## REPUBLIKA NG PILIPINAS SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD LUNGSOD NG ORMOC



# EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE TWELFTH SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD NG ORMOC HELD AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL. ORMOC CITY HALL BUILDING ON SEPTEMBER 08, 2011

#### PRESENT:

Hon. Claudio P. Larrazabal,

Hon. Rolando M. Villasencio,

Hon. Mario M. Rodriguez,

Hon. Lea Doris C. Villar,

Hon. Filomeno P. Maglasang,

Hon. Jose C. Alfaro, Jr.,

Hon. Demosthenes F. Tugonon,

Hon. Rafael C. Omega, Jr.,

Hon. Antonio M. Codilla,

# ON OFFICIAL BUSINESS:

Hon. Nepomuceno P. Aparis I,

Hon. Ruben R. Capahi,

Hon. Sotero M. Pepito,

(Acting Vice Mayor),

City Councilor, Presiding Officer "Pro-Tempore"

City Councilor, Minority Floor Leader

City Councilor, Assist. Minority Floor Leader

City Councilor, Assist. Majority Floor Leader

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x-Officio City Councilor

Chapter President, Liga ng mga Barangay ng Ormoc

Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer City Councilor, Majority Floor Leader

City Councilor

## ABSENT:

Hon. Corinne M. Corro,

(On Leave), Ex-Officio City Councilor, SK Federation President

# **RESOLUTION NO. 2011-162**

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE HONORABLE CITY MAYOR FRIC C. CODILLA TO INITIATE IN THE PLANNING, DESIGNING, AND FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE PROPOSED ORMOC CITY HOSPITAL, AND TO SECURE THE NECESSARY PERMIT AND LICENSE FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH IN RELATION THERETO

WHEREAS, the City Government of Ormoc is determined to pursue its goals and objectives which are all directed to improve the quality of life of the Ormocanons;

WHEREAS, one of the main thrust of the city government is to strengthen the city's Health System by giving more focus on the basic health needs of the community and ensure the efficient delivery of health services complimented with equitable access of every Ormocanon to effective health care services;

WHEREAS, it is on such basis that the city governance strive to realize the proposed construction of a City Hospital which is considered a significant project in response to the health care needs of the Ormocanons;

WHEREAS, in relation thereto, the Honorable City Mayor Eric C. Codilla, through a communication dated September 2, 2011, requested this august Body for the passage of a resolution authorizing His Honor to initiate in the planning, designing, and construction of the proposed Ormoc City Hospital, and to secure the necessary permit and license from the Department of Health concerning the matter;

WHEREAS, there are several health related measures already undertaken by the city to carry out its continuing effort to respond to the health needs of the people. One of the highlights thereof, is the decentralization of the City Health Department services into six (6) District Health Centers strategically located in different barangays equipped with birthing facilities;

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WHEREAS, the "Maternity and New Born Care Ordinance of 2010" is another health initiative enacted in line with the country's Millennium Development Goals to reduce maternal and neonatal deaths:

WHEREAS, in spite of the efforts for the effective implementation of the current health measures, there are gaps and lapses that were identified in the delivery system of health care services more particularly in addressing concerns for mothers and children that may affect the city's commitment to the Millennium Development Goals (MDG);

WHEREAS, the construction of the proposed City Hospital that is envisioned to serve as a referral hospital of the District Health Centers (DHC's), is a significant move to carry out the city's commitment to MDG and in the improvement and strengthening of health care system delivery to the Ormocanons;

WHEREAS, this august Body believes that that the request of the Honorable City Mayor is reasonable and will redound to the general welfare of the people;

WHEREFORE, FOREGOING PREMISES CONSIDERED, on motion presented by City Councilor Rafael C. Omega, Jr., Chariman, Committee on Health, jointly seconded by City Councilors Demosthenes F. Tugonon and Jose C. Alfaro, Jr.; be it

RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to pass a resolution AUTHORIZING THE HONORABLE CITY MAYOR ERIC C. CODILLA TO INITIATE IN THE PLANNING, DESIGNING, AND FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE PROPOSED ORMOC CITY HOSPITAL, AND TO SECURE THE NECESSARY PERMIT AND LICENSE FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH IN RELATION THERETO;

ADOPTED, September 08, 2011

RESOLVED, FURTHER, that copies of this resolution be furnished each to the Honorable City Mayor Evic C. Codilla; the City Administrator; the City Legal Officer; the Honorable Secretary, Department of Health; and other offices concerned.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing resolution.

JOEL S. DUERO Secretary to the Sangguniang Panlungsod

ATTESTED:

(Acting Vice Mayor)
City Councilor

Presiding Officer "Pro-Tempore"