



# **ROTA LEGISLATIVE DELEGATION**

## **First Senatorial District**

### *Twenty-Fourth Northern Marianas Commonwealth Legislature*

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Pursuant to the Open Government Act (1 CMC §9901 et seq.), the Rota Legislative Delegation Members announce that the Delegation of the Twenty-Fourth Northern Marianas Commonwealth Legislature will convene the following open and public meeting:

**Meeting:** 1<sup>st</sup> Day, Fourth Regular Session  
**Date & Time:** Thursday, September 3, 2026, at 1:00 p.m.  
**Location:** Senate Chamber, Vice Speaker Jesus P. Mafnas Memorial Building,  
Capitol Hill, Saipan, CNMI.

Copies of this notice, the official session call, and the agenda have been filed in the Office of the Delegation Clerk, released to the media, and posted at the following locations:

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**ORDER OF BUSINESS**

| SESSION DAY                                          | CALENDAR DAY                | TIME      |
|------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------|
| 1 <sup>st</sup> Day, 4 <sup>th</sup> Regular Session | Thursday, September 3, 2026 | 1:00 p.m. |

**CALL TO ORDER**

*Moment of Silent Prayer*

**A. ROLL CALL**

**B. PUBLIC COMMENT:**

**C. ADOPTION OF JOURNAL:**

1. **RLD Journal No. 24-9:** 1<sup>st</sup> Day, 1<sup>st</sup> Special Session – 4/7/26
2. **RLD Journal No. 24-10:** 1<sup>st</sup> Day, 2<sup>nd</sup> Special (EMERGENCY) Session – 4/24/26

**D. INTRODUCTION OF LOCAL RESOLUTIONS: None**

**E. MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR:**

1. **Gov. Comm. No. 24-12:** 4/10/26 – Signed into law House Local Bill No.24-43, “To establish a docking and watercraft fee for derby event participants utilizing the West and East Docks on Rota; to include vessels, jet skis, kayaks, and canoes; to exempt bona fide Rota residents and educational activities; to provide penalties for violations; and to allocate collected revenues for conservation and community programs.”, into **Rota Local Law No. 24-10.**
2. **Gov. Comm. No. 24-13:** 4/28/26 – Signed into law House Local Bill No.24-47, S1, “To appropriate Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.00) to hire Rota Casino Gaming Commission personnel.”, into **Rota Local Law No. 24-11.**
3. **Gov. Comm. No. 24-14:** 4/29/26 – Signed into law House Local Bill No.24-57, D1, “To re-appropriate Sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000.00) allotted under Rota Local Law 24-07 and Twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00) allotted under Rota Local Law 24-08 collected from poker fees in the First Senatorial District to respond to critical emergency situations and urgent recovery initiatives in the aftermath of Super Typhoon Sinlaku; and for other purposes.”, into **Rota Local Law No. 24-12.**

**F. MESSAGES FROM THE MAYOR OF ROTA:**

1. **Mayors Comm. No. 24-14:** 6/9/26 – Commenting on House Local Bill No. 24-58, “To appropriate Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.00) for the purposes of regulatory and compliance training within the Rota Casino Commission.”

**G. MESSAGES FROM THE ROTA MUNICIPAL COUNCIL: None**

**H. REPORTS & COMMUNICATIONS FROM HEADS OF DEPTS./AGENCIES: None**

**I. HOUSE COMMUNICATIONS:**

1. **Hse. Comm. No. 24-23:** 5/22/26 - Transmitting for Delegation action **HLB NO. 24-58**, “To appropriate Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.00) for the purposes of regulatory and compliance training within the Rota Casino Commission.” (*Introduced by: Representative Julie Marie A. Ogo – 5/22/26*)
2. **Hse. Comm. No. 24-24:** 7/20/26 - Transmitting for Delegation action **HLB NO. 24-54**, “To amend 10 CMC § 12143 to lower the local gambling taxes, including online gaming.” (*Introduced by: Representative Julie Marie A. Ogo – 5/22/26*)

**J. SENATE COMMUNICATIONS:**

1. **Sen. Comm. No. 24-18:** 5/19/26 – From Senator Donald M. Manglona, Off-island Notice beginning 5/19-28/26.
2. **Sen. Comm. No. 24-19:** 6/29/26 – From Senator Paul A. Manglona, Off-island & Designation of Senate Standing Committee Notice Extension 6/29-7/9/26.

**K. DELEGATION MATTERS:**

1. **Del. Matters No. 24-60:** 5/12/26 - Transmitting to SOF, DOF re RLD Medical Subsistence Allowance for the month of MAY, 2026.
2. **Del. Matters No. 24-61:** 6/3/26 – Soliciting comments on HLB No. 24-58 from the Mayor of Rota.
3. **Del. Matters No. 24-62:** 6/3/26 – Soliciting comments on HLB No. 24-58 from the 20<sup>th</sup> Rota Municipal Council.
4. **Del. Matters No. 24-63:** 6/10/26 - Transmitting to SOF, DOF re RLD Patients Medical Subsistence Allowance.

- 5. Del. Matters No. 24-64:** 6/24/26 – Transmitting to SOF, DOF re Voided Checks & RLD Patients Medical Subsistence Allowance.
- 6. Del. Matters No. 24-65:** 7/20/26 – Soliciting comments on HLB No. 24-54 from the Mayor of Rota.
- 7. Del. Matters No. 24-66:** 7/20/26 – Soliciting comments on HLB No. 24-54 from the 20<sup>th</sup> Rota Municipal Council.

**L. MISCELLANEOUS COMMUNICATIONS:**

- 1. Misc. Comm. No. 24-31:** 6/9/26 – Saipan Consulting re Concerns regarding the new regulatory fee bill.

**M. REPORTS OF COMMITTEE: None**

**N. UNFINISHED BUSINESS: None**

**O. RESOLUTION CALENDAR: None**

**P. BILL CALENDAR:**

**Final Reading**

| <b>LOCAL BILL NO.</b> | <b>SHORT TITLE</b>                                                                                 | <b>ACTION</b> |
|-----------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|
| <b>HLB No. 24-44</b>  | To amend Title 10, Division 1, Chapter 12 (Rota Casino Act of 2007) of the Commonwealth Code to... |               |
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**Q. MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS:**

**R. ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**S. ADJOURNMENT.**