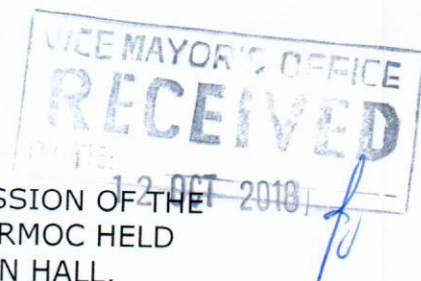




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EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE  
FOURTEENTH SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD NG ORMOC HELD  
AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL,  
ORMOC CITY HALL BUILDING  
ON OCTOBER 11, 2018

PRESENT:

Leo Carmelo L. Locsin, Jr.	City Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer
Vincent L. Rama,	SP Member, Majority Floor Leader
Tomas R. Serafica,	SP Member, Asst. Majority Floor Leader
Benjamin S. Pongos, Jr.,	SP Member
Nolito M. Quilang,	SP Member
John Eulalio Nepomuceno O. Aparis II,	SP Member
Lea Doris C. Villar,	Minority Floor Leader
Esteban V. Laurente,	SP Member, Asst. Minority Floor Leader
Jasper C. Yerro,	Ex-Officio SP Member, Chapter President,
Panlungsod Pederasyon ng mga Sangguniang Kabataan ng Ormoc	Liga ng mga Barangay ng Ormoc
	Ex-Officio SP Member, Chapter President,
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ON OFFICIAL BUSINESS:

Eusebio Gerardo S. Penserga,	(Ormoc City), SP Member
Gregorio G. Yrastorza III,	(Ormoc City), SP Member

ON LEAVE:

Mario M. Rodriguez,	SP Member, Presiding Officer "Pro-Tempore"
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**RESOLUTION NO. 2018-263**

**A RESOLUTION GRANTING THE CITY MAYOR RICHARD I. GOMEZ OR THE ACTING CITY MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN THE MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MOU) FOR AND IN BEHALF OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT OF ORMOC (LGU-ORMOC) WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS (DPWH) RELATIVE TO THEIR COOPERATION IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE RESETTLEMENT ACTION PLAN (RAP) FOR PROJECT-AFFECTED PERSONS (PAPS) OF THE ORMOC CITY DIVERSION ROAD TRAVERSING THROUGH BARANGAYS SAN JUAN, LAO AND NAUNGAN, THIS CITY.**

WHEREAS, the Office of the City Mayor through an Endorsement dated September 4, 2018, forwarded to this august Body for consideration the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU), to be made and entered into by the Local Government Unit of Ormoc City (LGU-Ormoc) with the Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH) relative to the cooperation between the two parties for the implementation of the Resettlement (RAP) for the Project-Affected Persons (PAPs) of the construction of the Ormoc City Diversion Road (the Project) traversing through Barangays San Juan, Lao and Naungan, a copy of the final Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is hereto attached as Annex "A" and made an integral part hereof;



WHEREAS, the Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH), as one of the major agencies responsible for the planned and sound development of the infrastructure system in the country, is mandated to undertake the planning of infrastructure, such as national roads and bridges, flood control, water resources projects and other public works, including the design, construction and maintenance of national roads, bridges and major flood control systems;

WHEREAS, the National Government, through the DPWH Region VIII, will construct a Diversion Road traversing through Barangays San Juan, Lao and Naungan, this City;

WHEREAS, LGU-Ormoc, cognizant of the tremendous benefits of the Project, finds that the same is vital for the social and economic development of the City, its inhabitants and visitors, promoting faster and safer movement of people and goods, including the provision of a drastically shorter route alternative, thus resulting to significant reduction of travel time and expense not only from said Barangays but those of neighboring ones as well to the City;

WHEREAS, LGU-Ormoc highly appreciates the invaluable support of the DPWH, and as a way of ensuring the success of various development programs of the government, undertakes to work closely with the latter in the formulation and implementation the RAP that shall address the resettlement needs and concerns of PAPs;

WHEREAS, in the implementation of the Project, both Parties are well-aware that all efforts must be exercised to ensure that adverse social and physical impacts are avoided, minimized and/or mitigated, and that, most importantly, PAPs will be properly identified, assisted and compensated;

WHEREAS, both Parties commit themselves to be guided by the DPWH Resettlement Policy, especially with regards to ensuring the active involvement of the PAPs and other stakeholders;

WHEREAS, upon close and thorough review, this Sanggunian finds that the aforementioned MOU is advantageous and for the best interests of the City, most particularly the PAPs of the Project, and therefore, necessitates prompt favorable action by this Sanggunian;

NOW THEREFORE, on joint motion of SP Member Benjamin S. Pongos, Jr., Chairman of the Committee on Laws and Ordinances and SP Member Esteban V. Laurente, Chairman of the Committee on Infrastructure and Development, severally seconded by SP Members Vincent L. Rama, Tomas R. Serafica, Nolito M. Quilang, and John Eulalio Nepomuceno O. Aparis II; be it

RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to pass a RESOLUTION GRANTING THE CITY MAYOR RICHARD I. GOMEZ OR THE ACTING CITY MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN THE MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MOU) FOR AND IN BEHALF OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT OF ORMOC (LGU-ORMOC) WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS (DPWH) RELATIVE TO THEIR COOPERATION IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE RESETTLEMENT ACTION PLAN (RAP) FOR PROJECT-AFFECTED PERSONS (PAPS) OF THE ORMOC CITY DIVERSION ROAD TRAVERSING THROUGH BARANGAYS SAN JUAN, LAO AND NAUNGAN, THIS CITY;

ADOPTED, October 11, 2018.





RESOLVED FURTHER, that copies of this resolution be furnished each to the City Mayor, Richard I. Gomez; the City Administrator, Mr. Vincent L. Emnas; City Legal Officer, Atty. Jasper M. Lucero; the Department of Public Works and Highways Regional Office; the Department of Public Works and Highways District Office, 4<sup>th</sup> LED; the OIC-City Director, DILG; the Sangguniang Barangay of Barangays San Juan, Lao and Naungan; and other concerned offices, for their information and guidance.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the above resolution.

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

ATTESTED:

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