



Republic of the Philippines
Province of Ilocos Norte
MUNICIPALITY OF SAN NICOLAS

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE THIRD REGULAR SESSION OF THE 11TH SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF SAN NICOLAS, ILOCOS NORTE HELD AT THE MUNICIPAL SESSION HALL ON THE 15TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2021 AT 11:00 IN THE MORNING.

PRESENT:

Hon. Edistio P. Valdez	Vice-Mayor/Presiding Officer;
Hon. Angel Miguel L. Hernando	Member;
Hon. Joseph Lister B. Butay	Member;
Hon. Norberto D. Dadiz, Sr.	Member;
Hon. Erico R. Ruiz, Jr.	Member;
Hon. Luciano R. Caraang	Member;
Hon. Jessie Julito P. Pumaras, Sr.	Member;
Hon. Juanito P. Ulep, Jr.	Member/Liga ng mga Barangay President.

ABSENT:

Hon. Moera Joy N. Galing-Luna	Member; (On Forced-Leave)
Hon. Inno Ma. Angelo Paulo O. Hernando	Member/PPSK President (On Sick-Leave)

RESOLUTION NO. 2021-148

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE LOCAL CHIEF EXECUTIVE TO ENTER INTO A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT (MOA) WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF TOURISM REGION I FOR THE USE OF A SPACE OR AREA AT BALAY SAN NICOLAS.

WHEREAS, the municipality has offered a space or area to be used as a sub-office of the Department of Tourism Region I at the Balay San Nicolas particularly at the north west portion of the ground floor with an area of 5.10 x 4.71 meters to which the latter has accepted the offer;

WHEREAS, the Balay San Nicolas, declared as an Important Cultural Property of the Philippines by the National Museum, is now owned by the Municipal Government of San Nicolas, Province of Ilocos Norte;

WHEREAS, the municipality recognizes the vital role of the Department of Tourism Region I in promoting San Nicolas, Ilocos Norte as a sustainable tourist destination and is mindful of the tourism and cultural contributions that it has provided;

WHEREAS, the Department of Tourism Region I is mandated as the primary planning, programming, coordinating, implementing and regulatory government agency in the development and promotion of the tourism industry, both domestic and international, in coordination with attached agencies and other government instrumentalities;

WHEREAS, the parties have been sustainable partners and collaborators on various cultural and tourism programs, projects and activities that are contributory to the prestigious national awards that the municipality received;

WHEREAS, by inviting and allowing the Department of Tourism Region I to use a space or area at the Balay San Nicolas shall inure significant benefits particularly in the field of tourism development, marketing, and promotion and the sustainable heritage conservation of the Balay Sana Nicolas.

WHEREAS, Sec. 22(c) of R.A. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code, provides, that:

Sec. 22. Corporate Powers. – (a) Every local government unit, as a corporation, shall have the following powers:

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(c) Unless otherwise provided in this Code, no contract may be entered into by the local chief executive in behalf of the local government unit without prior authorization by the sanggunian concerned. A legible copy of such contract shall be posted at a conspicuous place in the provincial capitol or the city, municipal or barangay hall.

WHEREAS, the municipal mayor is empowered by the same Code to enter into contracts on behalf of the municipality, based on Section 444(b)(1)(vi) thereof which provides:

Section 444. The Chief Executive: Powers, Duties, Functions and Compensation.
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(b) For efficient, effective and economical governance the purpose of which is the general welfare of the municipality and its inhabitants pursuant to Section 16 of this Code, the municipal mayor shall:

(vi) Upon authorization by the sangguniang bayan, represent the municipality in all its business transactions and sign on its behalf all bonds, contracts, and obligations, and such other documents made pursuant to law or ordinance.”

WHEREAS, after thorough deliberation and consideration of the members of the Sangguniang Bayan, it was:

RESOLVED as it is hereby **RESOLVED** by the Sangguniang Bayan assembled in session, to authorize the Local Chief Executive to Enter into a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) with the Department of Tourism Region I for the use of space or area at Balay San Nicolas.

RESOLVED, FURTHER, to transcribe copies of this resolution to the Local Chief Executive and all concerned, for their information and appropriate action;

On motion of Member Juanito P. Ulep, Jr., duly seconded, foregoing resolution was unanimously approved.

UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED.”

Voting on the foregoing resolution was as follows:

AYES : Members Hernando, A., Butay, Dadiz, Sr., Ruiz, Jr., Caraang, Pumaras, Sr. and Ulep, Jr.
NAYS : None.
ABSTAINED : None.

I hereby certify to the correctness of the foregoing resolution.

ENRIQUE P. ULEP, JR.
Secretary to the Sangguniang Bayan I

ATTESTED:

EDISTIO P. VALDEZ
Vice-Mayor/Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

ALFREDO P. VALDEZ, JR., M.D.
Municipal Mayor
Approved on: November 15, 2021