



Republic of the Philippines
Province of Sorsogon
CITY OF SORSOGON



Office of the Sangguniang Panlungsod

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE EIGHTH CITY COUNCIL HELD AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL, CABID-AN, EAST DISTRICT, SORSOGON CITY ON DECEMBER 13, 2022.

PRESENT:

HON. MARK ERIC C. DIONEDA
City Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer

WEST DISTRICT

Hon. Peter Joseph J. Ravanilla
Hon. Nestor J. Baldon
Hon. Bryan J. Pingul

EAST DISTRICT

Hon. Mark Jayson D. Jamisola
Hon. Angelu Magda P. Ravanilla

BACON DISTRICT

Hon. Jo Abegail C. Dioneda
Hon. Reynaldo C. Taladtad
Hon. Glenn P. Olbes
Hon. Danilo A. Deladia

EX-OFFICIO MEMBERS

Hon. Bessie C. Diaz
Hon. Renalene Mae J. Duka

ABSENT:

Hon. Ma. Teresa D. Perdigon – on official business
Hon. Maria Theresa S. Gonzalez – on official business
Hon. Lester R. Lubiano – on official business

Resolution No. 494 Series of 2022

(Author: Hon. Jo Abegail C. Dioneda)

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE HON. MA. ESTER E. HAMOR, CITY MAYOR, SORSOGON CITY, TO ENTER INTO A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT (MOA) WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY – REGIONAL OFFICE V (DOST – ROV), REPRESENTED BY ITS REGIONAL DIRECTOR, MR. ROMMEL R. SERRANO, CESO III, THE SANGGUNIANG BARANGAY OF BUHATAN, REPRESENTED BY ITS BARANGAY CHAIRPERSON, HON. EDWIN A. DIVINA, THE BUHATAN NIPA FOOD PRODUCTION WORKERS ASSOCIATION (BNFPWA), REPRESENTED BY ITS PRESIDENT, MR. JOEL D. JERSEY AND THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WELFARE AND DEVELOPMENT – REGIONAL OFFICE V (DSWD – ROV), REPRESENTED BY ITS REGIONAL DIRECTOR, MR. NORMAN S. LAURIO RELATIVE TO THE PROJECT “UPGRADING AND ACCELERATING THE FERMENTATION PROCESS OF NIPA VINEGAR,” A DOST GRANT-IN-AID (GIA) PROJECT.

WHEREAS, among the items deliberated during the December 13, 2022 Regular Session of the 8th City Council is Transmittal No. 93, Series of 2022 from the Office of the Hon. Ma. Ester E. Hamor, City Mayor, Sorsogon City addressed to the Hon. Mark Eric C. Dioneda, City Vice Mayor and Honorable Members of the Sangguniang Panlungsod thru the SP Secretary dated December 9, 2022 requesting for the passage of a Resolution authorizing the Local Chief Executive to enter into a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) with the Department of Science and Technology – Regional Office V (DOST – ROV), represented by its Regional Director, Mr. Rommel R. Serrano, CESO III, the Sangguniang Barangay of Buhatan, represented by its Barangay Chairperson, Hon. Edwin A. Divina, the Buhatan Nipa Food Production Workers Association represented by its President, Mr. Joel D. Jersey and the Department Of Social Welfare And Development – Regional Office V (DSWD – ROV), represented by its Regional Director, Mr. Norman S. Laurio relative to the project “Upgrading and Accelerating the Fermentation Process of Nipa Vinegar,” a DOST Grant-In-Aid (GIA) project;

WHEREAS, the Department of Science and Technology (DOST) is the primary science and technology body in the country, charged with pursuing the state policy of supporting local efforts in science, technology, and research and development, and is mandated to recognize the importance of providing science and technology support services to enhance productivity of local industries;

WHEREAS, one of the projects implemented by the DOST is the Grant-In-Aid (GIA) project in support to Gender and Development (GAD) wherein the DOST identified the need to improve the source of income of the nipa vinegar processors in Buhatan, East District, Sorsogon City through the implementation of the project “Upgrading and Accelerating the Fermentation Process of Nipa Vinegar” hence, the DOST approved the technical assistance and funding support amounting to Three Hundred Ninety-Two Thousand Pesos (Php 392,000.00) for the acquisition of equipment/materials sought for the project;

WHEREAS, BNFPPWA endeavors to develop, increase its productivity and sustain the processing of nipa vinegar using the acquired equipment under the project;

WHEREAS, the LGU-Sorsogon City, BLGU-Buhatan and DSWD ROV supports community-based livelihood programs that provide opportunities for the local processors to improve their economic and social well-being;

WHEREAS, sharing a common vision, the DOST ROV, LGU Sorsogon, BLGU-Buhatan and DSWD ROV agreed to pool their efforts and resources together to establish an upgraded nipa vinegar processing and facility;

WHEREAS, attached to the transmittal is a copy of a draft Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) for further perusal of the 8th City Council;

NOW THEREFORE, on incidental motion of **City Councilor Jo Abegail C. Dioneda**, duly seconded by **City Councilor Renalene Mae J. Duka**, resolve as it is hereby resolved to authorize the Hon. Ma. Ester E. Hamor, City Mayor, Sorsogon City to enter into a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) with the Department of Science and Technology – Regional Office V (DOST – ROV), represented by its Regional Director, Mr. Rommel R. Serrano, CESO III, the Sangguniang Barangay of Buhatan, represented by its Barangay Chairperson, Hon. Edwin A. Divina, the Buhatan Nipa Food Production Workers Association represented by its President, Mr. Joel D. Jersey and the Department Of Social Welfare And Development – Regional Office V (DSWD – ROV), represented by its Regional Director, Mr. Norman S. Laurio relative to the project


“Upgrading and Accelerating the Fermentation Process of Nipa Vinegar,” a DOST Grant-In-Aid (GIA) project;

RESOLVED FURTHER, that the Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) entered into by parties herein mentioned shall be an integral part of this resolution and copies of the same be furnished to the Sangguniang Panlungsod for record and archive purposes;

RESOLVED FINALLY, that copies of this resolution be furnished to all concerned for their information and guidance.

DATE APPROVED : December 13, 2022

I hereby certify to the correctness of the foregoing resolution.


NEREO RONIE N. SIROY
Assistant Secretary to the Sangguniang Panlungsod

ATTESTED:


MARK ERIC C. DIONEDA
City Vice Mayor/ Presiding Officer