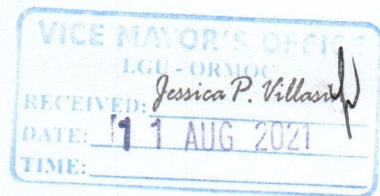
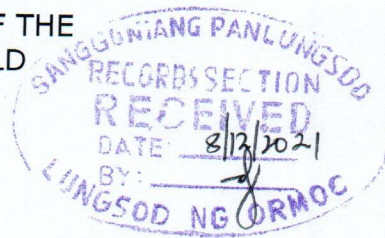


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EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE
FIFTEENTH SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD NG ORMOC HELD
AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL,
ORMOC CITY HALL BUILDING
ON AUGUST 10, 2021



PRESENT:

Leo Carmelo L. Locsin, Jr.
Benjamin S. Pongos, Jr.,
Roiland H. Villasencio,
Tomas R. Serafica,
Eusebio Gerardo S. Penserga,
Jasper M. Lucero,
Vincent L. Rama,
Gregorio G. Yrastorza III,
Lalaine A. Marcos,
Joan Marbie C. Simbajon,

City Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer
SP Member, Majority Floor Leader
SP Member, 1st Asst. Majority Floor Leader
SP Member, Presiding Officer "Pro-Tempore"
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Ex-Officio SP Member, Chapter President,
Panlungsod na Pederasyon ng mga Sangguniang Kabataan ng Ormoc

ON OFFICIAL BUSINESS:

Nolito M. Quilang,
Peter M. Rodriguez,
Esteban V. Laurente,

SP Member, 2nd Asst. Majority Floor Leader
SP Member
Ex-Officio SP Member, Chapter President,
Liga ng mga Barangay ng Ormoc

RESOLUTION NO. 2021-227

**AN OMNIBUS RESOLUTION GRANTING AUTHORITY TO
THE CITY MAYOR RICHARD I. GOMEZ OR THE
ACTING CITY MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN THE
TWO (2) MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENTS (MOAs)
WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE (DA)
REGIONAL OFFICE NO. VIII, FOR THE
IMPLEMENTATION OF THE URBAN AGRICULTURE
PROGRAM BAYANIHAN II THROUGH THE (1.)
MODERNIZED URBAN AGRICULTURE COMPONENT
AND THE (2.) URBAN MUSHROOM PRODUCTION
COMPONENT.**

WHEREAS, this Fifteenth Sangguniang Panlungsod was in receipt of an Indorsement dated July 13, 2021 from the Office of the City Mayor, endorsing a request for the issuance of an Omnibus Resolution granting the City Mayor or Acting City Mayor the authority to sign the two (2) Memorandum of Agreements (MOAs) with the Department of Agriculture (DA) Regional Office No. VIII, for the implementation of the Urban Agriculture Program Bayanihan II through the (1.) Modernized Urban Agriculture Component and the (2.) Urban Mushroom Production Component. Copies of the MOAs are hereto attached as "ANNEX A and A-1" and made an integral part hereof;

WHEREAS, in an Opinion dated July 9, 2021, the City Legal Office finds nothing legally objectionable in the said MOAs and that the same are not contrary to law, morals, public order, or public policy much less detrimental to the best interests of Ormoc City;

WHEREAS, the Department of Agriculture is mandated to implement the national policy of the state to provide available, affordable, and safe food in recognition to the fact that the population is growing therefore demanding a greater supply of food;

WHEREAS, the Department of Agriculture recognizes the fact that food demand in the metropolitan or urban areas, especially in times of emergency, are high that it becomes a major challenge for both policy makers and the agricultural and fisheries sectors;

WHEREAS, the Department of Agriculture acknowledges that improvements in urban agricultural science, complemented with zero-waste management plan, is one of the best approaches in augmenting the food supply and income in the metropolis;

WHEREAS, the long standing partnership between the Department of Agriculture and the Local Government Units be fully utilized to attain the objective of urban agriculture;

WHEREAS, the Department of Agriculture and the Local Government Units further believe that urban agriculture can be used to address food shortage/requirements in their respective jurisdictions;

WHEREAS, the subject MOAs clearly and plainly encapsulate the terms and conditions of the agreement of the parties thereto, including their specific roles and obligations towards the attainment of the lofty ends of the same, and this Sanggunian, upon thorough review, finds that the same is entered for the purpose of addressing food shortage, especially in times of emergencies, in metropolitan or urban areas by providing two (2) alternative components: (1.) Modernized Urban Agriculture and (2.) Urban Mushroom Production, thereby, serving the best interests of the City and its constituents, and therefore, is most deserving of this august Body's prompt and favorable consideration;

WHEREFORE, on joint motion of SP Member Tomas R. Serafica, Chairman, Committee on Agriculture, Fisheries, and Agrarian Reform and SP Member Benjamin S. Pongos, Jr., Chairman, Committee on Laws and Ordinances, severally seconded by SP Members Roiland H. Villasencio, Vincent L. Rama, Lalaine A. Marcos, Joan Marie C. Simbajon, Gregorio G. Yrastorza III; be it

RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to pass AN OMNIBUS RESOLUTION GRANTING AUTHORITY TO THE CITY MAYOR RICHARD I. GOMEZ OR THE ACTING CITY MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN THE TWO (2) MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENTS (MOAs) WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE (DA) REGIONAL OFFICE NO. VIII, FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE URBAN AGRICULTURE PROGRAM BAYANIHAN II THROUGH THE (1.) MODERNIZED URBAN AGRICULTURE COMPONENT AND THE (2.) URBAN MUSHROOM PRODUCTION COMPONENT;

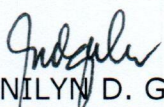
ADOPTED, August 10, 2021.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that a copy of the final notarized Memorandum of Agreements (MOAs) be submitted to this Sanggunian for its information and files;


RESOLVED FINALLY, to furnish copies of this resolution each to the City Mayor of Ormoc Richard I. Gomez; the City Administrator, Mr. Vincent L. Emnas; the City Legal Officer, Atty. Josephine Mejia-Romero; Department of Agriculture (DA) Regional Office No. VIII; City Agriculture Office; and other offices concerned for their information and guidance;

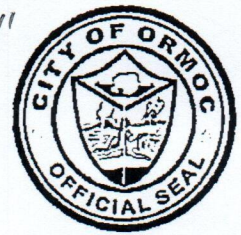
CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing resolution.


NONILYN D. GALANO
(OIC - SP Secretary)
Supervising Administrative Officer

ATTESTED:


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



MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

This Memorandum of Agreement is entered into by and between:

The **DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE REGIONAL FIELD OFFICE NO. VIII**, a regional office of the national agency mandated to promote agricultural development and growth, with office address at Kanhuraw Hill, Tacloban City, Leyte represented herein by its Regional Executive Director, **ANGEL C. ENRIQUEZ, CESO III**, herein referred to as "DA";

-and-

The **LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT OF ORMOC CITY, LEYTE** with principal address at Brgy. San Pablo Ormoc City, Leyte represented by its City Mayor **RICHARD I. GOMEZ**, herein referred to as "Beneficiary (CLGU Ormoc)";

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the Department of Agriculture is mandated to implement the national policy of the state to provide available, affordable, and safe food in recognition to the fact that the population is growing therefore demanding a greater supply of food;

WHEREAS, the Department of Agriculture recognizes that farmers and food producers are the major stockholders of the Department as well as the entire Filipino people who consume the produce of the farmers;

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NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the above premises the parties hereby mutually agree as follows;

ANGEL C. ENRIQUEZ, CESO III
Regional Executive Director

ANDREW RODOLFO T. ORAIS, DVM
Chief, Field Operations Division

RICHARD I. GOMEZ
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ARTICLE I

This Memorandum of Agreement shall involve the implementation of the Urban Agriculture Program of Bayanihan II thru the **"Urban Mushroom Production Component"** in cooperation with the ORMOC CITY - CITY AGRICULTURE OFFICE.

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Responsibilities and Obligations of Parties

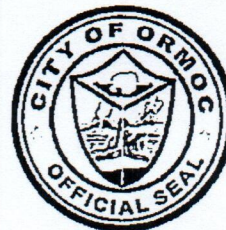
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10. Reserve the right to intervene, institute corrective measures and repossess the facility when not fully utilized, or properly used and in case of non-compliance of the parties with the stipulation of this agreement.

B. The Beneficiary (City Local Government Unit of Ormoc City, Leyte) shall:

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By:

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
REGIONAL FIELD OFFICE NO. 08

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Regional Executive Director

By:

CITY LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT
ORMOC CITY, LEYTE

RICHARD I. GOMEZ
City Mayor

SIGNED IN THE PRESENCE OF:

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REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES)
ORMOC CITY)s.s.

BEFORE ME, a Notary Public for and in above jurisdiction, personally appeared and exhibited to me their respective IDENTIFICATION DOCUMENTS herein below described:

Name	ID #	Date/Place Issued
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RICHARD I. GOMEZ	T.I.N. _____	_____

All known to me to be the same persons who executed the foregoing instrument consisting of four (4) pages including this one, which they signed and acknowledged before me as their own free and voluntary act and deed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hands at _____, this _____ day of _____, 2021.

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"Annex A1"

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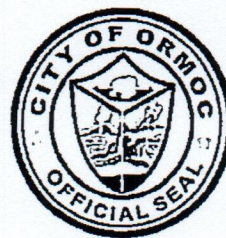
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