SK Federation President

EXCERP FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE ELEVENTH ORMOC SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD NG ORMOC HELD AT THE HONORABLE PLACIDO ENECIO HALL, SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD GSOD BUILDING ON AUGUST 26, 2009 IN LIEU OF AUGUST 27, 2009

## PRESENT:

Acting Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer Hon. Claudio P. Larrazabal, (City Councilor, Floor Leader) City Councilor, Assist. Floor Leader Hon. Sotero M. Pepito, Hon. Demosthenes F. Tugonon, City Councilor City Councilor Hon. Ruben R. Capahi, City Councilor Hon. Mariano Y. Corro, City Councilor Hon. Fe S. Lladoc,

City Councilor City Councilor Hon. Filomeno P. Maglasang, Hon. Rafael C. Omega, Jr., Hon. Fernando P. Parrilla, City Councilor

City Councilor Hon. Jose C. Alfaro, Jr.,

## ABSENT:

Singapore), Vice Mayor & Hon. Nepomuceno P. Aparis I, (O.B. Presiding Officer - Manila), Ex-Officio (O.B. Hon. Lea Doris C. Villar, City Councilor, Chapter President, Liga ng mga Barangay ng Ormoc Ex-Officio City Councilor, Hon. Corinne M. Corro, (On Leave),

## REFATORY STATEMENT

At present Barangay District 6, Ormoc City, has no set of Barangay Officials to handle the affairs of the said Barangay considering that nobody has manifested interest to run or file a Certificate of Candidacy during the 2007 Barangay Elections. The problem hampers the flow of Barangay development programs and the delivery of basic public services to the Barangay constituents;

The Sangguniang Panlungsod ng Ormoc, pursuant to Sec. 16 of the LGC of 1991 otherwise known as the General Welfare Clause, deems it appropriate to uphold its legislative powers and accord preferential attention to the matter. It is the thrust of the city government to accelerate economic development and upgrade the quality of life of the people through proper control and administration. Hence, addressing the problem of Barangay District 6 is a priority task for the city officials.

A thorough evaluation on the matter was made in coordination with various government offices directly involve on barangay matters. The study resulted to a consensus of creating merger between Barangay District 6 and Barangay District 5. The merging of the two barangays is subject to the provisions of Section 8, Division and Merger - of the LGC of 1991. It was believed that the merger will strengthen the affairs and economic activities of the place, thereby giving the residents therein opportunity and right to economic, social and political advancement.

Chapter 2, Section 6 of the Local Government Code of 1991 provides that "A Local Government Unit may be created, divided, abolished, or its boundaries substantially altered either by law enacted by xxx xxx or by ordinance passed by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan or Sangguniang Panlungsod concerned in the case of a Barangay located its territorial jurisdiction, subject to limitations requirements prescribed in this code".



FOREGOING PREMISES CONSIDERED, on motion of City Councilor Demothenes F. Tugonon, Chairman, Committee on Laws and Ordinances, duly seconded by City Councilor Fernando P. Parrilla; be it

RESOLVED, to enact:

## ORDINANCE NO. 154

AN ORDINANCE MERGING BARANGAY DISTRICT 6 WITH BARANGAY DISTRICT 5, THIS CITY.

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Eleventh Sangguniang Panlungsod ng Ormoc, That:

SECTION I. <u>TITLE</u> - This Ordinance shall be known as "An Ordinance merging Barangay District 6 with Barangay District 5, this city.

SECTION 11. The merger of Barangay District 6 with Barangay District 5, of this city, becomes imperative for the following reasons, to wit:

- 1) Barangay District 6, presently does not have any Barangay Officials, as nobody has shown interest to run or file a Certificate of Candidacy during the 2007 Barangay Elections, thereby hampering the flow of Barangay development programs and the delivery of basic public services to the constituents therein.
- 2) Barangay District 6, in the 2007 NSO survey has a population of only 32 individuals, and a registered voters of 43 electors.

SECTION III. The territorial jurisdiction and entire population of Barangay District & will be integrated with Barangay District 5 following the merger.

SECTION IV. SEAT OF GOVERNMENT - The seat of Government of the merged barangays will be at Barangay District 5 considering that it has a complete set of elected Barangay Officials and barangay facilities which are requisites for efficient and effective public governance. The incumbent set of barangay officials of District 5 will govern the entirety of the merged barangays until such time that a new set of officials will be elected in the next barangay elections.

SECTION V. This ordinance is subject to the results of a Plebiscite called for the purpose in the barangays affected which shall be conducted by the Commission on Elections (COMELEC) as provided for in Section 10 of the Local Government Code of 1991.

SECTION VI. <u>EFFECTIVITY</u>. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately after complying with the necessary publication and posting requirements as mandated by law.

ENACTED, August 26, 2009.

RESOLVED, FURTHER, to furnish copies of this ordinance each to the Honorable City Mayor Eric C. Codilla; the City Administrator; the City Legal Officer; the Office of the Commission on Elections; the City Director, DILG; the President, Liga ng Mga Barangay, Ormoc City; the Barangay Affairs Office; the City Planning and Development Office, and other offices concerned;



CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing ordinance.

JOEL S. DUERO
Secretary to the
Sangguniang Panlungsod

ATTESTED:

CLAUDIO P. LARRAZABAL

Acting Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer (City Councilor, Floor Leader)

APPROVED:

ERIC C. CODILLA City Mayor

> AUN 2 8 2009 (Date)