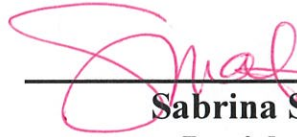
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- 1 Jesus Guerrero; to Mrs. Lola E. Leon Guerrero, Director, Bureau of Statistics and Plans;
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December 31, 2025

MEMORANDUM

TO: All Senators, Stakeholders

FROM: Senator Telo T. Taitague 

SUBJECT: Notice of Presentation for Resolution No. 121-38 (LS)

Buenas yan Håfa Adai!

Please join me in presenting the following Legislative Resolution:

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The presentation will take place on **Friday, January 9, 2025, at 11:30 a.m. at Capital Kitchen Guam.**

We look forward to your attendance and participation.

Si Yu’os Ma’åse’!

For additional information regarding this press release, please contact Senator Taitague’s office at 671-989-8356. Information requests may also be sent via email to senatortelot@gmail.com.

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