



PROVINCIAL DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE PROVINCIAL DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE (EXECOM) HELD ON DECEMBER 15, 2023 AT THE CANGANGAY CONFERENCE ROOM, PROVINCIAL PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT OFFICE, PROVINCIAL CAPITOL, LINO CHATTO DRIVE, COGON DISTRICT, TAGBILARAN CITY, BOHOL, PHILIPPINES

In Attendance:

Gov. Erico Aristotle C. Aumentado.....Chairman, Presiding Officer
and
Majority of the Members of the PDC Executive Committee

PDC EXECOM RESOLUTION NO. 71-2023

A RESOLUTION FAVORABLY ENDORSING TO THE CENTRAL VISAYAS REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL – REGION VII (RDC-7) THE PROPOSED BIG-TICKET PROJECTS OF THE PROVINCE OF BOHOL FOR MASTER PLAN AND FEASIBILITY STUDY PREPARATION AND FUNDING OF PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION TO THE JAPAN INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION AGENCY (JICA) AND OTHER NATIONAL AGENCIES FOR SUPPORT

WHEREAS, the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) has funded some of the most important big-ticket projects in Bohol, such as the Panglao-Bohol International Airport, Circumferential Road Projects and multiple irrigation dams, all of which have greatly aided in the Province' goal of sustainable development and economic growth;

WHEREAS, the province identified the following proposed big-ticket projects that will propel economic progress in Bohol:

1. **Wastewater Treatment Project** for the City of Tagbilaran and the nearby Municipalities of Dauis and Panglao, which are most affected by the influx of tourism; and to expand to neighboring municipalities of Baclayon, Albuquerque, Cortes and Maribojoc;
2. **Integrated Highway** around the Province of Bohol, which would serve as a second circumferential highway to counter the effects of increased vehicle traffic;
3. **Light Rail Transit** traversing Tagbilaran City and the Municipalities of Dauis and Panglao, to facilitate the movement of tourists, visitors and residents around the area;
4. **Sabo Dam Flood Control Project** for the Municipalities of Loboc, Inabanga, Garcia-Hernandez, and Guindulman, to address the extreme flooding around their respective rivers during heavy rainfall;
5. **Bohol Business Park**, a proposed facility to be located at the site of the former Tagbilaran City Airport;
6. **Ubay Airport Development Project**, for the construction of a secondary feeder airport which could also serve as an aviation learning/academy site;

7. **Light Industry Economic Zone** in the Municipalities of Buenavista, Getafe, Talibon, Ubay and Mabini;
8. **Bohol-Cebu Friendship Bridge**, an inter-island bridge connecting the Province of Cebu (through Cordova in Mactan Island) to the Province of Bohol (through the Municipality of Getafe);
9. **Bohol Bulk Water Supply (Loboc River Cluster)** covering the City of Tagbilaran, and Municipalities of Dauis, Panglao, Baclayon, Alburquerque, Corella, Sikatuna, Loboc and Sevilla;
10. **Talibon Cluster Sanitary Landfill** located in the Municipality of Talibon and serving the Municipalities of Talibon, Inabanga, Buenavista, Danao, Getafe, Trinidad, San Miguel and Bien Unido.

WHEREAS, the proposed projects are aligned both to the Philippine Development Plan (PDP) and Central Visayas Regional Development Plan (CV-RDP) strategies of easy access for people, goods and information through modernized and expanded transport and road infrastructure; and improving physical infrastructure to support increased growth and development;

WHEREAS, after review and deliberation, the proposed flagship projects have been found by this Body to be aligned with Bohol's strategic change agenda to build resilient infrastructure and utilities anticipating future demands, and are consistent with the Comprehensive Land Use Plans (CLUPs) of all concerned municipalities, and on top of all these, the projects are deemed to conform with the Provincial Development and Physical Framework Plan (PDPFP) of the Provincial Government of Bohol; and therefore, worthy of support and endorsement to the Central Visayas Regional Development Council – Region VII (RDC-7);

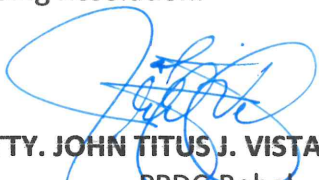
WHEREFORE, upon proper motion duly seconded, be it resolved by this Body in a meeting duly convened –

To favorably endorse to the Central Visayas Regional Development Council – Region VII (RDC-7) the proposed big-ticket projects of the Province of Bohol for Master Plan and Feasibility Study preparation and funding of project implementation to the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) and other national agencies for support.


UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED.

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I hereby certify to the correctness of the foregoing Resolution.


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

APPROVED:


ERICO ARISTOTLE C. AUMENTADO
Governor
Chairman, PDC-Bohol