REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES BATANGAS CITY

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION HELD BY THE MEMBERS OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD OF BATANGAS CITY ON JANUARY 19, 2021 AT THE SANGGUNIAN SESSION HALL

PRESENT:

Hon. Emilio Francisco A. Berberabe Jr.,	Presiding Officer	
Hon. Alyssa Renee A. Cruz,	Councilor	
Hon. Aileen Grace A. Montalbo,	44	
Hon. Nestor E. Dimacuha,	66	
Hon. Karlos Emmanjuel A. Buted,	44	
Hon. Gerardo A. Dela Roca,	44	
Hon. Oliver Z. Macatangay,	ć c	
Hon. Nelson J. Chavez,	66	
Hon. Julian B. Villena,	66	
Hon. Michael Thomas T. Pastor,	44	
Hon. Isidra "Ched" M. Atienza,		
Hon. Maria Aleth A. Lazarte,	"	
Hon. Lorenzo A. Gamboa, Jr.,	44	
Hon. Angelito "Dondon" A. Dimacuha,	ABC-Rep.	
Hon. Marjorie A. Manalo,	SK-Fed. Pres.	

"On motion of Councilor Cruz seconded by Councilor Villena, the following Resolution was Adopted:

RESOLUTION NO. 16 S. 2021

RESOLUTION ENDORSING THE ESTABLISHMENT AND CONSTRUCTION OF ECO-TOURISM CIRCUMFERENTIAL, FARM-TO-MARKET AND BYPASS ROADS IN THE CITY OF BATANGAS

WHEREAS, the City of Batangas, home to the Verde Island Passage, the Montemaria International Pilgrimage and Conference Center and the Philippine Ports Authority, has been considered as the center of commerce in the Province of Batangas;

WHEREAS, the growing industry in the City of Batangas coupled with the increasing number of vehicles, both private and public, traversing its roads on a daily basis primarily caused the congestion of traffic not only in the city proper but to the bordering municipalities, as well;

WHEREAS, the industrial plants situated within the City of Batangas as well as the transit of vehicles and heavy trucks passing within the city proper to and from the bordering municipalities likewise contribute to the worsening traffic situation in the city;

WHEREAS, the congestion of main roads in the City of Batangas significantly affects the local industry not only in the city itself but in the neighboring towns, as well;

WHEREAS, Section 2 of RA 10752 states that the Government must ensure owners are promptly paid just compensation of the expeditious acquisition of the required right of way for the project;

Continuation of Resolution No. 16 S. 2021

RESOLUTION ENDORSING THE ESTABLISHMENT AND CONSTRUCTION OF ECO-TOURISM CIRCUMFERENTIAL, FARM-TO-MARKET AND BYPASS ROADS IN THE CITY OF BATANGAS

WHEREAS, the establishment and construction of the Batangas City –Lobo bypass road which will begin from Barangay San Jose Sico to Barangay Talahib Pandayan, Batangas City is necessary in order to improve the network capacity of Batangas City roads, improve connectivity and capacity of the existing network, address bottlenecks and congestion, expand the network in the periphery of Batangas City, and support to ensure a better quality of life and urban sustainability of not only in the City of Batangas but in nearby municipalities, as well;

WHEREAS, the creation of eco-tourism bypass road, circumferential farm-to-market roads, which shall be easily accessible by tourist buses and private vehicles, will give tourists in the City of Batangas and such neighboring towns an easy access to their destination, attract more investors and stakeholders, and open more opportunities for employment and businesses to the residents of the city;

WHEREAS, the farm-to-market roads will also open almost 40 barangays in the City of Batangas an efficient access to the city proper;

WHEREAS, the creation of the Batangas City-Lobo bypass road, circumferential and farm-to-market roads will, in all means, help develop and improve the agricultural industry in the city, increase employment opportunities to its citizens and further promote local and small business enterprises;

WHEREAS, it is the firm belief of this august body that this endorsement will redound to the best interest of our people;

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved, as it is hereby resolved by the Sangguniang Panlungsod in session assembled, to endorse the establishment and construction of eco-tourism circumferential, farm-to-market and bypass roads in the City of Batangas.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that copies of this resolution be forwarded to all concerned for their information and appropriate action.

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 SPONSOR	 :	COUN. ALYSSA RENEE A. CRUZ
		COMMITTEE ON LAWS, RULES AND REGULATIONS

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution No. 16 S. 2021 was approved by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Batangas City during its Regular Session held on January 19, 2021.

ATTY. OLIVA D. TELEGATOS

Secretary

ATTESTED:

EMILIO FRANCISCO A. BERBERABE, JR.
Rresiding Officer