

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 SEPTEMBER 14, 2017

PRESENT:

Vincent L. Rama,

Rolando M. Villasencio,

Mario M. Rodriguez,

Tomas R. Serafica, Benjamin S. Pongos, Jr.,

Eusebio Gerardo S. Penserga, Gregorio G. Yrastorza III,

Nolito M. Quilang, John Eulalio Nepomuceno O. Aparis II,

Lea Doris C. Villar. Mariano Y. Corro,

(Temporary Presiding Officer),

SP Member, Asst. Majority Floor Leader

(Acting City Vice Mayor),
SP Member, Majority Floor Leader
SP Member, Presiding Officer "Pro-Tempore"

SP Member (Temporary Majority Floor Leader), SP Member

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Minority Figor Leader

Minority Floor Leader SP Member, Asst.

Ex-Officio SP Member

Chapter President, Liga ng mga Barangay ng Ormoc

ON OFFICIAL BUSINESS:

Leo Carmelo L. Locsin,

(Acting City Mayor), Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer

ESOLUTION NO. 2017-206

EARNESTLY SEEKING RESOLUTION FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AND SUPPORT FROM THE **TOURISM** RASTRUCTURE AND ENTERPRISE ZONE AUTHORITY VEZA), FOR THE CONVERSION OF THE OLD ORMOC CITY INTO A CITY MUSEUM, AND FURTHER AUTHORIZING CITY MAYOR RICHARD I. GOMEZ TO MAKE THE PROPER RÉPRESENTATIONS WITH TIEZA, FOR AND IN BEHALF OF THE CITY OF ORMOC

WHEREAS, this august Body was in receipt of an Indorsement from the Office of the City Mayor dated September 11, 2017, requesting therein for the passage of a resolution seeking financial assistance and support from the Tourism Infrastructure And Enterprise Zone Authority (TIEZA), for the conversion of the Old Ormoc City Hall into a museum, and further authorizing City Mayor Richard I. Gomez to make the proper representations with TIEZA, for and in behalf of the City Of Ormoc, further classifying the same as EXTREMELY URGENT;

WHEREAS, TIEZA is a public corporate body which is mandated to develop, manage, and supervise tourism infrastructure projects in the country;

WHEREAS, TIEZA's thrust to invest in Tourism Enterprise Zones particularly states that, "the project should involve development, rehabilitation and enhancement of tourism historic sites, cultural and heritage sites, and ecotourism sites";

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WHEREAS, to recall, this Sanggunian enacted Ordinance No. 06 Series of 2016 declaring the Old Ormoc City Hall as a city cultural property of the City of Ormoc;

WHEREAS, it is the City's objective to establish an institution that will cherish and care for cultural heritage, artifacts, arts, books, documents, objects and items, particularly, among others, those with historical significance, scientific invention and discoveries that will serve its strategic development;

WHEREAS, towards these thrusts, the City aims to collect and preserve objects and items of historical or cultural value or discoveries, which shall be open for exhibition to the general public through the establishment of a City Museum;

WHEREAS, by reason of foregoing premises, this Sanggunian indeed finds meritorious and deserving of considerable support the City Mayor's aforementioned Indorsement requesting for the passage of a resolution earnestly requesting the TIEZA for the conversion of the Old Ormoc City Hall into a museum, and further authorizing City Mayor Richard I. Gomez to make the proper representations with TIEZA, for and in behalf of the City Of Ormoc;

WHEREAS, additionally this Sanggunian finds that the favorable granting and extension of the sought assistance and support will also equip and enable the City to adopt its economic and social advancement through its firm and steadfast principle and policy that the cultural and historical heritage of Ormoc should not be sacrificed;

WHEREFORE, on motion of SP Member Benjamin S. Pongos, Jr., Vice Chairman, Committee on Tourism, severally seconded by SP Members Mariano Y. Corro, John Eulalio Nepomuceno O. Aparis II, Gregorio G. Yrastorza III and Tomas R. Serafica; be it

RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to pass a RESOLUTION EARNESTLY SEEKING FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AND SUPPORT FROM THE TOURISM INFRASTRUCTURE AND ENTERPRISE ZONE AUTHORITY (TIEZA), FOR THE CONVERSION OF THE OLD DRMOC CITY HALL INTO A CITY MUSEUM, AND FURTHER AUTHORIZING CITY MAYOR RICHARD I. GOMEZ TO MAKE THE PROPER REPRESENTATIONS WITH TIEZA, FOR AND IN BEHALF OF THE CITY OF ORMOC;

ADOPTED, September 14, 2017.

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 City Legal Officer, Atty. Jasper Lucero; TIEZA; the OIC-City Director, DILG; and all 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:

VINCENT L. RAMA (Temporary Presiding Officer) SP Member Asst. Majority Floor Leader