

Republic of the Philippines PROVINCE OF ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR Municipality of San Pablo OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN



EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 65TH REGULAR SESSION OF THE 11TH MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, HELD AT THE MULTI-PURPOSE BUILDING, SAN PABLO, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR ON FEBRUARY 7, 2024.

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-11

"A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF THE PHILIPPINES, HONORABLE ALEXANDER G. GESMUNDO, TO CAUSE THE IMMEDIATE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION OF DUMALINAO, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR HALL OF JUSTICE."

WHEREAS, presented for consideration and appropriate action is the request of the 8TH Municipal Circuit Trial Court (MCTC) Presiding Judge Pacifico T. Cimafranca, Jr., to respectfully request the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Philippines, Hon. Alexander G. Gesmundo, to cause the immediate implementation of the proposed construction of Dumalinao, Zamboanga del Sur Hall of Justice;

WHEREAS, Section 16 of Republic Act 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, provides that every Local Government Unit shall exercise power expressly granted those necessarily implied therefrom, as well as powers necessary, appropriate, or incident for its efficient and effective governance, and those which are essential to the promotion of the general welfare;

WHEREAS, per S.M. No. 20-06-03-SC, Re: Proposed Construction of Dumalinao, Zamboanga del Sur Hall of Justice Building, covered by Purchase Request No. 2020-17 dated February 13, 2020, has long been approved in the amount of Seven Million Five Hundred Thousand Pesos (P7,500,000.00), and such had long been referred to the Procurement Planning Committee for appropriate action. This fact is reflected in the En Banc Notice from the Supreme Court itself sent to all concerned by Edgar O. Aricheta (copy attached as Annex A);

WHEREAS, Lot 10062-B-2, Psd-09-085282-D, with an area of 600 square meters, was donated by the four (4) Local Government Units, namely: Dumalinao, Tigbao, Guipos, and San Pablo, all province of Zamboanga del Sur, through their respective municipal mayors, duly authorized by the Sangguniang Bayan Resolutions to the Supreme Court of the Philippines and had been long transferred in the name of the latter on April 23, 2023 (Copy of TCT No. T-130-2023000962 as Annex B);

WHEREAS, the budget for this project has long been approved as of February 13, 2020, but its implementation has been drastically affected and delayed by the Covid-19 Pandemic;

WHEREAS, it is for the best interest and welfare of the four LGUs, its residents, court officials, personnel, litigants, and people who have transactions with the court that its Court House building be completed;

WHEREAS, after careful review and exhaustive deliberation, and after finding the same to be proper and order;

NOW, THEREFORE, premises above-considered, on motion by Hon. Andres M. Villanueva, III, the body resolved, as it hereby resolved RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF THE PHILIPPINES, HONORABLE ALEXANDER G. GESMUNDO, TO CAUSE THE IMMEDIATE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION OF DUMALINAO, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR HALL OF JUSTICE.

Let the copy of this resolution be furnished to the Office of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Philippines, to the Honorable Chairman, Hall of Justice, Committee, Court Administrator, Supreme Court, Ermita, Manila, to the Office Honorable Court Administrator, to the 8TH MCTC Presiding Judge, and concern offices and/or officials for reference, guidance and appropriate action.

DONE this 7TH day of February, 2024, at San Pablo, Zamboanga del Sur. "UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED".

Certified correct;

Approve

NELITA P. SUMBI Sanggunan Secretary

Verified:

ANDRES M. VILLANUEVA, III

Floor Leader

ATTY. FLAVIO P. CORDERO, JR.

Vice Mayor Presiding Officer