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**BEFORE THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
OF THE  
PUBLIC DEFENDER SERVICE CORPORATION  
RELATIVE TO COMMENDING  
JUSTICE F. PHILIP CARBULLIDO  
FOR HIS SERVICE AS CHAIRMAN OF THE  
BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

**RESOLUTION NO. PDSC 05-23**

**WHEREAS,** Justice F. Philip Carbullido was appointed as Chief Justice of Guam on January 21, 2020, under Promulgation Order PRM 20-001-01, and served as Chairman of the Judicial Council of Guam pursuant to 7 GCA §5101; and

**WHEREAS,** according to Public Defender Service Corporation's Board of Trustees' By-Laws, Article 2.01, Members of the PDSC Board of Trustees, the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court shall be the Chairman of the Board; and

**WHEREAS,** as Chairman of the Board of Trustees, Chief Justice F. Philip Carbullido helped direct and guide the PDSC through the COVID-19 pandemic and ensured that the Corporation maintained its operation through the government of Guam shut-down; and

**WHEREAS,** fully understanding the Mission and Vision of the PDSC, and the Corporation's invaluable service to Guam's indigent population, Chief Justice Carbullido continuously supported PDSC's initiatives that increased Criminal and Civil services to Guam's less fortunate; and

**WHEREAS,** on July 28, 2020, the Board of Trustees adopted Resolution No. 06-20 wherein the Public Defender Service Corporation was authorized to operate a pilot program known as the Elder Justice Center (EJC) to operate six months in duration from the adoption of said resolution; and

**WHEREAS,** on October 26, 2021, Resolution No. 01-22, the Board of Trustees; established the Elder Justice Center as a permanent division of the Guam Public Defender Service Corporation, subject to the availability of funds; and

**WHEREAS,** Chief Justice and Chairman of the Public Defender Service Corporation will be best remembered as a leader who cared about PDSC's enabling legislation that provide legal representation for Guam's indigent population in Criminal and Civil matters; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Public Defender Service Corporation's Board of Trustees recognizes the Honorable F. Philip Carbullido for his service to the PDSC as Chairman of the Board; and.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** the Board of Trustees, Management and Staff of the Public Defender Service Corporation extends an *Un Dangkolo na Si Yu'us Må'åse* to Justice F. Philip Carbullido for his dedication and service to the clients as well as the employees of the PDSC during COVID-19 and the pandemic rippling effects thereafter.

**DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED THIS 28<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2023** at a duly noticed meeting of the Public Defender Service Corporation.

Chief Justice **ROBERT J. TORRES, JR.**  
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