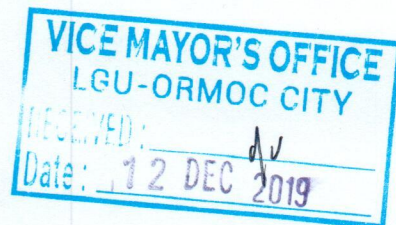




REPUBLIKA NG PILIPINAS
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EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE
FIFTEENTH SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD NG ORMOC HELD
AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL
ON DECEMBER 10, 2019

PRESENT:

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| Leo Carmelo L. Locsin, Jr. | City Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer |
| Roiland H. Villasencio, | SP Member, 1 st Asst. Majority Floor Leader |
| Tomas R. Serafica, | SP Member, Presiding Officer "Pro-Tempore" |
| Nolito M. Quilang, | SP Member, 2 nd Asst. Majority Floor Leader |
| Eusebio Gerardo S. Penserga, | SP Member |
| Vincent L. Rama, | SP Member |
| Gregorio G. Yrastorza III, | SP Member |
| Esteban V. Laurente, | Ex-Officio SP Member, Chapter President, Liga ng mga Barangay ng Ormoc |
| Joan Marbie C. Simbajon, | Ex-Officio SP Member, Chapter President, Panlungsod na Pederasyon ng mga Sangguniang Kabataan ng Ormoc |

ON OFFICIAL BUSINESS:

Lalaine A. Marcos, (O.B. – Taiwan), SP Member

ON LEAVE:

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| Benjamin S. Pongos, Jr., | SP Member, Majority Floor Leader |
| Jasper M. Lucero, | SP Member |
| Peter M. Rodriguez, | SP Member |

RESOLUTION NO. 2019-160

A RESOLUTION GRANTING AUTHORITY TO THE CITY MAYOR RICHARD I. GOMEZ, OR THE OIC MAYOR, OR ACTING CITY MAYOR, FOR AND ON BEHALF OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT OF ORMOC CITY (LGU-ORMOC) TO ACCEPT FINANCIAL SUPPORT AMOUNTING TO FIVE MILLION PHILIPPINE PESOS (PHP5,000,000.00) FROM THE DANGEROUS DRUGS BOARD FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE AGAK REHABILITATION AND WELLNESS FACILITY.

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlungsod was in receipt of an Endorsement Letter from the Office of the City Mayor dated December 02, 2019 endorsing the herein request from the City Health Department for an issuance of a Resolution granting authority to the City Mayor for the construction of AGAK Rehabilitation and Wellness Facility;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 15 of the Philippine Constitution which provides that, the state shall protect and promote the right to health of the people and instill health consciousness among them;

WHEREAS, the City government is mandated by law to actively participate in waging an unrelenting war against narcotics, other prohibited drugs and consider the same as public nuisances;

WHEREAS, Ormoc City is proactively responding to drug policies of our President and is committed to implement programs to help and rehabilitate the Person Who Used Drugs (PWUDs) through the establishment of AGAK Drug Rehabilitation and Support Service which started in 2016 in a temporary location at Brgy. San Pablo, Ormoc City. Clients are now growing in number since the Court orders the office to conduct Drug Dependency Examination even if clients are non-Ormoc residents. The program is doing well because from 2017 up to the present we already have served six hundred fifty four (654) drug surrenderees both from Ormoc and Non-Ormoc residents. Therefore, there is really a need for a construction of AGAK Rehabilitation and Wellness Facility in order to give more quality service to our people in need of a treatment and rehabilitation;

WHEREAS, the Dangerous Drugs Board (DDB) through Undersecretary Earl P. Saavedra – Executive Director of DDB, expressed about extending their support to our rehabilitation program through infrastructure. Their office will give financial support of Five Million Philippine Pesos (PHP5,000,000.00) on the first quarter of year 2020 for the construction of a Drug Rehabilitation and Wellness Facility in Ormoc;

WHEREAS, the AGAK Rehabilitation and Wellness Facility will not just cater our drug dependents but rather it also includes alcohol, smoking and mental health issues, therefore it is more of a psychosocial care;

WHEREFORE, FOREGOING PREMISES CONSIDERED, on motion of SP Member Eusebio Gerardo S. Penserga, Chairman, Committee on Health and Sanitation, severally seconded by SP Members Tomas R. Serafica, Nolito M. Quilang, Roiland H. Villasencio, Vincent L. Rama, Gregorio G. Yrastorza III, Esteban V. Laurente and Joan Marbie C. Simbajon; be it

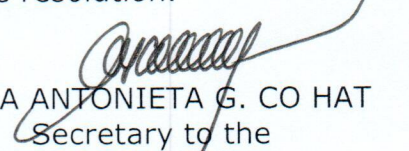
RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to pass a RESOLUTION GRANTING AUTHORITY TO THE CITY MAYOR RICHARD I. GOMEZ, OR THE OIC MAYOR, OR ACTING CITY MAYOR, FOR AND ON BEHALF OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT OF ORMOC CITY (LGU-ORMOC) TO ACCEPT FINANCIAL SUPPORT AMOUNTING TO FIVE MILLION PHILIPPINE PESOS (PHP5,000,000.00) FROM THE DANGEROUS DRUGS BOARD FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE AGAK REHABILITATION AND WELLNESS FACILITY;

ADOPTED, December 10, 2019.


RESOLVED, FURTHER, to furnish copies of this resolution each to the City Mayor Richard I. Gomez; the City Administrator, Mr. Vincent L. Emnas; the City Legal Officer, Atty. Josephine Mejia-Romero; the City Health Officer II, Dr. Edmund B. Kierulf; the City Local Government Operations Officer, DILG, Engr. Jesus Jeremy D. Bagares; Dangerous Drugs Board, Undersecretary Earl P. Saavedra and other offices concerned;

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the above resolution.


MARIA ANTONIETA G. CO HAT
Secretary to the
Sangguniang Panlungsod

ATTESTED:


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