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Introduced by SENATOR LOREN LEGARDA

RESOLUTION

COMMENDING THE 2014 RECIPIENTS OF THE SOROPTIMIST UNSUNG WOMEN HEROES AWARDS FOR THEIR TIRELESS DEDICATION AND SERVICE IN UPLIFTING THE WELFARE OF DISADVANTAGED WOMEN IN THEIR COMMUNITIES

WHEREAS, Article II Section 14 of the 1987 Constitution states that the State recognizes the role of women in nation-building, and shall ensure the fundamental equality of women and men before the law;

WHEREAS, organized by the Soroptimist International of the Philippines Region (A Foundation), Inc and first awarded in 2009, the Unsung Women Heroes Awards aims to recognize women who take an active role in improving the lives of their fellow Filipinos thru their work at the grassroots level;

WHEREAS, this year, ten awardees were recognized by the Soroptimist International of the Philippines, for their dynamic and pro-active work in the field of education, financial literacy, good governance and gender equality among others;

WHEREAS, the 2014 Unsung Women Heroes Awards, namely: Elsie M. Cabral, Rosalia A. Cervantes, Sylvia L. de Leon, Olivia P. Lucas, Emily DC. Lundang, Marilou P. Portacio, Adelina S. San Miguel, Fe L. Tolentino, Julieta B. Torres, Crispina S. Zafra showed extraordinary effort and tireless commitment in improving the lives of women in their respective communities;

WHEREAS, for actively participating in community work and inspiring others to do the same, it is only proper that these awardees be recognized for making use of existing resources at their disposal in order to serve the marginalized members of our society;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved, to commend the 2014 recipients of the Soroptimist Unsung Women Heroes Awards for their tireless dedication and service in uplifting the welfare of women in their communities.

Adopted,

LOREN LEGARDA
Senator