## REPUBLIKA NG PILIPINAS SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD LUNGSOD NG ORMOC



EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE THIRTEENTH SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD NG ORMOC HELD AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL, ORMOC CITY HALL BUILDING ON JANUARY 08, 2015

#### PRESENT:

Hon. Leo Carmelo L. Locsin, Jr.

Hon. Rolando M. Villasencio,

Hon. Ruben R. Capahi,

Hon. Benjamin S. Pongos, Jr.,

Hon. Antonio M. Codilla,

Hon. Vincent L. Rama,

Hon. Pedro Godiardo P. Ebcas,

Hon. Eusebio Gerardo S. Penserga,

Hon. Mariano Y. Corro,

SP Member

Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer

SP Member, Majority Floor Leader

SP Member, Asst. Minority Floor Leader

SP Member

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Ex-Officio SP Member

Chapter President, Liga ng mga Barangay ng Ormoc

### ON OFFICIAL BUSINESS:

Hon. John Eulalio Neportuceno O. Aparis II, (Arting City Mayor), SP Member

#### ON LEAVE:

Hon. Tomas R. Serafica

Hon. Mario M. Rodriguez,

SP Member, Asst. Majority Floor Leader P Member, Presiding Officer "Pro-Tempore"

# RESOLUTION NO. 2015-001

A RESOLUTION GRANTING AUTHORITY TO THE HONORABLE CITY MAYOR EDWARD C. CODILLA TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT (MOA) FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT OF ORMOC (LGU-ORMOC) WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE REGIONAL FIELD OFFICE NO. 8 (DA-RFO 8), REPRESENTED BY ITS REGIONAL EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, BERNADETTE F. SAN JUAN, FOR THE PROVISION OF ONE (1) UNIT HEAVY DUTY BIODEGRADABLE SHREDDER MACHINE TO LGU ORMOC FOR THE PROJECT ENTITLED: ESTABLISHMENT OF PRODUCTION FACILITIES AND PROCESSING PLANTS.

WHEREAS, this Thirteenth Sangguniang Panlungsod ng Ormoc was in receipt of an Indorsement from the Office of the City Mayor dated October 15, 2014 relative to the preceding 1<sup>st</sup>Indorsement from the City Agriculturist, Joseph C. Cortes, recommending for the passage of a resolution authorizing the Hon. City Mayor to sign the MOA for and on behalf of the Local Government Unit of Ormoc (LGU-Ormoc) with the Department of Agriculture Regional Field Office No. 8 (DA-RFO 8), represented by its Regional Executive Director, Bernadette F. San Juan, for the provision of one (1) unit Heavy Duty Biodegradable Shredder Machine to LGU-Ormoc for the project entitled: Establishment of Production Facilities and Processing Plants, a photocopy of the final MOA is hereto attached and made an integral part hereof;

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WHEREAS, in accordance with Republic Act No. 10068, otherwise known as the Organic Agriculture Act of 2010, the DA is mandated to promote, propagate, develop further and implement all the practices of organic agriculture in the Philippines;

WHEREAS, one of the core areas of operation provided under the Act is the promotion and development of organic agriculture through the establishment of production facilities and processing plants that would optimize the utilization and production of agriculture farm inputs thereby enhancing agricultural productivity and ensuing and self-sufficiency;

WHEREAS, LGU-ORMOC signified its intention to be one of the recipients of one (1) unit Heavy Duty Biodegradable Shredder Machine from DA-RFO8 for the project entitled "establishment of Vermi-composting Facility" for the production of organic fertilizer in support of its own Organic Agriculture Program and the DA through its representative evaluated the capability of LGN-Ormoc, and found it to be qualified as a recipient of the above-mentioned machine based on the criteria set for the establishment of the said project;

WHEREAS, further considering that farming is one of the major sources of livelihood of the Ormocanons and that the acquisition of the Biodegradable Shredder Machine by the City will greatly help improve its farming communities in the matter of increasing agricultural productivity and profitability;

WHEREAS, the concerned parties are mutually committed in collaborating for the successful implementation of the Organic Agriculture Program, subject to the specific obligations and responsibilities of both parties through the provision of the Heavy Duty Biologradable Shredder Machine by DA-RFO8 to LGU-Ormoc as clearly embodied and stipmated in the MOA;

WHEREAS, this Sanggurian finds, after close and thorough review of the subject MOA, finds the same to be not contrary to law, public policy or any existing contract, and to be extremely beneficial to the City, most especially to the benefitted local farmers and producers, and so therefore, most deserving of its utmost support and favorable consideration;

WHEREFORE, on motion of Honorable SP Member Benjamin S. Pongos Jr., as Chairman, Committee on Laws & Ordinances, and Acting Chairman, Committee on Agriculture and Fisheries, severally seconded by Honorable SP Members Ruben R. Capahi, Antonio M. Codilla, Vincent L. Rama, Pedro Godiardo P. Ebcas, Eusebio Gerardo S. Penserga and Mariano Y. Corro; be it

RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to pass A RESOLUTION GRANTING AUTHORITY TO THE HONORABLE CITY MAYOR EDWARD C. CODILLA TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT (MOA) FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT OF ORMOC (LGU-ORMOC) WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE REGIONAL FIELD OFFICE NO. 8 (DA-RFO 8), REPRESENTED BY ITS REGIONAL EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, BERNADETTE F. SAN JUAN, FOR THE PROVISION OF ONE (1) UNIT HEAVY DUTY BIODEGRADABLE SHREDDER MACHINE TO LGU ORMOC FOR THE PROJECT ENTITLED: ESTABLISHMENT OF PRODUCTION FACILITIES AND PROCESSING PLANTS;

ADOPTED, January 08, 2015.

RESOLVED, FURTHER, that a copy of the final and notarized Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) be furnished to this Sanggunian for its information and files;

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RESOLVED, FINALLY, to furnish copies of this resolution each to His Honor, the City Mayor of Ormoc Edward C. Codilla; the City Administrator; the City Legal Officer; the Executive Director DA-RFO8, Ms. Bernadette F. San Juan; the City Agriculture Office; the DILG-City Director, Ms. Lucia C. Ong; and other offices concerned;

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing resolution.

NOEL S. DUERO Secretary to the Sangguriang Panlungsod

ATTESTED:

LEO CARMELO L. LOCSIN, JR. Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer