



Republic of the Philippines
Province of Oriental Mindoro
MUNICIPALITY OF BULALACAO

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF BULALACAO, ORIENTAL MINDORO HELD ON FEBRUARY 26, 2002 AT THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN SESSION HALL

PRESENT:

Hon. Ludovico C. Silang	-	Presiding Officer
Hon. Teresita S. Bantugan	-	Sang. Bayan Member
Hon. Eduardo C. Aceron	-	-do-
Hon. Cesar P. Lantin	-	-do-
Hon. Efren S. Acosta	-	-do-
Hon. Salvador A. Magalay	-	-do-
Hon. Benhur S. Cabagay	-	-do-
Hon. Senen C. Familara	-	-do-
Hon. Rosalinda M. Cabagay	-	-do-

ABSENT:

Hon. German S. Acosta	-	Pres., Liga ng mga Brgy.
Hon. Jimuel T. Cabagay	-	SK Fed. President

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RESOLUTION NO. 02-02-049

REITERATING THE UNFLINCHING AND UNCONDITIONAL SUPPORT FOR THE CREATION OF THE PROPOSED PROVINCE OF MINDORO DEL SUR CO-EXISTENT WITH WHAT IS NOW KNOWN AS SECOND DISTRICT OF ORIENTAL MINDORO AND; ENDORSING THE MUNICIPALITY OF BANSUD TO BE THE SITE OF CAPITOL OF THIS NEW PROVINCE

"WHEREAS, it is with the firmest resolve that Bulalacao fully supports the creation of the Province of Mindoro Del Sur believing that by constituting the municipalities of the entire second political district of Oriental Mindoro into a separate local government unit, we will attain a more efficient administration of local programs and projects as well as effective and efficient delivery of basic services. We see some glints of hope that with the creation of this new Province, socio-economic development in the constituent local governments will be accelerated;

"WHEREAS, Bulalacao has never demurred even for a minute to support House Bill Numbered 1476,amid trials for in essence, as we have kept on repeating, we must pursue its lofty ideals and sublime objectives with pure minds, upright purposes and steadfast endeavors to serve our constituencies as the separation of Southern Mindoro sets before us the tremendous task of achieving the totality of our goals with the realization that any development is always an uphill drive in the pursuit of our individual dreams and collective aspirations to greatness;

"WHEREAS, this Municipality fully supports the creation of Mindoro del Sur as it feels sorry for its constituents being caught in the quagmire of deep poverty, neglected most of the time but remembered during elections thereby it

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has to fend for itself in the effort to provide frontline services to its people noting that the only explanation for this sad condition is either in terms of physical location or political persuasion;

“**WHEREAS**, Section 11 of RA 7160 provides that “ the law or ordinance creating or merging local government units shall specify the seat of government from where governmental and corporate services shall be delivered...”

“**WHEREAS**, it is so mentioned in Section 3 of House Bill No. 11254 that the creation of the Province of Mindoro del Sur shall be subject to the approval of a majority of the votes cast of the affected areas in a plebiscite and; that the electorate shall, in the same plebiscite comprising the new province. Clearly, the delegation of the responsibility of determining the capital to the electorate is not consistent with the abovequoted provision of the law which mandates Congress to predetermine the seat of government of the new province sought to create;

“**WHEREAS**, it is quite notable that all the factors related to the selection of capitol mentioned under Section 11 of RA 7160, have been adequately met by the Municipality of Bansud, showing more its great preparedness and evident foresight;

“**WHEREAS**, the achievement made by Bansud's local officials in the immediately preceding years and the preparation it has made in order to qualify itself to be the new province' capital convince us more that indeed Bansud is the most ideal town to be the seat of government from where governmental and corporate services shall be delivered;

“**WHEREAS**, it is our considered opinion and we so hold that the more people a local government services, the more it becomes relevant, hence it would be to the best interest of all if the seat were located in a place that people could easily reached;

“**WHEREAS**, having arrived at this conclusion, we are relieved of the necessity of deciding the question as to which Municipality must be endorsed to be the capital of the proposed province. As a matter of fact, we have endeavored to find the will of the entire second district and that the logical deduction from this question is that in the minds of the constituents of Pinamalayan, Gloria and rests of us, the idea was fixed that it should be accessible, easily reached coupled with such vital factors as geographical centrality, drainage and sanitation as well as development and economic progress;

“**WHEREAS**, upon the foregoing consideration, the endorsement of Bansud to the provincial seat of government of Mindoro Del Sur is called for; Now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, To: Reiterate the unflinching and unconditional support by the Municipality of Bulalacao for the creation of the proposed Province of Mindoro del Sur co-existent with what is now known as Second District of Oriental Mindoro and strongly endorsing the Municipality of Bansud, on account of its qualifications and merits to be the capital town;

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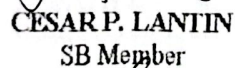
RESOLVED FURTHER, To: Let copies of this resolution be furnished the Honorable Alfonso V. Umali, Jr., Congressman, 2nd District-Oriental Mindoro, House of Representative, Diliman, Quezon City and Honorable Ferdinand Soller, Municipal Mayor, Bansud, Oriental Mindoro, for their information and ready reference;

ON MOTION of Councilor Senen C. Familiara jointly seconded by Councilors Eduardo C. Aceron and Cesar P. Lantin, foregoing was . . .

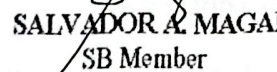
APPROVED": February 26, 2002, Bulalacao, Oriental Mindoro.


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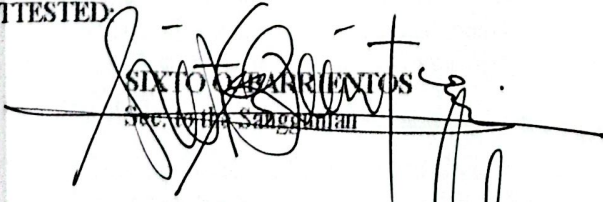

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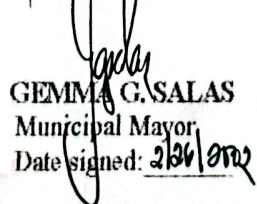
CERTIFIED TRUE AND CORRECT:

LUDOVICO C. SILANG
Municipal Vice Mayor/
Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:


SIXTO QUARRIENTOS
Sec. of the Sanggunian

APPROVED:


GEMMA G. SALAS
Municipal Mayor
Date signed: 2/26/02