

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 DECEMBER 28, 2017

PRESENT:

Rolando M. Villasencio,	(Acting City Vice Mayor & Temporary Presiding Officer),
	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,	(Temporary Majority Floor Leader), SP Member
Benjamin S. Pongos, Jr.,	SP Member
Eusebio Gerardo S. Penserga,	SP Member
Gregorio G. Yrastorza III,	SP Member
Nolito M. Quilang,	SP Member
John Eulalio Nepomuceno O. Aparis II,	SP Member
	Minority Floor Leader
Mariano Y. Corro,	Ex-Officio SP Member
	Chapter President, Liga ng mga Barangay ng Ormoc

ON LEAVE:

Leo Carmelo L. Locsin, Jr.,	Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer
Lea Doris C. Villar,	SP Member, Asst. Minority Floor Leader

RESOLUTION NO. 2017-297

A RESOLUTION GRANTING THE CITY MAYOR, HONORABLE RICHARD I. GOMEZ, THE AUTHORITY TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN THE MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT FOR AND IN BEHALF OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT OF ORMOC (LGU - ORMOC) AND BETWEEN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE - REGIONAL FIELD OFFICE 8 (DA - RFO8) FOR THE PROJECT: DEVELOPING CLIMATE - RESILIENT AGRICULTURAL SECTOR OF ORMOC CITY THROUGH THE REHABILITATION OF CORN PRODUCTIVITY BY PROVIDING SEEDS AND FERTILIZER, UNDER THE YOLANDA REHABILITATION AND RECONSTRUCTION PROGRAM (YRRP).

WHEREAS, the 14th Sangguniang Panlungsod ng Ormoc received an endorsement letter from the Office of the City Mayor dated December 18, 2017 endorsing a request from the City Agriculture Office for the passage of a resolution authorizing the City Mayor Richard I. Gomez to enter into and sign the Memorandum of Agreement for and in behalf of the Local Government Unit of Ormoc (City) with and between the Department of Agriculture - Regional Field Office 8 (DA-RFO8);

WHEREAS, the DA-RFO8, has received funds under SARO-BMB-E-17-0004136 and has been tasked to implement the YRRP which aims to assist typhoon ravaged LGUs and communities to restore their agriculture and agriculture-related economic activities and to enable farmers to start new lease on life;

WHEREAS, under the YRRP, the DA-RFO8 is implementing a framework known as the *"Build Back Better"* in restoring the agricultural sector in Region 8, which is a comprehensive intervention that includes assistance in terms of production inputs, genetic materials, infrastructure and machineries, production support facilities and field supplies in partnership with the LGUs such as the City of Ormoc;

WHEREAS, the City being one of the LGUs that has been greatly affected and ravaged by typhoon Yolanda signified its intent to undertake the implementation of this project in the city at the earliest possible time;

WHEREAS, after the review of the draft MOA by the City Legal Officer of the City he finds it in order, not detrimental to the interest of the City, not contrary to law, morals and public policy and further recommends the immediate referral to this Body for the passage of this resolution and be treated with extreme urgency to catch up with the availability of fund, otherwise the fund not downloaded before the year ends will revert back to the general fund;

WHEREAS, the said MOA involves the transfer of funds referred to as "Calamity Fund" in the amount of Php 14,594,650.00 by the DA-RFO 8 to the City for the implementation of the approved project proposal thereon;

WHEREAS, this Sanggunian finds that the aforementioned request by the City Mayor advantageous and for the best interest of the City and its inhabitants, especially the farmers and to the community;

NOW THEREFORE, on motion of SP Member Tomas R. Serafica, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Fisheries, severally seconded by SP Members Vincent L. Rama, Nolito M. Quilang, John Eulalio Nepomuceno O. Aparis II and Mariano Y. Corro, be it

RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, *A RESOLUTION GRANTING THE CITY MAYOR, HONORABLE RICHARD I. GOMEZ, THE AUTHORITY TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN THE MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT FOR AND IN BEHALF OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT OF ORMOC (LGU - ORMOC) AND BETWEEN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE - REGIONAL FIELD OFFICE 8 (DA - RFO8) FOR THE PROJECT: DEVELOPING CLIMATE - RESILIENT AGRICULTURAL SECTOR OF ORMOC CITY THROUGH THE REHABILITATION OF CORN PRODUCTIVITY BY PROVIDING SEEDS AND FERTILIZER, UNDER THE YOLANDA REHABILITATION AND RECONSTRUCTION PROGRAM (YRRP);*


ADOPTED, December 28, 2017.

RESOLVED, FURTHER, that copies of the final and notarized Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) be submitted to the Sangguniang Panlungsod ng Ormoc for its information and files;

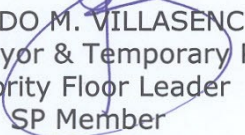
RESOLVED, FINALLY, that copies of this resolution be furnished each to the City Mayor of Ormoc Richard I. Gomez; the City Administrator, Vincent L. Emnas; the City Legal Officer, Atty. Jasper M. Lucero; the City Agriculture Office; the Department of Agriculture - Regional Field Office 8; the OIC-City Director, DILG; and other offices concerned for information, guidance and appropriate action;

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing resolution.


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

ATTESTED:


ROLANDO M. VILLASENCIO
(Acting City Vice Mayor & Temporary Presiding Officer)
Majority Floor Leader
SP Member