BEFORE THE 2012 JUDICIAL COUNCIL OF GUAM
RESOLUTION NO. JC 12-008

RELATIVE TO COMMENDING ANTHONY P. SANCHEZ FOR HIS SERVICE TO THE JUDICIARY OF GUAM AND EXTENDING CONDOLENCES TO HIS FAMILY

WHEREAS, Anthony P. Sanchez contributed more than 13 years of exemplary service to the Judiciary of Guam before leaving to become Chief of Staff to the Governor of Guam, the Honorable Felix P. Camacho, on November 17, 2003; and

WHEREAS, Anthony P. Sanchez began his Judiciary service as Public Information Officer of the Superior Court of Guam on September 24, 1990 through January 6, 1995; and

WHEREAS, Anthony P. Sanchez became Administrative Director of the Superior Court of Guam on January 9, 1995, serving through November 15, 2003; and

WHEREAS, Anthony P. Sanchez also served in various other capacities in the Executive and Legislative Branches including as the Director, Bureau of Statistics and Plans and the Executive Assistant to Governor of Guam; and

WHEREAS, Anthony P. Sanchez was a historian and an advocate for preservation of the Chamorro culture, much like his father, the late former Senator, Dr. Pedro C. "Doc" Sanchez; he authored and edited *Justice on Guam: A Historical Review*, 1991, a comprehensive look at the type of justice that has prevailed on our shores; and edited *Guåhan Guam: The History of our Island*, authored by his father; and was a regular columnist and contributor regarding Chamorro history; and

WHEREAS, during his tenure as Public Information Officer of the Superior Court of Guam, Anthony P. Sanchez recognized the importance and benefits of community outreach by the Judiciary, and launched an educational campaign beginning with school year 1993-1994, *"Gai Respetu"*, starring local cartoon character Juan Malimanga and family, with incentives distributed to school children during Court tours; and the Court Newsletter, *"Ginen I Kotte"*; and

WHEREAS, during his tenure as Administrative Director of the Superior Court of Guam, Anthony P. Sanchez was instrumental in modernizing the Court, overseeing criminal justice initiatives such as the inauguration of a Criminal Justice Information System, a repository of Guam's criminal history records; supporting law enforcement agencies such as the Guam Police Department and the Department of Customs and Quarantine with their automation needs; and assisting in the creation of the Juvenile and Adult Drug Courts, and Erica's House; and

WHEREAS, Anthony P. Sanchez, inspired by his father's devotion to education, was responsible for numerous educational initiatives for judiciary employees, such as having judicial officers, management and supervisors trained by the Leadership Institute in Judicial Education (LIJE), University of Memphis; was instrumental in hosting an on-site LIJE training in Rota, CNMI for Judges, Court management and supervisors; and persistently encouraged Judiciary employees to further their educational opportunities at the Guam Community College and the University of Guam; and

WHEREAS, Anthony P. Sanchez, helped establish the Silent Witness Program to honor victims of domestic violence; alternative dispute resolution to handle cases involving domestic violence and child support issues; and facilitated the initiation of the Pacific Judicial Council; and High School Mock Trials; and

WHEREAS, during his service with the Judiciary of Guam, Anthony P. Sanchez focused on employee morale and welfare, and oversaw the Hay Study Review for Judiciary Employees in 1996 for Court Wide Reclassification; and demonstrated his generosity, often hosting gatherings at his personal residence for all Court employees and their families to socialize and enjoy the fireworks during the July 4th and Liberation Day celebrations; and

WHEREAS, Anthony P. Sanchez passed away on April 17, 2012, joining his father, the late former Senator, Dr. Pedro Cruz Sanchez, and sister, the late Dolores Anne G. Sanchez; leaving behind his mother, Florida G. Sanchez; children and their spouses, Jacob Anthony P. Sanchez and Jessica Pettigrew, Pedro Francisco P. and Renee-Lynn Sanchez, David Vincent P. Sanchez, Simon Apelu Sanchez III, and Maria-Elise P. Sanchez; two grandchildren, Trey and Tristan Sanchez; his fiancée Eleanor B.U. Lujan, and siblings Simon A. Sanchez II, Lina Sanchez Leon Guerrero, Flori M. Sanchez, Paul G. Sanchez, Amanda G. Sanchez Wooley and their families; and

WHEREAS, "Tony" will be greatly missed by the employees of the Judiciary; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Judicial Council hereby commends Anthony P. Sanchez for his dedication to the courts of Guam and therefore to the public service he gave in the administration of justice for the Judicial Branch of the Government of Guam; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Judicial Council extends "Si Yu'os Ma'ase" to Anthony P. Sanchez for his service to the Judiciary as a true representative of judicial service and professionalism, and a personal example of the utmost humility, kindness and compassion.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Judicial Council, on behalf of all Justices, Judges and Staff of the Judiciary of Guam, extends heartfelt condolences to the family of ANTHONY P. SANCHEZ, his mother, children and spouses, grandchildren, fiancée, siblings and their families.

DULY ADOPTED this 19th day of April 2012.

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