

Ancient Order of CHamori

ANSIĀNU NA INETDEN I CHAMORI

PRESENTED TO
MA PRISENTA GI AS

Alma S. McDonald

IN RECOGNITION OF YOUR MOST VALUABLE CONTRIBUTION *GI INABIBAN ET MĀS GUAGUAN NA NINA'I-MU*

WHEREAS, Alma S. McDonald was born on August 7, 1963, in the Philippines. She is married to Jon McDonald and has three children: Johanna, Jerome, and Josephine;

WHEREAS, Alma S. McDonald received her bachelor's degree in Nutrition and Dietetics and pursued a Master of Arts from the University of the Assumption in the Philippines. She continued her education in the graduate program at the University of Manoa, Hawaii's School of Health;

WHEREAS, Alma S. McDonald began her distinguished career in service at Guam's Department of Public Health and Social Services in 1987;

WHEREAS, she transferred to the Department of Military Affairs Construction and Facilities Management Office in 1987 as an Environmental Program Specialist III. During her tenure, she climbed the ranks to Program Manager in charge of the environmental appendix;

WHEREAS, during her time at the Department of Military Affairs, she spearheaded all MILCON (Military Construction) projects of the Guam Army National Guard, totaling about \$600 million;

WHEREAS, despite no prior knowledge of engineering, Alma S. McDonald swiftly learned the process of construction projects and became a trailblazer and a key player in the establishment of state-of-the-art buildings;

WHEREAS, she helped establish the United States Property and Fiscal Office, various Readiness Centers, a 94th Civil Support facility, Army and Air Force Exchange Service Gas Station and Express, and the Aircraft Maintenance Facility, leaving a fingerprint for future projects to come for the Guam Army National Guard;

WHEREAS, her commitment and determination to get the job done have made her an easy personality to work with among various Adjutant Generals, which helped result in projects that benefitted the organization and its soldiers;

WHEREAS, Alma S. McDonald, throughout her tenure under the Department of Military Affairs, demonstrated a profound interest in uplifting the Guam Army National Guard by cultivating various military construction projects that benefit not only the organization but every soldier while they defend our country and our island. Her commitment to learning, paired with her proficient execution of projects, has paved a path for the future success of the Guam Army National Guard and the defense of our island.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, on behalf of the Island of Guam, Alma S. McDonald is hereby honored with the distinction of the Ancient Order of the CHamori, and we extend our enduring gratitude and respect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, LOURDES A. LEON GUERRERO, Governor of Guam, and **I, JOSHUA F. TENORIO**, Lieutenant Governor of Guam, have set our hands and cause the Great Seal of Guam on this Twenty-Seventh day of December in the year of the Lord, *Anno Domini*, Two Thousand and Twenty-Four.

KUMU, Si Siñora Alma S. McDonald ma fañāgu gi diha 7 gi Agosto, mit nuebi sento sisenta tres (1963) gi i Isla Filipinas. Umássagua yan si Siñot Jon McDonald ya tres famagu'on-ñiha; si Johanna, si Jerome yan si Josephine;

KUMU, Si Siñora Alma S. McDonald ha risibi i iyo-ña Bachelor's of Arts Degree gi Nutrition yan Dietetics despues na ha petsigi i Masters of Arts Degree ginen i University of the Assumption gi iya Filipinas. Ha kontenuha i inestudiá-ña guatu gi University of Manoa, gi eskuelan School of Health gi iya Hawaii;

KUMU, Si Siñora Alma S. McDonald fine'nena ha tutuhon i séngåtbo na setbesio-ña annai maempleha gi Dipattamenton Saküt Pupbleku yan Setbesion Susiåt gi mit nuebi sientu ochentai siette (1987) na sákkan;

KUMU, gi mit nuebi sientu ochentai siette (1987) na sákkan, ha transfieri gui' asta guatu gi Dipattamenton Asuntion Militåt gi Konstruksiön yan Felisidåt Ufisinan Minaneha kumu Environmental Program Specialist III. Durånten i fina'che'cho'-ña guihi, ha gånna i Ma'gas Prugråma ni' guiya muma'gågasi i appendix fanechonñan siha;

KUMU, gi durånten i tiempo-ña gi Dipattamenton Asuntion Militåt, ha ma'gási todü i pruyekton MILCON (Konstraksiön Militåt) gi Guam Army National Guard, ni tumutåt sais sientos miyón na salåppe' (\$600 million);

KUMU, sin háfa tiningo'-ña put che'cho' umenhinera, si Siñora Alma S. McDonald, ha alulåyi manungo' put makumplen fina'che'cho' pruyekton konstråksiön siha ya guiya chumachalåni mo'na yan kontodu ha na'etmås yahululo' gi manma'estapblesen i mansén gai kualidåt' na hinatsan guma' siha;

KUMU, manayuda gi manma'estapblesen i United States Property and Fiscal Office, lameggai na Readiness Centers i 94th Civil Support Facility, Army yan Air Force Exchange Service Gas Station yan Express yan i Aircraft Maintenance Facility, ya ginen este siha na che'cho'-ña na ha po'luvi inemprentan fondasiön siha para i manmamaila' mås na pruyekto para i Guam Army National Guard;

KUMU, ginen i pinetsigen responsabledåt-ña yan ditetminasiön-ña para u kumple sén takhilo' i opblegasiön-ña muna' sén fåset gui' macho'cho' yan lameggai na Adjutant General siha, ni' muna'famposipble pruyekto-siha ni' mund'i benifisio siha para i otganisasiön yan sendålun-ñiha siha;

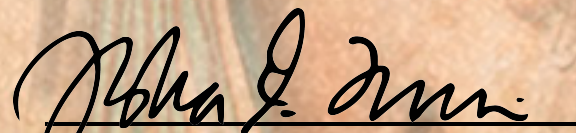
KUMU, si Siñora Alma S. McDonald, gi durånten i fina'che'cho'-ña gi halom i Dipattamenton Asuntion Militåt, ha fatan maisa gui'na didok enteres-ña i mana'hulo'-ña ni Guam Army National Guard sa'ha kottiba lameggai na pruyekton konstråksion militåt ni' muna'fanggai binifisiu parehu i otganisasiön yan kontodu kada unu na sendålü, mientras manmadifefende i Estådos Unidos yan i islå-ta. I metgot na pinetsigigi-ña para u fanungo' mås, ni' dumadanña'yan i minaolek-ña, kinemple-ña siha, bumaba i chalan para i manmamaila' na manakhelo' minaolek siha para u fatoigue i Guam Army National Guard yan i madifenden i islåt-ta.

PUES PUT TANTU U MARISUTTA, ginen i Islan Guåhan, na ma'onra si Siñora Alma S. McDonald ni' destingto na Ansianu Na Otden I CHamori yan in ekstende i tai minaktos na ginefti'e', inagradesi yan respetu.

GI TINESTIGU NI', GUÁHU, SI LOURDES A. LEON GUERRERO, Maga'håga Guahån, yan GUÁHU, SI JOSHUA F. TENORIO, Segundo Maga'lahi Guåhan, In pe'lo i kannai-måmi yan in eståmpa i Takhelo'Na Sehyon Guðhan guini gi diha Bente Siette gi Disiembre gi sakkan i Saina-ta, guini na åhu, Dos Mit Bente Kuåtтро.



LOURDES A. LEON GUERRERO
Maga'hågan Guåhan
Governor of Guam



JOSHUA F. TENORIO
Segundo Maga'låhen Guåhan
Lieutenant Governor of Guam