UNIVERSITY OF GUAM
UNIBETSEĐAT GUHAHAN
BOARD OF REGENTS

Resolution No. 13-15

RELATIVE TO AUTHORIZING THE APPLICATION TO THE
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, ADMINISTRATION FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES,
ADMINISTRATION FOR NATIVE AMERICANS (ANA) TO SUPPORT
THE UNIVERSITY OF GUAM GRANT PROPOSAL, “ESTORIAYI I FAMAGU’ON-TA;
TELLING OUR CHILDREN OUR STORIES”

WHEREAS, the University of Guam was established in 1952 by Public Law 19-40, as a
Government Higher Educational Institution, whose mission is “Ina, Diskubre, Setbe – To Enlighten, To
Discover, To Serve;” and

WHEREAS, the University of Guam is the primary U.S. Land Grant institution accredited by the
Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC) serving the post-secondary needs of the people of
Guam and the region; and

WHEREAS, the University is submitting a grant application entitled “Estorayi I Famagu’on-
ta: Telling our Children Our Stories” under the Richard Flores Taitano Micronesian Area Research
Center (RFT-MARC) to address the crucial need for literary resources that demonstrate Chamorro
cultural values and practices in traditional and modern contexts; and

WHEREAS, University of Guam employees are offered membership in the Government of
Guam Retirement Plan; and

WHEREAS, the proposed salaries and fees are in line with University of Guam salaries and fee
schedules, the Government of Guam pay scale, and the local fair market value; and

WHEREAS, the “Estorayi I Famagu’on-ta” project is approved for the current funding
opportunity under Native American Social and Economic Development Strategies (SEDS) CFDA #93.612, for a
period of three years, commencing August 2013, and the matching fund requirement is waived by U.S. Public Law
98-454 Title IV, Section 601(b).

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that upon recommendation of the Administration,
the Board of Regents supports and approves the RFT-MARC proposal and authorizes submittal of the
application, with the President of the University of Guam authorized to sign all application documents
and negotiate on behalf of the University of Guam.

Adopted this 5th day of May, 2013

Dr. W. Chris Perez, Chairperson

ATTESTED:

Dr. Robert A. Underwood, Executive Secretary