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RESOLUTION

Expressing the Twelfth Kosrae State Legislature's deepest sympathy to the passing of the late Ursula S. Abalos and sincere condolences to her siblings.

1           **WHEREAS**, the late Ursula S. Abalos was born on the 21st of September, 1955 in  
2 Manilla, Philippines and called to her eternal rest on the 27<sup>th</sup> of September, 2020; and

3           **WHEREAS**, the late Ursula Abalos her mother and father having predeceased her is  
4 survived by her sisters Liza Dizon, who resides in Kosrae, Ularini Mullari who resides in  
5 Pohnpei and her brothers Ulysses Abalos, Ulrich Abalos, Usman Abalos, Jose Abalos and Tim  
6 Abalos who all reside in the Philippines; and

7           **WHEREAS**, the late Ursula Abalos was highly regarded by many people (including  
8 members of the Filipino community) in the State of Kosrae for her not only actively  
9 participating in social activities organized by the Kosrae Filipino Association, helping newly  
10 arrived Filipinos to settle in Kosrae, but also by assisting as a volunteer in many Kosraean events  
11 including Liberation Day; and

12           **WHEREAS**, the late Ursula Abalos after completing elementary and high school  
13 education in Manilla in 1972 she enrolled in a 4 year Bachelor of Science in Administration  
14 degree at the University of East Manilla and successfully graduated in 1976 enabling her to be  
15 qualified to perform the work of financial advisor; and

16           **WHEREAS**, in 1980 with the encouragement and assistance of her late grandfather  
17 who was an immigration officer stationed in Yap the late Ursula Abalos migrated to Pohnpei

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1 where she resided until August 2008 after being offered and appointed to the position as  
2 financial advisor with the FSM Government where she worked until she was subsequently  
3 appointed to the position of financial advisor with the Pohnpei State Audit Office and thereafter  
4 appointed as financial advisor with the Pohnpei State Department of Finance ; and

5 **WHEREAS**, on March 8, 2008 the late Ursula Abalos arrived in Kosrae after being  
6 offered the position of financial advisor by the then Director Tiser Reynolds of the Kosrae  
7 Department of Finance and Administration (DOFA). The late Ursula Abalos after being  
8 appointed to the above position performed her duties diligently, efficiently and productively  
9 earning the respect and admiration of her colleagues and directors of DOFA; and

10 **WHEREAS**, while residing in Kosrae the late Ursula Abalos lived in Tofol, Lelu  
11 municipality and became known to and admired by many of those who lived in Tofol; and

12 **WHEREAS**, unfortunately in March, 2019 the late Ursula Abalos contracted an illness  
13 which caused her to return to Manilla. However after returning to Manilla the late Ursula  
14 Abalos' medical condition did not improve and subsequently she was admitted to hospital on  
15 August 26, 2020 where she remained confined until she passed away on September 27, 2020  
16 and;;

17 **WHEREAS**, the late Ursula Abalos is sorely missed by not only by her siblings but also by  
18 members of the Filipino community living in Kosrae, her friends and former work colleagues in  
19 Kosrae ; **NOW AND THEREFORE**

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1           **BE IT RESOLVED**, by the members of the Twelfth Kosrae State Legislature, Twelfth  
2 Special Session, September, 2020, hereby extend their deepest sympathy to the passing of the  
3 late Ursula S. Abalos and give their sincere condolences to her sister Liza Dizon and the rest of  
4 her siblings; and

5           **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that certified copies of this resolution be transmitted to  
6 her sister, Liza Dizon, on behalf of the other siblings of the late Ursula S Abalos; and to the  
7 Honorable Carson K. Sigrah, Governor of the State of Kosrae.

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10 Date: 10/6/20

Introduced by:   
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