

## 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 (EXECOM) HELD ON SEPTEMBER 12, 2024 AT THE CAMBANGAY CONFERENCE ROOM, 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 63-2024

A RESOLUTION FAVORABLY ENDORSING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE PANGLAO ISLAND-METRO TAGBILARAN SEPTAGE AND SEWERAGE MANAGEMENT PROJECT TO THE REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL – REGION VII (RDC-VII), DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS (DPWH) AND OTHER NATIONAL GOVERNMENT AGENCIES (NGAS) FOR SUPPORT AND FUNDING

**WHEREAS**, the development of a resilient and green Bohol through the implementation of sound environmental programs is one of the priorities of the Government of Bohol under the leadership of Governor Aumentado;

**WHEREAS**, among the identified pressing needs for environmental sustainability, health and sanitation is the absence of waste water management facilities such as a Sewage Treatment Plants and Sewerage Systems in the Province of Bohol;

**WHEREAS**, such environmental management infrastructure is necessary in urbanizing areas and high-density tourism zones such as in Panglao Island and Tagbilaran City considering the volume of waste water generated in these areas brought about by increase in population and socio-economic growth;

WHEREAS, the proposed Panglao Island-Metro Tagbilaran Septage and Sewerage Management Project will likewise strengthen the participation and cooperation of stakeholders in attaining environmental sustainability, eradicate the threats of contamination of underground fresh water sources and the surrounding coastal waters, establish a model communal treatment facility, and promote economic enterprise for the government and private sector;

**WHEREAS**, the proposed project will directly benefit the residents of Municipalities of Dauis and Panglao, and the City of Tagbilaran; it will likewise indirectly benefit the entire Province of Bohol due to the economic gains from the sustained eco-tourism industry of Panglao Island and mainland Bohol;

**WHEREAS**, the significant financial requirements for the establishment of the project can be arranged through counter-parting arrangements among local government units, national government agencies, official development assistance and the private sector;

**WHEREAS**, with this proposed project, there is a need for technical experts from various fields to ensure proper analysis of administrative, financial, social, economic, infrastructure and environmental aspects for the construction and operation of the septage and sewerage management project;

WHEREAS, after thorough deliberation, the proposed establishment of the Panglao Island-Metro Tagbilaran Septage and Sewerage Management Project has been found by this Body to be supportive to the attainment of Bohol's development goals and objectives and therefore worthy of support and endorsement to appropriate National Government Agencies (NGAs) for technical and financial support;

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

to favorably endorse the Establishment of the Panglao Island-Metro Tagbilaran Septage and Sewerage Management Project to the Regional Development Council – Region VII (RDC-VII), Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH) and other National Government Agencies (NGAS) for support and funding.

UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED.

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I hereby certify to the correctness of the foregoing Resolution.

JOHN TITUS J. VISTAI

Head, PDC Secretariat

APPROVED:

ERICO ARISTOTLE C. AUMENTADO

Governor

Chairman, PDC-Bohol