

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE MUNICIPAL BOARD OF ORMOG
CITY, HELD ON JAN. 31, 1948

PRESENT:

Hon. N. I. Medina.....Acting City Mayor
" Rafael D. Omega.....City Councillor
" Victorino C. Teloren....." "
" Guillermo T. Parrilla....." "
" Cleto P. Evangelista....." "
" Flaviano Montesolares....." "
" Pablo Pajaron....." "
" Margarita Tugonon....." "

ABSENT:

Hon. Esteban Conejas....." "

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RESOLUTION NO. 42

Letters of Mr. De Veyra and Mr. Yabas, were read to the Board as hereby quoted:

BUREAU OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS
DIVISION OF LEYTE, ORMOG DISTRICT II

January 27, 1948

"The Honorable, City Council
and the City Mayor
OrmoG City

"Enclosed with this letter is a copy Resolution No. 30, s. 1948, of the Hon. the Provincial Board of Leyte, showing the distribution of the typhoon relief fund for the construction and repairs of public buildings destroyed or damaged by the typhoons.

It is regrettable to note that no relief funds has been allotted to this city. While it is true that Ormoc is now a city and the functions of its government is district from any municipality of this province, yet the action taken by the Hon. Provincial Board was not only contrary to social justice but it was inconsistent with the enunciated policy publicly announced by His Excellency, the President of the Philippine Republic in this city when he said 'Leyte shall receive 10% of the Public Works Funds allotted to this province to be distributed proportionately to the municipalities of the province as Relief Funds.' Since Ormoc became only a city this fiscal year, the Public Works Funds given to Leyte includes also the City of Ormoc.

"In view of this fact, I have the honor to request the Honorable City Board, that his matter be brought to the attention of the authorities concerned so that Ormoc shall received Typhoon Relief Funds, for the construction and repairs needed by this district as soon as possible."

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RESOLUTION NO. 49 (Cont'd)

Very respectfully,

(Sgd) FELIX A. DE VERA
District Supervisor

1st Indorsement
DIVISION OF LEYTE, DISTRICT OF ORMOG-I
Ormog City, January 30, 1948

"Respectfully forwarded to the Honorable members,
City Council, Ormog City, thru the City Mayor Ormog City.

"Your attention is called to the attached Div. Cir.
letter dated Tacloban, January 21, 1948, and its
enclosure. It appears that Ormog City had not been given
a share per that Resolution of the Provincial Board, No. 30.
It will be recalled that His Excellency, President Manuel
A. Roxas had promised in his speech to give relief to
Ormog City, as a result of the destruction of schools
buildings, roads, bridges, etc., the last typhoon in
the City. This was during the last visit of the President.

"However, this office does not exactly know the
source of this Aid Fund released for Leyte, that August
Body may find out and reply."

(Sgd) FELICISIMO YARAO
Prin., Central City Sch., Ormog City
Incharge of Ormog City District I

On motion of Councilor Omega, seconded by Councilor
Montesclaros,

BE IT RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved, to have the
Acting City Mayor make representations requesting the Provincial
Governor of Leyte for a share of Ormog City from the Typhoon
Relief, for the repairs of school buildings, markets, bridges,
roads and etc., damaged by the typhoon,

UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT, the above quoted resolution is true
and correct.

H. I. MODINA
H. I. MODINA
Secretary
MUNICIPAL BOARD

ATTESTED:

(Sgd) H. I. MODINA
(T) H. I. MODINA
Acting City Mayor

COPY FURNISHED:

The Provincial Governor, Tacloban, Leyte
The Director of Education, Manila