



EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION HELD BY  
THE MUNICIPAL BOARD OF ORMOC CITY, PHILIPPINES, IN ITS  
SESSION HALL ON FEBRUARY 28, 1953

PRESENT:

Hon. Marcelo D. Bandalan.....Presiding Officer  
" Guillermo T. Parrilla.....City Councilor  
" Ifaki Larrazabal....." "  
" Esteban C. Conejos....." "  
" Jorge S. Tan....." "  
" Usualdo F. Laguitan....." "  
" Teotimo Ocubillo....." "  
" Alvaro I. Gutierrez....." "

ABSENT:

His Honor, Lucilo A. Comui.....City Mayor  
Hon. Victorino C. Teleron.....City Councilor

RESOLUTION NO. 13

Letter of the City Engineer, Ormoc City, dated Feb.  
25, 1953, addressed to the Hon. Body, hereunder quoted  
verbatim, as follows:

"Republic of the Philippines  
Department of Public Works and Communications  
Bureau of Public Works  
Ormoc City  
Office of the City Engineer

February 25, 1953

The Hon. City Board  
Thru the Honorable City Mayor  
Ormoc City

Sir:

In connection with Resolution No. 191, s. 1952, of  
that Honorable Body, I have the honor to furnish you here-  
with copies of correspondences relative to the proposed  
construction of Panalian River Bridge and requesting that  
Honorable Body to pass a resolution embodying the necessity  
for its construction as required by the 2nd and 3rd in-  
dorsements of said correspondences.

Very respectfully,

(SGD) FERNANDO C. MONTES  
City Engineer

NOW THEREFORE, the Board, on motion of Councilor  
Guillermo T. Parrilla, seconded by Councilor Ifaki  
Larrazabal;

BE IT RESOLVED, as is hereby resolved, to trans-  
mit to the Hon. Director of Public Works, Manila, the  
following reasons why a permanent bridge is necessary  
over the Panalian River:

1. That the Panalian river crosses a highway between  
Ormoc City and Baybay, Leyte and continuous traffic be-  
tween the two places is usually obstructed during floods  
which destroys the temporary bridge.

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(Resolution No. 13, c. s., continued)

2. That the Panalian River is located between Ormoc City proper and the barrio of Ipil where the Ormoc Sugar Central is located and where milling is almost continuous the whole year round; that during milling season there is a continuous hauling of sugar cane from Ormoc towards the barrio of Ipil passing the Panalian river, so that a permanent bridge over said river is imperative;

3. The construction of the permanent bridge over the Panalian river will mean an increase of revenue both to the Local and National Government.

4. The construction of said bridge will promote the commercial intercourse between Ormoc City and all the different towns in Eastern and Western Leyte.

RESOLVED FINALLY, to furnish copy of this resolution each to the Hon. Secretary of Public Works and Communications; Hon. Director of Public Works, Manila; the Hon. City Mayor, Ormoc City; City Treasurer; City Auditor; City Engineer, Ormoc City.  
CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the above-quoted resolution.

*Ramon Bantasan*  
RAMON BANTASAN  
Secretary

APPROVED:

*Marcelo D. Bandalan*  
MARCELO D. BANDALAN  
Vice-Mayor & Actg. City Mayor  
Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

*Pelagio P. Codilla*  
PELAGIO P. CODILLA  
Secretary to the City Mayor

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