



Office of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 8TH SPECIAL SESSION OF THE 10TH SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF ISABELA HELD AT PROVINCIAL CAPITOL, ILAGAN CITY, ISABELA ON APRIL 21, 2020.

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)
RAMON JUAN N. REYES, JR.	Member (3 rd District)
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
VENUS T. BAUTISTA	Member, Women's Sectoral Representative
GRETCHEN F. VALDEZ	Member, indigenous Cultural Communities Sector Representative

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-12-2
SERIES OF 2020

A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING APPRECIATION AND GRATITUDE TO THE LATE SENATOR HEHERSON T. ALVAREZ FOR HIS INVALUABLE AND EXCEPTIONAL SERVICE TO THE PROVINCE AND THE COUNTRY

Sponsor: HON. VENUS T. BAUTISTA

Chairperson, Committee on Awards, Citations, and Accreditation

WHEREAS, Former Senator Heherson "Sonny" T. Alvarez joined our Creator this April 20, 2020 after a valiant fight against COVID-19;

WHEREAS, Senator Alvarez was a staunch environmental advocate, not only during his tenure in office but throughout his colorful life, as he championed legislations, programs, and initiatives aimed at protecting and promoting the people's right to a healthful ecology, and ultimately our right to life;

WHEREAS, Senator Alvarez was instrumental for the passage into law of the Clean Air Act, the National Integrated Protected Areas System Act, and the law creating the Department of Energy; legislations that brought considerable and tremendous benefits to the country and to the generations to come;

A RESOLUTION HONORING STAFF SERGEANT JAYSON P. GAZZINGAN AND CORPORAL ERNESTO L. BAUTISTA JR. FOR THEIR COMMITMENT TO SERVICE AND LOYALTY TO THE COUNTRY

WHEREAS, aside from his environmental advocacies, Senator Alvarez was a figurehead in advancing farmers' land rights, and in pushing for transparency and accountability in the Government as he authored then President Corazon C. Aquino's centerpiece social reform policy – the Comprehensive Agrarian Reform Program, and served as the principal complainant in the successful impeachment case filed against Former President Joseph Estrada;

WHEREAS, after his two-term tenure in the Senate, from 1988 to 1998, Senator Alvarez served as:

- Representative, 4th District of Isabela, 2001;
- Secretary of the Department of Environmental and Natural Resources, 2001 to 2002;
- Presidential Adviser on Overseas Filipino Communities, 2002 to 2003;
- Commissioner on Climate Change Commission.
- Awardee, Outstanding Public Policy Achievement Award given by Washington-based Climate Institute.

WHEREAS, the Province of Isabela will forever be appreciative and thankful to the countless accomplishments, meaningful advocacies, and noble causes of Senator Alvarez - the only Senator hailing from the Province of Isabela to date, and for showing to the whole country and the world the quality and capabilities of a proud Isabeleño;

WHEREAS, the Provincial Government of Isabela extends its griefs and condolences to the bereaved family of Senator Alvarez and joins in mourning his untimely demise;

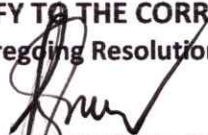
WHEREFORE, premises considered, upon motion of Honorable Venus T. Bautista, in a duly seconded and approved in a session duly assembled it was –

RESOLVED, AS IT HEREBY RESOLVES, TO ADOPT A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING APPRECIATION AND GRATITUDE TO THE LATE SENATOR HEHERSON T. ALVAREZ FOR HIS INVALUABLE AND EXCEPTIONAL SERVICE TO THE PROVINCE AND THE COUNTRY

RESOLVED FINALLY, to furnish the family of Honorable Heherson T. Alvarez a copy of this Resolution for their information and keepsake.

Approved and Adopted, April 21, 2020.

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
Vice Governor & Presiding Officer