



Office of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 124th REGULAR SESSION OF THE 10th SANGGUNIAN
PANLALAWIGAN OF ISABELA HELD AT PROVINCIAL CAPITOL, ILAGAN CITY, ISABELA
ON MARCH 29, 2022.

PRESENT:

FAUSTINO G. DY III	Vice Governor & Presiding Officer
DELFINITO EMMANUEL L. ALBANO	Member (1 st District) & Floor Leader
EMMANUEL JOSELITO B. AÑES	Member (1 st District)
ED CHRISTIAN S. GO	Member (2 nd District)
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RANDOLPH JOSEPH P. ARREOLA	Member (3 rd District)
CLIFFORD R. RASPADO	Member (4 th District)
ABEGAIL V. SABLE	Member (4 th District)
FAUSTINO U. DY IV	Member (5 th District)
EDWARD S. ISIDRO	Member (5 th District)
ALFREDO V. ALILI	Member (6 th District)
MARCO PAOLO A. MERIS	Member (6 th District)
ANTONIO S. HUI	Member, PCL Federation President
DANTE G. HALAMAN	Member, LnB Federation President
DAX PAOLO C. BINAG	Member, SK Federation President
ADRIAN PHILIP S. BAYSAC	Member, Agricultural /Industrial Workers Labor Sector Representative
GRETCHEN F. VALDEZ	Member, Indigenous Cultural Communities Sector Representative

RESOLUTION NO. 2022-13-05

Series of 2022

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Sponsor: HON. DELFINITO EMMANUEL L. ALBANO

Vice-Chairperson, Committee on Finance and Appropriations

WHEREAS, the country experienced an unprecedented social, health, and economic crisis due to the spread of COVID-19;

WHEREAS, His Excellency, President Rodrigo Roa Duterte, placed the entire country under a State of Public Health Emergency to enable the prompt mobilization of government resources to contain and address the spread of COVID-19;

WHEREAS, the National Government and Local Government Units implemented strict community quarantine measures in order to curb the spread of COVID-19. While such measure was effective, it, however, had adverse social and economic

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consequences to the people as their access to livelihood, basic necessities, and government and private institutions were either restricted or heavily regulated;

WHEREAS, the COVID-19 situation in the country improved tremendously over the past months due to the timely, appropriate, and effective implementation of government interventions notable among which are the stringent COVID-19 testing and tracking systems and active COVID-19 vaccination programs;

WHEREAS, His Excellency, President Rodrigo Roa Duterte, determined that there is a need to extend government aid to alleviate the people's plight caused by the COVID-19 pandemic and to expedite their economic recovery;

WHEREAS, presented for the consideration of this Honorable Body is the proposed Memorandum of Agreement between the Provincial Government of Isabela and the Office of the President which seeks to effectuate President Duterte's endeavor to extend much-needed government aid to those affected by the COVID-19 crisis in the Province of Isabela;

WHEREAS, as provided in the MOA, the Office of the President shall release to the Provincial Government of Isabela the amount of Twenty Million Pesos (Php20,000,000.00) as assistance charged to Socio-Civic Projects Fund which the latter intends to be utilized for the provision of food, medicines, and other basic necessities of its people affected by the COVID-19 crisis;

WHEREAS, Section 465, par. (b)(1)(vi) of the Local Government Code empowers the Provincial Governor to represent the Province in all its business transactions and sign in its behalf all contracts and such other documents upon authority of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan;

WHEREAS, after careful review, this Honorable Body finds the proposed MOA between the Provincial Government of Isabela and the Office of the President to be just, lawful, and beneficial to the people of the Province;

WHEREFORE, upon motion of Honorable Delfinito Emmanuel L. Albano, duly approved and seconded in a session duly assembled, it was –

RESOLVED, AS IT HEREBY RESOLVES, TO PASS A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNOR, HONORABLE RODOLFO T. ALBANO III, TO SIGN ON BEHALF OF THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT OF ISABELA (PGI) A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH THE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT FOR THE GRANT OF TWENTY MILLION PESOS (Php20,000,000.00) TO THE PGI TO BE UTILIZED FOR THE PROVISION OF FOOD, MEDICINES, AND OTHER BASIC NECESSITIES OF THE PEOPLE AFFECTED BY COVID-19.

RESOLVED FINALLY, that a copy of this Resolution be furnished to the Provincial Governor, Honorable Rodolfo T. Albano III, and the Provincial Administrator, Atty. Noel Manuel R. Lopez, for their information and appropriate action.

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Approved and Adopted, March 29, 2022.

**I HEREBY CERTIFY TO THE CORRECTNESS
of the foregoing Resolution:**

ATTY. FRANCIS JAMES E. MEER
Secretary to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan

ATTESTED/ APPROVED:

FAUSTINO G. DY III
Provincial Vice Governor & Presiding Officer