



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 DECEMBER 21, 2017

PRESENT:

Benjamin S. Pongos, Jr., Mario M. Rodriguez, Tomas R. Serafica, (Temporary Presiding Officer), SP Member SP Member, Presiding Officer "Pro-Tempore" (Temporary Majority Floor Leader),

Eusebio Gerardo S. Penserga, Gregorio G. Yrastorza III, Nolito M. Quilang, John Eulalio Nepomuceno O. Aparis II,

SP Member SP Member SP Member SP Member

SP Member

Lea Doris C. Villar, Mariano Y. Corro, SP Member, Asst. Minority Floor Leader Ex-Officio SP Member

Chapter President, Liga ng mga Barangay ng Ormoc

ON OFFICIAL BUSINESS:

Rolando M. Villasencio,

Vincent L. Rama,

(OIC-City Mayor), SP Member, Majority Floor Leader (OIC-City Vice Mayor), SP Member, Asst. Majority Floor Leader

ON LEAVE:

Leo Carmelo L. Locsin, Jr.,

Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer

RESOLUTION NO. 2017-293

A RESOLUTION GRANTING AUTHORITY TO THE CITY MAYOR RICHARD I GOMEZ OR HIS DULY AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN THE MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT (MOA) FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT OF ORMOC (LGU-ORMOC) WITH THE NATIONAL HOUSING AUTHORITY (NHA) RELATIVE TO THE PROVISION OF ADDITIONAL ONE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED (1,500) HOUSING UNITS FOR THE VICTIMS OF TYPHOON YOLANDA UNDER THE NHA HOUSING PROJECT.

WHEREAS, an Indorsement was forwarded to this august Body from the Office of the City Mayor dated December 18, 2017 requesting authority to enter into and sign the MOA with NHA relative to the additional housing units for the Housing Project for the Typhoon Yolanda, a photocopy of the final MOA is hereto attached as Annex "A" and made an integral part hereof;

WHEREAS, to recall, on November 8, 2013, Super Typhoon "Yolanda" struck the Visayas Region, including the City of Ormoc causing massive destruction to life, infrastructure and more specifically housing, thereby rendering thousands of people homeless;

WHEREAS, areas affected by super typhoon Yolanda have suffered damage to property and infrastructure of severe proportions;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Republic Act No. 7160 or the Local Government Code of 1991 and Republic Act No. 7279, otherwise known as the Urban Development and Housing Act of 1992, Local Government Units are mandated to take principal roles in the provision of housing services to their constituents;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Executive Order No. 90, the NHA is the sole government agency engaged in direct shelter production and was mandated to be the sole government agency to engage in housing production particularly the housing needs of the low and marginal income families, including those affected by calamities and those living in danger areas;

WHEREAS, considering the extent of damage brought about by Super Typhoon Yolanda to the Region, particularly the City, there is a need for the immediate construction of some One Thousand Five Hundred (1,500) affected structures as reported and validated by the validation team (NEDA, DSWD, MSWDO, OCD, DRRM, NHA);

WHEREAS, the One Thousand Five Hundred (1,500) affected structures located in the City need to be prioritized in order to meet the resettlement needs of the affected constituents;

WHEREAS, the City Legal Officer issued a written opinion dated December 18, 2017 stating that the MOA is in order, not detrimental to the interests of the City, not contrary to law, morals and public policy and which is hereto attached as Annex "B" and made an integral part hereof;

WHEREAS, the subject MOA clearly and plainly encapsulates the terms and conditions of the agreement of the parties thereto, including their specific roles and obligations towards the attainment of the lofty ends of the same, and this Sanggunian, upon thorough review, finds that the same is extremely favorable and advantageous to the housing units beneficiaries who are from the City as it will adequately address their housing needs after suffering extensive damage from the typhoon's wrath, and therefore, is most deserving of this august Body's prompt and favorable consideration.

WHEREFORE on motion of SP Member Nolito M. Quilang, Vice-Chairman, Committee on Laws and Ordinances and Member, Committee on Zoning, Housing and Land Use, jointly seconded by SP Members Tomas R. Serafica and Mariano Y. Carro; be it

RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to pass a RESOLUTION GRANTING AUTHORITY TO THE CITY MAYOR RICHARD I. GOMEZ OR HIS DULY AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN THE MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT (MOA) FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT OF ORMOC (LGUORMOC) WITH THE NATIONAL HOUSING AUTHORITY (NHA) RELATIVE TO THE PROVISION OF ADDITIONAL ONE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED (1,500) HOUSING UNITS FOR THE VICTIMS OF TYPHOON YOLANDA UNDER THE NHA HOUSING PROJECT;

ADOPTED, December 21, 2017.

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 the City Mayor of Ormoc Richard I. Gomez, the City Administrator, Mr. Vincent L. Emnas; the City Legal Officer, Atty. Jasper M. Lucero; the National Housing Authority; the City Planning & Development Office; the Urban Poor Affairs Office; the OIC-City Director, DILG; and other offices concerned for their information and guidance;

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing resolution.

MARIA ANTONIET (OIC -SP Secretary Supervising Administrative Officer

ATTESTED:

BENJAMIN S. PONGOS, JR. (Temporary Presiding Officer) SP Member