REPUBLIKA NG PILIPINAS SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD LUNGSOD NG ORMOC

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE GOOD FOURTEENTH SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD NG ORMOC HELD AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL, ORMOC CITY HALL BUILDING ON JULY 19, 2018

PRESENT:

Vincent L. Rama,

(Acting City Vice-Mayor & Temporary Presiding Officer),

SP Member, Asst. Majority Floor Leader

Mario M. Rodriguez, Tomas R. Serafica,

SP Member, Presiding Officer "Pro-Tempore" (Temporary Majority Floor Leader), SP Member

Benjamin S. Pongos, Jr.,

SP Member

Gregorio G. Yrastorza III, Nolito M. Quilang,

SP Member

GUNIANG PAN

John Eulalio Nepomuceno O. Aparis II,

SP Member

Lea Doris C. Villar Melbur N. Melgazo, Minority Floor Leader SP Member, Asst. Minority Floor Leader

Ex-Officio SP Member, Acting Chapter President,

Jasper C. Yerro,

Liga ng mga Barangay ng Ormoc

Ex-Officio SP Member, Chapter President,

Panlungsod Pederasyon ng mga Sangguniang Kabataan ng Ormoc

ON OFFICIAL BUSINESS:

Leo Carmelo L. Locsin, Jr.

(Acting City Mayor), City Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer

Eusebio Gerardo S. Penserga,

(O.B. - Manila), SP Member

ABSENT:

Rolando M. Villasencio,

Villasencio, SP Member, Majority Floor Leader (Resigned effective July 5, 2018 as per SP Resolution No. 2018-164)

RESOLUTION NO. 2018-174

A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SITE REPLACEMENT FOR THE YOUANDA COMPREHENSIVE REHABILITATION AND RECOVERY PROGRAM (YCRRP) OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TOURISM (DOT) FROM LEYTE GEOTHERMAL POWER FIELD IN BARANGAY TONGONAN, ORMOC CITY TO THE CABINTAN ADVENTURE AND FARM SITES IN BARANGAY CABINTAN, ORMOC CITY.

WHEREAS, this august Body was in receipt of an Indorsement from the Office of the City Mayor dated June 13, 2018, requesting therein for the passage of a Sanggunian resolution approving the site replacement in reference to the Yolanda Comprehensive Rehabilitation and Recovery Program (YCRRP) of the Department of Tourism;

WHEREAS, Section 2 of RA 10121 states that it shall be the policy of the State to recognize and strengthen the capacities of LGUs and communities in mitigating and preparing for, responding to, and recovering from the impact of disasters and to provide maximum care, assistance, and services to individuals and families affected by disaster, implement emergency rehabilitation projects to lessen the impact of disaster, and facilitate resumption of normal social and economic activities;

WHEREAS, through the Yolanda Comprehensive Rehabilitation and Recovery Program (YCRRP), the Department of Tourism provided assistance to local government units to rehabilitate their tourism infrastructures damaged by Super Typhoon Yolanda so that economic activities in these sites could resume;

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WHEREAS, from the results of the post damage assessment, 17 sites in the Province of Leyte were identified and recommended for rehabilitation and further development and these included Lake Danao Natural Park and Leyte Geothermal Power Field both from Ormoc City;

WHEREAS, during the initial assessment of the consultants, it was found out that in addition to the fact that Leyte Geothermal Power Field is privately owned, the power plants and other major facilities were also damaged by the July 2017 earthquake and this prompted the Ormoc City Government to recommend an alternate tourism site for the YCRRP;

WHEREAS, Barangay Cabintan is recommended as the alternate site on the basis of its potentials for tourism development and the going projects boosting the tourism sites in the said barangay;

WHEREAS, upon close and thorough review, the Committee on Tourism finds that the request is not contrary to law and existing contracts, and the aim is beneficial and advantageous to Ormoc City and to its people considering that the rehabilitation and further development of Lake Danao Natural Park and Cabintan Adventure and Farm Sites will drive economic recovery and growth so therefore most deserving of this august Body's full support and affirmative action,

WHEREFORE, on motion of SP Member Nolito M. Quilang, Chairman, Committee on Tourism, severally seconded by SP Members John Eulalio Nepomuceno O. Aparis II, Gregorio G. Yrastorza NI, Tomas R. Serafica and Jasper C. Yerro; be

RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to pass a RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SITE REPLACEMENT FOR THE YOLANDA COMPREHENSIVE REHABILITATION AND RECOVERY PROGRAM (YCRRP) OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TOURISM (DOT) FROM LEYTE GEOTHERMAL POWER FIELD IN BARANGAY TONGONAN, ORMOC CITY TO THE CABINTAN ADVENTURE AND FARM SITES IN BARANGAY CABINTAN, ORMOC CITY;

ADOPTED, July 19, 2018.

RESOLVED, FINALLY, that copies of this resolution be furnished each to the City Mayor Richard I. Gomez; the City Administrator; the City Legal Officer; the City Planning and Development Office; the Tourism Office; the Regional Office of the Department of Tourism; the Sangguniang Barangay of Cabintan; the OIC-City Director, DILG; and other offices for their information and reference.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the above resolution.

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

Supervising Administrative Officer

ATTESTED:

VINCENT L. RAMA

(Acting City Vice-Mayor & Temporary Presiding Officer)

Assist. Majority Floor Leader

SP Member