













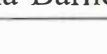


**I MINA'TRENTAI OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN GUÁHAN
RESOLUTIONS**

Resolution No.	Sponsor	Title	Date Intro	Date of Presentation	Date Adopted	Date Referred	Referred to	PUBLIC HEARING DATE	DATE AUTHORS REPORT FILED	NOTES
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1 **BE IT RESOLVED BY *I MINA'TRENTAI OCHO NA LIHESLATURAN***
2 ***GUÅHAN*:**

3 **WHEREAS**, the late Honorable Franklin Meno Taitague was born on July 30,
4 1949, to Joseph Mantanona Taitague and Lourdes Meno Taitague of *Inalåhan*; and

5 **WHEREAS**, he was the eldest son of eight (8) children and was raised alongside
6 his siblings Maria, Edna, Julia, Grace, Lydia, Johnny, and Rosie; and

1 **WHEREAS**, he graduated from George Washington Senior High School in
2 1967, and later attended the University of Guam and Guam Community College, where
3 he earned an Associate Degree in Computer Science; and

4 **WHEREAS**, on August 10, 1974, Franklin married Florentina C. Taitague, and
5 together they built a life rooted in love, faith, family, and service until her passing on
6 April 7, 2015; and

7 **WHEREAS**, Franklin and Florentina were blessed with four (4) children, Lester,
8 Joshua, Christina, and Franklin Jr., and they also reared a son, the Most Reverend
9 Romeo D. Convocar, D.D., Bishop of Chalan Kanoa, Saipan; and together, their family
10 grew to include nineteen (19) grandchildren and twelve (12) great-grandchildren; and

11 **WHEREAS**, he dedicated many years of service to the Guam Power Authority,
12 where he retired in 1994 as Data Processing Manager; and

13 **WHEREAS**, he also honorably served his country in the United States Army,
14 both on active duty and reserve duty, attaining the rank of First Sergeant, E-8; and

15 **WHEREAS**, in the 2000 *Inalåhan* Mayoral Election, he made history as the first
16 write-in candidate elected Mayor of *Inalåhan*, beginning his public service as Mayor
17 on January 1, 2001, and faithfully serving for three (3) terms through January 7, 2013,
18 providing twelve (12) years of dedicated leadership to the residents of his beloved
19 village; and

20 **WHEREAS**, during his years in office, he worked to strengthen and uplift
21 *Inalåhan*, including beginning the *Ija* subdivision development, initiating the
22 restoration of the *Inalåhan* Community Center, and supporting various other projects
23 for the benefit of the village and its residents; and

24 **WHEREAS**, he also served as Treasurer of the Mayors' Council of Guam from
25 January 2005 to December 2012, contributing his time, experience, and leadership to
26 the collective work of the Mayors' Council of Guam; and

27 **WHEREAS**, in addition to his duties as Mayor, he served as a member of the
28 Workers' Compensation Commission, a member of the Festival Organizing Committee
29 for FESTPAC 2016, a member of the Civilian/Military Task Force, and a member of

1 the Association of Mariana Islands Mayors, Vice Mayors and Elected Municipal
2 Council Members; and

3 **WHEREAS**, he was a faithful parishioner of Saint Joseph Catholic Church in
4 *Inalåhan* and participated in the San Jose Adult Choir, reflecting his deep faith and his
5 love for the traditions and spiritual life of his community; and

6 **WHEREAS**, the life and legacy of the late Honorable Franklin Meno Taitague
7 reflects the values of humility, service, compassion, and commitment to the people of
8 *Inalåhan* and Guam; and

9 **WHEREAS**, he will be remembered for his leadership, his kindness, his
10 guidance, and the genuine care he showed to those around him; and

11 **WHEREAS**, his passing is mourned by his family, loved ones, the people of
12 *Inalåhan*, and the island community; now therefore, be it

13 **RESOLVED**, that *I Mina'trentai Ocho Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on
14 behalf of the people of Guam, posthumously recognize the late Honorable Franklin
15 Meno Taitague, former Mayor of *Inalåhan*, for his many years of dedicated service to
16 his village and to the people of Guam, commemorate his legacy of leadership, faith,
17 family, and public service, and extend heartfelt condolences to his family on his passing;
18 and be it further

19 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the
20 adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to the Taitague
21 family; to the Mayors' Council of Guam and to the Honorable Lourdes A. Leon
22 Guerrero, *I Maga'hågan Guåhan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY I MINA'TRENTAI OCHO NA
LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE [REDACTED] DAY OF [REDACTED] MONTH 2026.**

Frank F. Blas, Jr.
Speaker

Sabrina Salas Matanane
Legislative Secretary