

REPUBLIKA NG PILIPINAS
SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD
LUNGSOD NG ORMOC



EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE
FOURTEENTH SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD NG ORMOC HELD
AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL,
ORMOC CITY HALL BUILDING
ON MAY 23, 2017 IN LIEU OF
MAY 25, 2017

PRESENT:

Leo Carmelo L. Locsin, Jr.,	Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer
Rolando M. Villasencio,	SP Member, Majority Floor Leader
Vincent L. Rama,	SP Member, Asst. Majority Floor Leader
Mario M. Rodriguez,	SP Member, Presiding Officer "Pro-Tempore"
Tomas R. Serafica,	SP Member
Benjamin S. Pongos, Jr.,	SP Member
Eusebio Gerardo S. Penserga,	SP Member
Nolito M. Quilang,	SP Member
John Eulalio Nepomuceno O. Aparis II,	SP Member
	Minority Floor Leader
Lea Doris C. Villar,	SP Member, Asst. Minority Floor Leader
Mariano Y. Corro,	Ex-Officio SP Member
	Chapter President, Liga ng mga Barangay ng Ormoc

ON LEAVE:

Gregorio G. Yrastorza III,	SP Member
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RESOLUTION NO. 2017-112

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MAYOR RICHARD I. GOMEZ TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN THE WIFI SERVICES AGREEMENT FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT OF ORMOC (LGU-ORMOC), WITH SMART COMMUNICATIONS INC. RELATIVE TO THE AVAILMENT OF WI-FI FACILITY AND SERVICES AT DESIGNATED AREAS IN THE CITY.

WHEREAS, the City Mayor Richard I. Gomez through an Indorsement dated May 02, 2017 forwarded to this august Body for consideration the WIFI Services Agreement to be entered into by LGU-Ormoc with SMART Communications, Inc., which aims to cover matters relative to the availment of the Wi-Fi facility and services at designated areas in the City, a copy of the final Service Agreement is hereto attached and made an integral part hereof;

WHEREAS, SMART Communications Inc. is a wholly owned wireless communications and digital services subsidiary of PLDT, Inc. and is a duly enfranchised cellular company with the capacity to provide its telecommunication services, subject to the rules of the National Telecommunication Commission (NTC) an internal SMART mandates;

WHEREAS, LGU Ormoc is pushing for the provision of free public WiFi connection at the City Plaza and nearby areas as part of the City Government's efforts to provide better services to residents and that the same is specifically a component of the local government's development strategy of "creating a livable environment for all Ormocanons towards nation-building;"

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WHEREAS, LGU Ormoc believes that putting up internet connection in strategic locations in the city, like the City Plaza and Food Park, would ensure that residents would enjoy digital connectivity, which could help boost tourism, economy and technological capability;

WHEREAS, the subject Agreement clearly and plainly encapsulates the terms and conditions of the agreement of the parties thereto, including their specific roles, obligations and responsibilities for the successful implementation of the Wi-Fi Services;

WHEREAS, upon close and thorough review, this Sanggunian finds that the Service Agreement is not contrary to law, public policy, public morals and existing contracts, and its aim is advantageous to both parties and would in turn promote and boost tourism, economy and technological capability, so therefore, most deserving of this august Body's full support and affirmative action;

WHEREFORE, on motion of SP Member Benjamin S. Pongos, Jr. Chairman, Committee Laws and Ordinances, severally seconded by SP Members Vincent L. Rama, Rolando M. Villasencio, Mario M. Rodriguez, Tomas R. Serafica, Eusebio Gerardo S. Penserga, John Eulalio Nepomuceno O. Aparis II and Mariano Y. Corro; be it

RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to pass a RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MAYOR RICHARD I. GOMEZ TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN THE WIFI SERVICES AGREEMENT FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT OF ORMOC (LGU-ORMOC), WITH SMART COMMUNICATIONS INC. RELATIVE TO THE AVAILMENT OF WI-FI FACILITY AND SERVICES AT DESIGNATED AREAS IN THE CITY;

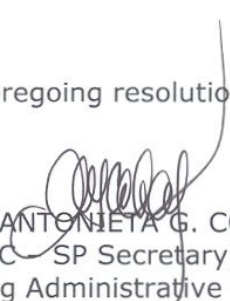
ADOPTED, May 23, 2017.

RESOLVED, FURTHER, that a copy of the final and notarized WIFI Services Agreement be submitted to the Sangguniang Panlungsod ng Ormoc for its information and files;

RESOLVED, FINALLY, to furnish copies of this resolution each to the City Mayor of Ormoc Richard I. Gomez; the City Administrator, Mr. Vincent L. Emnas; the Acting-City Legal Officer, Atty. Marcelo C. Oñate; the Information and Technology Department; SMART Communications, Inc.; the OIC-City Director, DILG; and other concerned offices for their information and guidance.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing resolution.


MARIA ANTONIETA G. CO HAT
(OIC - SP Secretary)
Supervising Administrative Officer

ATTESTED:


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