

***I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN***  
**2009 (FIRST) Regular Session**

**Resolution No. 230-30(COR)**

Introduced by:

M. J. Rector

**Relative to recognizing Mr. Manuel Tiong , one of Guam's Working Class Heroes, for his hard work and dedication, not just to his job, but to all the people of Guam; and to extending *Un Dângkolo Na Si Yu'os ma'åse'* to Mr. Tiong for his outstanding citizenship and accomplishments.**

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

3           **WHEREAS**, Guam functions and succeeds as a result of the hard work of all  
4 our working class heroes that serve our island everyday as workers, as parents, as  
5 children, as friends, and as active citizens in our democracy; and

6           **WHEREAS**, Guam's working class heroes have long been the forgotten  
7 backbone of our island, and they should be recognized for their commitment and  
8 loyalty in serving the community; and

9           **WHEREAS**, there would be no tourism industry without hotel workers, no  
10 schools without education professionals, no healthcare without nurses, no stores  
11 without clerks, no phones without lines people, no clean streets without solid waste  
12 professionals, no safe beaches and pools without lifeguards and park rangers, no  
13 safety and protection without police officers and firefighters, no restaurants without  
14 servers or cooks, no balanced books without accountants, no clean water without  
15 water workers, no clean and maintained schools and buildings without custodians and

1 maintenance workers, and no children at school without bus drivers. Guam thrives  
2 thanks to our working class heroes; and

3 **WHEREAS**, Mr. Manuel Tiong worked for the Guam Police Department's  
4 Crime Lab and was one of the Department's Reservist for a total of twenty-two (22)  
5 years; and

6 **WHEREAS**, Mr. Manuel Tiong worked for the Department of Public Health as  
7 a Microbiologist for eight (8) years contributing valuable knowledge from his  
8 background in Biology and Chemistry; and

9 **WHEREAS**, Mr. Manuel Tiong is currently working with the Guam  
10 International Airport Authority as an Airport Police for the past fourteen (14) years.  
11 Mr. Manuel Tiong is a Police Officer III and is also an acting supervisor; and

12 **WHEREAS**, Mr. Manuel Tiong is a member of the Lions Club Guahan for ten  
13 (10) years and an active member of the Filipino Community of Guam for about fifteen  
14 (15) years helping the community in various projects and events as well as donating to  
15 shelters throughout the island; and

16 **WHEREAS**, Mr. Manuel Tiong volunteers his spare time coordinating the  
17 Yigo Basketball League for the past two (2) years allowing the youth to participate  
18 and enjoy sports activities in the community; and

19 **WHEREAS**, Mr. Manuel Tiong has contributed several years of service in our  
20 public structure and committed his time helping the community while at the same time  
21 raised a family with his wife and four (4) children who are now all professionals in  
22 their careers; now, therefore, be it

23 **RESOLVED**, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina'Trenta Na Liheslaturan*  
24 *Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of *I Liheslaturan Guåhan* and the people of Guam,  
25 recognize Manuel Tiong, one of Guam's working class heroes, for his hard work and  
26 dedication, not just to his job, but to all the people of Guam; and does extend *Un*

1 *Dangkolo Na Si Yu'os ma'åse'* to Mr. Tiong for his outstanding citizenship and  
2 accomplishments; and be it further

3 **RESOLVED**, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules  
4 certify, and the Legislative Secretary attest to, the adoption hereof, and that copies of  
5 the same be thereafter transmitted to Manuel Tiong and to the Honorable Felix P.  
6 Camacho, *I Maga'lahen Guåhan*.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF  
I MINA'TRENTA NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THE 29th DAY OF  
OCTOBER 2009.**

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**JUDITH T. WON PAT, Ed.D.**  
Speaker

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**RORY J. RESPICIO**  
Chairperson, Committee on Rules

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**TINA ROSE MUÑA BARNES**  
Legislative Secretary