



Republic of the Philippines
PROVINCE OF ISABELA
City of Ilagan
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Office of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 39th REGULAR SESSION OF THE 11th SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF ISABELA HELD AT PROVINCIAL CAPITOL, ILAGAN CITY, ISABELA ON MAY 09, 2023.

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)
EDGAR R. CAPUCHINO	Member (2 nd District)
MARY GRACE D. ARREOLA	Member (3 rd District)
RAMON JUAN N. REYES, JR.	Member (3 rd District)
CLIFFORD R. RASPADO	Member (4 th District)
MANUEL FAUSTINO U. DY	Member (5 th District)
EDWARD S. ISIDRO	Member (5 th District)
MARCO PAOLO A. MERIS	Member (6 th District)
AMADOR A. GAFFUD, JR.	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 Workers Sector Representative
LOURDES S. PANGANIBAN	Member, Women's Sectoral Representative
MARGARETTE U. CHIN	Member, Indigenous Cultural Communities Sector Representative
EVYN JAY C. DIAZ	Member, Labor Sector Representative

ON LEAVE:

VICTOR G. DY	Member (4 th District)
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RESOLUTION NO. 2023-16-02 Series of 2023

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNOR, THE HONORABLE RODOLFO T. ALBANO III, TO SIGN ON BEHALF OF THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT OF ISABELA A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT OF SAN MARIANO, PHILIPPINE RICE RESEARCH INSTITUTE, DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE-REGIONAL FIELD OFFICE RO2, DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE-BUREAU OF PLANT INDUSTRY, AND THE AGRICULTURAL TRAINING INSTITUTE-REGIONAL TRAINING CENTER RO2 FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE "LGU-LED SUSTAINABLE HYBRID RICE SCALING MODEL" PROJECT

Sponsor: HON. ADRIAN PHILIP S. BAYSAC
Chairperson, Committee on Agriculture

WHEREAS, it is the policy of the State to promote and accelerate the development of the seed industry of the Philippines by conserving, preserving, and developing the plant genetic resources of the nation;

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WHEREAS, under Republic Act No. 7308, otherwise known as the "*Seed Industry Development Act of 1992*", the government is mandated to ensure the availability of high-quality assurance and control services for seed and planting material production, processing, storage and distribution, seed research and seed training in seed quality control towards a sustainable agriculture and environmental protection;

WHEREAS, DA-PhilRice introduced its "*Rice Development Initiatives for Cagayan Valley and CAR Environments*" to develop appropriate rice varieties designed under Philippine conditions and propagate them into breeder, foundation, and registered seeds and extend all necessary technical assistance to ensure the proper utilization of such seeds on the farm level. Thus, a sustainable hybrid rice technology scaling model has been introduced for a more accessible and affordable F1 seeds to the citizenry;

WHEREAS, MLGU-San Mariano, as one of the rice producing municipalities in the Province of Isabela, was offered for the implementation of the "*LGU-Led Sustainable Hybrid Rice Scaling Model*" Project to train Isabeleño farmers in planting hybrid seeds as an alternative to the inbred variety for an increased crop production;

WHEREAS, the Department of Agriculture (DA) recognizes the need for a local production of hybrid rice seeds and endorsed the adoption of the aforesaid project for the improvement of crop yields in the country;

WHEREAS, to fully accommodate all of the Isabeleño farmers, the Provincial Government of Isabela (PGI), thru the Provincial Governor, Hon. Rodolfo T. Albano III, has expressed its interest to enter into a Memorandum of Agreement with the MLGU-San Mariano, PhilRice, DA-Regional Field Office RO2, DA-Bureau of Plant Industry and the ATI-Regional Training Center RO2;

WHEREAS, the Office of the Provincial Governor submitted a Letter before this Honorable Body requesting that the Provincial Governor be granted with authority to sign a Memorandum of Agreement on behalf of the PGI;

WHEREAS, Section 465(b) (1) (vi) of R. A. No. 7160 empowers the Provincial Governor to represent the Province in all its transactions and sign on its behalf all contracts and such other documents upon the issuance of an authority by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan;

WHEREAS, this Honorable Body determined that the proposed Memorandum of Agreement to be executed by the PGI, MLGU-San Mariano, PhilRice, DA-Regional Field Office RO2, DA-Bureau of Plant Industry, and the ATI-Regional Training Center RO2, will be beneficial and advantageous to Isabeleños;

WHEREFORE, upon motion of Honorable Adrian Philip S. Baysac, duly approved and seconded in a session duly assembled, it was –

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RESOLVED, AS IT HEREBY RESOLVES, TO PASS A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNOR, THE HONORABLE RODOLFO T. ALBANO III, TO SIGN ON BEHALF OF THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT OF ISABELA A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT OF SAN MARIANO, PHILIPPINE RICE RESEARCH INSTITUTE, DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE-REGIONAL FIELD OFFICE RO2, DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE-BUREAU OF PLANT INDUSTRY, AND THE AGRICULTURAL TRAINING INSTITUTE-REGIONAL TRAINING CENTER RO2 FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE "LGU-LED SUSTAINABLE HYBRID RICE SCALING MODEL" PROJECT.

RESOLVED FINALLY, to furnish the Provincial Governor, Hon. Rodolfo T. Albano III for his information, guidance, and further action.

Approved and Adopted, May 09, 2023.

**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