



REPUBLIKA NG PILIPINAS
SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD
LUNGSOD NG ORMOC



EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE
THIRTEENTH SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD NG ORMOC HELD
AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL,
ORMOC CITY HALL BUILDING
ON OCTOBER 24, 2013



PRESENT:

Hon. Leo Carmelo L. Locsin, Jr.

Hon. Rolando M. Villasencio,

Hon. Tomas R. Serafica,

Hon. Mario M. Rodriguez,

Hon. Benjamin S. Pongos, Jr.,

Hon. Vincent L. Rama,

Hon. Eusebio Gerardo S. Penserga,

Hon. Marina T. Placido,

Hon. Corinne M. Corro,

Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer
City Councilor, Majority Floor Leader
City Councilor, Asst. Majority Floor Leader
City Councilor, Presiding Officer "Pro-Tempore"
City Councilor
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Ex-Officio City Councilor
Chapter President, Liga ng mga Barangay ng Ormoc
Ex-Officio City Councilor,
SK Federation President

ON OFFICIAL BUSINESS:

Hon. Antonio M. Codilla,
Hon. Pedro Godiardo P. Ebcas,

(Acting City Mayor), City Councilor
(O.B. - Manila), City Councilor

ON LEAVE:

Hon. Ruben R. Capahi,

City Councilor, Asst. Minority Floor Leader

ABSENT:

Hon. Nepomuceno P. Aparis I,

(Deceased), City Councilor
Minority Floor Leader

PREFARATORY STATEMENT

WHEREAS, the 13th Sangguniang Panlungsod ng Ormoc received an Indorsement Letter from the Office of the City Mayor, dated October 11, 2013, of the letter, dated August 29, 2013, of Atty. Gregorio Y. Larrazabal, Festival Director of the Terry Larrazabal Bike Festival, requesting the Local Government of Ormoc for the closure and use of certain main roads in Ormoc City as well as the roads along and around the City's Government Center;

WHEREAS, said temporary closure was requested by the organizers to accommodate the different events and races, at different times, of the 9th Terry Larrazabal Bike Festival which will be held in Ormoc City in the Province of Leyte from October 24-27, 2013, and that the matter be treated as urgent;

WHEREAS, in view thereof, the temporary closure of portions of Airport Road (Brgy. Libertad, Brgy. Airport and Brgy. Salvacion) on October 25, 2013 (Friday) from 7am to 11am is sought for the 1st Stage of the "Tour de Leyte" bike race;

WHEREAS, the "Tour de Leyte" 2nd Stage will be on October 25, 2013 (Friday) from 1pm to 5pm, thus portions of Aviles St. to the National Road along Brgy. Macabug shall likewise be temporarily closed;

WHEREAS, the festival shall commence with the 3rd Stage of the "Tour de Leyte" on October 26, 2013 (Saturday) from 7am to 2pm, accordingly the temporary closure of portions of Larrazabal Blvd. in front of the Ormoc City Plaza and the National Road along Brgy. Libertad shall also be had;

WHEREAS, portions of Aunubing St., Dalindingan St., Tugas St., C.S. Mendola St., Lauan St., Agoho St., and Domingo Veloso St. (Don Felipe Larrazabal Road) in the Government Center of Ormoc City shall likewise be closed on October 27, 2013;

WHEREAS, the closure of the streets enumerated immediately above is to accommodate the Tour de Larrazabal "Criterium" race course on October 27, 2013 (Sunday) from 1pm to 5pm;

WHEREAS, the stretch of road along Larrazabal Blvd., in front of the Ormoc City Stage, shall also be temporarily closed from 3pm to 6pm, as well as the portion of the road in front of the Ormoc City Superdome from 6pm to 12 midnight on October 27, 2013 (Sunday);

WHEREAS, the 1991 Local Government Code of the Philippines, specifically Section 21 thereof, empowers the LGUs to temporarily close or open any road, alley, park or square within its territorial jurisdiction through an ordinance;

WHEREAS, Section 21, Par. (a) and (c) of the Code provides that:

Sec. 21 – Closure and Opening of Roads –

- (a) A local government unit may, pursuant to an ordinance, permanently or temporarily close or open any local road, x x x falling within its jurisdiction: x x x x x x.
- (c) Any national or local road, alley, park, or square may be temporarily closed during an actual emergency, or fiesta celebrations, public rallies, x x x x x the duration of which shall be specified by the Local Chief Executive concerned through a written order: x x x x
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WHEREAS, this august Body believes that the request is lawful and deserving of appropriate action;

WHEREFORE, on motion presented by City Councilor Vincent L. Rama, Chairman, Committee on Tourism and Committee on Police, Fire and Penology, jointly seconded by City Councilors Corinne M. Corro and Tomas R. Serafica; be it

RESOLVED, to enact;

ORDINANCE NO. 004

AN ORDINANCE ALLOWING THE TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF CERTAIN STREETS IN ORMOC CITY FOR THE TERRY LARRAZABAL BIKE FESTIVAL DURING THE PERIOD OF OCTOBER 24 TO 27, 2013.

BE IT ENACTED, by the Thirteenth Sangguniang Panlungsod ng Ormoc, That:

SECTION 1. Coverage. The portions of Airport Road (Brgy. Libertad, Brgy. Airport and Brgy. Salvacion) from 7am to 11am on October 25, 2013 (Friday); portions of Aviles St. to the National Road along Brgy. Macabug on October 25, 2013 (Friday) from 1pm to 5pm; and, portions of Larrazabal Blvd. in front of the Ormoc City Plaza and the National Road along Brgy. Libertad on October 26, 2013 (Saturday) from 7am to 2pm are hereby allowed to be closed for the different stages of the "Tour de Leyte" bike race.

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The stretch of road along Larrazabal Blvd., in front of the Ormoc City Stage, from 3pm to 6pm, and the portion of the road in front of the Ormoc City Superdome from 6pm to 12 midnight on October 27, 2013 (Sunday).

The portions of Aunubing St., Dalindingan St., Tugas St., C.S. Mendola St., Lauan St., Agoho St., and Domingo Veloso St. (Don Felipe Larrazabal Road) in the Government Center of Ormoc City are hereby allowed to be closed on October 27, 2013 from 1pm to 5pm to be utilized by the 9th Terry Larrazabal Bike Festival, specifically the Tour De Larrazabal "Criterium" course.

Said temporary closure shall be strictly imposed on the areas and date specified. In this pursuit, all public and private vehicles shall be prohibited to enter or pass the affected premises.

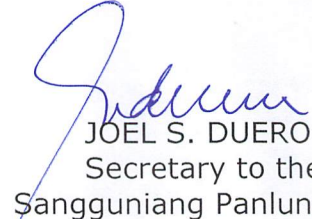
SECTION 2. Ratification. In the event that the approval and effectivity of this ordinance came belatedly after the subject event, this august Body hereby ratifies the closure to be effected for said event on the subject date.

SECTION 3. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately subject to the compliance of the necessary posting and publication requirements as provided for in the Local Government Code of 1991.

ENACTED, October 24, 2013.

RESOLVED, FURTHER, to furnish copies of this ordinance each to the Honorable City Mayor Edward C. Codilla; the City Administrator, the City Legal Officer; the City Planning and Development Office; the City Director, Ormoc City Police Office; Atty. Gregorio Y. Larrazabal, Festival Director- Terry Larrazabal Bike Festival, Ormoc City Chapter, and other offices concerned.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing ordinance.


JOEL S. DUERO
Secretary to the
Sangguniang Panlungsod

ATTESTED:


LEO CARMELO L. LOCSIN, JR.
Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer

APPROVED:


EDWARD C. CODILLA
City Mayor

30 OCT 2013

(Date)