

RELATIVE TO EXPRESSING APPRECIATION TO LESLEY-ANNE LEON GUERRERO FOR HER SERVICE AS A MEMBER, VICE CHAIRPERSON, AND CHAIRPERSON OF THE BOARD OF REGENTS

WHEREAS, upon the completion of Lesley-Anne Leon Guerrero's term as a member, Vice Chairperson, and Chairperson of the Board of Regents (BOR), the University of Guam (UOG) community wishes to express its sincere gratitude for her dedication and service;

WHEREAS, Lesley-Anne Leon Guerrero earned a Bachelor of Arts in Communications and Public Relations, magna cum laude, from Chaminade University of Honolulu in 2002, and subsequently earned a Professional Master of Business Administration degree from the University of Guam in 2015 with overall academic scholar honors:

WHEREAS, Lesley-Anne Leon Guerrero serves as Senior Vice President and Chief Experience Officer of the Bank of Guam, a position in which she provides strategic leadership in customer experience and organizational excellence, while ensuring adherence to industry regulations and best practices since 2019;

WHEREAS, Lesley-Anne Leon Guerrero has served the Guam community through her involvement as Be Inspired Chair of the Guam Young Professionals, Guam Chamber of Commerce; Board Secretary of Junior Achievement; Fundraising Chair of the Lupus Awareness Group of Guam; Safety and Security Sub-Committee Member of the Guam Hotel and Restaurant Association; Public Information and Crisis Communications Lead for the Guam Pandemic Planning Task Force; and Training Team Member for the Multi-Hazards for Schools Planning Team;

WHEREAS, Lesley-Anne Leon Guerrero has been recognized for her professional excellence and leadership, including being named the 2015 Guam Young Professional of the Year by the Guam Chamber of Commerce, the 2014 Department Manager of the Year by the Bank of Guam, and earning the designation of Certified Customer Experience Professional by the Customer Service Institute of America:

WHEREAS, Lesley-Anne Leon Guerrero was confirmed as a member of the Board of Regents on April 25, 2019 to serve a full six-year term, and continued to serve in an acting holdover capacity pursuant to Public Law 29-113 through July 23, 2025;

WHEREAS, Lesley-Anne Leon Guerrero served as Vice Chairperson of the Board of Regents from September 1, 2023 to October 31, 2024, and as Chairperson of the Board of Regents from November 1, 2024 to May 31, 2025;

WHEREAS, as a member of the Board of Regents, Lesley-Anne Leon Guerrero served on the Academic, Personnel, and Tenure Committee from September 2019 to July 2025, including as Chair from April 2020 to February 2023; on the Physical Facilities Committee from September 2019 to September 2021; on the Investment Committee from November 2021 to February 2023; and on the Executive Committee from September 2023 to May 2025;

WHEREAS, as a member of the Board of Regents, Lesley-Anne Leon Guerrero also served on the Presidential Evaluation Ad Hoc Committee from February 2025 to May 2025;

WHEREAS, Lesley-Anne Leon Guerrero brought extensive professional expertise, sound judgment, and steadfast leadership to the Board of Regents, and played a vital role in fostering strong collaboration among the University, policymakers, and the community in addressing issues impacting the University of Guam;

WHEREAS, Lesley-Anne Leon Guerrero's commitment and leadership in support of the University of Guam and higher education, in her roles as a Board of Regents member, Vice Chairperson, and Chairperson, are hereby recognized, commended, and deeply appreciated;

WHEREAS, Lesley-Anne Leon Guerrero is highly regarded for her directness, sound judgment, diligence, and holistic consideration in decision-making; and

WHEREAS, the Academic, Personnel, & Tenure Committee has reviewed the recommendation and recommends approval of this resolution expressing appreciation to Lesley-Anne Leon Guerrero to the BOR.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the BOR of UOG, the administration, faculty, staff and students, convey to Lesley-Anne Leon Guerrero their sincerest gratitude for her dedication to UOG and the people of Guam, for her service as a member of the BOR, and for her devotion to the growth and prosperity of our island and region; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution will be sent to Lesley-Anne Leon Guerrero, to the Governor of Guam, and to the Speaker and members of the thirty-eighth (38th) Guam Legislature.

Adopted this 25th day of November, 2025.

Agapito "Pete" A. Diaz, Chairperson

ATTESTED:

Anita Borja Enriquez, D.B.A., Executive Secretary