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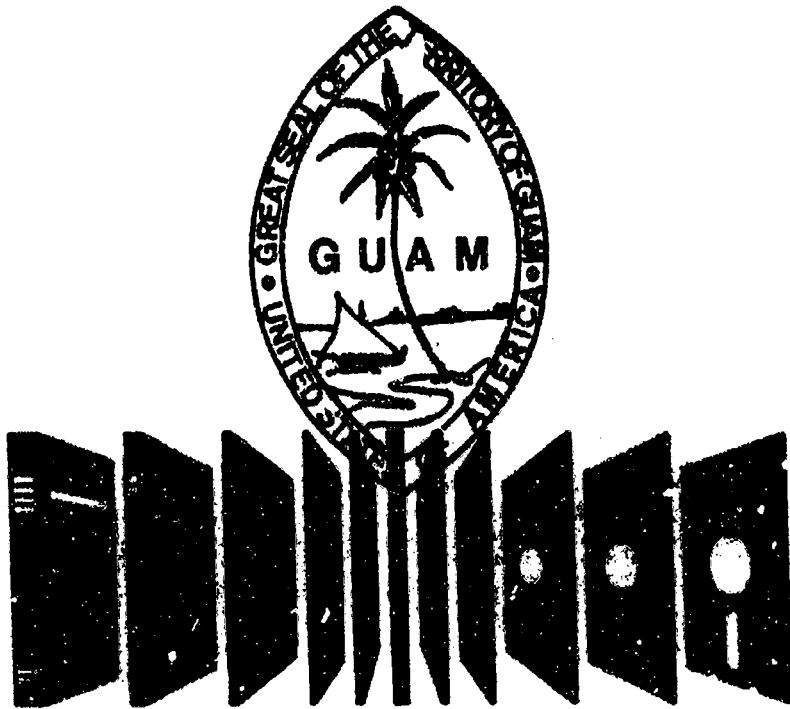
This is the final report of the Guam Governor's Conference on Library and Information Services (GGCLIS), 1990. Approximately 160 delegates, representing library and information professionals, active library supporters, territorial and federal government officials, and the reading public, gathered together to develop recommendations for the improvement of Guam's library and information services around the major themes of the conference, i.e., productivity, literacy, and democracy. Presented in this report are: (1) the preliminary planning activities; (2) details of the planning process; (3) the GGCLIS goals, objectives, and activities, including the committee reports and a description of the delegate nomination process; (4) a summary of the Guam conference; (5) local and national issues considered and recommendations for the improvement of library and information services; (6) biographical profiles of GGCLIS delegates to the second White House Conference on Library and Information Services (WHCLIS2) in July 1991; (7) Guam post-conference activities; and (8) the conference evaluation. Concluding the report are 14 appendices: (1) GGCLIS planning committee roster; (2) conference chronology; (3) the backgrounds and interests of participants in the multimedia workshop, InfoFiesta; (4) GGCLIS exhibitors; (5) a letter soliciting citizens to be GGCLIS delegates; (6) names of delegates; (7) the conference observer reservation form; (8) off-island observers at the conference; (9) program outline; (10) conference participants' recommendations; (11) conference contributors; (12) selected news clippings; (13) participants' reactions to the InfoFiesta; and (14) the conference evaluation form. (11 references) (MAB)

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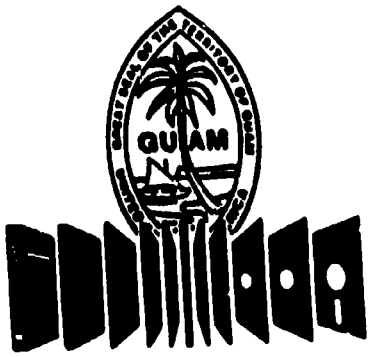
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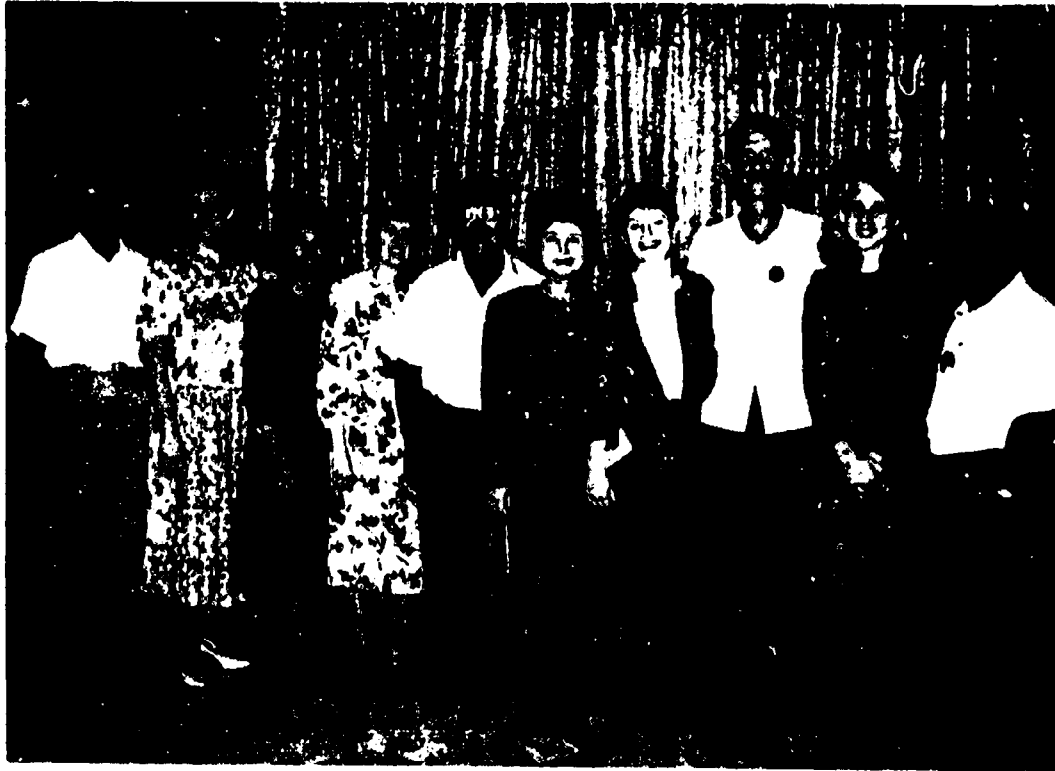
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Mrs. Joanne Tarpley  
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## PREFACE

The final report of the Guam Governor's Conference on Library and Information Services (GGCLIS), 1990 was required by the State and Territorial Reporting Requirements of the White House Conference on Library and Information Services, 1991. It was drafted following the Format Elements described in the Reporting Requirements. The contents of the report consist of the actual planning activities, the pre-GGCLIS events and the conference programs.

The writers of the report and the members of the GGCLIS Planning Committee wish to thank again each and everyone of those who participated personally and/or financially in the GGCLIS and its preconference activities. Also, they wish to thank all those who provided data, reports, other contributions for, and read this final report. It was with their support, devotion, and involvement that Guam has proudly accomplished an event that has great historical significance to the island and to the nation.

It is our sincere hope that working together, Guam citizens will continue to improve their library and information services on the island. Taking advantage of reading, information, and technology, Guam certainly will move forward to a new society of high productivity and high literacy. With a fully informed citizenry, people on Guam and in the nation, rich or poor, will all enjoy full democracy.



# I

## Introduction

### 1. Initiation:

In August, 1989, Governor Joseph F. Ada received a memorandum from the U. S. National Commission on Libraries and Information Services (NCLIS), appended with a copy of Public Law 100-382, which called for a White House Conference on Library and Information Services (WHCLIS) to be conducted before October 1, 1991. The memorandum indicated the availability of federal grants and asked governors to consider initiating state/territorial pre-WHCLIS activities. It highlighted three key areas of the law:

(1) The process is orientated (sic) toward the understanding of the desires of the peoples of the U. S. A. and its territories for library and information services, and the development of efforts, programs, and policies that will lead to the most effective responses to these wants.

(2) All activities at the state and territorial level as well as those at the national level, must be structured to insure fair representation of the whole population through the allocation of the participants...

(3) Activities at the state and territorial level in support of these efforts may be supported by technical and financial assistance from the NCLIS in the form of materials, reports, and grants.

In the meantime, Shirley Corbin, President of the Guam Library Association (GLA), and Chih Wang, Dean of Learning Resources at the University of Guam (UOG), initiated a meeting with Frank R. San Agustin, Guam Territorial Librarian, and expressed their high interest in, and strong support of,

the idea of the pre-WHCLIS. Later, on September 11, 1989, Governor Ada signed an agreement with NCLIS, based on the recommendation made by San Agustin, that Guam would organize its conference and participate in the national activities. On October 19, 1989, the three librarians, joined by Joanne Tarpley, Reference Librarian of the Nieves M. Flores Memorial Library (the Guam Public Library), held their first formal meeting and organized themselves as the Pre-Planning Committee.

## **2. Preliminary Planning:**

The Committee met five times from October through mid-December, 1989. Its main goal was to proceed to prepare the Pre-WHCLIS on Guam. To accomplish this goal, it formulated its primary objectives: to organize a planning committee, to identify possible candidates to serve on the committee, and to think of financial sources to support the conference. The Committee members also discussed selecting a strong community leader to chair the Planning Committee.

The members reviewed the State and Territorial Preconference Activities Planning Manual, WHCLIS News Release, Governor's Pre-White House Conference on Libraries and Information Services: Final Report, and several other documents. They conceived a blueprint for the Pre-WHCLIS, which later was developed and became the foundation of the plan of the Guam Governor's Conference on Library and Information Services (GGCLIS). They proposed that the national themes of library and information services for productivity, for literacy, and for democracy be addressed as follows:

(1) Informal meetings would be held in villages, at UOG, and at senior citizen centers to get input from the public about their needs.

(2) The Planning Committee would work with the Board of Education to review the information needs of the school children of Guam and insure their needs are met.

(3) The above Committee would work with the Education Committee of the Guam Legislature to suggest the writing and passage of bills dealing with library and information services on Guam.

It was expected that the GGCLIS would make the various populations on Guam more aware of library services available to them. It was hoped that the GGCLIS would collect information to assess the information needs of the people of Guam, and help create a generation of readers and library users from children through adults.

## II

### Guam Planning Process

#### 1. The Planning Committee:

In early December, 1989, Governor Ada appointed Planning Committee members. The Committee was officially organized in its first meeting held December 14, in which the initially elected officials were Chih Wang, Chair; Beth McClure, Librarian at Simon Sanchez High School, Co-Chair; Diane Chambers, a community volunteer, Secretary; and Frank R. San Agustin, Treasurer. At the following meeting, the Planning Committee titled the conference The Second GGCLIS. Later, "The Second" was dropped from the title, and the year 1990 was added to the end of the title when necessary for clarification. The Committee designed and began to use stationery depicting the conference logo.

The organization of the Planning Committee including its working committees was gradually completed during the year of planning. Many new members joined the Committee during the year. A few left or never showed up at the planning activities. Appendix 1, Roster of the Planning Committee of the Guam Governor's Conference on Library and Information Services, 1990, is the final list of the participants of the Planning Committee.

The Planning Committee consisted of 16 members from four major sectors of the Guam community: government

officials, library supporters, library professionals, and the reading public; one-fourth came from each sector. They were so selected for the purpose of facilitating the future selection of the conference delegates. The Committee formulated the overall plan of the GGCLIS, oversaw its execution, and determined the policies and guidelines relating to the conference. It selected the chairpersons of working committees on the basis of the actual needs and the specialties of individuals. It approved the recommendations made by the working committees on the basis of the actual needs and the specialties of individuals. It approved the recommendations made by the working committees, secured finances, and controlled the total budget of the GGCLIS.

## **2. The Working Committees:**

In response to the conference needs, ten working committees were established during the year. For better communication purposes, the majority of the chairpersons of these committees were selected from the Planning Committee members. After the chairpersons were selected, they were encouraged to recruit their members from the surrounding community as well as from the Planning Committee. At the time when the conference convened, a total of 44 volunteers from the various sectors of the island community were involved in these committees.

The working committees were the actual bodies that made recommendations, drafted original plans, and carried out the

details for the GGCLIS activities. They were required to report to and their actions were subject to the approval of the Planning Committee. The primary responsibilities of these committees were to plan, identify, recommend, coordinate, arrange, and/or execute the activities summarized below.

Activities: the pre-GGCLIS activities, including radio talk show, design of posters, village meetings for citizens to speak out about their library needs, logo and essay contests, delegate orientation, InfoFiesta, etc.

Fund-Raising: funds needed to supplement the budget of the GGCLIS.

Legal Counsel: all possible legal issues related to the GGCLIS activities.

Logistics: logistical needs of the GGCLIS, such as meeting rooms, exhibit space, meal and coffee services, presentation equipment, office supplies and facilities, shuttle bus, parking, etc.

Nomination: nomination of the GGCLIS delegates and alternates, selection of observers from neighbor islands, and nomination of candidates for the national WHCLIS delegates and alternates.

Program: conference programs, speakers, presenters; facilitators, moderators, and their training; and evaluation of the program.

Publicity: publicity of the GGCLIS and its

preconference activities in newspapers, magazines, radio, and television.

Recommendations: recommendations for improving library and information services on Guam and in the nation.

Volunteers: invitations and packets for delegates, speakers, observers, and other participants, and conference registration.

### **3. Community Involvement**

The Nieves M. Flores Memorial Library, the Robert F. Kennedy Memorial (RFK) Library at UOG, the Guam Library Association (GLA), and the Guam Council of International Reading Association (IRA) were all involved in planning and conducting the conference and the pre-GGCLIS activities. After the Planning Committee was organized, its members successively wrote press releases, letters, and reports, and talked individually, to the UOG community, the various departments of the Government of Guam, local businesses, social organizations, and news media to inform the public of the upcoming event. They sought candidates to be conference delegates and committee volunteers. They solicited recommendations for improving library and information services on Guam and in the nation.

San Agustin, appointed lead of the conference by Governor Ada, served as the Liaison Officer and the Coordinator of the GGCLIS in addition to serving as the Treasurer of the Planning Committee. He was the contact person with the

Governor's Office and the Guam Legislature. He was primarily responsible for securing supplementary financial support needed for the GGCLIS. His staff members at the Nieves M. Flores memorial Library contributed much of the clerical work before and during the conference. In addition, the staff from the Robert F. Kennedy Library and from many offices of the Planning Committee members, also provided a variety of in-kind services for the GGCLIS.

4. **The GGCLIS Plan:**

At the meeting held December 27, 1989, the Planning Committee, in addition to forming the several working committees described above, scheduled the conference for November 15, 16, and 17, 1990, at the Pacific Star Hotel on the shores of Tumon Bay.

Also at this meeting, the Planning Committee members agreed that the Committee would meet monthly at 3:30 P. M. on the second Tuesday at the Nieves M. Flores Memorial Library conference room. They determined that 160 delegates and 40 alternates to the GGCLIS would be selected following the NCLIS guidelines. The Committee adopted the national themes as the focal topics of the GGCLIS. A budget of \$100,000 was recommended to support the GGCLIS activities. After this meeting the immediate tasks of the Committee were to draft a timetable submit a plan to NCLIS for the conference.

Many major activities included in the original plan were adjusted because of changing circumstance. Guam's First



Lady, Mrs. Rosanne Ada, was invited to be the Honorary Chair of the GGCLIS. In cooperation with the Nieves M. Flores Memorial Library and the GLA, the Planning Committee sponsored three programs to promote the GGCLIS on a local radio station KUAM. Working with the mayors, the Committee arranged six village meetings for Guam citizens to speak out about their needs in library and information needs in library and information services. Prior to the conference, an orientation meeting was held to brief the delegates. Together with GLA, RFK Library, and the UOG's school media program, the Committee planned an Island InforFiesta which provided technological information for the conference delegates.

In addition, the Committee conducted a poster contest and an essay contest involving students in the private and public high schools on the island. The topic of both contests focused on the conference themes. To publicize the GGCLIS, a 6 x 12 foot banner announcing the conference events was hung at the orientation meeting and at the conference site. During the conference, two additional banners were hung over two of the busiest traffic locations on Guam. Appendix 2, Chronology of the Guam Governor's Conference on Library and Information Services, 1990, lists the activities conducted before, during, and after the GGCLIS.

### III

#### GGCLIS Goals, Objectives, and Activities

##### 1. Goals and Objectives:

Following the NCLIS Planning Manual, the Planning Committee completed the GGCLIS goals and objectives were developed based on the identified needs on Guam. These goals and objectives follow:<sup>7</sup>

**Goal (1): To establish a Guam library networking system.**

Objectives:

A. To expand networking and resources sharing among Guam academic, public, school, and special libraries for the efficient delivery of library and information services to meet the needs of citizens.

B. To establish a Guam Library Council with the membership to include the Territorial Librarian, the Dean of Learning Resources at UOG, the Guam Community College Librarian, the GLA President, and representatives from Guam Department of Education, the private libraries, military libraries, and the principal administrator of any new library system established by Guam statute. The function of this council would be to work together to share information and ideas relative to improving library and information services to the people of Guam.

**Goal (2): To seek additional federal assistance for library development on Guam.**

Objectives:

A. to request establishing special federal postal and telecommunication rates to facilitate the sharing of resources and information with libraries in the United States.

B. To request changing U. S. postal service policies and regulations so all library materials addressed to and from U. S. territories would be sent by air mail at surface rates.

C. To compile, maintain, and disseminate an inventory of available government funding sources and qualification criteria applicable to library and information services to Guam libraries and related facilities.

**Goal (3): To increase library use and raise the literacy rate.**

Objectives:

A. To promote and encourage the use of libraries and their materials in all age and ethnic groups.

B. To make available information on foreign language holdings to all people on Guam so they would know where they could find materials in their respective languages.

C. To expand programs for special users such as children and youth, senior citizens, ethnic minorities, the illiterate, the semiliterate, and non-English speaking groups, the home-bound, the institutionalized, the deaf, the blind, and the physically handicapped, the emotionally disturbed, the mentally retarded, and other groups not adequately served.

D. To develop libraries as community, cultural, educational, and informational institutions charged with the responsibility to increase literacy and to encourage the development of information and referral services.

**Goal (4): To expand access to information for patrons.**

Objectives:

A. To index the Pacific Daily News and the Guam Tribune and to make these sources available to the Guam public.

B. To create video-tape programs to increase user awareness of library services.

C. To establish an online catalog of library holdings for patron use.

**Goal (5): To improve the education and training of library personnel.**

Objectives:

A. To train library and information services personnel in human relations, public relations skills, and marketing techniques to increase the public usage of library and information services.

B. To educate Guam Library Board members to actively promote library and information services for all Guam people.

## **2. Recommendations:**

As mentioned above, the GGCLIS adopted the national themes as its foci for discourse. The themes were emphasized in all village meetings, radio talk shows, publicity literature, and especially in the conference programs. There was at least one

professional librarian or a member from the Planning Committee at each village meeting to provide information about the conference themes and to emphasize the importance of library services in modern society. Citizens were encouraged to speak out and to make recommendations about improving library and information services in these meetings or directly to the Planning Committee.

The Planning Committee members also made recommendations based on their knowledge, information, and/or data collected from the community. All recommendations were first collected by the Recommendations Committee. They were compiled, categorized, and provided to the conference delegates for discussion. At the GGCLIS, the delegates were divided by specialized groups according to the category of the recommendations. In the group meetings, additional recommendations were made by the delegates. The group recommendations were then forwarded to the final business session of the conference for revision and adoption in a draft format. The adopted recommendations were processed by the Recommendations Committee and then returned to the delegates for final approval.

### 3. Activities:

The above mentioned village meetings were considered successful. Many mayors, community leaders, and the reading public took part in the meetings. Some of them also sent their recommendations to the Planning Committee. One of the most

successful meetings was in the village of Merizo, in which "citizens packed the Merizo Community Center." They discussed "bookmobiles,...additional services in the area of early reading, the computerization of the main library in Agana, and the possibility of ordering books from alternate sources..."<sup>8</sup>

Another successful activity arranged for the conference was the Island InfoFiesta, 1990. The fiesta demonstrated different information products including online and CD-ROM systems available on Guam. It was intended to provide information to the conference delegates about the availability and the capability of information technology on the island. It also was open to the general public. "The first computerized information workshop in Guam...was a success, with more than 130 pre-registered participants and approximately 90 walk-ins."<sup>9</sup>

The participants in the fiesta were enthusiastic about the event and their evaluations were mostly 3s and 4s on a scale of 0-4. Appendix 3, The Background and Interests of the Participants in the Island InfoFiesta, 1990, shows the characteristics of those who took part. The details of the participants' evaluation of the Island InfoFiesta, 1990 are described in Section VIII.

Along with the above activities, three of the Planning Committee members went to the Commonwealth of Northern Mariana Islands to observe its pre-WHCLIS in October, 1990. They were Chih Wang, Chair of the Planning Committee;

Joanne Tarpley, Chair of the Recommendations Committee; and Arlene Cohen, Chair of the Activities Committee. Their experience in the CMNI was beneficial to the final phase of planning and to the execution of the GGCLIS activities.

#### **4. Nomination of Delegates:**

This section quotes the GGCLIS delegate selection process stated in the conference Activities Plan. The detailed activities pertaining to the nomination of delegates are covered below in the report by the Nomination Committee. The Plan states that the delegates to the GGCLIS shall be selected from a pool of nominees by the Planning Committee. There shall be 40 delegates and 10 non-voting alternates from each of the four categories listed below. Those individuals interested in being selected as delegates to the GGCLIS may nominate themselves or be nominated by anyone else. Publicity concerning the nomination and selection process shall be given. The selection process is as follows:

(1) Data on all nominees shall include name, address, home and work phone numbers, place and type of employment, current membership on any boards, committees, or organizations concerned with libraries, relationship/concern with libraries, and interest in attending and participating in the GGCLIS on November 15 - 17, 1990.

(2) Nominees shall be divided equally into four categories:

(A) People employed in the library and information

field, including librarians, library educators, publishers, information vendors, library technicians, and library clerks.

(B) People who support libraries, including people on library committees, board members, library volunteers, and GLA members.

(C) People who are government officials, including appointed and elected positions, people in government administration, directors, legislators and their staff, mayors, Board of Education members, and school administrators and principals.

(D) The public, including people who use and/or are concerned about libraries, such as parents, students, retirees, the handicapped, and ethnic minorities.

(3) The GGCLIS delegates shall elect in the conference four delegates and four alternates to the national WHCLIS. The composition of the national delegates shall be the same as that for the GGCLIS, namely: One-fourth shall be elected from library and information professionals, one-fourth from library supporters, one-fourth from government officials, and one-fourth from the general public.

(4) All disputes with respect to the election of either the GGCLIS or the WHCLIS delegates shall be resolved by the GGCLIS Planning Committee.<sup>10</sup>

## 5. Committee Reports:

The following summary reports of working committees



describe more details of the various GGCLIS activities.

**(1) Activities, by Arlene Cohen:**

A. Banned Books Week. Mark C. Goniwiecha, Reference Librarian at UOG and a member of the Planning Committee, published an article about the Banned Books Week in the Pacific Sunday News. He also organized a display of the banned books at the RFK Library which attracted not only UOG students and faculty, but the general public as well. These activities were designed to raise awareness of one of the topics that was to be covered at the GGCLIS.

B. Speak-outs. Six village speak-outs were held. The speak-outs were advertised in the Pacific Daily News. Two posters were designed for the event: one by Judy Flores, a local artist; the other by Geraine Strong, Librarian of the Andersen Air Force Base Library. They were posted in all branches of Guam public libraries, schools, local businesses and medical centers. Bookmarks designed by Geraine Strong and GGCLIS materials were passed out at the speak-outs. The activities were considered to be successful in meeting the intended objectives.

(C) Preconference Orientation. A preconference orientation was held Friday, October 19, 1990 from 5:00 P. M. to 7:00 P. M. at Eaton Hall, St. John's Episcopal School. The purposes of this event were to

give the GGCLIS delegates a preliminary packet to acquaint them with the Conference and to help them become acquainted with each other prior to the Conference. More than 75 delegates attended the event which included a catered light supper.

(D) Poster/Essay Contests. High School Poster/Essay Contests were held in the fall semester, 1990. Frank Manibusan from Senator Franklin Quitugua's office coordinated the contests for the public schools, and Sister Trini Pangelinan coordinated the contests for the private schools. Guidelines for the contests were set up by the Activities Committee and they were delivered to all the high schools on the island. Forty-nine essays and five posters were submitted. The entries were judged by three members of the GGCLIS Planning Committee. The winners and their parents were guests at the GGCLIS Gala Banquet where they were presented with their prizes: \$200 for first place, \$100 for second place, and \$50 for third place. The prizes included book store gift certificates. The winning essays and posters were displayed at the banquet and the three winning essays were published in the Guam Tribune, November 20 and 30, 1990.

**(2) Exhibits, by Shirley Corbin:**

In April, 1990, the Committee began to reserve hotel rooms for off-island exhibitors. The Committee contacted the

Pacific Star Hotel and found there was space available for about 75 exhibitors. With this in mind, the Committee Chair drafted letters which were sent to 200 potential exhibitors in the United States, Australia, Singapore, Hong Kong, and the Philippines, inviting them to exhibit and/or demonstrate their publications, products, and services at the GGCLIS. The list of potential exhibitors was compiled using the Bowker Annual and the list of exhibitors from the 1989 American Library Association Conference. Enclosed with the letter of invitation was information about the GGCLIS, Guam, hotels, and car rentals.

In August, the Committee mailed invitations to thirty potential exhibitors on Guam. The names of these exhibitors were suggested by the GGCLIS Planning Committee members and also were taken from the list of exhibitors at the Guam English Teachers' Conference held in 1989. About a week prior to the GGCLIS, the Committee Chair visited the conference site to finalize detailed logistical concerns.

When the GGCLIS convened, twenty-eight exhibitors and three authors were on site. Eight of them were from off-island. Appendix 4 lists the GGCLIS exhibitors. The total income from renting the exhibits space was \$1,575.00.

### **(3) Logistics, by Nicholas Goetzfridt:**

A shuttle bus to help alleviate the anticipated parking congestion at the Pacific Star Hotel was arranged with Guam Mass Transit. The bus provided morning and afternoon

transportation from Ypao Park and John F. Kennedy High School areas to the Hotel as well as transportation on the evening of the final banquet. Favorable comments about the helpfulness of this arrangement were heard throughout the conference. A few minor logistical problems occurred during the conference. They were, however, quickly resolved and all presentations were able to proceed without delay.

**(4) Nomination, by Beth McClure and Tuffy Pillette:**

The Nomination Committee was assigned to identify up to 160 delegates and 40 alternates to the GGCLIS from the four categories of government officials, library and information professionals, library supporters, and the general public. The Committee first started meeting in July under the chairmanship of Tuffy Pillette. Nominations were solicited from the community and village meetings. From the responses of these and other sources, including the knowledge of committee members, the Nomination Committee compiled a list of potential candidates for the delegates and alternates arranged in four categories following the selection guidelines.

In August, the Committee mailed out to the above potential candidates 120 letters of invitation with an explanation of the themes and objectives and tentative agenda of the conference. If the response was positive, the candidate was requested to return a commitment form. Fifty percent of the candidates responded positively. A soliciting letter and a commitment form are shown in appendix 5.

In September, Pillette resigned since she was leaving Guam for retirement and Beth McClure assumed the chairmanship of the Committee. The letters of invitation continued to be sent out on a periodic basis through October. When the GGCLIS convened, a total of 160 delegates attended the conference. The names of these delegates are listed in appendix 6. An Observer Subcommittee was formed in this Committee to charge the task of contacting observers from neighbor islands. The following report by the Subcommittee details its accomplishments.

The Nomination Committee also prepared a slate for the conference to select Guam's delegates and alternates to the WHCLIS. The slate of 16 names was solicited from the Planning Committee members and from individual contacts of the Nomination Committee. It also was announced at the beginning of the GGCLIS that the conference delegates could petition to be on the election slate. A final slate of 22 candidates for the delegates to the WHCLIS in four categories was established for election in the general meeting of the conference. Each candidate was given two minutes to make a campaign speech. The following were elected:

A. Public officials: Chih Wang, delegate and Vince T. Leon Guerrero, alternate;

B. Librarians: Mark C. Goniwecha, delegate and Beth McClure, alternate;

C. Library Supporters: Jeannetta Caplan, delegate and Sheryl Nixt, alternate; and

D. The General Public: Peter Onedera, delegate and Sister Trini Pangelinan, alternate.

**(5) Observers, by Mark C. Goniwiecha:**

The Observers Committee was an ad hoc group whose members included Edith Blas, Nick Goetzfridt, Cathy Ogo, and chaired by Mark C. Goniwiecha. The idea to invite observers from other Micronesian islands originated at a meeting of the Nomination Committee, whose members noted that most of the islands surrounding Guam were not scheduled to hold a pre-WHCLIS. In the spirit of friendship, cooperation, and sharing, the Nomination Committee requested the Planning Committee for authorization to invite observers to attend the conference as non-voting participants at no expense to the GGCLIS. Later, the Planning Committee resolved to provide observers complimentary tickets for all conference meals.

The Subcommittee compiled a list of 75 individuals employed, involved, or interested in library and information services or education in Micronesia. The names were recommended by several members of the various working committees. Potential observers were invited from the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, (CNMI), the Republic of Belau, the Federated States of Micronesia (FSM), the Republic of the Marshall Islands, American Samoa, Puerto Rico, and the U. S. Virgin Islands. In addition, the librarians at the

University of the South Pacific in Fiji and the South Pacific Commission in New Caledonia also were invited.

The letter of invitation was sent out on August 6 along with a Draft Program Outline of the conference, as well as a list of economical hotels, car rental agencies on Guam, a map of Tumon Bay, and Observer Reservation Form (see appendix 7 for the form). Prior to the conference, 19 positive responses were received from library and education personnel within the Micronesian area. A follow-up letter was sent on October 18 along with a copy of the updated Draft Program Outline to all those who sent in reservations. Fifteen observers actually registered and participated in the conference: 2 from the CNMI, 4 from Belau, 5 from the FSM, and 4 from the Marshall Islands. See appendix 8 for the GGCLIS observers.

The GGCLIS provided an opportunity to meet and share with neighboring islands. In addition to learning from Guam delegates and program presenters, the observers contributed additional perspectives to conference sessions. A special "Guest Off-Island Observers Informal Get-together" was scheduled on November 16 for the observers to meet each other and share their mutual concerns. Many Guam delegates also attended the get-together. The observers held two meetings during the conference, discussed the organization of a Western Pacific Library and Archives Association, and explored other ways of cooperation within the region. The concept of the WPLAA had been explored by several librarians in the

western Pacific and discussed at the CNMI Governor's Conference on Library and Information Services held in Saipan, October 23-25, 1990.

**(6) Program, by Mark C. Goniwiecha:**

Early in 1990, the Program Committee compiled a list of potential speakers, both off-island and local, to present programs and facilitate conference recommendation business. At its March 13 meeting the Planning Committee approved up to \$5,000.00 for programming, the Program Committee recommended spending the funds to bring off-island experts---a librarian and an author, if possible. It was suggested that the GGCLIS cooperate with the IRA to co-sponsor an author; this cooperation was facilitated by Beth McClure, Co-chair of the Planning Committee and a member of the IRA executive board.

In March 1990, the Planning Committee and the IRA signed a memorandum of understanding to identify a children's author or illustrator for the GGCLIS. The first two authors contacted declined due to prior commitments. The IRA then negotiated with the Scholastic, Inc. that assisted the GGCLIS in booking Norman Bridwell, author of the famous Clifford, the Big Red Dog books. Bridwell was on Guam for more than a week speaking at schools, shopping centers, and various meetings prior to the GGCLIS; Bridwell, accompanied by Clifford, was an instant hit wherever he went. The librarian identified was Ann K. Symons, a school librarian from Juneau, Alaska,



and a member of the American Library Association executive board.

In addition to Bridwell and Symons, authors Evelyn Flores, Gayle Morrison and John Salas also sold and autographed their works. The chair consulted with the chairs of the Planning Committee, the Recommendations Committee, the Exhibits Committee, the Fund Raising Committee, the Volunteers Committee and others to ensure that the program ran smoothly, that conference packets included a variety of helpful materials, and that all individuals and groups meriting thanks were acknowledged in the program. A moderator was identified for each general session and meal function. A draft budget was prepared, showing the expenses anticipated for programming. Various activities including articles in the Pacific Daily News and flyers describing the main guest speakers were undertaken before the conference to increase awareness on the part of delegates and the public about the main guest speakers and other conference programs.

About 67 different programs, meal functions and business or recommendation drafting sessions were scheduled. Except for the programs presented by the two off-island experts, the sessions were presented, facilitated, or moderated by Guam residents. Each day of the conference a general session was followed by concurrent program and business sessions.

**(7) Publicity, by John Morvant:**

Coverage of the GGCLIS by local media ranged from good

to very good depending upon the media involved. Coverage by the print media and the local news-talk radio station was very good. Coverage by the two television stations was not as extensive as had been hoped.

Listed below are the statistics on media exposure covering the GGCLIS activities. Note that these statistics may not reflect the actual figure of media exposure since many radio and television activities may not have been monitored. Some stories on the "speak-out" series and on the conference itself must have been aired, but they were not observed.

Speak-out Coverage.

Print:	Exposure	Medium
	3	Editorials (Pacific Daily News and Guam Tribune)
	1	TV Guam advancer
	3	Pacific Daily News spot news and advancers
	6	Tribune spot news and advancers
	1	Hafa Magazine advancer
	5	Tribune paid ads
	5	Pacific Daily News paid ads
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	24	stories/advancers/ads

Electronic:

1	The Morning Show (talk show on K-57 radio)
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6 K-57 spot news advancers (in the news)  
 1 Cable Forum (talk show) on Guam  
 Cable TV  
 ? Cable News sport news (not observed)  
 ? KUAM News sport news (not observed)

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8 stories on radio and TV at a minimum  
 leading up to Speakouts.

Conference Coverage.

Print:	Exposure	Medium
	4	Editorials (Pacific Daily News and Tribune)
	10	Pacific Daily News spot news and advancers
	4	Tribune sport news and advancers
	1	Full page ad (Tribune)
	1	Full page ad (Pacific Daily News)
	2	Quarter page ads (Tribune)
	3	Quarter page ads (Pacific Daily News)
	1	Triton's Call spot news (University of Guam student paper)
	2	Winning essays published in Tribune
	28	stories/advancers/ads

Electronic:

1 Cable Forum (talk show) on Guam Cable TV

	2	Guam Cable TV spot news
	3	KUAM TV spot news
	1	The Morning Show of K-57 radio
	4	K-57 spot news
	4	TV advancers (estimated, not observed)
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	15	stories/advancers/ads
Total	75	stories/advancers/ads

As the above figures have show, the GGCLIS generated at least 75 exposures in the local media. Note again that the above figures do not include other publicity in the form of photographs either standing alone or with a story nor include "casual" comments about the conference which aired both on K-57 Radio and on Hit Radio 100 before and during the conference. In conclusion, the GGCLIS and its related activities were covered reasonably well by Guam local news media.

**(8) Recommendations, by Joanne Tarpley:**

In April 1990, the Recommendations Committee drafted a letter to inform and solicit input for the GGCLIS from various civic, professional, charity, government and social organizations. Although more than 120 letters were mailed, response was meager. The Planing Committee members analyzed recommendations submitted during the first GGCLIS held on Guam in November, 1979. Those recommendations never implemented that were still vital were noted and ranked in importance. Recommendations

also were prepared by Planning Committee members and other interested parties. When the GGCLIS convened, a total of 33 recommendations had been received. They were compiled and categorized into 13 topics that correspond to the conference program topics.

During the GGCLIS, recorders noted all recommendations coming out of each individual business session. All recommendations were collected and categorized and presented in draft form at the closing business session of the conference. Ninety-four recommendations were read, discussed and approved. Delegates were given two weeks to submit further suggestions or revisions to the Recommendations Committee.

In preparation for the implementation process, the Recommendations Committee met in early December to sort out the individual recommendations into areas of primary responsibility: Federal Government; local government, private sector, etc. Delegates were then mailed copies of the final recommendations. They were urged to commit themselves to the implementation process by selecting a specific topic of interest from among the 13 categories and adopting that topic as their particular cause.

**(9) Fund Raising, by Frank R. San Agustin:**

The Fund Raising Committee directed its solicitation effort to the local business population. From January to June 1990, a total of \$17,250 was collected from seventeen donors with the largest contribution of \$5,000 received from

Duty Free Shoppers, Ltd. (see appendix 11 for list of contributors).

Because of the success of the Fund Raising Committee, the fund raising dinner initially scheduled for July 28, 1990 was cancelled.

The two expense categories where our fund raising effort was directed were travel expense for the four alternates to the White House Conference in Washington, D. C. scheduled for July 9-13, 1991 and hotel rental and accommodation for the three days conference (GGCLIS) on November 15-17, 1990.

**(10) Legal Counsel, by Vance Guerena:**

The Committee did not report any legal activity. The activities listed in the GGCLIS activity plan were executed well within the established policies and procedures and litigations, arbitrations, or legal interpretations were not required.

## IV

### Guam Conference

The GGCLIS has accomplished its historical mission. It was a great success! As scheduled, the conference was held on November 15, 16, and 17, 1990 at the Pacific Star Hotel on the shores of Tumon Bay. In addition to the delegates and alternates, well known authors, book publishers, technology entrepreneurs, library experts, and observers from neighbor islands were invited to the conference to speak, autograph, observe, and exhibit their publications and products. There were an average of 200 participants each day during the three-day conference. Along with these participants, many people from the public also visited the conference.

Following the WHCLIS guidelines, the GGCLIS delegates were selected from federal and Guam officials, the library profession, library supporters, and the general public; one-fourth from each group. These delegates included Guam legislators, government officials, professors, teachers, students, business persons, home-makers, librarians, senior citizens, minorities, and community leaders. Norman Bridwell, creator and author of the "Clifford, the Big Red Dog" book series; Evelyn Flores, indigenous author of Guam children's books; John C. Salas, Chairman of the Board of Trustees for

Guam Community College; Ann Symons, Librarian from Juneau, Alaska and American Library Association Executive Board member; and Robert Underwood, Academic Vice President at UOG, among others, were guest speakers in the conference. Book publishers, computer hardware and software vendors, and other exhibitors from Guam, Hawaii, the U. S. mainland, Australia, Hong Kong, and Singapore displayed their products. Observers from the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, the Federal States of Micronesia, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, and the Republic of Belau attended the conference and contributed their perspectives.

Lt. Governor Frank F. Blas officially convened the conference with brief opening remarks. The delegates then divided into small groups where they discussed the issues related to the major themes of the conference: library and information services for productivity, for literacy, and for democracy. In each group, an expert provided background information about the related issues. Following the group discussion, the delegates gathered again in various groups to draft their recommendations for the improvement of library and information services in each subject area. There were keynote speeches provided by guest speakers after each lunch and dinner.

In the preliminary program, Governor and Mrs. Ada were



scheduled to host the opening dinner at the Government House for the GGCLIS participants at the end of the first day of the conference. About one week before the conference, the dinner, however, was rescheduled at the Cliff Hotel and co-hosted by the Governor and the Planning Committee. The conference participants were very honored and pleased when the Governor greeted them at the dinner.

On the third day, the conference adopted a total of 94 recommendations in thirteen categories, and elected four delegates and four alternates to participate in the WHCLIS scheduled for July 9 - 13, 1991, in Washington, D. C. The recommendations are related to a wide variety of subjects, such as library services for early childhood, children and young adults, the handicapped, ethnic groups and western Pacific women; promotion of reading; improvement of school library programs; networking and interlibrary resource sharing; intellectual freedom; adult literacy; information technology; and library improvement.

The conference was considered very successful as stated earlier. All of its activities were highly rated by the participants. The evaluation of the GGCLIS is reported in Section VIII. Despite near typhoon conditions the conference was very well attended. Delegates, speakers, exhibitors, and observers were enthusiastic and serious about all conference activities. Most of all, the conference was a good opportunity to let the public learn the importance of library

and information services in our modern society and become aware of the activities of the library and information profession. It was also an important occasion to provide continuing education for, promote unity of, and develop cooperation among the library professionals on Guam and neighboring islands. Appendix 9 is the GGCLIS Program Outline. The report presented in the previous section by the Program Committee describes the detailed programs of the conference.

## V

### Issues and Recommendations

The conference developed a total of 94 recommendations concerning the improvement of library and information services. Among them, 7 are national issues which will be sent to the WHCLIS for further discussion and consideration; and 87 were local issues which will be distributed to the relevant organizations on Guam. Appendix 10 is a list of recommendations developed at the GGCLIS. The Planning Committee is attempting to create a team to coordinate the implementation of these recommendations. The development process and the detailed work with regard to the recommendation activities are presented in Section III, GGCLIS Goals, Objectives, and Activities.

## VI

### Delegates to the White House Conference on Library and Information Services

#### 1. Government Officials:

Chih Wang, Delegate, is Dean of Learning Resources at UOG. He has served in the library and information profession for more than twenty years. Prior to his current position, he was public services librarian at Asnuntuck Community College, Enfield, Connecticut. Before that, he worked up from a student library page to the head librarian at the Atlanta University's School of Library and Information Studies. He also has had many years of military service, and a career in research and in teaching before becoming a librarian.

Wang has published many articles and essays in various referred journals and general-interest magazines and newspapers. He is the elected Chair of the GGCLIS Planning Committee and took part in several working committees. Currently, he holds membership in ALA, the Association of College and Research Libraries, Library Administration and Management Association, Library and Information Technology Association, Guam Library Association, and Chinese American Librarians' Association. He holds BA (summa cum laude), MSLIS, MA, and Ph. D. degrees.

**Vince T. Leon Guerrero**, Alternate, is Program Coordinator of Special Education, Guam Department of Education. He received his B. A. degree from San Jose State University, California in 1977 and MSW degree from the University of Hawaii, Manoa in 1986. He also was a participant in the East-West Center, Honolulu, Hawaii from 1984 - 1986.

Leon Guerrero has been active in the Guam community in various capacities. He is a council member of the Guam State Council on Vocational Education, Treasurer of the Agana Heights Elementary School Parent Teacher Organization (PTO), Ex-Officio member of the Board of Directors of Sanctuary, Inc. (a shelter for teenagers), and an executive committee member of the Guam PTC. His interest in libraries comes from his three children; age 7, 4, and 2 months and his love for reading.

## **2. Library and Information Professionals:**

**Mark C. Goniwiecha**, Delegate, is Instructor of Library Science at UOG. He has been employed in the library and information profession for more than ten years. He was born in Detroit, Michigan, and raised in suburban Macomb County. He received the B. Ph. degree in liberal arts from Grand Valley State University, Allendale, Michigan in 1971. He moved to Fairbanks, Alaska, where he taught high school and served as librarian. He earned an A. A. degree (cum laude) at the University of Alaska, Fairbanks in 1979, and was awarded the M. L. I. S. degree at the University of California,

Berkeley in 1982.

From 1983 - 1988, Goniwiecha served in several positions at the Rasmuson Library, University of Alaska, Fairbanks. He was vice president, then president of the Alaska Library Association (1987 - 1988) and served as a member of the ALA Intellectual Freedom Committee (1987 - 1989). In 1988, he relocated to Guam, where his duties at the RFK Library at UOG include providing reference services and coordinating bibliographic instruction. He was involved in reactivating the Guam Library Association, served as vice president, and is the Guam chapter councilor to ALA Council. He is a member of the GGCLIS Planning committee, served as chair of the Program Committee, a selected delegate to the GGCLIS, and an elected delegate to the WHCLIS. He has authored and co-authored more than 80 publications in scholarly and popular forums on topics ranging from printing history and ethnic bibliography to intellectual freedom and reading. He is member of several library associations, friends-of-the-library groups, and other educational and philanthropic organizations.

**Beth McClure**, Alternate, is Librarian at Simon Sanchez High School. She was born, raised, and educated in Portland, Oregon. She received the B. S. degree in elementary education from the University of Oregon. After teaching elementary school for five years, she pursued an M. S. degree in education with concentration in school librarianship at the

Portland State University. In 1971, she moved to Guam and since then she has worked in the elementary, middle, and high school libraries on the island. In 1988, McClure earned an MSLS degree from the University of Hawaii through the summers programs.

At present, McClure is President of the GLA. She is a member on the Guam Territorial Library board, the Title II State Advisory Council, Guam School Board, the Guam IRA Board, and the Guam Federation of Teachers Executive Council. She has worked on the GFT Committee on Political Education, and the Negotiating Team for the Guam Department of Education--Guam Federation of Teachers' Contract. She is Co-Chair of the GGCLIS Planning Committee. In 1989, she was Chairperson of the Self Study for Simon Sanchez High School Accreditation Report. She enjoys traveling in Asia and the Pacific.

### **3. Library and Information Supporter:**

**Jeannetta Caplan**, Delegate, is Associate Professor of Education at UOG. She began teaching at the University in 1982 as a part-time instructor. Her expertise is children literature, utilization of media resources, and elementary education. Prior to becoming faculty at UOG, Caplan was a teacher and later a librarian in Guam's elementary and middle schools. Before coming to Guam, she also taught in elementary schools in New Jersey and Maryland.

Caplan holds A. A., B. S., M. Ed., and Ed. D. degrees. She has been active in serving on different committees at

UOG and in the Guam community. She is a member of the GLA, IRA, Association of Educational Communications and Technology, Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development, Association for the Development of Computer Based Instructional Systems, and International Council for Computers in Education. She has presented papers at many educational conferences.

**Sheryl Nixt**, Alternate, teaches GATE (Gifted and Talented education) in the Guam public schools. She received a B. A. degree in elementary education from the State College of Iowa at Cedar Falls, and a Master's degree in administration from the University of Portland, Protland, Oregon. She has taught pre-school through fifth grade in Iowa, Colorado, California, and Guam for over twenty years.

Nixt is President of the IRA, Guam council; past secretary of AAUW: member of the National English Teachers Association: The Guam Symphony Society; and the GLA. Her interests include reading, music, traveling, and walks on the beach. Presently, she is promoting a reading aloud program in every classroom on Guam.

#### 4. The General Public:

**Peter Onedera**, Delegate, is Program Director of the Guam Chamorro Language Commission. He has been active in various civic and community organization. Currently, he is President of Guam parents Teachers Organization and is a



member of the Young Men's League of Guam; Civic Center of Guam Foundation; Chamorro Artists Association; Knights of Columbus, Pale San Vitores Council; Guam Territorial Board of Education; St. Jude Parish council; Christie McAuliffe State Fellowship Panel; and Drug Free Schools Advisory Council.

In the past, Onedera also was affiliated with the Muscular Dystrophy Association, Guam Chapter; American Red Cross; Headstart Parent Policy council; Latte Jaycees; Guam Health Coordinating Council; C. L. Taitano Elementary School PTA; National Catholic Education Association; UOG Student Body Association; and Guam Liberation Day Overall Committee. He received the 1989 Magnificent Seven Award (a Government of Guam Employee Recognition Award) for Community Involvement and was recognized as a 1988 Outstanding Young Man of America, 1984 Outstanding Jaycee, 1984 Three Outstanding Young People of Guam, as well as listed in 1981 Who's Who Among Outstanding Students in American Colleges and Universities. He earned a B.A. degree in communication from UOG. He is married with four children.

**Sister Trini Pangelinan, Sister of Mercy**, Alternate, is Regional Secretary and third Regional Councilor in the Region of Guam, Roman Catholic Schools, and a social worker by profession. She has been the Director of Family Ministry

in the Archdiocese of Agana since 1987. prior to her present position, Sr. Trini was employed by the Department of Public Health and Social Services, Government of Guam from 1975 to 1986.

After completing specialized training in Family Ministry, Sr. Trini was hired by Archbishop Anthony S. Apuron to start the Office of Family Ministry in the Archdiocese of Agana. She earned a B. A. degree in Sociology/Secondary Education from UOG in 1971; and M. S. W. degree from the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill in 1975; and a P.D. (Professional Diploma) in Religious Education (Family Ministry) from Fordham University, Bronx, New York in 1987. She is a member of the Planning Committee and a selected Delegate to the GGCLIS.

## VII

### Guam Post-Conference Activities

On November 20, 1990, the Planning Committee called its first post-conference meeting. At this meeting, several matters were discussed. First were the appreciation letters to acknowledge the GGCLIS participants and thank them for their contributions to the conference. San Agustin informed the Committee that Governor Ada was working on these letters to the Planning Committee members. The Committee agreed that all chairs of working committees would write letters to thank their active members and the participants in the activities coordinated by their committees. The Territorial Librarian, the Chair, and the Co-Chair of the Planning Committee would jointly thank the chairpersons of the working committees.

The second matter discussed was the GGCLIS recommendations. The Recommendations Committee agreed to take responsibility to sort these recommendations into national and local issues, and to prepare them in the proper form described by the WHCLIS' Developing State/Territory Recommendations.<sup>11</sup> The third matter discussed was the conference reports. Wang volunteered to draft a brief report to submit to the WHCLIS. He, Corbin, and Goniwiecha agreed to prepare the full final report of the conference. All chairs of the working committees would submit their reports to be included in the

final report. In the meantime, the Program Committee would also consider the possibility of publishing the papers presented in the conference.

The fourth matter discussed was a formal presentation of the GGCLIS recommendations to Governor Ada and to the Guam Legislature. San Agustin will make arrangements for this presentation. The date was set to be after the completion of the final report. The conference delegates will be invited to participate in the Planning Committee meetings beginning immediately. Also discussed was the idea of establishing a coalition team to follow through and implement the recommendations made from the conference. The Committee has begun to look for potential candidates to serve on the team.

## VIII

### Evaluation

The GGCLIS and its preconference activities were all preceived to be very successful. The Merizo village meeting, the Island InfoFiesta, 1990, and the conference itself were the three events especially highlighted by Guam news media. Appendix 12 shows selected news clippings that reported these events. Appendix 13 is the Participants' Satisfaction and Opinions on the Island InfoFiesta, 1990.

An evaluation form was developed by the Program Committee to solicit participants' opinions and comments about each general session, program presentation, and business or recommendation drafting session of the conference. A copy of the evaluation form was placed in each packet prepared for all delegates, presenters, facilitors, moderators, exhibitors, observers, walk-ins, and other registrants who received a conference packet. At the end of the conference, the evaluation forms were returned to the Program Committee. The rating scale in the evaluation form include the following choices: "G" could be circled to represent a response of "Great;" "O" to mean "O.K.;" "H" for "Ho-Hum;" and "D" for "Don't Waste my Time." In addition, there was space for the respondents to write narrative comments.

Appendix 14 is the evaluation of the GGCLIS, including high ratings and favorable comments given to the GGCLIS and

its related activities testified to the success of the work of the Planning Committee and of many committed volunteers. The positive morale and warm congeniality exhibited by speakers, presenters, facilitators, moderators, delegates, observers, volunteers, and other participants of the conference activities attested to the cooperation and advance work performed by the Planning Committee and working committee members.

A minor issue was that the GGCLIS did not receive a satisfactory pool of candidates to fill the planned slots of 160 delegates and 40 alternates. In future planning, the alternative would be either to scale down the total number of delegates or to establish a wider connection with different sectors of the local community so that a greater pool of candidates would be available from which to select delegates. It is the opinion of the Planning Committee that, if possible, the future conference include at least one knowledgeable participant of this conference so that his/her experience would help plan different programs and activities.

## IX Attachments

Provided as separate attachments are 5 copies of each of the following documents:

- A complete updated Preconference Activities Plan.
- \* ● Selected papers prepared for the GGCLIS
- \*\* ● The GGCLIS Planning Committee meeting agendas and minutes.
- A packet of materials prepared for distribution at the village meetings.
- A packet of materials prepared for the delegates' orientation meeting.
- A packet of materials prepared for the GGCLIS delegates and other participants.

\* Selected papers presented during the conference are still being collected for printing. These papers are to be forwarded upon completion.

\*\* At present not all meetings were recorded in Bulletin form; however tape recordings of meetings are available and will be transcribed at a latter date.

## X

### Exhibits

Provided in separate packets are one copy of other documents and materials related to the GGCLIS:

- A clipping file related to the GGCLIS activities.
- A picture file related to the GGCLIS activities.
- \* ● A video tape of the GGCLIS activities.

- \* Video tape coverage of the conference was taken by a teacher from Agat School and production of a master is being undertaken by KGTF T.V. Station, an Educational Television network of Government of Guam. A copy of the tape will be forwarded to NCLIS upon production completion.



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## APPENDIX 1

### ROSTER OF THE PLANNING COMMITTEE OF THE GUAM GOVERNOR'S CONFERENCE ON LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SERVICES, 1990

#### The Planning Committee

Carol Ann Brown	Frank Manibusan
Arlene Cohen (10/90- )	Hazel Moe
Shirley M. Corbin	John Morvant
Winnie Flores	Sister Trini Pangelinan, RSM
Mark C. Goniwiecha	Tuffy Pillette (12/89 - 9/90)
Vance Guerena	Frank R. San Agustin (Coordinator, Treasurer)
George K. Kallingal	Joanne Tarpley
Virginia A. Leon Guerrero	Chih Wang (Chair)
Beth McClure (Co-Chair)	

#### Working Committees

(Reporting to the Planning Committee)

##### Activities:

Arlene Cohen (Chair)	Sister Trini Pangelinan, RSM
Eric Eaton	Frank R. San Agustin
Phyllis Eaton	Geraine Strong
Frank Manibusan	

##### Exhibits:

Dave Corbin	Vance Guerena
Shirley Corbin (Chair)	Nancy Hall
Chris Dorsey	M. E. Odom
Mark C. Goniwiecha	Concepcion D. Villagomez

##### Fund-Raising:

Carol Ann Brown	Rita Franquez (Chair)
Lillian Cruz	Frank R. San Agustin

##### Legal Counsel:

Vance Guerena

Logistics:

Jeannetta Caplan  
Nicholas Goetzfridt (Chair)

Joanne Tarpley

Nomination:

Edith Bals  
Carol Ann Brown  
Mark J. Heath  
Cathy Ogo

Beth McClure (Chair, 9/90-)  
Tuffy Pillette  
(Chair, 12/89-9/90)  
Chih Wang

Program:

Jeannetta Caplan  
Mark C. Goniwiecha (Chair)  
Beth McClure

Sheryl Nixt  
Chih Wang

Publicity:

Judy Flores  
Alice Hadley  
John Morvant (Chair)

Carmen P. Pearson (Co-Chair)  
Joanne Tarpley

Recommendations:

Arlene Cohen  
Mark C. Goniwiecha  
Luan P. Nguyen  
Nicholas Goetzfridt

Frank R. San Agustin  
Joanne Tarpley (Chair)  
Chih Wang

Volunteers:

Jeanne Jewell  
Virginia A. Leon Guerrero  
Hazel Moe (Chair)

Conrad Redila  
Victoria S. San Nicolas

APPENDIX 2

CHRONOLOGY OF THE GUAM GOVERNOR'S CONFERENCE  
ON LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SERVICES 1990

- March 6, - 16, 1990**
- Cultural art exhibit presented by Nieves M. Flores Memorial Library/Guam Museum
- 19th Century Guam Museum exhibit - Guam Shopping Center, Tamuning, Guam
  - Gitala (guitar) musical presentation of jazz, Chamorro and classical music - Agana library
- April 22, - 28, 1990**
- National Library Week celebration
- Proclamation signing by Governor Ada
  - Guest appearance at K-57 and KUAM morning talk shows
- Guests: Representatives from Nieves M. Flores Memorial Library and the Guam Library Association (GLA)
- June 26, - July 19, 1990**
- Summer program to teach pre-school children literature, literacy and learning conducted by Dr. Marilyn Jackson at the Barrigada branch library. Dr. Jackson was assisted by the following University of Guam students in partial fulfillment of the requirements for Ed. 331: Teaching the Young Child.
- Elena Avellana  
Marlou Badajos  
Eddie Cabedo  
Tess Del Castillo  
Rosa Gofigan  
Darlene Mendiola
- The program was attended by twenty-two (22) children and parents.
- July 2, - 13, 1990**
- Read-a-thon

**August 16, - September 27, 1990**

**Six (6) public hearings were held at cross section districts of Guam:**

**August 16 - Dededo  
Sept. 6 - Tamuning  
Sept. 11 - Yona  
Sept. 13 - Piti  
Sept. 20 - Merizo  
Sept. 27 - Mangilao**

**Sept. 4, - 28, 1990**

**GGCLIS logo and essay contest  
Sponsors/coordinators: GGCLIS  
Planning Subcommittee and  
Guam's Department of Education (DOE)**

**Essay winners:**

**1st place - Jeffry Donguines  
2nd place - Helen Kim  
3rd place - Helen Tagle**

**Logo winners:**

**1st place - Michael Richard Cruz  
2nd place - Verna Urbano**

**October 1, - 20, 1990**

**Over fifty (50) specific recommendations and ten (10) general recommendations were received from the six (6) village (public hearings) meetings and were reviewed for presentation during the GGCLIS conference on November 15-17, 1990.**

**October 21,- November 14, 1990**

**Public Education and Awareness campaign promotion of forthcoming GGCLIS through printed and electronic medio over two major newspaper and three radio stations.**

**November 15 - 17, 1990**

**Guam Governor's Conference on Library & Information Services**

### APPENDIX 3

#### The Background and Interests of the Participants in the Island InfoFiesta, 1990

Category	Sub-Category and Number				Total	
Sex	Female	37	Male	18		55
Age	20 and younger	0	21-45	40	46 and older	15 55
Educational Level	High school	9	Under-graduate	14	Graduate	32 55
Occupation	Business Lawyer	4 0	Educator Librarian	19 6	Government employee	15 8 56
	Medical personnel	1	Student	4	Other	
Frequency of Using Computers	Not at all	5	Sometimes	21	Frequently	31 57
Where the Participants Learned about the Fiesta	UOG announcement	33	Newspaper	8	Friends	16 57
Reasons for Attending the Fiesta*	Look for specific information				27	
	Learn about available information systems				49	
	Other				9	85
Most Useful Systems in the Fiesta*	Academic Index	8	BiblioFile	10	Dialog	8
	Medline	1	ERIC	18	MCI Mail	7
	Searching remote catalog	1	Multi-media Videodiscs	4	Portal	4
			WERI	1	WestLaw	3
			All systems	2		67
Recommended Information Systems	Biosis	1	CD-ROM encyclopedias			1
	CompuServe					1
	Computer Aided Design and Manufacturing					1
	Current Contents	1		Microcat		1
	Local business information					1
	Muti-media Interactive Videodiscs					1
	Talent Scout					1 9

\*Many participants checked more than one responses.

APPENDIX 4  
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# GUAM GOVERNOR'S CONFERENCE ON LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SERVICES



August 6, 1990

Dear

You have been selected to represent Guam as a delegate at the Guam Governor's Conference on Library and Information Services, scheduled for November 15 - 17, 1990 at the Pacific Star Hotel in Tumon, Guam. About 160 delegates, representing library and information professionals, active library supporters, territorial and federal government officials, and the reading public, will gather together to develop recommendations for the improvement of library and information services and their use by the public on our island.

The major themes of the conference are library and information services for productivity, for literacy, and for democracy. Six delegates from the Guam conference will take with them resolutions to the national White House Conference on Library and Information Services to be held in Washington, D. C. in July, 1991.

We invite you to consider being a delegate to this conference that will shape our library services for the next ten years. We have enclosed a copy of the tentative program so that you can see some of the topics that will be discussed. If you wish to be a delegate, you must commit to exploring our present library services on Guam and to attend each session of the three-day conference. Meals will be provided. Administrative leave will be approved for GovGuam employees who choose to participate.

If you choose to be a delegate, you must complete the enclosed form and mail or fax it to the RFK Library by **August 31**. If not, you are most welcome to attend the conference as a member of the public, and you may submit your recommendations to me.

Attached please find a roster listing the members of the conference's planning committee. If you want more information about the conference, please call one of us.

Sincerely yours,

Tuffy Pillette  
Chair, Nomination Committee

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GUAM GOVERNOR'S WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE  
ON LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SERVICES

Commitment

Please check "yes" or "no" and complete the form:

[ ] Yes, I commit myself to serving as a delegate to the Guam Governor's Conference on Library and Information Services, and plan on attending each session of the conference.

[ ] No, I am unable to commit to being a delegate. But please keep me informed of the program, so I may attend some sessions of the conference.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Place of Employment: \_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (W) \_\_\_\_\_

(H) \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Membership on Boards or Committees  
Concerned with Library Services: \_\_\_\_\_

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Please mail or fax this commitment form by August 31 to:

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## APPENDIX 6

### GGCLIS DELEGATES

#### \* GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS

- |                           |                           |
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| 1. Austin, Donald         | 19. Karolle, Bruce        |
| 2. Bennett, Patricia      | 20. Manibusan, Frank      |
| 3. Cruz, Bernadette       | 21. San Nicolas, Jennifer |
| 4. Cruz, Teresita         | 22. Underwood, Robert     |
| 5. Franquez, Rita         | 23. Rosario, Elvira       |
| 6. Kasperbauer, Larry     | 24. Alvarez, Helen        |
| 7. Leon Guerrero, Vince   | 25. Cruz, Christine       |
| 8. Lujan, Pilar           | 26. Heath, Mark           |
| 9. Manibusan, Marilyn     | 27. Shafer, Jeff          |
| 10. Reubenstine, Don      | 28. Doucete, Debbie       |
| 11. San Agustin, Frank R. | 29. Wang, Allan K.        |
| 12. Wang, Chih            | 30. Blas, Tina            |
| 13. Yamashita, Aileen     | 31. Kallingal, George     |
| 14. Yanza, Ester          | 32. Diaz, Rose            |
| 15. Basilio, Maria F.     | 33. Aguon, Elaine         |
| 16. Blaz, Julie A.        | 34. Carpenter, Karen      |
| 17. Martinez, Velma       | 35. McCauley, Joyce       |
| 18. Pabalinas, Edward     |                           |

\* Names of five alternates not upgraded to delegate status are not listed but are referred in the report as inclusive to the 160 delegates.

## GGCLIS DELEGATES

### \* LIBRARY AND INFORMATION PROFESSIONALS

- |                             |                            |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1. Arriola, Sylvia          | 19. Pangelinan, Francisco  |
| 2. Callan, Brady            | 20. Quintanilla, Luisa     |
| 3. Cohen, Arlene            | 21. Ramos, Carmen          |
| 4. Corbin, Shirley          | 22. Robinson, Frances      |
| 5. Daniels, Patricia        | 23. Selk, Charles          |
| 6. Goetzfridt, Nick         | 24. Selk, Lucita           |
| 7. Goniwiecha, Mark         | 25. Sison, Pat             |
| 8. Grande, Olivia           | 26. Strong, Geraine        |
| 9. Hadley, Alice            | 27. Suda, Priscilla        |
| 10. Hammerly, M.            | 28. Summers, Zelma         |
| 11. Kaneshi, Carmen         | 29. Tarpley, Joanne        |
| 12. Jewell, Jeanne          | 30. Titus, Lora            |
| 13. Leon Guerrero, Carina   | 31. Castro, Geraldine H.   |
| 14. Leon Guerrero, Virginia | 32. Concepcion, Pauline V. |
| 15. McClure, Beth           | 33. Delia, Anisia          |
| 16. Moe, Hazel              | 34. Generaga, Melba        |
| 17. Nalzarro, Natividad     | 35. Schlekau, Linda        |
| 18. Odom, Mary              |                            |

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## GGCLIS DELEGATES

### \*LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SUPPORTERS

- |                                 |                        |
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| 2. Barker, Nancy                | 20. Hall, Nancy        |
| 3. Brown, Carol Ann             | 21. Hall, Ruth         |
| 4. Burgess, Pilar               | 22. Huseby, Polli      |
| 5. Chaplan, Jeannetta           | 23. Hepler, Charlotte  |
| 6. Chang, Evangeline            | 24. Flores, Evelyn     |
| 7. Clement, Rosemary            | 25. Jackson, Marilyn   |
| 8. Cristobal, Hope              | 26. Mergist, Art       |
| 9. Caceres, Ginny               | 27. Ogo, Cathy         |
| 10. Cruz, Lillian               | 28. Mixt, Sheryl       |
| 11. Corbin, David               | 29. Pearson, Carmen    |
| 12. Cristobal, Sister Mary John | 30. Rankin, Patricia   |
| 13. Dorsey, Chris               | 31. Salas, Marilyn     |
| 14. Butler, Carl                | 32. Wolff, Vivian      |
| 15. Denight, Kathryn            | 33. Merrifield, Tuller |
| 16. Dorsey, Chris               | 34. Roth, Bernard      |
| 17. Eckert, Ruth                | 35. Finney, Maureen    |
| 18. Gary, Kenneth               |                        |

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## GGCLIS DELEGATES

### \*GENERAL PUBLIC

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|-----------------------|------------------------------|
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| 2. Boughton, George   | 20. Pangelinan, Sister Trini |
| 3. Carriveau, Kenneth | 21. Onedera, Peter           |
| 4. Carter, Rosa       | 22. Pexa, Pat                |
| 5. Geralde, Scott     | 23. Phillips, John M.        |
| 6. Cheng, Irene       | 24. Pocaigue, Dorothy        |
| 7. Duckrow, Ed        | 25. Peightel, June T.        |
| 8. Eaton, Eric        | 26. Perez, Allan S.          |
| 9. Eaton, Phyllis     | 27. Sisk, Phil               |
| 10. Edele, Brenda     | 28. Stinson, Conrad          |
| 11. Bustaquio, Norma  | 29. Stinson, Donna           |
| 12. Foley, Chris      | 30. Tennessen, Richard       |
| 13. Geiger, Gail      | 31. Torres, Juliana          |
| 14. Gillespie, Judith | 32. Wahl, Naomi              |
| 15. Gima, Carol       | 33. Weare, Nancy             |
| 16. Johnston, Emily   | 34. Wusstig, Flores          |
| 17. Jose, Mercedes    | 35. Williams, Albert         |
| 18. Low, Grace        |                              |

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APPENDIX 7

GUAM GOVERNOR'S WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE  
ON LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SERVICES

Observer Reservation Form

Please check "yes" or "no" and complete the form:

[ ] Yes, I plan to attend the Guam Governor's  
Conference on Library and Information Services as an observer.

[ ] No, I am unable to attend the Guam Governor's  
Conference on Library and Information Services as an observer.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Place of Employment: \_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_\_\_\_

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Please indicate if job, or membership on boards or committees, is  
concerned with library services:

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APPENDIX 9

**GUAM GOVERNOR'S CONFERENCE ON LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SERVICES**  
**November 15-17, 1990**

**PROGRAM OUTLINE**

**• Thursday, November 15 •**  
**Library and Information Services for Productivity**

- 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. Registration and Coffee Lobby  
Exhibits Open • Visit Exhibits  
Authors Autographing Session • Evelyn Flores  
• Gayle Morrison
- 10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Conference Opening Session Chamorr Ballroom  
Conference Coordinator: Frank R. San Agustin, Guam Territorial Librarian  
National Anthem  
Rowena Perez Punzalan  
Guam Hymn  
Pago Bay Learning Skill Center Children  
Welcoming Remarks  
Honorable Joseph F. Ada, Governor of Guam  
Overview of Conference  
Dr. Chih Wang, Chair, GGCLIS Planning Committee  
Beth McClure, Co-Chair, GGCLIS Planning Committee  
Keynote Address  
LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SERVICES FOR GUAM'S FUTURE  
Dr. John C. Salas, Chairman, Board of Trustees, Guam Community College
- 11:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon Visit Exhibits Lobby  
Authors Autographing Session • Evelyn Flores  
• Gayle Morrison  
• Dr. John C. Salas
- 12:00 noon - 2:30 p.m. EXHIBITORS APPRECIATION LUNCHEON and Author Speaker Le Patio  
Moderator: Shirley M. Corbin, Chair, GGCLIS Exhibits Committee  
Invocation by the Rev. Dr. David K. Corbin, Pastor, Guam United Methodist Church  
LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SERVICES FOR DEMOCRACY  
Evelyn Flores, Assistant Professor of English, CAS, University of Guam

Following Lunch	Announcements	
	Visit Exhibits	Lobby
	Authors Autographing Session • Evelyn Flores • Gayle Morrison • Dr. John C. Salas	
2:30 p.m. - 3:20 p.m.	Concurrent Program Sessions	
	Recommendation Drafting Facilitators' Orientation Carmen L.G. Fearson, FCL / RIC Coordinator, CALS, University of Guam	Guahan
	Library and Information Services for Early Childhood Bernie Cruz, Early Childhood Coordinator, Guam Dept. of Education	Chamorro A
	Library and Information Services for the Disabled and Handicapped Dr. Gregorio C. San Nicolas, Asst. Prof. of Education, COE, UOG	Chamorro B
	Making Library Materials Culturally and Educationally Relevant Dr. George K. Kallingal, Professor of Education, COE, UOG	Latte
	Kids Who Read Succeed Ann K. Symons, Librarian, Juneau-Douglas High School, Juneau, Alaska	Chamorro C
3:20 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.	Visit Exhibits	Lobby
	Authors Autographing Session • Evelyn Flores • Gayle Morrison • Dr. John C. Salas	
4:00 p.m. - 4:50 p.m.	Concurrent Business Sessions • Recommendation Drafting	
	Recommendations about Library Services for Early Childhood Bernie Cruz, Early Childhood Coordinator, Guam Dept. of Education	Chamorro A
	Recommendations about L & I Services for the Disabled and Handicapped Dr. Gregorio C. San Nicolas, Asst. Prof. of Education, COE, UOG	Chamorro B
	Recommendations about Children's and Young Adult Programs and Services Beth McClure, Librarian, Simon Sanchez High School, Dededo Ann K. Symons, Librarian, Juneau-Douglas High School, Juneau, Alaska	Chamorro C
	Library and Information Services for Multiethnic Harmony Gayle Morrison, Historian and Author, Honolulu, Hawaii	Latte
6:30 p.m. -	Dinner at the Red Carpet, Cliff Hotel Cohosted by Gov. and Mrs. Joseph F. Ada and the GGCLIS Planning Committee	Agaña Heights

• **Friday, November 16** •  
**Library and Information Services for Literacy**

8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.	Registration and Coffee  Visit Exhibits  Author Autographing Session • Norman Bridwell  Guest Off-Island « Observers » Informal Get-Together	Lobby     Latte
9:00 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.	General Session  Moderator: Arlene Cohen, Chair, GGCLIS Activities Committee  Welcoming Remarks Dr. Wilfred P. Leon Guerrero, President, University of Guam  AUTOMATING YOUR LIBRARY Dan Morrison, Omega Scientific / Follett Software, Aiea, Hawaii David Yeo, Manager, Dynix Australia Ltd., Box Hill, Vic., Australia	Chamorro BC
10:00 a.m. - 10:35 a.m.	Concurrent Program Sessions  Libraries and Reading Panel Shirley M. Corbin, Instructor, Library Sci., RFK Library, UOG, Chair Marilyn Salas, Project BEAM, College of Education, University of Guam Jack E. Stettenbenz, Principal, Father Dueñas Mem. School, Mangilao Joanne Tarpley, Librarian, Nieves M. Flores Memorial Library, Añaña  Intellectual Freedom Concerns Mark C. Goniwiecha, Instructor of Library Science, RFK Library, UOG  Making Reading a Lifelong Habit Panel Charlene Anderson, Language Arts Teacher, Simon Sanchez H.S., Dededo Dr. Jeannetta H. Caplan, Assoc. Prof. of Education, COE, UOG Sheryl Nixt, GATE Teacher, M.A. Ulloa Elem. School, Dededo, Chair Vivian Wolff, GATE Teacher, Tamuning Elementary School, Tamuning  Adult Literacy Programs and Library Services Dr. Heidi Farra-San Nicolas, Asst. Prof. of Special Education, UOG	Chamorro BC     Latte  Chamorro A   Guahan
10:45 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	WRITING AND ILLUSTRATING BOOKS FOR CHILDREN WORKSHOP Norman Bridwell, Creator of the Famous « Clifford » Books, Edgartown, MA  Visit Exhibits	Chamorro BC  Lobby

11:40 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.	<p>Concurrent Business Sessions • Recommendation Drafting</p> <p>Recommendations about Reading          Shirley Corbin, Secretary, Guam Library Association          Sheryl Nixt, President, International Reading Assoc. Guam Council</p> <p>Recommendations about Intellectual Freedom          Mark C. Goniwiecha, ALA Councilor, Guam Library Association          Nicholas J. Goetzfridt, Asst. Prof. Library Science, RFK Library, UOG</p> <p>Recommendations about School Library Programs and Services          Rosa S. Palomo, Instructor of Chamorro, CAS, University of Guam</p>	<p>Chamorro BC</p> <p>Latte</p> <p>Chamorro A</p>
12:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.	<p>GLA-ALA LITERACY LUNCHEON and Librarian Speaker</p> <p>Moderator: Mark C. Goniwiecha, Chair, GGCLIS Program Committee          Invocation by the Rev. Daniel J. Mulhauser, S.J., Catholic Campus Minister, UOG</p> <p>LIBRARIES AS LITERACY ADVOCATES          Ann K. Symons, Member, Executive Board, American Library Association</p> <p>Announcements</p> <p>Visit Exhibits          Author Autographing Session • Norman Bridwell</p>	<p>Le Patio</p> <p>Lobby</p>
2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.	<p>Concurrent Business Sessions • Recommendation Drafting</p> <p>Recommendations about Interlibrary Resource Sharing          Ariene Cohen, Instructor of Library Science, MARC, University of Guam</p> <p>Recommendations about Community Involvement in Libraries          Joanne Tarpley, Librarian, Guam Public Library</p> <p>Recommendations about Adult Literacy Programs and Library Services          Dr. Heidi Farra-San Nicolas, Asst. Prof. of Special Education, UOG          Dr. Luther Myrvold, Academic Dean (retired), Guam Community College          Sandy Liberty, Associate Academic Dean, Guam Community College</p>	<p>Chamorro A</p> <p>Latte</p> <p>Guahan</p>
3:45 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.	<p>Visit Exhibits          Author Autographing Session • Norman Bridwell</p> <p>LIBRARY AUTOMATION FOCUS          David Yeo, Manager, Dynix Australia Ltd., Box Hill, Vic., Australia</p>	<p>Lobby</p> <p>Chamorro BC</p>
4:30 p.m.	<p>Deadline for 1991 White House Conference on L &amp; I S Delegate Nominations</p>	
6:30 p.m. -	<p>FIESTA BARBEQUE at Grand Pavilion, Ypao Beach Park          Hosted by Guam Legislature, Comr. on Education, Sen. Franklin Quitugua, Chair</p>	<p>Ypao Beach</p>

•                   **Saturday, November 17**                   •  
**Library and Information Services for Democracy**

8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.	<p>Registration and Coffee</p> <p>Visit Exhibits</p> <p>Author Autographing Session • Norman Bridwell</p> <p>LIBRARY AUTOMATION FOCUS          Dan Morrison, Omega Scientific / Follett Software, Aiea, Hawaii</p>	Lobby       Chamorro BC
9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.	<p>General Session</p> <p>Moderator: Carol Ann Brown, Member, GGCLIS Planning Committee</p> <p>Two-Minute Speeches by 1991 White House Conference on L &amp; I S Delegate Nominees</p> <p>Election of 1991 WHCLIS Delegates</p>	Chamorro BC
10:00 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.	<p>Concurrent Program Sessions</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Battle of the Books / Authors to Alaska              Jeanne Jewell, Librarian, M.U. Lujan Elementary School, Yoña              Ann K. Symons, ALA Councilor, Alaska Library Association</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Information Needs of Western Pacific Women Panel              Dr. Bernadita Camacho-Dungca, Asst. Prof. of Continuing Educ., UOG              Carmen L.G. Pearson, FCL / RIC Coordinator, CALS, University of Guam              Velma A. Sablan-Martinez, Act. Dir., Ctr. Contin. Educ., UOG, Chair              Dr. Mary L. Spencer, Associate Professor of Psychology, CAS, UOG              Debbie S.T. Tkel, Instructor of Education, Project BEAM, COE, UOG</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Information Technology: Opportunities and Challenges              Dr. Chih Wang, Dean, Learning Resources, University of Guam</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Reading Begins at Home: The Role and Responsibility of Parents Panel              Frances P. Hudgens, Treasurer, Guam Parent Teacher Organization              Vince Leon Guerrero, Special Education Coordinator, Guam DOE, Chair              Peter Onedero, President, Guam Parent Teacher Organization</p>	Chamorro A       Chamorro BC       Latte   Guahan

11:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. Concurrent Business Sessions • Recommendation Drafting

Recommendations Concerning Library Needs of Western Pacific Women  
Dr. Mary L. Spencer, Director, Project BEAM, College of Educ., UOG Chamorro BC

Recommendations Concerning Information Technology  
Dr. Chih Wang, Dean, Learning Resources, University of Guam Latte

Library Automation Grant Writing  
Dr. Phill Mendel, Educational Programs Evaluator, Guam DOE Chamorro A  
Marian Morris, Counselor, St. John's Episcopal School

12:00 noon - 2:30 p.m. « CLIFFORD » LUNCHEON and Author Speaker Le Patio

Moderator: Beth McClure, President, Guam Library Association

Invocation by the Rev. Ramona Rose-Crossley, Vicar,  
Episcopal Church of St. John the Divine, Tumon

TALES OF CLIFFORD THE BIG RED DOG  
Norman Bridwell, Children's Author and Illustrator, Edgartown, Massachusetts

Announcement of 1991 White House Conference on L & I S Delegates  
(Runoff Election if Necessary)

Visit Exhibits Lobby  
Author Autographing Session • Norman Bridwell

2:30 p.m. Exhibits Close

2:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Business General Session • Approval of Recommendations Chamorro BC

Moderators: Joanne Tarpley, Chair, GGCLIS Recommendations Committee  
Dr. Chih Wang, Chair, GGCLIS Planning Committee

7:00 p.m. - GALA BANQUET and Speaker Chamorro Ballroom

Moderator: Velma A. Sablan-Martinez, Delegate, GGCLIS

Presentation of Approved Recommendations

Entertainment by the University Singers  
Dr. Raeder Anderson, Asst. Prof. of Music, Univ. of Guam, Director

LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SERVICES FOR AN INFORMED CITIZENRY  
Dr. Robert Underwood, Academic Vice President, University of Guam

Conference Adjournment

## **GGCLIS**

### **RECOMMENDATION TOPICS**

- A. SERVICES FOR EARLY CHILDHOOD**
- B. SERVICES FOR DISABLED & HANDICAPPED**
- C. SERVICES FOR CHILDREN & YOUNG ADULTS**
- D. SERVICES FOR MULTIETHNIC HARMONY**
- E. READING**
- F. INTELLECTUAL FREEDOM**
- G. SCHOOL LIBRARY PROGRAMS**
- H. INTERLIBRARY RESOURCE SHARING**
- I. COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT**
- J. ADULT LITERACY**
- K. LIBRARY NEEDS OF WESTERN PACIFIC WOMEN**
- L. INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY**
- M. LIBRARY IMPROVEMENT**

## **A. SERVICES FOR EARLY CHILDHOOD**

**Hire Children's Librarians for the Public School System and the Guam Public Library with the needed knowledge, skills, and attitude to work with the young child.**

**Develop family involvement projects that stress the importance of reading and provide suggestions for activities that foster reading.**

**Develop a "Reading On Wheels" program using the bookmobile and bring storytelling and puppet shows to young children.**

**Work with health providers to create a "Learning to Love Reading" program in prenatal classes.**

**Provide school library services to all ages-Head Start, Preschool, Kindergarten, as well as all other grades.**

**Develop creative advertising packages that foster reading and are aimed at youth.**

**Establish a Guam Library Coordinating Council and develop linkages with established early childhood organizations to ensure that the needs of early childhood education are met.**

**Provide a separate library section for the young child where there will be appropriate space, flooring, furniture, materials, lighting, and an inviting atmosphere within the public library.**



## **B. SERVICES FOR DISABLED & HANDICAPPED**

**Solicit funds for the public library to acquire materials for and about handicapped and disabled persons for role-modeling purposes and in appropriate formats for use by the handicapped and disabled.**

**Expand programs for the home-bound, the aging, and the handicapped.**

**Evaluate the American Disabilities Act of 1990 and its implications for libraries.**

**Conduct a survey on the current status of library facilities and resources as to accessibility for the handicapped and disabled and implement necessary changes.**

**Take a leadership role in upgrading and providing materials, services and support to enhance library systems in Micronesia.**

## **C. SERVICES TO CHILDREN & YOUNG ADULTS**

**Acquire funds for the physical expansion of the Nieves Flores Memorial Library so that separate departments may be created for children and young adult services.**

**Require a professional Children's Librarian and Young Adult Librarian at the Guam Public Library and each of its branches to formulate suitable children's programs and to market those programs to the public.**

**Allow all children on Guam to acquire a library card for the public library in their own name.**

**Further develop Children/Young Adult collections at all public libraries.**

**Establish afternoon programs for children and young adults at the public libraries and coordinate them with DOE and private schools.**

**Establish an online Union Catalog of all holdings of Guam libraries**

## **D. SERVICES FOR MULTIETHNIC HARMONY**

Promote the use of libraries to all ages and cultures through more creative advertising using all local media.

Encourage the authoring of books and other materials in the Chamorro language.

Acquire materials in all libraries in languages that will appeal to Chamorros, Filipinos, Pacific Islanders, Koreans, Chinese, Japanese, and other-than-English-language speaking groups.

Encourage MARC to coordinate an Oral History program involving village-by-village participation with input from Mayors..

Establish a library of print and non-print materials consisting of Chamorro language stories, Guam legends, tales of local interest, and a cassette tape library of local music with the end product duplicated and made available to the general public.

Expand and make available a collection of local and regional materials at all libraries.

## **E. READING**

**Establish library programs that encourage family involvement in reading.**

**Initiate a "Write to Read" program within school libraries.**

**Acquire Read-along Book-Cassette sets in public libraries.**

**Acquire within DOE and the public library computer software that teaches/encourages reading skills.**

**Require reading/writing support in school curricula.**

## **F. INTELLECTUAL FREEDOM**

**That all public libraries\* formally adopt the American Library Association Library Bill of Rights and that it be posted prominently in the reference and circulation area in each public library building on Guam.**

**That the director of each public library take affirmative action to educate all library employees regarding the American Library Association Statement on Professional Ethics and that it be posted prominently in each public library on Guam.**

**That the Guam Legislature adopt a "confidentiality of library records" law\*\* which gives affirmative protection to personally identifiable information, such as names, addresses, ssn, etc., in library records, including, but not limited to, circulation and interlibrary loan transactions, online database searches, and reference requests, whether written or oral.**

**\* Public library is defined as all libraries open to the public--including public, school, college, and university libraries.**

**\*\* See samples attached.**

(Arizona State)

Section

41-1354. Privacy of user records: exceptions violation; classification.

A. Except as provided in subsection B, a library or library system supported by public monies shall not allow disclosure of any record or other information which identifies a user of library services as requesting or obtaining specific materials or services or as otherwise using the library.

B. Records may be disclosed:

1. If necessary for the reasonable operation of the library.
2. On written consent of the user.
3. On receipt of a court order.
4. If required by law.

C. Any person who knowingly discloses any record or other information in violation of this section is guilty of a class 3 misdemeanor. Added by Laws 1983. Ch. 69, Sec. 1.

(Colorado State)

24-90-119. Privacy of user records. (1) Except as set forth in subsection (2) of this section. A publicly-supported library or library system shall not disclose any record or other information which identifies a person as having requested or obtained specific materials or service or as otherwise having used the library.

(2) Records may be disclosed in the following instances:

- a. When necessary for the reasonable operation of the library:
- b. Upon written consent of the user:
- c. Pursuant to subpoena upon court order, or where otherwise required by law.

(3) Any library or library system official, employee, or volunteer who discloses information in violation of this section commits a class 2 petty offense and, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not more than three hundred dollars.

Source: L. 83.p.1023. Sec. 1.

(Maine State)

CHAPTER 4-A  
LIBRARY RECORDS

Section

121. Confidentiality of library records.

Chapter 4-A, Library Records, was enacted by Laws 1983,  
c. 208.

Section

121. Confidentiality of library records

Records maintained by any public municipal library, including the Maine State Library, which contain information relating to the identity of a library patron relative to the patron's use of books or other materials at the library, shall be confidential. Those records may only be released with the express written permission of the patron involved or as the result of a court order.

Public municipal libraries shall have up to 5 years from the effective date of this chapter to be in compliance with this section.

1983.c.208.

Library References

Records 54.

C.I.S. Records Sec. 36.

(Minnesota State)

13.40. Library data

Subdivision 1. All records collected, maintained, used or disseminated by a library operated by any state agency, political subdivision or statewide system shall be administered in accordance with the provisions of this chapter.

Subd. 2. That portion of records maintained by a library which links a library patron's name with materials requested or borrowed by the patron or which links a patron's name with a specific subject about which the patron has requested information or materials is classified as private, pursuant to section 13.02, subdivision 12, and shall not be disclosed except pursuant to a valid court order.

Historical Note

## **G. SCHOOL LIBRARY PROGRAMS**

**Place sufficient numbers of certified librarians and technicians in all school libraries.**

**Promote continuing education including graduate level courses, especially in educational technology and library automation, for all school library personnel and have DOE explore the possibility of using TTAP or other federal funds for inservice training of school librarians.**

**Establish an integrated library skills curriculum within DOE to include a literacy and information literacy program.**

**Plan, develop, and implement a Facilities Master Plan for the improvement of all school libraries.**

**Design collection development for libraries to meet curriculum demands.**

**Train and prepare librarians to take a leadership role in promoting and marketing libraries and librarians to the community and their administrators.**

**Rewrite job descriptions for Library Technician positions within DOE to include typing skills and computer literacy.**

**That the Dept. of Education exempt University of Guam Library Science courses from the graduate credit requirements for recertification and thereby allow teachers taking those classes to qualify for recertification salary increases.**

**That school libraries be automated and networked to promote sharing of resources and easy access to more abundant current information.**



## **H. INTERLIBRARY RESOURCE SHARING**

**Establish a Guam Library Council composed of the Territorial Librarian, Dean of Learning Resources (UOG), Guam Community College librarian, DOE Representative, Guam Library Association president, and a representative from private school, military base, special, and private libraries, and the principal administrator of any new library system created by Guam statute.**

**Establish a computerized Union Catalog of all holdings of Guam libraries.**

**Establish special federal postal and telecommunication rates to facilitate the sharing of resources and information for libraries and educational institutions in U.S. Territories and U.S. politically affiliated Micronesian governments.**

**Publish a Union List of Serials received by all libraries on Guam and in the Western Pacific.**

**Solicit federal funds for the development of library collections, buildings, networking, and education.**

**Coordinate resource sharing between educators and library professionals.**

**Establish formal Interlibrary Loan policies and procedures among all Guam libraries.**

**Establish a regional association of libraries, librarians, archives, and archivists to promote regional cooperation and resource sharing protocols.**

**Allow equal access for in-house use to all materials and services in any library collection on Guam without cost to the patron.**

**Mandate the Guam Library Association develop a directory of libraries, librarians, archives, and archivists within Guam to be used as a basis for updating the Union List of Serials and a tool for networking. Directory shall include hours of operation, FAX numbers, E-Mail numbers, ILL policies contact people, location and mailing address, and available reference services.**

## **H. INTERLIBRARY RESOURCE SHARING-Cont'd.**

**Encourage UOG-RFK Library to act as the regional library for Micronesia and seek additional funding for collection development**

**Establish a Government of Guam publications depository collection at the Nieves M. Flores Memorial Library and at the Micronesian Area Research Center and require that two copies of all publications of all GovGuam departments and agencies be deposited in both of these collections.**

**Identify specialized collections (ie. medical, legal, ethnic, etc.) and provide an inventory of their holdings to all island librarians/libraries.**

## **I. COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT**

**Enlist support of area businesses, civic organizations, professional organizations, parents, and other interested individuals to form a Friends of the Library group for the creation and promotion of new programs and services at all libraries.**

**Enlist aid of media for the marketing of new and established programs to the community.**

**Establish a "Take One-Bring One" bookshelf at the Public Library.**

## **J. ADULT LITERACY**

**Develop a literacy program for both adults and young adults with the help of LSCA Title VI grant money.**

**Host yearly workshops on adult/youth literacy to assess status.**

**That the Governor's Office take the initiative in appointing an island-wide agency-wide literacy task force that would be responsible for forming and funding: a. to hire a coordinator to oversee the development of literacy programs on Guam, b. conduct a survey of literacy assessment c to encourage the development of an "Employer's Council of Training Officers" to promote "Workplace Literacy" and d.to define the needs of the business community relative to literacy needs of employees.**

**That, until a task force is appointed, all agencies with information regarding literacy programs contribute that material to Guam Community College, the State Agency for Adult Education.**

**That the Guam Library Association address the concerns of coordinating the role of the library with the appointed coordinator; determine that reading materials utilized for literacy programs be of high interest/low level and age appropriate; encourage volunteers to take an active role in offering their skills to teach reading to adults, and encourage the involvement of village mayors to help determine the needs of the island population.**

**That an extensive advertising/promotion campaign be launched to raise awareness of the need to read as well as literacy programs available to the public.**

## **K. LIBRARY NEEDS OF WESTERN PACIFIC WOMEN**

**Raise conciousness about women's issues, especially health issues, by establishing a women's information service using the library as the forum for dissemination of information.**

**Promote and support research on area women and local issues.**

**Compile and collect writings done by and about area women and our islands and deposit in a central depository that can be networked.**

## **L. INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY**

**The federal government modify its postal service code to allow Guam and other Pacific islands to use air service for delivering library materials with special library or book rates.**

**Establish local funds for the development of libraries and information networks on Guam and fund an Open Day Collection of information technology for each publicly supported library. The collection is to consist of, at a minimum, a computer system w/ CD ROM, modem, scanner, and laser printer; a VHS player/monitor, laser video system, FAX, and access to major networks.**

**That GovGuam and library professionals on Guam establish facilities and provide funds for automation resources and personnel to join NREN and all other national or international information networks as they become available.**

**That GovGuam and the Federal Government appropriate funds needed for library automation and training to link island libraries.**

**That the federal government distribute their publications on electronic and optical formats to Guam and other U.S. affiliated entities' depository libraries.**

**That GovGuam appropriate funds to support the territorial library establishing a multi-cultural and multi-language collection.**

**That GovGuam establish a Guam Library Coordinating Council to be composed of qualified librarians from the major library facilities on island and a delegate from the community and be charged with the functions of identifying library and information needs on Guam, proposing plans for library development and establishment, advising the Governor and other Guam agencies about library and information affairs, reviewing current library facilities and making recommendations for improvements, suggesting budgets for library development to Guam legislators, establishing standards and policies relative to various aspects of library operations, assisting in educating library personnel, and handling other important matters about library activities, including continuing education and certification requirements for libraries.**

## L. INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY-Cont'd.

Establish a Technology in Libraries subcommittee to the Guam Library Coordinating Council to recommend standardization of technological hardware and software.

Subscribe and become members to national information services and databases and make these available to the public.

Persuade mainland information databases to include Guam in their 1-800 phone subscribers list.

## **M. LIBRARY IMPROVEMENT**

**Improve the image and atmosphere of libraries and librarians to attract new patrons.**

**Establish an inventory of available government (federal/local) and private funding sources for library and information sources.**

**Train library personnel in human relations, public relations, and marketing techniques to increase public usage and awareness of libraries.**

**Appropriate funds for continuing education of library professionals.**

**Index the Pacific Daily News and Guam Tribune.**

**Expand bookmobile schedule and routes.**

**Extend some Main Library services, such as videos and longer hours, to branch libraries.**

**Acquire more specialized legal materials for the layman.**

**Expand and repair Nieves M. Flores Memorial Library facility.**

**Expand McNaughton collection at the Guam Public Library and provide a collection at the branch libraries.**

**Hire professional librarians for all public library outlets.**

**Use KGTF as access channel for the teaching of library skills.**

**Extend Main Library hours.**

**Subscribe to several big city newspapers and make available at public libraries, including back issues on microfilm, microfiche, compact disk or laser disk.**

**Establish a reference collection for health professionals, i.e. physicians, dentists, nurses, pharmacists, radiologic and laboratory technologists, medical social workers, therapeutic counselors, veterinarians.**



## **M. LIBRARY IMPROVEMENT-Cont'd.**

**Establish a reference collection of materials on religion, e.g. major church documents, journals, and periodicals, for the religious sector whose needs are largely unmet.**

**Establish a collection of materials on the political status process for easy dissemination and circulation.**

## APPENDIX 11

### Appendix

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Appendix 12  
Selected News Clippings

PACIFIC DAILY NEWS, Saturday, September 22, 1990

# Merizo residents speak out on libraries

Daily News Staff

More than 25 citizens packed the Merizo Community Center last night in the largest turnout yet in the Village Speakout series on library services, according to a news release from the University of Guam.

The series of speakouts is designed to get input from village citizens to be presented at an islandwide conference

on library services scheduled for next month.

Plans developed at the island conference will be presented at a White House Conference on Library and Information Services in Washington, D.C. next year.

"This was by far our largest turnout," noted Territorial Librarian Frank San Agustin following the Merizo meeting. "We've been having meetings all over

the island for the past month and this has been the best turnout."

One of the topics under discussion Thursday was the absence of the Bookmobile. San Agustin responded that the Bookmobile will be reactivated but that the routes and schedules may be changed.

Other subjects discussed at the meeting include additional services in the

area of early reading, the computerization of the main library in Agana and the possibility of ordering books from alternate sources like the University of Guam's RFK Library and Micronesian Area Research Center.

The final meeting in the speakout series is scheduled for next Thursday at the Mangi'ao Community Center beginning at 7 p.m.

# Expanded library services recommended

Pacific Sunday News staff

Participants in the Governor's Conference on Library and Information Services wrapped up their three-day session last night by presenting Gov. Joseph F. Ada with a list of recommendations.

About 150 delegates and observers from throughout the Pacific region came to Guam for the sessions and debated the recommendations presented to Ada.

The recommendations will be presented in Washington, D.C., next summer by representatives chosen to attend the White House Conference on Library and Information Services.

The recommendations adopted by the conference include:

- Services for early childhood such as hiring a children's librarian to work with young children.

- To provide library services for the disabled and handicapped, such as expanding programs for the home-bound, aged, and handicapped.

- To provide services for children and young adults, such as acquiring money to

expand the Nieves Flores Memorial Library to have separate departments for children and young adults, and allowing children on Guam to acquire public library cards in their own names.

- To provide services to promote multi-ethnic harmony, such as acquiring materials in all libraries in foreign languages.

- To adopt programs to encourage reading, such as the use of computer software that teaches and encourages reading skills.

- To encourage intellectual freedom through efforts such as adopting the American Library Association Library Bill of Rights and ensuring confidentiality of library records.

- To enhance school library programs.

- To promote interlibrary resource sharing by establishing a regional association, and establishing formal interlibrary loan policies for Guam libraries.

- To encourage community involvement by forming a Friends of the Library group for creation and promotion of new programs and services at the public library.

## Conference delegates named

Here is a list of the delegates and alternates chosen by participants of the Governor's Conference on Library and Information Services. Those chosen will attend the White House Conference next summer in Washington, D.C.

- In the public officials category, Chih Wang, the dean of the University of Guam's learning resources, was chosen delegate. Alternate is Vince Leon Guerrero, the coordinator of special education for the Department of Education.

- The delegate, from the librarians category is Mark Goniwiecha from the

University of Guam's RFK Library. Alternate is Beth McClure, the librarian at Simon Sanchez High School.

- From the library supporters category, Dr. Jeannetta Caplan, a professor at UOG's College of Education, was chosen to be the delegate; Sister Trini Pangelinan of the archdiocese's Office of Youth Ministry, is the alternate.

- From the general public category, the delegate is Peter Onedera, the president of the island's parent-teacher organization. Alternate is Sheryl Nixt, a Gifted and Talented Education teacher at Ulloa Elementary.

- To promote adult literacy by hosting yearly workshops on adult/youth literacy to assess the status of that group and by developing a task force to determine the level of illiteracy on Guam.

- To make use of the information technology with help from the government of Guam and the federal government.

- To promote library improvement.

# Infiesta shows off computers

## First computerized workshop on Guam

By DEBORAH PETRUS  
Pacific Sunday News

*Pacific Sunday News 10/21/90*  
The first computerized information workshop in Guam was held yesterday at the University of Guam's RFK Memorial Library.

Island Infiesta, sponsored by the library and UOG's College of Education Media Program, was designed to make people aware of the kinds of computerized information available locally.

Ten computer information systems were displayed at the workshop, which ranged from library resources to medical and legal information. Most were introduced with hands-on demonstrations in which participants could try operating the systems.

Dr. Chih Wang, dean of learning resources and coordinator of the Infiesta, said the workshop was a success, with more than 130 preregistered participants and approximately 90 walk-ins.

"This is indicative of the interest people have for electronic communication," said Arlene Cohen of the Micronesian Area Research Center.

Cohen was also the presenter of a system for reaching the University of Hawaii's Library Catalog using MCI's E-Mail. With this system it is possible to see what books, musical scores, audiovisuals, and periodicals UH has available. It is also possible to borrow these materials from Hawaii through an inter-library loan.

Multi-media Interactive Videodisc was demonstrated as a teaching tool already used at some private schools on island, but will be available soon at public schools, according to Lee Stewart, the presenter of the system.

Pacific Sunday News

October 21, 1990

Mark Goniwiecha, an instructor of library science at UOG, demonstrated a system for educational information, the Educational Resources Information Center (ERIC).

This system enables the user to find research materials through a computer search rather than manually reading volumes of hardbound indexes.

Goniwiecha said all UOG library facilities are available for use by the general public.

"This is a public library supported by GovGuam tax revenues, so it's open to the public," he said. "You need a library card only to check out materials."

Library cards can be purchased by non-students for \$25 per year.

Other systems demonstrated at the workshop were an academic index and bibliofile. These are systems likely to be used in libraries.

Dialog, a multi-data base system, was demonstrated, as well as Medline, a medical literature index, and Westlaw, a legal literature database which provides full text information.

Two other systems demonstrated were Portal, an electronic mailing system, and WERI, which provides information on water resources.

Anyone interested in further information about the systems may contact Victoria San Nicholas at 734-2482.

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Ten computer information systems were displayed at the workshop, which ranged from library resources to medical and legal information. Most were introduced with hands-on demonstrations in which participants could try operating the systems.

Dr. Chih Wang, dean of learning resources and coordinator of the Infofiesta, said the workshop was a success, with more than 130 preregistered participants and approximately 90 walk-ins.

"This is indicative of the interest people have for electronic communication," said Arlene Cohen of the Micronesian Area Research Center.

Cohen was also the presenter of a system for reaching the University of Hawaii's Library Catalog using MCI's E-Mail. With this system it is possible to see what books, musical scores, audiovisuals, and periodicals UH has available. It is also possible to borrow these materials from Hawaii through an inter-library loan.

Multi-media Interactive Videodisc was demonstrated as a teaching tool already used at some private schools on island, but will be available soon at public schools, according to Lee Stewart, the presenter of the system.

Mark Goniwiecha, an instructor of library science at UOG, demonstrated a system for educational information, the Educational Resources Information Center (ERIC).

"This system enables the user to find research materials through a computer search rather than manually reading volumes of hardbound indexes.

Goniwiecha all UOG library facilities are available for use by the general public.

"This is a public library supported by GovGuam tax revenues, so it's open to the public," he said. "You need a library card only to check out materials."

Library cards can be purchased by non-students for \$25 per year.

Other systems demonstrated at the workshop were an academic index and bibliofile. These are systems likely to be used in libraries.

Dialog, a multi-data base system, was demonstrated, as well as Medline, a medical literature index, and Westlaw, a legal literature database which provides full text information.

Two other systems demonstrated were Portal, an electronic mailing system, and WERI, which provides information on water resources.

Anyone interested in further information about the systems may contact Victoria San Nicholas at 734-2482.



NOVEMBER, 1990

GGCLIS - A HUGE SUCCESS!

By now most of you know that the Guam Governor's Conference on Library and Information Services (GGCLIS) was November 15-17 at the Pacific Star Hotel. In spite of the typhoon like weather the attendance was high with about 200 delegates, alternates, off island observers, and exhibitors present. The conference was also competing with the annual UOG CBPA symposium at Adelup and other meetings. Guam is turning into quite a convention center!

There were so many exciting things going on and so many highlights that even choosing a few to mention is almost impossible!

The speaker having the most publicity, of course, was Norman Bridwell, author of the CLIFFORD books. If any of you don't yet know about Clifford the big red dog, you must have been off island for the past couple of weeks! Both Clifford and Norman have toured many schools, churches, UOG, and shopping centers, much to the delight of children and adults alike. Norman Bridwell has stolen the hearts of Guamanians with his delightful personality and his charming drawings that he dashes off as he talks informally to his audience.

Coming all the way from Juneau, Alaska was Mark Goniwiecha's friend, Ann Symons, school librarian and member of the Executive Board of the American Library Association. Ann's energy and bubbly personality endeared her to everyone at the conference, and her statistics and insights on illiteracy were thought provoking to say the least.



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*Congratulations*

Delegates and alternates elected to the White House Conference on Library and Information Services to be held in the District of Columbia in July, 1991 are Chih Wang; Vince Leon Guerrero; Mark Goniwiecha; Beth McClure; Peter Onedero; Sister Trinie Pangelinan; Jeannetta Caplan and Sheryl Nixt. We are especially proud that GLA is so well represented with Beth, Mark, Jeannetta, Chih, and Sheryl.



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GLA MEMBERSHIP CONTINUES TO GROW

Our newest off island member is Ann Symons, librarian from Juneau, Alaska, a member of the ALA Executive Board and a key note speaker at GGCLIS. Welcome, Ann! Will you invite us to meet in Juneau for one of our meetings??? We also welcome our fourth Life Member, Olie Grande, librarian at Guam Community College! The other life members are Tuffy Pillette, Darlene Weingarth and Al Williams. If I have forgotten anyone, my apologies, and let me know so I can acknowledge you in the next newsletter! By the way the life membership is only \$100: a real bargain!

I hope to have a membership listing for our next newsletter.

## APPENDIX 13

### The Participants' Satisfaction and Opinions on the Island InfoFiesta, 1990 (No. of Responses)

0 = lowest assessment  
4 = highest assessment

Assessment	0	1	2	3	4	Total
Overall Satisfaction	0	1	7	15	34	57
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Overall Preparation	0	0	4	18	35	57
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Presenters' Knowledge and Skills	0	0	5	16	36	57
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Presenters' Preparation	0	0	4	17	31	52
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Presenters' Enthusiasm	0	0	2	9	45	56
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Is the Fiesta Recommendable?	0	0	2	13	42	57
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**Open Remarks:**

1. Well done; very professional.
2. Hope that these services are available to the community users.
3. A good turnout; need more space in the future for this fiesta; may consider to use the UOG fieldhouse.
4. Appreciate to see many interesting computerized information systems.
5. Need to have a longer lecture.
6. Do it again and invite many more private school librarians.
7. Learned something interesting; learned also the availability of these services at the UOG, and the faculty's willingness to assist if needed.
8. Need longer time and smaller groups for the demonstration.
9. Need to increase materials to match retrieved information.



APPENDIX 14  
**GUAM GOVERNOR'S CONFERENCE ON  
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**EVALUATION FORM**

RATING SCALE  
 Great!!      Ho-Hum      Don't Waste  
                  O K                    My Time

**Thursday, November 15, 1990**

8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.	Registration and Coffee • Visit Exhibits	G	0	H	D
	Authors Autographing • Evelyn Flores, Gayle Morrison	G	0	H	D
10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	Conference Opening Session • Coordinator: Frank R. San Agustin	G	0	H	D
	National Anthem • Rowena Perez Punzalan	G	0	H	D
	Guam Hymn • Pago Bay Learning Skill Center Children	G	0	H	D
	Welcoming Remarks • Gov. Joseph Ada	G	0	H	D
	Overview of Conference • Dr. Chih Wang • Beth McClure	G	0	H	D
	Keynote • LIBRARY & INFO SERVICES GUAM'S FUTURE • Dr. John C. Salas	G	0	H	D
11:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon	Visit Exhibits • Authors Autographing • E.Flores,G.Morrison,J.Salas	G	0	H	D
12:00 noon - 2:30 p.m.	EXHIBITORS APPRECIATION LUNCHEON • Moderator: Shirley M. Corbin	G	0	H	D
	Invocation by Rev. Dr. David K. Corbin	G	0	H	D
	LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SERVICES FOR DEMOCRACY • Evelyn Flores	G	0	H	D
	Visit Exhibits • Authors Autographing • E.Flores,G.Morrison,J.Salas	G	0	H	D
2:30 p.m. - 3:20 p.m.	Concurrent Program Sessions				
	Facilitators' Orientation	G	0	H	D
	Library and Information Services for Early Childhood	G	0	H	D
	Library and Information Services for Disabled and Handicapped	G	0	H	D
	Making Library Materials Culturally and Educationally Relevant	G	0	H	D
	Kids Who Read Succeed	G	0	H	D
3:20 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.	Visit Exhibits • Authors Autographing • E.Flores,G.Morrison,J.Salas	G	0	H	D
4:00 p.m. - 4:50 p.m.	Concurrent Business Sessions • Recommendation Drafting				
	Recommendations about Library Services for Early Childhood	G	0	H	D
	Recommendations about L & I Services for Disabled, Handicapped	G	0	H	D
	Recommendations about Children/Young Adult Programs, Services	G	0	H	D
	Library and Information Services for Multiethnic Harmony	G	0	H	D
5:00 p.m. -	*Dinner on Your Own	G	0	H	D

**Friday, November 16**

8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.	Registration and Coffee	G	0	H	D
	Visit Exhibits • Author Autographing • Norman Bridwell	G	0	H	D
	Guest Off-Island « Observers » Informal Get-Together	G	0	H	D
9:00 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.	General Session • Moderator: Arlene Cohen	G	0	H	D
	Welcoming Remarks • Dr. Wilfred P. Leon Guerrero	G	0	H	D
	AUTOMATING YOUR LIBRARY • Dan Morrison • David Yeo	G	0	H	D
10:00 a.m. - 10:35 a.m.	Concurrent Program Sessions				
	Libraries and Reading Panel	G	0	H	D
	Intellectual Freedom Concerns	G	0	H	D
	Making Reading a Lifelong Habit Panel	G	0	H	D
	Adult Literacy Programs and Library Services				
10:45 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	WRITING, ILLUSTRATING BOOKS FOR CHILDREN WORKSHOP • Norman Bridwell	G	0	H	D



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11:40 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.	Concurrent Business Sessions • Recommendation Drafting				
	Recommendations about Reading	G	0	H	0
	Recommendations about Intellectual Freedom	G	0	H	0
	Recommendations about School Library Programs and Services	G	0	H	0
12:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.	GLA-ALA LITERACY LUNCHEON • Moderator: Mark C. Goniwiecha	G	0	H	0
	Invocation by Rev. Daniel J. Mulhauser, S.J.	G	0	H	0
	LIBRARIES AS LITERACY ADVOCATES • Ann K. Symons	G	0	H	0
	Visit Exhibits • Author Autographing • Norman Bridwell	G	0	H	0
2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.	Concurrent Business Sessions • Recommendation Drafting				
	Recommendations about Interlibrary Resource Sharing	G	0	H	0
	Recommendations about Community Involvement in Libraries	G	0	H	0
	Recommendations about Adult Literacy Programs, Services	G	0	H	0
3:45 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.	Visit Exhibits • Author Autographing • Norman Bridwell	G	0	H	0
	LIBRARY AUTOMATION FOCUS • David Yeo, Dynix Australia Ltd.	G	0	H	0
6:30 p.m. -	FIESTA BARBEQUE at Ypao • Hosted by Guam Legislature, Comm. Educ.	G	0	H	0

• **Saturday, November 17** •

8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.	Registration and Coffee	G	0	H	0
	Visit Exhibits • Author Autographing • Norman Bridwell	G	0	H	0
	LIBRARY AUTOMATION FOCUS • Dan Morrison, Omega/Follett	G	0	H	0
9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.	General Session • Moderator: Carol Ann Brown	G	0	H	0
	Two-Minute Speeches by White House Conference Delegate Nominees	G	0	H	0
	Election of 1991 WHCJIS Delegates	G	0	H	0
10:00 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.	Concurrent Program Sessions				
	Battle of the Books / Authors to Alaska	G	0	H	0
	Information Needs of Western Pacific Women Panel	G	0	H	0
	Information Technology: Opportunities and Challenges	G	0	H	0
	Reading Begins at Home: Role, Responsibility of Parents Panel	G	0	H	0
11:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.	Concurrent Business Sessions • Recommendation Drafting				
	Recommendations Concern. Library Needs Western Pacific Women	G	0	H	0
	Recommendations Concerning Information Technology	G	0	H	0
	Library Automation Grant Writing	G	0	H	0
12:00 noon - 2:30 p.m.	« CLIFFORD » LUNCHEON • Moderator: Beth McClure	G	0	H	0
	Invocation by Rev. Ramona Rose-Crossley	G	0	H	0
	TALES OF CLIFFORD THE BIG RED DOG • Norman Bridwell	G	0	H	0
	Announcement of White House Conference Delegates	G	0	H	0
	Visit Exhibits • Author Autographing • Norman Bridwell	G	0	H	0
2:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Approval Recommendations • Moderators: Joanne Tarpley, Chin Wang	G	0	H	0
7:00 p.m. -	GALA BANQUET • Moderator: Velma A. Sablan-Martinez	G	0	H	0
	Entertainment by the University Singers	G	0	H	0
	LIBRARY & INFO SERVICES INFORMED CITIZENRY • Dr. Robert Underwood	G	0	H	0

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Thank you for your evaluation assistance.**