TWELFTH KOSRAE STATE LEGISLATURE

THIRD REGULAR SESSION, FEBRUARY 2020

L.R. No. 12-79

A RESOLUTION

Expressing the Twelfth Kosrae State Legislature's deepest sympathy to the passing of the late Carson Mathias Mongkeya and sincere condolences to his wife Mermina and family.

1 WHEREAS, the late Carson Mathias Mongkeya was born on March 30, 1978 in Weno. Chuuk and called to his eternal rest on the 19th of December, 2019; and 2 WHEREAS, the late Carson Mathias Mongkeya was the first born son of Mr. Mathias K. 3 Mongkeya and Mrs. Pipiana Francis Sato and he was the third child in a family of five, with 4 5 three sisters and one brother: Priscilla, Jennifer, Jason, and the late Jasmine Nelson; and WHEREAS, the late Carson Mathias Mongkeya is survived by his wife Mermina, four 6 7 sons: Sato, Carson, Jr., CMson, Kevin and a daughter: Julipiana; and 8 WHEREAS, the late Carson Mathias Mongkeya graduated from the Tafunsak 9 Elementary School in 1991 and the Kosrae High School in 1995 as a top 10 student. He went on 10 to further his education at the Park University in Missouri where he successfully completed and 11 achieved his Bachelor of Arts Degree in Political Science & Public Administration; and 12 WHEREAS, in the year 2001, the late Carson Mathias Mongkeya moved back to Kosrae and began his career with the Department of Commerce & Industry from 2002 - 2005; from 13 14 2005 - 2009, the late Carson Mathias Mongkeya served as a Legal Aide for the Kosrae State 15 Legislature, and at the same time, assisted government employees who were interested in taking 16 Computer Science classes at COM-FSM Kosrae Campus, before moving to Pohnpei State to 17 work in Palikir for the Department of Foreign Affairs, FSM National Government, having served

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there under the Administration of President Manny Mori, President Peter Christian and finally 1 under the current Administration of President David Panuelo; and 2 WHEREAS, the late Carson Mathias Mongkeya played an important role not only in 3 4 government but in the lives of his family, his friends, and even of those he did not know. He was 5 regarded as always open and cheerful, always willing to reach out a helping hand to those in 6 need. His life impacted many through his words of wisdom and active personality; NOW AND 7 **THEREFORE** 8 BE IT RESOLVED, by the members of the Twelfth Kosrae State Legislature, Third 9 Regular Session, February, 2020, hereby extend its deepest sympathy to the passing of the late 10 Carson Mathias Mongkeya and sincere condolences to his wife Mermina and family; and 11 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that certified copies of this resolution be transmitted to his wife Mermina and their families; and to the Honorable Carson K. Sigrah, Governor of the 12 13 State of Kosrae. 14 15 16 Introduced by: Andy J. Andrew