

**I Kumisión i Fino' CHamoru yan i Fina'nâ'guen i Historia yan i Lina'la i Taotao Tâno'**  
(Commission on CHamoru Language and the Teaching of the History and Culture of the Indigenous People)

Mina'Siento Sisientai Ocho (#168) na Finaloffan Rigulât na Hunta  
(Ginen i Zoom)  
Huebes, Diha 19 gi i Hunño, 2025

**Dinespensa:** Won-Pat Borja,  
Melvin (MWPB); Calvo, Devin  
S. (DCS); Palomo, Rosa S. (RSP)

**Dinespensa: Emplehao:**

Bisita Siha:

**Manggaige:**

**Membro Siha:**

Souder, Laura M. Torres (LMTS); Cristobal, Hope A. (HAC); Leon Guerrero, Felixberto (FLG); Flores, Teresita C. (TCF); Mendiola Rufina F. (RFM); Underwood, Robert A. (RAU); Teria, Jimmy S. (JST)

**Emplehao Siha:**

Concepcion-Duenas, Maria (MD-C); Calvo, Lucia (LC); Concepcion, Savannah (SC); Cruz, Elerida (EC); Lizama, Lucelle (LL); Tuncap, Piatra (PT); Constantino, Peter (PC)

Adam Quitugua

Asunto	Nota	Aksion
<b>I. Otden</b>	Ta Fanásodda' gi i Zoom	Ha tutuhon si LMTS i hinta gi i alas 12:41g.t.
<b>II. Infresi</b>	Mataitai i Inifresi yan i Tinanga.	
<b>III. Inagang i Membro yan i Emplehao Siha</b>	Maninagang i membro yan emplehao siha nu as HAC.	
<b>IV. Kinabâles i Membro Siha</b>	7 na membro siha manggaige.	Nahong para kuorom.
<b>V. Rinibisa yan Inadâptan i Tarehan Pâ'go na Hunta</b>	I Inapreban i Tarehan i diha 19 gi i Hunño, 2025.	Mamuebi na u ma aksepta i Tarehan diha 19 gi i Hunño 2025.

Minuebi: RFM  
Sinigondâyi: HAC  
Ma'apreba: 7

**VI. Inadâptan i Finaloffan**

I Inadâptan i Finaloffan diha 5 gi i Hunño 2025. Ma kana' i inadâptan este na Finaloffan.

**VII. I Sikritatian i Kumisión**

A. Status of Stipends, current up to approved Finaloffan:  
- Makana' sa' taigue si RSP.

**VIII. Ripot i Kumitehan Ekseketibu**

A. Donations from board members for Kumisión traveling exhibit:  
LMTS reported for each board member to donate \$35 each for the travelling exhibit equalling up to \$280. This will be used for the materials for EC's husband; he will be creating the stands for the Liberation Day festivities. All donations are to be given to SC.  
B. 3-Day Liberation Festival Participation: LMTS reported MDC will report later during the meeting.  
C. Reminder to Board of names for potential interviewees for Linakngos Linakse': LMTS reported that should any of the Board members have recommendations on potential interviewees, to please let us know and to also be present during the interviews.  
D. Request for board members to schedule recording sessions at the soonest possible: LMTS reported we still need to record RAU for speeches on the floor, HAC for Congress, and RSP for Hurao Speech. PC has been recorded for English Hurao Speech.

**IX. RIPÓT I  
ATMENESTRASION**

A. Liberation Participation (MDC): MDC reported that during the Cabinet meeting all agencies are required to participate in the parade. However, for the Kumisión we came to a consensus to break it in half. MDC says half of the staff will be with her in a vehicle and wave with her, while the other half will be at the festival. Or, another option is to put the mañaina in a trolley or van. For the Liberation Festival, we are asking if the mañaina can support from 3-

5pm. LMTS reported she spoke with Mayor Alec's assistant. They agreed we can do Saturday - Sunday 10-8pm, and Monday 3-5pm. We will have our booth in the Songsong CHamoru and it will be shared with Decolonization with MWPB. Board members will have slots and employees will have slots. We will be placed in elevated huts, however MDC did request for us to move so we can be closer to the bathroom. There are also outlets there for us. We will be putting up our exhibit for self determination and think of ways of sharing our work/products. JST will communicate with YMLG for MDC to come up with ideas for the festival for collaboration as JST is off-island until the end of July.

B. Status of website/social media (PT): PT reported we are tracking with our website, she has already reached out to Darryl, the Ideal Advertising POC to go ahead and move forward with creating the manual so she can start editing and creating pages. PT says they are currently working on it, and they will get the official training so she can start uploading content herself. PT further reported we are just about done linking all pages from the landing page, and started to implement metadata from the pages that are linked on the landing pages and we'll just continue to keep tracking for that. As for Social media as of today we have 61.4k views within 30 days on Instagram, We had a slight increase from the last report. We will continue to push products. PT reported our newest project is to reach out to CHamoru authors and collaborate and have them narrate their stories. *I Biahn Kiko*, A press release was done yesterday. *I Biahn Kiko* will be recorded first followed by *I Malingu na Pâtgon*. If any of the Board members would like to narrate in CHamoru reach out to PT.

C. Media update (LL): LL reported, with the help of the production team, that they were able to update the production schedule. PC was the latest interview; and LMTS & RFM have recorded their books. *I Fino' i Ha'ani* was completed for the Legislative channel. If you would like to schedule to use the studio, please reach out to LL or SC.

D. Genealogy Training Update (LC): LC reported there will be a lot of families that will be inputted into the family tree. She reported there's a total of 6 family

	<p>trees from Siñora Lisa Bitanga that have been vetted already. She continues to get families to submit their info into the database. The team is working with AQ's family tree and will provide him with a copy. RFM and RSP have copies of their family trees that they would like to be inputted into the Family Tree.</p> <p>E. Status on Rental (PC): PC reported he spoke to Flo Salas, who works in the office of DOA. PC also reported he spoke with Pete Aguon who works with Rental Property within DOA. He says the purchase order has not been approved yet; they've mentioned they've been busy with budget hearings within their departments. Thus, no word on the status on our rental agreement. LMTS would like PC to personally go to their office and wait for the updates.</p> <p>F. Recording of Fino' i Ha'ani gi i Hulio (AQ): AQ reported he enjoys creating his own sentences and translating it himself. He mentioned he learned a lot from LC and hopes to learn even more. AQ reported we also received CD'S from Roy Gamboa, and helped store them into our archive, all CDs in Fino' CHamoru. SC to create letter and send to LMTS for Roy Gamboa.</p>	
<b>X. Kumité i Na'an Lugát (RAU)</b>	<p>A. Status of Watershed Names/Saddok/Sabåna review - Makana'. RAU reported to call for a Kumiteha meeting gi i efisina g ii diha 23 gi i Hunño 2025, 3pm.</p>	
<b>XI. GINAGAO PARA PINILA' (RSP/EC)</b>	<p>A. Discussion on <i>aniti</i> versus maknganiti - reschedule work session.</p> <p>B. Guam Homeland Security Declaration form - Pending</p> <p>C. Global Lingo - Andrea Castillo - Pending</p> <p>D. Lesbian, Gay, Bi-Sexual, Transgender, Queer, Intersex, Asexual 'LGBTQIA+' nomenclature- Nolan Muña: Needs discussion.</p>	
<b>XII. NUEBU NA ASUNTO</b>		
<b>XIV. Pribilehun I PISU</b>	<p>A. New CHamoru Language &amp; Culture Specialist at the Dibisión, Siñót Mark Santos (JST)</p> <p>B. Marianas History Conference Proposal Accepted - Faneyåkan CHamoru: CHamoru Medium Education (JST)</p> <p>C. Working on a letter for the Superintendent, tasked Sinora Tina to work on this (JST)</p>	

## **XV. Anunsio Siha**

D. Faneyâkan Tinalo’/ Tiempon Somnak (JST/RFM)

A. Pride Month Proclamation signing, Governor’s Office - diha 20 gi i Hunño 2025, 11:30 am

B. Hagâtña Pool Groundbreaking - diha 27 gi i Hunño 2025, Time - TBD

C. Kumisión Huntan Manggé’helo’ – diha 3 gi i Hulio 2025, 12:30 PM

D. Mañenggon Memorial - diha 6 gi i Hulio 2025, 9:00 am March & 10:00 am Ceremony

E. Kálaguak Memorial Ceremony, Tiyan – diha 11 gi i Hulio 2025, 10:00 am

F. Hasso Mangilao Memorial, Mangilao’s Mayor’s Office – diha 14 gi i Hulio, 9:00 am

G. Hasso Malesso’, Fâha yan Tinta - diha 15 gi i Hulio 2025, 8:00 am (Tinta Site Visitation), Espinosa Avenue, Immediately after Tinta visitation, proceed to Malesso’ Cemetery to the Fâha Site

Memorial Services:

- Rosary – 3:30pm
- Memorial and mass – 4:00 pm
- San Dimas & Our Lady of the Rosary Catholic Church, Malesso’
- The Memorial Ceremony will commence immediately following the Mass.

H. Assan Memorial Mass, Niño Perdido y Sagrada Familia Catholic Church – diha 16 gi Hulio 2025, 11:00am

I. Assan Landing Memorial Ceremony, Assan Beach Park, – diha 16 gi Hulio 2025, 11:00am

J. Hasso Chagui’an Massacre Memorial Ceremony, Chagui’an Massacre Site, – diha 17 gi Hulio i 2025, 10:00am

K. Hasso Inalâhan – diha 18 gi i Hulio 2025, 9:00am

L. Mass Sumai Liberation Memorial, Sumai Cemetery, Naval Base Guam – diha 18 gi i Hulio 2025, 11:00am

M. Hasso Fena Hasso Hâgat diha 19 gi i Hulio 2025:

- Fena Cave Site Visit (Pending Confirmation) Meet Time – 8:00am

- Meet Place Hāgat Memorial and Veterans Park, Departure to Naval Mag– 8:15 am
- Ceremony – 9:30am

N. Marianas History Conference – UOG, diha 29-31 gi i Agosto, 2025.  
Mahuchom i hinta.

Ma muebi na u ma  
huchom i miteng gi i  
eran alas 2:04 gt.

Minuebi: HAC  
Sinigondayi: FLG  
Ma'apreba: Todu (7)

## XVI. Finakpo'

## Finitmāyan yan Fecha



ROSA SALAS PALOMO

Sikritarian i Kumisión



DR. LAURA M.T. SOUDER

Gé'helo' i Kumisión

Fecha: Diha 1 gi i Hulio, 2025

Fecha: Diha 3 gi i Hulio , 2025