

REPUBLIKA NG PILIPINAS
SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD
LUNGSOD NG ORMOC



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 FEBRUARY 15, 2022

PRESENT:

Tomas R. Serafica,	(Temporary Presiding Officer)
Benjamin S. Pongos, Jr.,	SP Member, Presiding Officer "Pro-Tempore"
Roiland H. Villasencio,	SP Member, Majority Floor Leader
Nolito M. Quilang,	SP Member, 1 st Asst. Majority Floor Leader
Eusebio Gerardo S. Penserga,	SP Member, 2 nd Asst. Majority Floor Leader
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

ON LEAVE:

Leo Carmelo L. Locsin, Jr.	City Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer
Joan Marbie C. Simbajon,	Ex-Officio SP Member, Chapter President, Panlungsod na Pederasyon ng mga Sangguniang Kabataan ng Ormoc

RESOLUTION NO. 2022-043

**A RESOLUTION GRANTING AUTHORITY TO THE CITY
MAYOR, RICHARD I. GOMEZ, OR THE ACTING CITY
MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN A MEMORANDUM
OF AGREEMENT (MOA) FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE
LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT OF ORMOC CITY (LGU-
ORMOC) WITH WEST VISAYAS STATE UNIVERSITY
FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE MEDICINE
SCHOLARSHIP GRANT AND RETURN SERVICE OR
MEDSCHOLAR ORDINANCE**

WHEREAS, an indorsement was forwarded to this august Body from the Office of the City Mayor dated February 4, 2022, requesting for an issuance of a Resolution granting authority to the City Mayor or his representative to enter into and sign the Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) with West Visayas State University for Medicine Scholarship Grant;

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 016 series of 2020 otherwise known as the Medicine Scholarship Grant or MEDSCHOLAR Ordinance aims to ensure adequate supply of doctors in Ormoc City and sustain the effective and efficient delivery of health services. Further, the same ordinance shall strengthen the capacity of the City Government to respond to the challenges especially in meeting the demand for health services;

WHEREAS, Section 11 of the MEDSCHOLAR Ordinance sets the qualifications of a partner school, to wit:

"SECTION 11. PARTNER SCHOOLS – The Ormoc City Scholarship Board in accrediting partner schools for the Medicine scholarship grant shall give preference to state colleges and universities in the Visayas, unless there is a valid and justifiable reason to consider other schools outside of Visayas region. The following shall be the criteria in accrediting partner schools:

- a. Must be recognized/accredited by the Commission on Higher Education (CHED);
- b. Must have obtained a passing percentage higher than the national board examinations passing percentage for its first-time board examination takers;
- c. Must be able to provide the facilities and infrastructure required in the basic curricula for the study of medicine;
- d. Must have a designated Scholarship Coordinator who shall coordinate with the Ormoc City Scholarship Board on matters pertaining to the medicine scholarship program; and
- e. Willing to execute an agreement with the City Government of Ormoc on the roles and responsibilities of partners in carrying out the scholarship grant."

WHEREAS, in a meeting of the Ormoc City Scholarship Board dated August 6, 2021, the Board deliberated the possible schools for partnership and decided to choose Western Visayas State University as partner school for the MEDSCHOLAR Ordinance highlighting the experience and familiarity of the said university in implementing the DOH Medicine Scholarship Program;

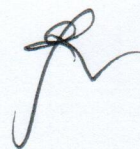
WHEREAS, the Board of Regents of West Visayas State University passed Resolution No. 28 – LL-2022 indicating their interest and willingness to enter into partnership agreement with the City Government in implementing the MEDSCHOLAR Ordinance and confirmed the signing of the abovementioned MOA giving authority to Dr. Joselito F. Villaruz to sign the said MOA, copy of the said resolution is hereto attached and forming part of this resolution;

WHEREAS, it is the policy of the City Government of Ormoc to protect and promote the right to health of the Ormocanons and to strengthen its human resources to meet the needs of its constituents and to ensure that shortage of medical practitioners are addressed;

WHEREAS, as provided for in RA 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, the City Mayor can enter into contracts and any business transactions for and on behalf of the City Government only upon the authorization of the Sangguniang Panlungsod or pursuant to law or ordinance;

WHEREAS, upon close and thorough review, this Sanggunian finds that the MOA is not contrary to law, public policy, public morals and existing contracts and finds the stipulations thereon to be in conformity with the relevant ordinances and therefore most deserving of the Sanggunian's prompt and favorable action;

WHEREFORE, on joint motion of SP Member Nolito M. Quilang, Chairman, Committee on Education, and SP Member Benjamin S. Pongos, Jr., Chairman, Committee on Laws and Ordinances, severally seconded by SP Members Gregorio G. Yrastorza III, Esteban V. Laurente, Peter M. Rodriguez, Eusebio Gerardo S. Penserga, Lalane A. Marcos and Jasper M. Lucero; be it



RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to pass A RESOLUTION GRANTING AUTHORITY TO THE CITY MAYOR, RICHARD I. GOMEZ, OR THE ACTING CITY MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT (MOA) FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT OF ORMOC CITY (LGU-ORMOC) WITH WEST VISAYAS STATE UNIVERSITY FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE MEDICINE SCHOLARSHIP GRANT AND RETURN SERVICE OR MEDSCHOLAR ORDINANCE;

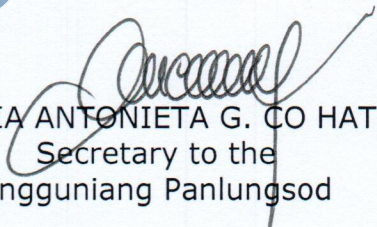
ADOPTED, February 15, 2022.

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


RESOLVED FINALLY, to furnish copies of this resolution one each to the City Mayor Richard I. Gomez; the City Administrator; the City Legal Officer; the Education and Scholarship Office; the Ormoc City Academic Scholarship Association; the West Visayas State University (WVSU); the Human Resource Management Office; the City Health Department; the City Local Government Operations Officers-DILG; other offices concerned;

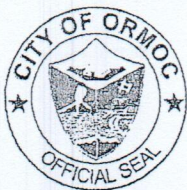
CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the above resolution.

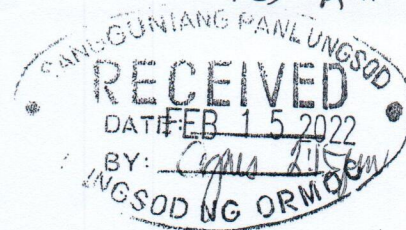

MARIA ANTONIETA G. CO HAT
Secretary to the
Sangguniang Panlungsod

ATTESTED:


TOMAS R. SERAFICA
(Temporary Presiding Officer)
SP Member
Presiding Officer "Pro-Tempore"



Res. # 2022-043
"Annex A"



ORMOC CITY SCHOLARSHIP BOARD
MINUTES OF THE MEETING

Begun and held at 3rd Floor, Sangguniang Panlungsod Session Hall, New Ormoc City Hall, Ormoc City, on the 6th day of August 2021

Attendees:

1. Atty. Nolito M. Quilang, Chairman-SP Committee on Education
2. Ms. Sabrina P. Duero, City Budget Officer
3. Ms. Elvira R. Roa, *Representing* Engr. Raoul E. Cam, CPDC
4. Ms. Farica Z. Cutas, Head, Human Resources Management Office (HRMO)
5. Ms. Maribel V. Gucela, OIC-City Social Welfare Department (CSWD)
6. Ms. Josephine B. Hermosilla, PESO Manager
7. ASDS Mario Rodgie R. Sombilon, *Representing* SDS Lani Cervantes, DepEd-Ormoc City
8. Dr. Ma. Lourdes P. Lampong, *Representing* Dr. Edmund Keirulf, CHO II
9. Dr. Joergen Arradaza, *Representing* Dr. Danilo B. Pulma, EVSU-OCC
10. SP Member Joan Marbie C. Simbajon, CYDC
11. Dr. Eliza D. Laurente, SVSF
12. Ms. Jennifer D. Wenceslao, EDC (via zoom)

Guests:

1. Mr. Allan O. Nobria – Center Administrator, OTESDC
2. Ms. Jomary Alcala – PESO

Secretariat:

1. Ms. Melba R. Montesclaros, ESO
2. Ms. Carrie P. Rosadiño, ESO
3. Ms. Kimberly Bersabal, ESO
4. Ms. Clarissa Arradaza, ESO
5. Mr. Alvin Jhon Villas, ESO

AGENDA:

1. Approval of the minutes of the previous meeting
2. Status of agreements of the previous meeting
3. Status of Scholars
 - a. Actual number of new scholars admitted
 - b. Number of graduates
 - c. Number of terminated scholars
 - d. Total number (new and current) of scholars for SY 2021-2022
 - e. No. of graduating scholars with Latin honors
4. Calendar of activities for recruitment and screening
5. Request of TESDC for scholarship grants
6. Status of Medicine Scholarship Program
7. Various requests from scholars
 - a. Requests to shift course

- b. Request for waivers
- 8. Other Matters
 - a. Request letter of Ms. Aica May T. Elarde
 - b. Request letter of Ms. Irene G. Romero
 - c. Request letter of Ms. Francis Karylle B. Perez

A. Preliminaries

- The meeting started around 9:28 in the morning at the SP Session Hall.
- Roll call of the Composition of Scholarship Board.
- Atty. Nolito M. Quilang presided the meeting and clarified that for Ms. Farica Z. Cutas she will no longer be representing Mr. Vincent L. Emnas since she is now the head of the HRMO. He further presented the proposed agenda. There was a motion from Ms. Duero severally seconded by Ms. Roa (representing Engr. Cam) and Ms. Simbajon to approve the agenda of the meeting. There being no objection from the Body, the same was approved.
- Presiding Officer requested the Board to review the minutes of the previous meeting dated May 20, 2021 and inquired if there are any comments and/or corrections. There was a motion from Dr. Sombilon (representing Ms. Cervantes) and severally seconded by Ms. Cutas and Ms. Simbajon to approve the minutes of the previous meeting. There being no objection, the same was approved.
- Secretariat reported the following matters arising from the previous meeting.

B. Status of agreements and Matters Arising Therefrom

MATTERS	AGREEMENT	STATUS
A. Status of Fund	There was a motion from Ms. Hermosilla and duly seconded by Ms. Corbo to request the City Mayor for a supplemental budget for the City Scholarship Program.	Resolution No. 04 series of 2021 already approved by City Mayor.
B. Status of existing scholars	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Secretariat has to write those 11 terminated scholars to let them know their status. • The presiding officer suggested that those scholars whose allowances are on hold must present or submit their grades before the second semester S.Y. 2020-2021 will end or otherwise they will be terminated from the scholarship program. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Letters to terminated scholars already transmitted. • Out of 36 with on hold allowances, only 11 scholars have not submitted their grades.
C. Results of the scholarship qualifying examination (Top 202)	There was a motion from Ms. Hermosilla and duly seconded by Ms. Duero to approve the list of new scholars admitted to the scholarship program for S.Y. 2021-2022.	Resolution No. 07 series of 2021 already approved by the City Mayor.

D. Mechanics for the interview of the Top 202	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ms. Duero suggested that in the content of guidelines, must consider the interviewer, interviewee and the secretariat. Groupings and schedules for the conduct of interview were already identified and the secretariat will facilitate the venue and provide administrative support for the scheduled interview. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Suggestions were incorporated in the draft guidelines. As agreed, the conduct of interview for qualifying scholars shall be enforced starting S.Y. 2022, due to time constraints.
E. Applicants under the discretion of the City Mayor	There was a motion from Ms. Roa representing Engr. Cam and duly seconded by Ms. Corbo to approve the four (4) PWDs to the scholarship program under the discretionary power of the City Mayor.	Resolution No. 05 series of 2021 already approved by the City Mayor.
F. Letters from scholars who waived their LGU Scholarship	There was a motion from Ms. Corbo and duly seconded by Ms. Hermosilla to approve the waiver of three (3) scholars so they can be admitted to Tertiary Education Subsidy (TES) and endorsing to the City Mayor for action subject to the provisions of the ordinance and scholarship contract.	Resolution No. 06 series of 2021 already approved by the City Mayor.
G. Request of TESDC for scholarship funds	Ms. Duero requested clarification if those tech-voc scholars are still subject to the one (1) member per family policy same with the academic scholarship. Presiding Officer also advised the secretariat to check ordinance and guidelines. It seems that tech-voc scholarship will have its own guidelines but this has to be verified.	Per verification, guidelines for technical and vocational scholarship grant states that only one (1) member in the family shall be granted scholarship to technical and vocational courses.
H. Other matters <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Barangay Scholarship Program Request of Ms. Rothciel L. Romero for a certification as LGU scholar. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The presiding officer informed the Board that there will be a meeting with all SB Members on Committee on Education on May 28, 2021 to encourage barangays to put up their own scholarship program to help those poor but deserving students. The secretariat has to verify from the previous secretariat of the scholarship program who was Ms. Carmencita Diaz, now assigned at Superdome whether she can provide said data. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The meeting with SB Members on Committee on Education was conducted successfully. However, no comments generated from the SBMs on the said advocacy. Per verification, Ms. Diaz informed that it was not during her time but from the previous secretariat. And she also cannot provide said data.

- Dr. Sombilon clarified on Item G of the matters arising relative to one (1) member per family policy if it is one (1) per year. Atty. Quilang explained that the ordinance is specific that only one (1) member per family can avail and so until the ordinance is amended, no other members of the family can be admitted to the LGU scholarship.
- Ms. Duero informed the Board that the latest number of newly admitted LGU scholars is 169. She also inquired from the secretariat if those four (4) scholars under the discretionary slots of the City Mayor are included in the list. The secretariat responded Yes.
- There were suggestions under Item H relative to the Barangay Scholarship Program, to wit:
 - ✓ Dr. Sombilon suggested to look for a sponsorship from our graduated scholars who are now gainfully employed. This is something the City Government and the barangays can collaborate to mobilize alumni scholars to help and donate funds to send more to college.
 - ✓ Ms. Wenceslao also added in support of Dr. Sombilon's suggestion, she shared that EDC for tech-voc they have a give-back program and might as well if we have the data for those graduated scholars with gainful employment and try to contact them to at least give some donations in support for the scholarship program of the City.
 - ✓ Ms. Duero suggested that SK can actively participate in the Barangay Scholarship Program since education is included in the priority programs of the SK. One option to consider is cost-sharing between SK and the barangay to be able to send one to college or to acquire Voc-tech skills.
 - ✓ SBM in-charge of education should lobby for scholarship funding from the barangay funds.
- Data for graduated scholars with gainful employment can be done by ESO.
- Atty. Quilang advised the secretariat to assist the SK in drafting their guidelines to help SKs on how to go about allocating funds for scholarship.
- Ms. Duero also explained that it is in the ordinance that the Barangay is mandated to have their own scholarship program. This should already be enough basis for allocation of funds to the scholarship program.
- Dr. Laurente clarified on Item B the status of existing scholars relative to the 11 terminated scholars as to what extent that they are terminated, what year level and are schools already been paid because in SVSF it is hard for them to terminate scholars. Atty. Quilang responded that the reasons for termination can be found in one of the attached documents in the agenda file. The schools will still be paid until the semester ends. The allowances are only withheld until such time the scholars submit their Certificate of Grades (COG) which should be before the next semester begins otherwise, they will be terminated. Atty. Quilang suggested to ESO to also communicate with partner schools those terminated or those no longer included in the LGU scholarship.
- Atty. Quilang also asked about the action of the Board relative to the request of Ms. Rothciel L. Romero for a certification as LGU scholar since Ms. Diaz cannot provide data. Ms. Duero clarified that actually there was no letter request coming from Ms. Romero and it was only through a verbal communication. The Board shall wait for the scholar to write a letter request.

C. HIGHLIGHTS OF THE MEETING

o *Status of Scholars*

a. Actual number of new scholars admitted

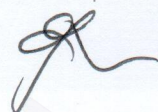
- ✓ The secretariat presented the data as of July 27, 2021 it was 171 including the four (4) PWDs under the discretionary slots of the City Mayor but as of August 6, 2021 the actual number is now 169. They just received notice from two (2) more scholars not pursuing the LGU scholarship.

b. Number of graduates

- ✓ Only 18 scholars graduated this SY2020-2021.
- ✓ ESO is advised to maintain an active database of scholar graduates updated on who are employed and those unemployed. The ESO should monitor regularly the graduates and assist in helping them get a job.

c. Number of terminated scholars

- ✓ 29 scholars were terminated including those 11 mentioned in the report on matters arising.
- ✓ Ms. Roa (representing Engr. Cam) suggested that ESO must do something to help scholars avoid/prevent from getting pregnant during the period of scholarship. Atty. Quilang suggested to include session on Adolescent Reproductive Health during the scholars' assemblies.
- ✓ Dr. Sombilon also brought up the impact in the future with the scholarship recipients dominated by female students. He asked ESO to come up with sex disaggregated data on the scholars per course to see the courses that are male and female dominated.
- ✓ Dr. Laurente shared that they also have a problem with teenage pregnancy but their approach is different because they are in a catholic school. She also announced to the Board that they still have two open slots for scholarship in case any Board Member would like to endorse.
- ✓ Dr. Sombilon inquired on the reasons for drop-out of scholars. Ms. Duero explained that those terminated scholars were not only because they have dropped but also include those who waived their LGU scholarship by choosing the Tertiary Education Subsidy (TES) program of the CHED.
- ✓ Dr. Lampong also suggested that bi-monthly meeting may be conducted to give the students venue to express their feelings or problems especially on their academic status. The CHO can assist on mental health since they have the LAMDAG program. Ms. Duero and Ms. Roa agreed and suggested that Psychosocial & Mental Health can be included during scholars' assemblies.
- ✓ Dr. Arradaza also suggested to create a chat group for scholars per school. The chat group should be moderated so that problems and issues can be noted and these can then be presented to the Board.
- ✓ Dr. Lampong also added that a meeting with the teachers would be helpful so that the LGU can also hear the feedback of the teachers. In this regard, the ESO is advised to strengthen the coordination with the scholarship coordinators for each partner school. Dialogues can be organized per school so that interventions can also be done per school. The scholarship coordinator can help mobilize scholars and maybe some teachers for a dialogue.
- ✓ Ms. Hermosilla suggested that after the ranking examination, the scholars must undergo Career Coaching Session in order to minimize dropping and termination. Atty. Quilang responded that ESO can study the possibility of



distributing allowances per school so that the assembly can be done per school.

d. Total number (new and current) of scholars for SY 2021-2022

- ✓ A total of 544 scholars for this SY 2021-2022
- ✓ The secretariat presented the profile of the scholars as follows:

GENDER	CURRENT SCHOLARS	NEW SCHOLARS	PWD_NEW	TOTAL	%
MALE	99	39	0	138	25.37
FEMALE	274	128	4	406	74.63
TOTAL	373	167	4	544	100

COURSE	CURRENT SCHOLARS	NEW SCHOLARS	TOTAL	%
Education	161	35	196	36.03
Engineering	41	30	71	13.05
Accountancy	55	9	64	11.76
Other Business Courses	51	11	62	11.40
Health/Medical	9	26	35	6.43
Technology	30	23	53	9.74
Sciences	5	15	20	3.68
Agriculture	8	9	17	3.13
Communication	5	4	9	1.65
Social Sciences	7	8	15	2.76
Math	1	1	2	0.37
Total	373	171	544	100

- ✓ Dr. Sombilon asked about those taking BSSED as to what is their major. The secretariat responded that some took English, Filipino, Social Studies/Aral Pan, Mathematics, PE and BTVTED.

e. No. of graduating scholars with Latin honors

- ✓ Only 2 scholars are cum laude, namely:
 1. Marie May B. Apas, BEED – EVSU OCC
 2. Ma. Pamela V. Rebuyas, BEED – EVSU OCC

Calendar of activities for recruitment and screening

- The proposed calendar of activities for recruitment and screening was presented and changes were introduced. The Board approved the calendar for the next round of screening.

ACTIVITY	TENTATIVE SCHEDULE
Acceptance of Scholarship Application	September 1, 2021-November 26, 2021
Coordination for the venue of examination	December 1, 2021
Proctors Orientation	To be determined
Scholarship Ranking Examination	December 22, 2021 (Wednesday)
Checking and Reviewing of the test papers	January 2022
Career Coaching Session	February 2, 2022
Conducting interview to the scholarship qualifiers	February 7, 2022-February 25, 2022
Release of the results	February 28, 2022
Endorsement of the newly admitted scholars to their schools of choice	March 2022

- It was also agreed that the Board will come up with a waitlist so that when there are back outs, replacements to be made.
- ESO is advised to already conduct briefing on those who will secure application form like the preferred courses, choice of schools, ranking and the quota system. This is to avoid complications later on when results are released and problems are encountered.

o *Request of TESDC for scholarship grants*

- Mr. Nobria presented the proposed funding for tech-voc trainings, as follows:

QUALIFICATION	No. of students	Cost of Tuition per student	Assessment fee per student	Daily allowance	No. of School days	Total per student	Total per Batch
EIM NC II (B1)	25	P 6,299.00	P 1,415.00	P 60.00	25	P 9,214.00	P 230,350.00
EIM NC II (B2)	25	6,299.00	1,415.00	60.00	25	9,214.00	230,350.00
SMAW NC I	25	8,476.80	1,775.00	60.00	34	12,291.80	307,295.00
SMAW NC II	25	8,476.80	2,175.00	60.00	34	12,691.80	317,295.00
GRAND TOTAL							P 1,085,290.00

- Ms. Duero clarified if the rate for assessment is based on TESDA rates. Mr. Nobria responded Yes. Ms. Duero also informed the Board that upon verification by the secretariat, Mr. Larrazabal who is in the list, his wife already availed of the scholarship for TM and based in our policy only 1 member per family. Mr. Nobria responded that they will substitute him and will give the latest copy of beneficiaries. The amount requested will be changed since the allowance per student is 65 pesos based on the guidelines.
- Atty. Quilang suggested that for the next meeting, the secretariat should present data on tech-voc and academic scholars per barangay so that the Board is guided on whether or not to pass a policy on equity among barangays in the access to scholarship opportunities.
- Dr. Sombilon moved and duly seconded by Ms. Duero to approve the request of TESDC in the amount of One Million Sixty-Two Thousand Seven Hundred Eleven Pesos and Seventy-Six Centavos (P 1,062,711.76) for scholarship grants to Seventy-Five (75) students for EIM and SMAW. With no objection, the motion is approved.

o *Status of Medicine Scholarship Program*

- The secretariat presented to the Board the four (4) medical schools who replied via email with their comments/suggestions pertaining to LGU-MOA, to wit:
 1. University of Cebu College of Medicine Foundation, Inc.;
 2. West Visayas State University (WVSU);
 3. Silliman University; and
 4. Cebu Institute of Medicine.
- Among the above-mentioned prospect partner schools, only WVSU is a state university. Atty. Quilang first suggested to let the City Health Department recommend as preference. The Board eventually agreed to tie-up with WVSU since the remaining three (3) are all private schools. Atty. Quilang advised the secretariat that once there's already clearance from City Legal then inform the WVSU of the intent of the City Government to pursue the partnership so that the scholarship program can begin to accept applicants.

o *Various requests from scholars*

Atty. Quilang advised the secretariat that next time if there are many request letters for change of course and waivers then it must have a summary list. Also to note that the scholar has to submit their prospectus for the current course enrolled and the course they wanted to shift.

REQUEST	BOARD ACTION
Requests to shift course	
1. Letter request of Ms. Jenelyn Constantino to shift course from BS Nursing to BSED major in English of WLC	Ms. Roa representing Engr. Cam moved and severally seconded by Ms. Simbajon and Ms. Hermosilla to approve the request of Ms. Jenelyn Constantino to change course from BS Nursing to BSED major in English. With no objection, the motion is approved.
2. Letter request of Mr. Reylan R. Camallere to shift course from BSED major in Filipino to BS major in Science of SPC	Ms. Cutas moved and duly seconded by Dr. Arradaza to deny the request of Mr. Reylan R. Camallere to change course from BSED major in Filipino to BSED major in Science because science is no longer included in the preferred courses of the LGU Scholarship Program. With no objection, the motion is approved.
3. Letter request of the three (3) scholars to shift course from BS in Accountancy to BS in Accountancy Information System of WLC, to wit: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Ms. Elly Mae Silvoza; ▪ Ms. Angel M. Sepe; and ▪ Ms. Mildred G. Crisostomo 	Ms. Simbajon moved and duly seconded by Ms. Gucela to approve the request of the three (3) scholars to change course from BS in Accountancy to BS Accountancy Information System. With no objection, the motion is approved.
Requests for waivers	
4. Letter request of the two (2) scholars who waived their LGU Scholarship to avail of the TES from CHED, namely: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Mr. Jovito C. Mahayag, Jr, BSCE-EVSU OCC; and ▪ Ms. Michelle A. Arquilita, BSED GenSci-EVSU OCC 	Dr. Arradaza moved and duly seconded by Ms. Simbajon to grant the request of the two (2) scholars who waived their LGU Scholarship to avail of the Tertiary Education Subsidy (TES) and thereby endorsing the same for approval of the City Mayor. With no objection, the motion is approved.

○ Other Matters

REQUEST	BOARD ACTION
1. Request letter of Ms. Aica May T. Elarde to allow her to pursue BS Biotechnology.	Ms. Cutas moved and duly seconded by Dr. Lampong to approve the request of Ms. Aica May T. Elarde to take up BS Biotechnology and to include the course of Bachelor of Science in Biotechnology in the preferred courses of the LGU Scholarship Program.
2. Request letter of Ms. Irene G. Romero - Her request letter was about giving her slot to her twin sister who will be taking-up BS Information Technology at WLC. She will also pursue BS Civil Engineering at EVSU-OCC and unfortunately there was no available slot and so	The Board requested the secretariat to send a letter citing the Resolution passed requiring newly admitted students to the Ormoc City Scholarship Program to enroll in EVSU-Ormoc City Campus (OCC) when their chosen courses are offered in the said school thereby making the option to enroll in


she decided to take-up BS Biology in VSU.	private schools available only in cases when the chosen courses are not offered in EVSU-OCC.
3. Request letter of Ms. Francis Karylle B. Perez - She requested to have a slot for accountancy at WLC but unfortunately there was no available slot for said course.	The Board directed the secretariat to write a letter denying the request.

With no other matters to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 11:40 AM in the morning.


Prepared by:


MELBA R. MONTESCLAROS, LPT
Scholarship Board Secretariat

ATTESTED:


Atty. NOLITO M. QUILANG
Temporary Presiding Officer

NOTED:


RICHARD I. GOMEZ, DPA
City Mayor
Chairman, Ormoc City Scholarship Board



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EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 230th BOARD OF REGENTS' MEETING (REGULAR) OF THE WEST VISAYAS STATE UNIVERSITY HELD VIA ZOOM ONLINE MEETING PLATFORM WITH MEETING ID: 978 3678 1791 ON JANUARY 19, 2022 AT 1:00 P.M.

Upon motion duly seconded and carried, the following resolution was adopted by the WVSU Board of Regents, thus:

RESOLUTION NO. 28-11-2022

RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, that after full deliberation on the matter, the Board confirmed Referendum No. 134, s. 2021 dated December 16, 2021 re: Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) between Local Government of Ormoc City and West Visayas State University (WVSU) re: *sponsoring of several students who are residents of Ormoc City LGU admitted to the Doctor of Medicine program of the University*

RESOLVED FURTHER, AS IT IS HEREBY FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board further authorized Dr. Joselito F. Villaruz to sign the said Memorandum of Agreement

CONFIRMED.

I hereby certify to the authenticity and veracity of the foregoing resolution.

Certified Correct:

This certification is not valid unless
attested by the Chairman/Vice Chairman:

NONA P. SALVIO
OIC-Board Secretary

Attested by:

JOSELITO F. VILLARUZ, M.D., Ph.D., FPPS
President, WVSU and
Vice Chair, WVSU

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NONA P. SALVIO
OIC-BOARD SECRETARY
JAN 20 2022