



Republic of the Philippines  
**PROVINCE OF BOHOL**  
City of Tagbilaran



## PROVINCIAL DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL

**EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE PROVINCIAL DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE (PDC-EXECOM) HELD ON FEBRUARY 21, 2020 AT THE JUANITO G. CAMBANGAY CONFERENCE ROOM, PROVINCIAL PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT OFFICE (PPDO), TAGBILARAN CITY**

In Attendance:

Gov. Arthur C. Yap, PDC Chair and Presiding Officer

and

Majority of the Members of the PDC-ExeCom

### **PDC-EXECOM RESOLUTION NO. 38-2020**

**A RESOLUTION FAVORABLY ENDORSING TO THE REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL 7 THE PROPOSED PRIORITY INVESTMENT PROJECTS OF THE PROVINCE OF BOHOL FOR SUPPORT AND FURTHER ENDORSEMENT TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TOURISM (DOT) FOR INCLUSION UNDER THE TRANSFORMING COMMUNITIES TOWARDS RESILIENT, INCLUSIVE AND SUSTAINABLE TOURISM (TouRIST) PROJECTS**

**WHEREAS**, Republic Act No. 9593, The Tourism Act of 2009, declares that tourism is an indispensable element of the national economy and an industry of national interest and importance, which must be harnessed as an engine of socioeconomic growth and cultural affirmation to generate investment, foreign exchange and employment and to continue to mold an enhanced sense of national pride for all Filipinos;

**WHEREAS**, Tourism is the prime vehicle in the continued development and progress of the Province of Bohol through robust and vibrant economic activities in the province that has resulted in the improvement of the quality of life of its constituents;

**WHEREAS**, the Tourism industry is a fragile economic sector that necessitate careful planning and development for its sustainability considering that the primary asset it utilizes is limited and easily affected by the development itself;

**WHEREAS**, a carefully planned-out strategy for development in the Tourism industry in Bohol will be an assurance that the industry will be ecologically sustainable, responsible, participative, culturally sensitive, economically viable and ethically and socially equitable for all members of the local communities;

**WHEREAS**, the Department of Tourism, in partnership with the World Bank Group and other national government agencies, is embarking on a sustainable project called Transforming Communities towards Resilient, Inclusive and Sustainable Tourism Projects (TouRIST), which will be a platform for integrated approach and collaboration and will be supervised by the Tourism Coordinating Council (TCC);

**WHEREAS**, the Department of Tourism has identified Bohol Province as one (1) of the identified five targeted destinations for its rollout because of the rapid increase in tourism demand, potential for future development, lack of financing to address emerging capital investment needs, rich cultural heritage sites and biodiversity and socio-economic impact for poverty alleviation;

**WHEREAS**, this Body has discussed the merits of the proposal and has found the same to be in order and fully supportive of the development thrusts of the national government as well as the Provincial Government of Bohol, particularly in preserving its primary asset of Tourism;

**WHEREFORE**, upon proper motion duly seconded, be it resolved by this Body in a meeting duly convened –

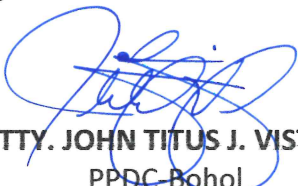
**To favorably endorse to the Regional Development Council 7 the Proposed Priority Investment Projects of the Province of Bohol for support and further Endorsement to the Department of Tourism (DOT) for Inclusion under the Transforming Communities towards Resilient, Inclusive and Sustainable Tourism (TouRIST) Projects.**

**RESOLVED FURTHER**, to furnish copies of the same Resolution to the Congressmen of Bohol: Hon. Edgar M. Chatto, 1<sup>st</sup> District; Hon. Erico Aristotle C. Aumentado, 2<sup>nd</sup> District; Hon. Kristine Alexie B. Tutor, 3<sup>rd</sup> District, for their support and follow-up.

**UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED.**

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I hereby certify to the correctness of the foregoing Resolution.

  
**ATTY. JOHN TITUS J. VISTAL**  
PPDC-Bohol  
Head, PDC Secretariat

APPROVED:

  
**ATTY. ARTHUR C. YAP**  
Governor  
Chairman, PDC-Bohol

## Transforming Communities Towards Resilient, Inclusive and Sustainable Tourism (TourIST) Program

### List of Proposed Priority Projects, 2021 - 2023 (Phase I)

Province of Bohol

Projects	Location	Project Cost (in Million P)			Description
		Phase 1	Phase 2	Total Cost	
<b>Bohol Water and Sanitation Project (BWSP)</b>	7 Municipalities & 1 City (Loboc, Sikatuna, Alburquerque, Baclayon, Corella, Dauis, Panglao, Tagbilaran City)	2,382.00	1,244.00	3,626.00	Construction of sustainable water supply from surface source in the province to provide water needs of local people, industries, business and trade through clustering approach in accordance with the Bohol Integrated Water Supply System Master Plan 2010  Phase I – Bulk Water Supply Component of the Project Phase II – Water Distribution and Sewerage / Sanitation Systems for Tagbilaran City, Dauis and Panglao
<b>Solid Waste Management Facility for Clustered Municipalities</b>	<b>Phase 1</b> <i>Cluster 3 - Talibon</i> <b>Phase 2</b> <i>Cluster 2 - Tubigon</i> <i>Cluster 4 - Jagna</i> <i>Cluster 5 - Carmen</i>	450.00	1,350.00	1,800.00	Construction of environment - friendly solid waste management facilities in clustered municipalities to make it more economically viable for LGUs and private sector
		<b>2,832.00</b>	<b>2,594.00</b>	<b>5,426.00</b>	
<b>Assistance to Reinvigorate the Tourism (ART) Value Chain</b>	Provincewide	9.33		9.33	Conduct of alternative livelihood skills training for displaced tourism workers
<b>Palengke Program</b>	Getafe, Trinidad, Ubay, Antequera, Jagna, tubigon, Talibon	240.00		240.00	Construction/ Improvement of layout and aesthetic of markets as display centers to showcase locally produced products To develop the public markets as Tourist Destination Markets
<b>Tourist Site Enhancement and Management</b>	Chocolate Hills, Tarsier Sanctuary Ecotourism Complex, Pamilacan Island, Cambuhat Oyster Farm	157.81		157.81	Development of Sikatuna Tree Park, construction of tourist visitor center & lodging facility for Tarsier Sanctuary Ecotourism Complex in Corella and Sikatuna; Construction of viewing deck, food court and activity center with pathways, stairs and ramp at Chocolate Hills in Carmen; Construction of docking areas for bancas. water desalination and green restrooms in Pamilacan Island; and Construction of discovery center and green restrooms in Bambuhat Oyster Farm.
		<b>407.14</b>		<b>407.14</b>	
<b>Hygiene Preparedness in Tourist Sites</b>	Chocolate Hills, Tarsier Sanctuary, Loboc Tourism Complex, Baclayon Museum, Loay Museum, Loay Museum, Abatan Village Center, Cambuhat Oyster Farm, Major Seaports (7) & Panglao airport	80.00		80.00	Installation of disinfection/ sanitizing tunnels in popular tourist areas, acquisition of mobile testing units and isolation rooms for immediate response, and provision of Personal Protective Equipment for tourism workers in tourist sites in accordance with the DOH and DOT standards and protocols
<b>Decompression Chambers</b>	Anda, Ubay, Loon, Talibon	104.00		104.00	Acquisition and installation of decompression chambers in key dive sites frequently visited by tourists to minimize if not eradicate any accidental death and provide immediate response
<b>Sea Ambulances</b>	Districts 1, 2 & 3 Southern Bohol Northern Bohol	156.00		156.00	Purchase of 3 sea ambulances for each Congressional Districts of the Province and 2 Mini Sea Ambulances for Southern and Northern Bohol to provide urgent response to accidents and emergencies along the coastal areas
		<b>340.00</b>		<b>340.00</b>	
		<b>3,579.14</b>	<b>2,594.00</b>	<b>6,173.14</b>	