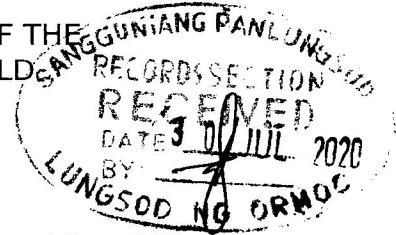


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EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE
FIFTEENTH SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD NG ORMOC HELD
AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL
ON JULY 28, 2020



PRESENT:

Leo Carmelo L. Locsin, Jr.	City Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer
Benjamin S. Pongos, Jr.,	SP Member, Majority Floor Leader
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
Jasper M. Lucero,	SP Member
Peter M. Rodriguez,	SP Member
Vincent L. Rama,	SP Member
Gregorio G. Yrastorza III,	SP Member
Lalaine A. Marcos,	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

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-229

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MAYOR RICHARD I. GOMEZ, DPA AS CHAIRMAN OF THE CITY COVID-19 INTER-AGENCY TASK FORCE TO EXTEND ASSISTANCE TO THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS IN THE FOURTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OF LEYTE, NAMELY ALBUERA, ISABEL, KANANGA, MATAG-OB, MERIDA, AND PALOMPON IN THE FORM OF NFA RICE PROVISIONS.

WHEREAS, Article II, Section 15 of the 1987 Constitution provides that the State shall protect and promote the right to health of the people and instill health consciousness among them;

WHEREAS, Proclamation No 922, signed by President Rodrigo Roa Duterte on March 8, 2020, declaring a State of Public Health Emergency throughout the Philippines, mandates all government agencies and Local Government Units to render full assistance and cooperation and mobilize the necessary resources to undertake critical, urgent, and appropriate response and measures in a timely manner to curtail and eliminate the Covid-19 threat;

WHEREAS, Executive Order No. (E.O.) 168, s. 2014 created the Inter-Agency Task Force for the Management of Emerging Infectious Diseases (IATF) to facilitate inter-sectoral collaboration to establish preparedness and ensure efficient government response to assess, monitor, contain, control, and prevent the spread of any potential epidemic in the Philippine;

WHEREAS, the IATF has formulated and set guidelines putting the Local Government Units in various states of community quarantine either restricting the movements of people within, into or out of the area of quarantine to reduce the likelihood of transmission or imposing stringent limitations on movement and transportation of people, strict regulation of operating industries, provision of food and essential services, and heightened presence of uniformed personnel to enforce community quarantine protocols;

WHEREAS, said restrictions has slowed the economy of local government units as well as operational capacity of all LGUs;

WHEREAS, this City sees and recognizes that in the current circumstances and our common experiences each and every LGU must look out for each other, a character endemic to Filipinos most specially in times of calamities and emergencies;

WHEREAS, the City of Ormoc in past calamities has been the object of empathy and generosity from other Local Government Units which proved a factor in our recovery;

WHEREAS, the City Of Ormoc, having gone through the same ordeal is sympathetic and is extending its helping hand by authorizing the CITY MAYOR RICHARD I. GOMEZ, DPA AS CHAIRMAN OF THE CITY COVID 19- INTER-AGENCY to extend assistance to the neighboring LGUs in the fourth congressional district of Leyte;


WHEREFORE, on joint motion by SP Member Vincent L. Rama, Chairman, Committee on Social Welfare, Senior Citizens, Women & Family and SP Member Benjamin S. Pongos, Jr., Chairman, Committee on Laws & Ordinances, severally seconded by SP Members Jasper M. Lucero, Joan Marbie C. Simbajon, Tomas R. Serafica, Esteban V. Laurente and Peter M. Rodriguez; be it

RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to pass "A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MAYOR RICHARD I. GOMEZ, DPA AS CHAIRMAN OF THE CITY COVID-19 INTER-AGENCY TASK FORCE TO EXTEND ASSISTANCE TO THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS IN THE FOURTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OF LEYTE, NAMELY ALBUERA, ISABEL, KANANGA, MATAG-OB, MERIDA, AND PALOMPON IN THE FORM OF NFA RICE PROVISIONS";


RESOLVED FURTHER, that copies of this resolution be furnished to the Sangguniang Bayan of Albuer, Isabel, Kananga, Matag-ob, Merida, and Palompon; the City Mayor of Ormoc City Richard I. Gomez, DPA; the City Administrator; the City Legal Officer; the City Budget Officer; the City Accountant; the City Treasurer; the City Auditor; the City Local Government Operation Officer and other offices concerned;

CARRIED by SP Members present with One (1) Inhibition registered, by SP Member Roiland H. Villasencio.

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