

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



EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 15TH REGULAR SESSION OF THE 12TH SANGGUNIANG BAYAN MEMBERS OF SAN PABLO, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR, HELD AT THE MULTI-PURPOSE BUILDING, ON NOVEMBER 3, 2025.

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-60

"A RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY INQUIRING FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS (DPWH) – SECOND ENGINEERING DISTRICT, GUIPOS, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR, ON THE STATUS OF THE ENDORSEMENT OF HON. SENATOR JOSEPH VICTOR "JV" G. EJERCITO ESTRADA DATED 13 JULY 2023, THE MEMORANDUM OF ASSISTANT SECRETARY CONSTANTE A. LLANES, JR., CESO III, DATED 20 NOVEMBER 2023, AND THE LETTER OF REGIONAL DIRECTOR CAYAMOMBAO D. OYA OF DPWH REGIONAL OFFICE IX, ZAMBOANGA CITY, RELATIVE TO RESOLUTION NO. 2022-45 DATED 12 OCTOBER 2022 REQUESTING THE ALLOCATION OF P2.3 MILLION FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF RIVERBANK PROTECTION / RIVER CONTROL PROJECT IN BARANGAY POBLACION, SAN PABLO, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR."

WHEREAS, on 12 October 2022, the Sangguniang Bayan of San Pablo approved Resolution No. 2022-45, respectfully requesting the Honorable Senator Joseph Victor "JV" G. Ejercito Estrada to assist the Municipality of San Pablo in securing funding from the Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH) amounting to Two Million Three Hundred Thousand Pesos (P2,300,000.00) for the construction of a riverbank protection/river control project in Barangay Poblacion, San Pablo, Zamboanga del Sur;

WHEREAS, the said Resolution No. 2022-45 was directly addressed to Senator Ejercito Estrada, who, through a letter dated 13 July 2023, endorsed and referred the funding request to the DPWH Central Office for appropriate evaluation and inclusion in the national infrastructure program;

WHEREAS, subsequently, the DPWH Central Office, through Assistant Secretary Constante A. Llanes, Jr., CESO III, issued a Memorandum dated 20 November 2023 referring the same to the Regional Director, DPWH Regional Office IX, Zamboanga City, for appropriate evaluation and recommendation;

WHEREAS, in compliance thereto, Regional Director Cayamombao D. Oya of the DPWH Regional Office IX issued a letter of endorsement to the District Engineer, DPWH Second Engineering District, Guipos, Zamboanga del Sur, for evaluation and possible inclusion in the district's proposed project listings;

WHEREAS, the pertinent papers, including the (1) Resolution No. 2022-45, (2) the endorsement letter of Hon. Senator Joseph Victor "JV" G. Ejercito Estrada dated 13 July 2023, (3) the memorandum of Assistant Secretary Constante A. Llanes, Jr., CESO III, dated 20 November 2023, and (4) the letter of endorsement of Regional Director Cayamombao D. Oya, are hereto attached as integral parts of this Resolution for ready reference and documentation;

WHEREAS, as of this date, the Municipality of San Pablo has not yet received any written report or update from the DPWH Second Engineering District, Guipos, regarding the status, evaluation result, or funding action relative to the request;

WHEREAS, the proposed riverbank protection/river control project is vital to protect lives, properties, and livelihoods of residents in Barangay Poblacion and adjacent areas, which are frequently affected by flooding, especially during the rainy season;

WHEREAS, it is necessary for the Sangguniang Bayan of San Pablo to formally inquire from the DPWH Second Engineering District the status and current disposition of the above-cited endorsement and funding request to ensure transparency and continuity of government action.

WHEREFORE, on motion of Hon. Joefel G. Medico, duly seconded by Hon. Dennis P. Cordero, be it

RESOLVED, THAT THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF SAN PABLO, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR, HEREBY RESPECTFULLY INQUIRES FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS (DPWH) - SECOND ENGINEERING DISTRICT, GUIPOS, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR, THE CURRENT STATUS, ACTIONS TAKEN, AND PROGRESS RELATIVE TO THE ENDORSEMENT OF HON. SENATOR JOSEPH VICTOR "JV" G. EJERCITO ESTRADA DATED 13 JULY 2023, THE MEMORANDUM OF ASSISTANT SECRETARY CONSTANTE A. LLANES, JR., CESO III, DATED 20 NOVEMBER 2023, AND THE LETTER OF REGIONAL DIRECTOR CAYAMOMBAO D. OYA OF DPWH REGIONAL OFFICE IX, ZAMBOANGA CITY, ALL CONCERNING RESOLUTION NO. 2022-45 DATED 12 OCTOBER 2022 OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF SAN PABLO.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that copies of this Resolution, together with the pertinent attached documents, be furnished to the following offices for their information and appropriate action:

- 1. The District Engineer, DPWH Second Engineering District, Guipos, Zamboanga del Sur;
- 2. The Regional Director, DPWH Regional Office IX, Zamboanga City;
- 3. The Assistant Secretary for Planning Service, DPWH Central Office, Manila; and
- 4. The Office of Hon. Senator Joseph Victor "JV" G. Ejercito Estrada, for reference and monitoring.

ADOPTED this 3RD day of November, 2025, at the Municipality of San Pablo, Province of Zamboanga del Sur.

"UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED".

Certified correct:

ELITA P. SUMBI

Sanggurlian Secretary

Attested:

DENNIS P CORDERO, SB Member/Floor Leader

Verified:

ATTY. FLAVIO P. CORDERO, JR.

ce Mayor/Presiding Officer