

LUNGSOD NG ORMOC  
SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD

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EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE  
THIRD SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD NG ORMOC HELD AT ITS  
SESSION HALL ON JULY 23, 1986

## PRESENT:

Hon. Benjamin B. Lladoc, OIC, Office of the Vice-Mayor &  
Presiding Officer

Hon. Gregorio A. Yrastorza, Jr., Kagawad, Floor Leader

Hon. Antero T. Fiel, Kagawad

Hon. Vicente V. Redoña, Kagawad

Hon. Rodolfo L. Rivilla, Jr., Kagawad

Hon. Arnulfo C. Salazar, Kagawad

Hon. Laureano J. Suan, Kagawad

Hon. Avelina D. Subingsubing, Kagawad

Hon. Antonio C. Sumaljag, Kagawad

Hon. Romeo M. Hermosilla, ABC President, Kagawad

## ABSENT:

Hon. Ma. Emily C. Codilla, FKB President, Kagawad  
(On Leave)

## RESOLUTION NO. 44

A RESOLUTION DECLARING THE CITY OF ORMOC AS A NUCLEAR-WEAPON  
AND NUCLEAR POWERED PLANT FREE ZONE.

"WHEREAS, during the public hearing conducted by no less than the Committee on Environmental Control chaired by Honorable Antero T. Fiel regarding the proposed resolution declaring the City of Ormoc as Nuclear-Weapon-Free Zone, the City Fiscal manifested that the proposed resolution is an exercise in futility, and Honorable Arnulfo C. Salazar, one of the Kagawads of the august Body opined that the proposed resolution is only for the Sangguniang Panlungsod ng Ormoc to give its definite stand on the issue. And after so many discussions everybody was in favor for the passage of the proposed resolution but they opposed on the banning of foreign military bases, the Chairman on Environmental Control insisted to leave the matter to Her Excellency President Corazon C. Aquino for proper policy;

"WHEREAS, there is general alarm and apprehension in the whole world, in our country and even in our own City of Ormoc over the danger of a genocidal nuclear war breaking out in view of present international tensions;

"WHEREAS, there is also related general fear of nuclear accidents which can devastate people;

"WHEREAS, the threat of annihilation in a nuclear war or a nuclear accident is brought closer home to us in view of the continued presence in our country of foreign military bases which serve as seaports and airports of nuclear-armed warships and warplanes;

"WHEREAS, the general alarm over the threat of a nuclear war or nuclear accident has found expression in the declaration by municipal, city, provincial and even national government of Nuclear-Weapon-Free Zone in many parts of the world;

"WHEREAS, there is a need in our city to express the desire of our constituents to keep free from installation of any nuclear weapon, and



free from the transit and overflight of any vehicle or airplane carrying any nuclear weapon and banning of the installation of nuclear powered industrial and commercial plant;

"NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of Kagawad Fiel, seconded by Kagawad Subingsubing; be it


"RESOLVED, to declare the City of Ormoc as a Nuclear-Weapon and Nuclear Powered Plant Free Zone; this declaration desires for a secure future free from threat of annihilation in a nuclear war or nuclear accident, and of the desire to strengthen peace, national independence and progress of which the following are hereby banned within the territory of the City of Ormoc;

- the stationing of any nuclear weapon;
- the transit and/or overflight of any vehicle or airplane carrying any nuclear weapon; and
- installation of Nuclear Powered Plant.


"RESOLVED, FURTHER, to furnish a copy of this resolution each to Her Excellency, President Corazon C. Aquino, Malacañang, Hon. Juan Ponce Enrile, Minister of National Defense, Camp Aguinaldo, Hon. Jose Concepcion, Jr., Minister of Trade & Industry, all in Metro Manila; Engr. Antonio E. Paris, National Secretary, Philippine Peace and Solidarity Council, 11 Cardinal St., St. Jude Subd., Novaliches, Quezon City, and the Pollution Control Officer, Ormoc City.

"CARRIED. Eight affirmative votes. One abstension registered by Kagawad Hermosilla.

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

  
EMMANUEL ANTHONY C. SABELINO  
Secretary


ATTESTED:

  
BENJAMIN B. LLADOC  
OIC, Office of the Vice-Mayor  
& Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

  
EMETERIO V. LARRAZABAL  
OIC, City Mayor's Office

ATTESTED AS APPROVED:

  
CELESTINO L. LARRAZABAL  
Secretary to the Mayor

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