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SANGGUNANG PANLUNGSOD
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SANGGUNANG PANLUNGSOD NG ORMOC HELD AT THE HONORABLE
PLACIDO ENECIO HALL, SANGGUNANG PANLUNGSOD
BUILDING ON SEPTEMBER 27, 2007

PRESENT:

Hon. Fernando P. Parrilla,	Temporary Presiding Officer (City Councilor)
Hon. Claudio P. Larrazabal,	City Councilor, Floor Leader
Hon. Sotero M. Pepito,	City Councilor, Assist. Floor Leader
Hon. Demosthenes F. Tugonon,	City Councilor
Hon. Mariano Y. Corro,	City Councilor
Hon. Fe S. Lladoc,	City Councilor
Hon. Filomeno P. Maglasang,	City Councilor
Hon. Rafael C. Omega, Jr.,	City Councilor
Hon. Jose C. Alfaro, Jr.,	City Councilor

ABSENT:

Hon. Nepomuceno P. Aparis I,	(Acting City Mayor), Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer
Hon. Ruben R. Capahi,	(O.B. - Tacloban), City Councilor
Hon. Cheryl A. Arcuino,	(O.B. - Cebu City), Ex-Officio City Councilor, SK Federation President

Resolution No. 2007-078

A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY (DOE) TO ADVISE NPC/TRANSCO AND OTHER CONCERNED POWER COMPANIES TO UTILIZE AND OR MAXIMIZE THE UTILIZATION OF GEOTHERMAL AND OR HYDROPOWER SOURCE OF ENERGY DURING LOAD CURTAILMENT PERIOD CONSIDERING THAT THIS UTILIZATION WILL GREATLY HELP IN PREVENTING OR AT LEAST MITIGATING CLIMATE CHANGE RESULTING TO GLOBAL WARMING.

WHEREAS, it is a fact that during times of low demand for electricity power companies conduct what is referred to as load curtailment;

WHEREAS, during these load curtailment/ reduction activities the energy sources utilized are from coal-fired plant and/ or diesel fuel plants, (all from fossil fuel sources which are non-renewable);

WHEREAS, both sources emit significant amount of carbon dioxide and sulfur dioxides which are identified as greenhouse gases and are Persistent Ozone Polluting Substances (POPS), aside from being harmful to health;

WHEREAS, geothermal energy and hydro energy cannot be stored and do not drain our dollar reserve while oil and coal may be stored if not utilized thus saving us our precious dollars;

WHEREAS, this move therefore has advantageous effect not only for our environment but also for our economy;

WHEREAS, this move by the Sangguniang Panlungsod puts real essence to the saying "Think Globally, act Locally"; we are acting locally with the passage of this resolution and thus will contribute to the global effect of reducing global warming;

NOW THEREFORE, foregoing premises considered, on MASS MOTION of the Body; be it

RESOLVED, AS IT IS hereby being resolved to pass A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY (DOE) TO ADVISE NPC/TRANSCO AND OTHER CONCERNED POWER COMPANIES TO UTILIZE AND OR MAXIMIZE THE UTILIZATION OF GEOTHERMAL AND OR HYDROPOWER SOURCE OF ENERGY DURING LOAD CURTAILMENT PERIOD CONSIDERING THAT THIS UTILIZATION WILL GREATLY HELP IN PREVENTING OR AT LEAST MITIGATING CLIMATE CHANGE RESULTING TO GLOBAL WARMING.

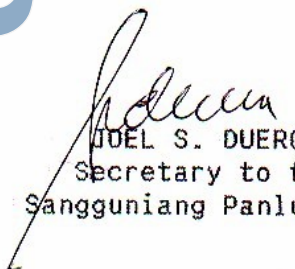
Adopted, September 27, 2007.

RESOLVED FURTHER to request municipalities and cities similarly situated to pass a parallel resolution;

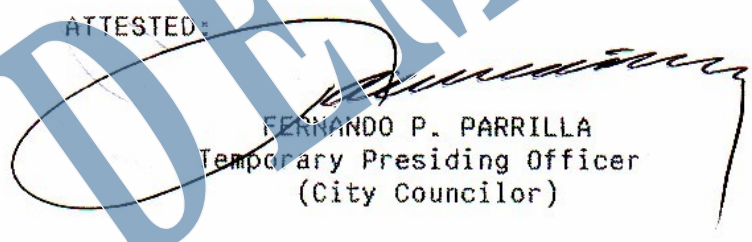
RESOLVED, FINALLY to furnish copies of this resolution one each to Secretary of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR), Regional Director of Environment Management Bureau (EMB) Region 8, Secretary of Department of Energy (DOE), President of National Power Corporation (NAPOCOR), Regional Director of Asia and the Pacific Regions United Nations Environment Program (UNEP) and the Regional Director Western Pacific Region World Health Organization (WHO).

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing resolution.


JOEL S. DUERO
Secretary to the
Sangguniang Panlungsod

ATTESTED:


FERNANDO P. PARRILLA
Temporary Presiding Officer
(City Councilor)