

**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 JULY 25, 2022 AT THE SANGGUNIANG SESSION HALL**

PRESENT:

Hon. Alyssa Renee A. Cruz,	Presiding Officer
Hon. Hamilton G. Blanco,	Councilor
Hon. Karlos Emmanjuel A. Buted,	“
Hon. Andrea Loise F. Macaraig,	“
Hon. Nestor E. Dimacuha,	“
Hon. Oliver Z. Macatangay,	“
Hon. Armando C. Lazarte,	“
Hon. Nelson J. Chavez,	“
Hon. Jose Jonash Luis F. Tolentino,	“
Hon. Zester Carlo M. Hernandez,	“
Hon. Isidra “Ched” M. Atienza,	“
Hon. Lorenzo A. Gamboa, Jr.,	“
Hon. Michael C. Villena,	“
Hon. Angelito “Dondon” A. Dimacuha,	(ABC-Rep.)
Hon. Marjorie A. Manalo,	(SK-Rep.)

“On motion of Councilor Hernandez seconded by Councilor Buted, the following Resolution was Adopted:

RESOLUTION NO. 22-179 S. 2022

**RESOLUTION URGING BARANGAY COUNCILS OF BATANGAS CITY TO
INITIATE AND INSTITUTE THE REGISTRATION AND FORM A DATABASE OF
ALL OVERSEAS FILIPINO WORKERS (OFWs) IN THEIR RESPECTIVE
BARANGAYS**

WHEREAS, for Filipinos, being an OFW is a promise of a good life, where they earn more working outside of the Philippines and are able to provide a better life for families back home;

WHEREAS, they are modern-day heroes because they experience all kinds of hardship, physical, mental, social and emotional as they work overseas for their families and face different challenges like homesickness and cultural differences;

WHEREAS, OFWs belong to an important sector of the country because of their economic contribution through their remittances that helped a lot in keeping the country's economy afloat;

WHEREAS, despite the big role being played by our OFWs in the country, it has been observed that there seems to be an inaccurate data on the number of OFWs as provided by the Philippine Overseas Employment Agency (POEA), Overseas Workers and Welfare Administration (OWWA), and the Commission on Filipino Overseas (CFO);

WHEREAS, according to studies maintaining a database is proven to be an effective method of providing an organized and systematic recording of information that can be easily accessed, managed, and updated;

Continuation of Resolution No. 22-179 S. 2022

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WHEREAS, registering and forming a database of OFWs will greatly help the government in identifying programs and the areas of the country where the programs will be implemented that will benefit the OFWs and their families;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, by the Sangguniang Panlungsod in session assembled, to urge Barangay Councils of Batangas City to initiate and institute the registration and form a database of all Overseas Filipino Workers (OFWs) in their respective barangays.

UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED."

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution No. 22-179 S. 2022 was approved by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Batangas City during its Regular Session held on July 25, 2022.


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Board Secretary IV

NOTED:

ATTY. OLIVA D. TELEGATOS
Secretary

ATTESTED:

ATTY. ALYSSA RENEE A. CRUZ
Presiding Officer

