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MINUTES OF THE 137TH REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF LEYTE, HELD AT THE SESSION HALL, LEYTE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT COMPLEX, PALO, LEYTE ON 25 JUNE 2025.

PHYSICALLY PRESENT:

1. Hon. Leonardo M. Javier, Jr.	Vice-Governor/Presiding Officer
2. Hon. Carlo P. Loreto	5 th District Board Member Floor Leader
3. Hon. Wilson S. Uy	1 st District Board Member
4. Hon. Ronnan Christian M. Reposar	1 st District Board Member
5. Hon. Trinidad G. Apostol	2 nd District Board Member
6. Hon. Raissa J. Villasin	2 nd District Board Member
7. Hon. Ma. Corazon E. Remandaban	3 rd District Board Member
8. Hon. Marie Kathryn V. Kabigting	3 rd District Board Member
9. Hon. Vincent L. Rama	4 th District Board Member
10. Hon. Flaviano C. Centino, Jr.	4 th District Board Member
11. Hon. Michael L. Cari	5 th District Board Member
12. Hon. Carmen L. Cari	PCL President/Ex-Officio Member
13. Hon. Ma. Martina L. Gimenez	Liga ng mga Barangay President Ex-Officio Member
14. Hon. MJ Luinly D. Lumen	SK Federation President Ex-Officio Member

The 137th Regular Session opened at 10:31 o'clock in the morning presided over by the Honorable Leonardo M. Javier, Jr., Presiding Officer, Vice-Governor of the Province of Leyte.

Opening Prayer was led by the Honorable Raissa J. Villasin, 2nd District Board Member of Leyte, followed by the singing of the Philippine National Anthem.

A motion to dispense with the Panunumpa sa Watawat, the Leyte Hymn, the PBMLP Hymn and the PBMLP Creed of the agenda was presented by the Temporary Floor Leader Honorable Michael L. Cari, 5th District Board Member duly seconded by the Honorable Villasin, 2nd District Board Member.

Considering that there was no objection, the motion was carried.

45 The Presiding Officer, Honorable Leonardo M. Javier, Jr., requested the
46 Sangguniang Panlalawigan Secretary, Ms. Florinda Jill S. Uyvico to call the roll in order
47 to determine the presence of quorum.

48 **MS. FLORINDA JILL S. UYVICO: SECRETARY TO THE SANGGUNIAN**

49 The following Members are in attendance:

50 **PHYSICALLY PRESENT:**

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52 Hon. Leonardo M. Javier, Jr. - Presiding Officer
53 Hon. Michael L. Cari - Temp. Floor Leader
54 Hon. Carlo P. Loreto
55 Hon. Wilson S. Uy
56 Hon. Ronnan Christian M. Reposar
57 Hon. Trinidad G. Apostol
58 Hon. Raissa J. Villasin
59 Hon. Ma. Corazon E. Remandaban
60 Hon. Marie Kathryn V. Kabigting
61 Hon. Vincent L. Rama
62 Hon. Flaviano C. Centino, Jr.
63 Hon. Carmen L. Cari
64 Hon. Ma. Martina L. Gimenez
65 Hon. MJ Luinly D. Lumen

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67 We have Fourteen Members (14) present, Mr. Chair, Mr. Floor.

68 **HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR**

69 Since we are in quorum, we are open now to do business.

70 Floor Leader?

71 **HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. FLOOR LEADER /5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER**

72 We now proceed for consideration of our minutes of the previous meeting last June
73 17, 2025. I would like to move for its approval. I so move.

74 **HON. WILSON S. UY: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER**

75 Second.

76 **HON. RAISSA J. VILLASIN: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER**

77 Second.

78 **HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER**

79 Mr. Floor Leader?

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81 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. FLOOR LEADER /5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

82 Mr. Chair, will you please recognize the Honorable Apostol?

83 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

84 Yes, Honorable Apostol, you are recognized.

85 HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

86 I think the proper procedure there is you first ask if there is any correction from the
87 floor before you move for approval.

88 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. FLOOR LEADER /5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

89 Okay. Are there any corrections for our minutes of the previous meeting last June
90 17, 2025 coming from the floor?

91 HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

92 There are none, I think.

93 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. FLOOR LEADER /5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

94 Hearing none so I therefore move for its approval. I so move.

95 HON. WILSON S. UY: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

96 Second.

97 HON. RAISSA J. VILLASIN: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

98 Second.

99 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

100 Any objections?

101 Hearing none, the motion is approved.

102 Approved.

RES. NO. 2025-298

103 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. FLOOR LEADER /5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

104 Thank you, Mr. Chair. So, are there any Committee Reports?

105 MRS. FLORINDA JILL S. UYVICO: SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN SECRETARY

106 We have none, Mr. Floor Leader.

107 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. FLOOR LEADER /5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

108 Now, for the First Reading and Reference of Business, do we have?

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110 MRS. FLORINDA JILL S. UYVICO: SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN SECRETARY

111 We have none, Mr. Floor Leader.

112 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. FLOOR LEADER /5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

113 So, we now come to the Business of the Day. Item no.1, Madame Secretary
114 please.

115 **BUSINESS OF THE DAY**

116 **ITEM NO. 01**

117 Presented for consideration is **Municipal Ordinance No.**
118 **08, S. 2025** of Tolosa, Leyte entitled: **“AN ORDINANCE**
119 **PROMOTING THE USE AND DEVELOPMENT OF RENEWABLE**
120 **ENERGY SOURCES IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF TOLOSA, LEYTE,**
121 **TO ENCOURAGE SUSTAINABLE ENERGY PRACTICES AND**
122 **REDUCE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT”** Same is recommended for
123 the declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2nd
124 indorsement dated March 13, 2025.

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127 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

128 Mr. Chair, regarding Item No. 1, will you please recognize the Honorable Reposar?

129 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

130 Honorable Reposar, you are recognized.

131 HON. RONNAN CHRISTIAN M. REPOSAR: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

132 Thank you, Mr. Chair. Thank you, Honorable Floor Leader.

133 Item no. 1 is Municipal Ordinance No. 08, S. 2025 of Tolosa, Leyte entitled: “An
134 Ordinance Promoting the Use and Development of Renewable Energy Sources in The
135 Municipality of Tolosa, Leyte, To Encourage Sustainable Energy Practices and Reduce
136 Environmental Impact”.

137 Pursuant to Sections 447 (a) (1) of the Local Government Code Article II Section
138 16 of Philippine Constitution, the Provincial Legal Office has recommended the said
139 proposed Ordinance to be declared valid. Hence, I move that the same be approved. I so
140 move.

141 HON. MA. CORAZON E. REMANDABAN: 3RD DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

142 Second.

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144 HON. RAISSA J. VILLASIN: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

145 Second.

146 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

147 Any objections?

148 Hearing none, the motion is approved.

149 Approved.

RES. NO. 2025-299

150 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

151 Thank you, Mr. Chair. Item No. 2, Madame Secretary please.

152 MS. FLORINDA JILL S. UYVICO: SECRETARY TO THE SANGGUNIAN

153 **ITEM NO. 02**

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HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

164 Mr. Chairman.

165 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

166 The Honorable Apostol, Mr. Chair.

167 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

168 Yes, the Honorable Apostol, you are recognized.

169 HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

170 Just for the information of everybody, may I just ask if there is an invitation for this

171 team regarding their trip to Dubai? Is there an invitation coming from Dubai or coming

172 from the organization who are organizing this? Because that is part of the documentation

173 that has to be taken care of.

174 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

175 Honorable Apostol, are you asking if there is a formal invitation from an

176 organization in Dubai?

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178 HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

179 Correct.

180 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

181 Madame Secretary, do you have a copy?

182 HON. MJ LUILLY D. LUMEN: PROVL SANG. KABATAAN FEDERATION PRESIDENT

183 Mr. Chair, if I may.

184 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

185 Yes, the Honorable Lumen.

186 HON. MJ LUILLY D. LUMEN: PROVL SANG. KABATAAN FEDERATION PRESIDENT

187 Mr. Chair, upon seeing the letter submitted by the Dayon Dance Group, there's a
188 Certification provided here, from the World Supremacy Battlegrounds Founder Markho
189 Andre Sanorio. In our previous session they also provided some details that are
190 considered valid for this dance group to be recognized as part of the Philippine Team in
191 the World Supremacy Battlegrounds, Mr. Chair.

192 HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

193 Mr. Floor Leader, Mr. Chairman, may I be recognized?

194 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

195 Yes, you are recognized.

196 HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

197 I'm just asking because that invitation letter coming from the organizer of this
198 particular activity is not included in the papers that you have submitted. It should be
199 included here because that is one of the important documentations of your travel. Even,
200 we Board Members, if we are going abroad or going somewhere we have to have that
201 invitation and authority coming from the Governor or the Vice-Governor. There is no copy
202 here.

203 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

204 We take note of the concern of our colleague, Honorable Apostol. Can we skip this
205 item and move to the next Item and look for the invitation if there is one? Can we move
206 to Item No. 3, please?

207 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

208 Item No. 3, Madame Secretary.

209 MS. FLORINDA JILL S. UYVICO: SECRETARY TO THE SANGGUNIAN

210 **ITEM NO. 03**

211 Presented for consideration is a letter dated June 19, 2025
212 from **Agnes C. Rafon, Chairperson, PLUC and OIC-PPDC**
213 furnishing the August body a copy of the **Certificate of Compliance**
214 to all comments and recommendations issued by the Chairperson of
215 the Provincial Land Use Committee (PLUC). Said certification carries
216 the PLUC'S endorsement of the **2023-2032 Comprehensive Land**
217 **Use Plan and Zoning Ordinance of Pastrana, Leyte** for appropriate
218 action.

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220 HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

221 Mr. Chair.

222 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

223 Yes, the Honorable Apostol.

224 HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

225 This particular letter coming from Agnes C. Rafon, who is the Chairperson of
226 Provincial Land Use Committee, is just a submission of Certificate of Compliance, of all
227 comments and recommendations issued by the Chairperson of the PLUC. So, I think we
228 have to take note of this because this is only the submission of Certificate of Compliance
229 coming from this August Body.

230 HON. VINCENT L. RAMA: 4TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

231 Second.

232 HON. RONNAN CHRISTIAN M. REPOSAR: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

233 Second.

234 HON. WILSON S. UY: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

235 Mr. Chair, point of order.

236 Yes, Mr. Chair, as far as I know, with respect to Item No. 3, this is an indorsement
237 coming from the LGU-Pastrana to the Province of Leyte of the 2023-2032 Comprehensive
238 Land Use Plan and Zoning Ordinance of Pastrana, Leyte. So, I think this Zoning Plan of
239 Pastrana, Leyte should be accepted by the Province of Leyte. And, this will be part and

240 parcel of the Zoning of the Province of Leyte. So, even when there are some issues, some
241 data that our Provincial Planning Office need to consider, they will look at this
242 Comprehensive Land Use Plan of Pastrana, Leyte.

243 So therefore, Mr. Chair, this is not only to be merely noted. It is to endorse the said
244 Comprehensive Plan to the Provincial Planning Office, so we should accept this
245 submission, Mr. Chair.

246 HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

247 Mr. Chairman, Mr. Floor Leader.

248 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

249 Go ahead, Honorable Apostol.

250 HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

251 This particular letter is an indorsement coming from the PLUC, indorsing the
252 Comprehensive Land Use Plan and Zoning Ordinance coming from the Municipality of
253 Pastrana, Leyte, Mr. Chairman. So, it's very clear that this is an indorsement coming from
254 the PLUC, that they are endorsing the 2023-2032 Comprehensive Land Use Plan and
255 Zoning Ordinance of the Municipality of Pastrana, Leyte. That is my observation, Mr.
256 Chairman. Thank you.

257 HON. RONNAN CHRISTIAN M. REPOSAR: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

258 Mr. Chair, may I be recognized?

259 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. FLOOR LEADER/PRESIDING OFFICER

260 The Honorable Reposar, Mr. Chair.

261 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

262 Yes, the Honorable Reposar, you are recognized.

263 HON. RONNAN CHRISTIAN M. REPOSAR: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

264 For the information of our colleagues, the said Comprehensive Land Use Plan and
265 Zoning Ordinance of the Municipality of Pastrana, Leyte has already been approved
266 during our session on June 10, 2025, Mr. Chair. However, the approval articulated/
267 observed provided some conditions are met. And, I think this indorsement coming from

268 the Provincial Land Use Committee indorsing the said Comprehensive Land Use Plan of
269 Pastrana, Leyte is just evidencing compliance of the municipality.

270 Hence, the motion earlier, noting the compliance made by the Municipality of
271 Pastrana, I think is a proper motion, hence I seconded the said motion. With that, Mr.
272 Chair, I think the proper action would be to integrate this compliance to the Resolution
273 approving the CLUP and Zoning Ordinance of the Municipality of Pastrana. This is just a
274 mere notice to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan that they have already complied all the
275 conditions we were asking for as observed by the movant, Honorable Villasin during that
276 session.

277 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

278 Honorable Villasin, please.

279 HON. RAISSA J. VILLASIN: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

280 Thank you, Mr. Chair.

281 I concur with what Honorable Reposar said that this has already previously
282 approved, pending the compliance of the Municipality of Pastrana to the
283 recommendations by the PLUC. So, for now, may I also request the Sanggunian
284 Panlalawigan Secretary to communicate with the Municipality of Pastrana, that their
285 compliance is duly accepted, received by our office. The Municipality of Pastrana has
286 complied with all the recommendations of the PLUC, during that session wherein their
287 Zoning Ordinance and CLUP was approved pending the submission that they are fully
288 compliant with all the recommendations.

289 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

290 The Honorable Apostol, any comments on that?

291 HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

292 Mr. Chairman, as I have said before, this particular letter is only in compliance with
293 all the comments and recommendation issued by the Chairperson of the Provincial Land
294 Use Committee and that they are indorsing the 2023-2032 Comprehensive Land Use
295 Plan and Zoning Ordinance of the Municipality of Pastrana, Leyte. Thank you, Mr.
296 Chairman, thank you, Mr. Floor Leader.

297 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

298 And now, what was the motion?

299 HON. RONNAN CHRISTIAN M. REPOSAR: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

300 I second the motion of Honorable Apostol, Mr. Chair, to take note of Certification
301 of Compliance made by the Municipality of Pastrana.

302 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

303 No more issues?

304 HON. RONNAN CHRISTIAN M. REPOSAR: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

305 No more issues, Mr. Chair.

306 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

307 The motion is carried and approved.

308 Approved unanimously.

RES. NO. 2025-300

309 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

310 I'd like to welcome the Honorable Loreto.

311 Thank you for joining us.

312 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

313 Regarding Item No. 4, may I relinquish my position as Temporary Majority Floor
314 Leader because our Floor Leader Honorable Loreto is present.

315 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

316 Thank you, Mr. Chair. Thank you, Honorable Mike Cari.

317 HON. RONNAN CHRISTIAN M. REPOSAR: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

318 Before we proceed, Mr. Floor, may I be recognized.

319 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

320 The Honorable Reposar, Mr. Chair.

321 HON. RONNAN CHRISTIAN M. REPOSAR: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

322 Corollary motion, Mr. Chair.

323 I move that we also integrate the Certificate of Compliance to the approving

324 Resolution that we issued earlier, referring to the CLUP and Zoning Ordinance of the

325 Municipality of Pastrana, and a correspondence be served to the municipality
326 acknowledging their compliance. I so move, Mr. Chair.

327 HON. WILSON S. UY: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

328 Second.

329 HON. RAISSA J. VILLASIN: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

330 Second.

331 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

332 Any objections?

333 Hearing none, the motion is carried and approved.

334 Approved unanimously. **RES. NO. 2025-300-A**

335 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

336 Thank you, Mr. Chair. We now proceed to Item No. 4, Madam Secretary, please.

337 MS. FLORINDA JILL S. UYVICO: SECRETARY TO THE SANGGUNIAN

338 **ITEM NO. 04**

339 Presented for consideration is a letter dated June 10, 2025
340 from **Atty. Jannie Ann J. Dayandayan, General Manager, LEYECO**
341 **V**, furnishing copy of **Joint Application** for the Approval of the
342 **Emergency Power Supply Agreement ("EPSA") between**
343 **Southwest Luzon Power Generation Corp. (SPLGC) and LEYECO**
344 **V** with a request for a Certification attesting the August body was duly
345 served a copy of the Joint application.
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347 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

348 Mr. Chair, I move that we favorably consider the request for posting in our bulletin
349 board.

350 HON. WILSON S. UY: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

351 Second.

352 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

353 Any objections?

354 Hearing none, the motion is carried and approved.

355 Approved unanimously. **RES. NO. 2025-301**

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357 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

358 Thank you, Mr. Chair. We now proceed to Item No. 5, Madam Secretary, please.

359 MS. FLORINDA JILL S. UYVICO: SECRETARY TO THE SANGGUNIAN

360 **ITEM NO. 05**

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362 Presented for consideration is a National Water Resources
363 Board **Water Permit Application NO. VIII-LEY-2025-05-047** filed by
364 ENERGY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION located at Brgy. Limao,
365 Kananga, Leyte, with a request that said application be posted on the
366 Bulletin board of the office.

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368 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

369 Mr. Chair, I move that we favorably consider the request for posting in our bulletin
370 board.

371 HON. RONNAN CHRISTIAN M. REPOSAR: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

372 Second.

373 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

374 Any objections?

375 Hearing none, the motion is carried and approved.

376 Approved unanimously. **RES. NO. 2025-302**

377 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

378 Thank you, Mr. Chair. We now proceed to Item No. 6, Madam Secretary, please.

379 MS. FLORINDA JILL S. UYVICO: SECRETARY TO THE SANGGUNIAN

380 **ITEM NO. 06**

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382 Presented for consideration is a letter dated May 6, 2025
383 from **Corazon M. Alvero, Provincial Administrator**, requesting for
384 **approval through a resolution for the disposal of unserviceable**
385 **properties and equipment** in various offices and facilities of the
386 Provincial Government of Leyte as of December 31, 2024.

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388 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

389 I move that we favorably consider the request. I move that we pass a Resolution
390 authorizing the Office of the Governor to dispose the unserviceable properties and
391 equipment listed attached to the letter of the Provincial Administrator. I so move.

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393 HON. WILSON S. UY: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

394 Second.

395 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

396 Any objections?

397 Hearing none, the motion is carried and approved.

398 Approved unanimously. **RES. NO. 2025-303**

399 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

400 Thank you, Mr. Chair. We now proceed to Item No. 7, Madam Secretary, please.

401 MS. FLORINDA JILL S. UYVICO: SECRETARY TO THE SANGGUNIAN

402 **ITEM NO. 07**

403 Presented for consideration is **General Fund Supplemental**
404 **Budget No. 1 CY 2025 of Tanauan, Leyte** amounting to
405 **Php33,175,645.48** under **Ordinance No. 2025-13**, same is
406 recommended for **APPROVAL** with **conditions** by the Local Finance
407 Committee per review letter dated June 19, 2025, together with
408 **Supplemental Investment Program (SIP) No. 01 CY 2025** of the
409 same amount.

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411 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

412 Will you please recognize the Honorable Uy, Mr. Chair?

413 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

414 The Honorable Uy is recognized.

415 HON. WILSON S. UY: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

416 For Item Nos. 7 and 8, these are two Supplemental Budgets. Item No. 7 is the
417 General Fund Supplemental Budget No. 1 for Calendar Year 2025 of Tanauan, Leyte,
418 together with Supplemental Investment Program (SIP) No. 01 of the same amount; and,
419 Item No. 8 is General Fund Supplemental Budget No. 1 for Fiscal Year 2025 of Javier,
420 Leyte.

421 If my motion is in order, Mr. Chair, I move that we approve the General Fund
422 Supplemental Budget No. 1 of Tanauan, Leyte, together with the Supplemental
423 Investment Program, and the Supplemental Budget No. 1 of Javier, Leyte, with conditions
424 set forth by the Local Finance Committee. I so move, Mr. Chair.

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426 . VINCENT L. RAMA: 4TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

427 Second.

428 HON. RONNAN CHRISTIAN M. REPOSAR: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

429 Second.

430 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

431 Any objections?

432 Hearing none, the motion is carried and approved.

433 Approved unanimously. **RES. NO. 2025-304**

434 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

435 Thank you, Mr. Chair. There are no more items in our agenda.

436 HON. VINCENT L. RAMA: 4TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

437 Mr. Chair.

438 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

439 Honorable Rama, please.

440 HON. VINCENT L. RAMA: 4TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

441 Earlier, we skipped Item No. 2 because we have to resolve it. So, I move that we
442 go back to Item No. 2 and come up with a motion before we adjourn. The concern earlier
443 was, there was a document that was missing, Mr. Floor Leader. And, since they are only
444 asking for a passage of a Resolution, I move that they complete the document first before
445 we pass a Resolution. So, we might have to defer this Item and take it up on the new
446 Sanggunian. That's all, Mr. Presiding Officer.

447 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

448 Second.

449 HON. MJ LUNLY D. LUMEN: PROVL. SANG. KABATAAN FEDERATION PRESIDENT

450 Mr. Chair, may I be recognized?

451 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

452 The Honorable Lumen, Mr. Chair.

453 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

454 The Honorable Lumen, you are recognized.

455 HON. MJ LUINLY D. LUMEN: PROVL. SANG. KABATAAN FEDERATION PRESIDENT

456 I would like to clarify that the Dayon Dance Group being a private and an
457 independent performing group does not require an invitation to compete in Dubai. But
458 their participation was secured through a selection process during the national
459 competition held last February 9, 2025. As a result of their exemplary performance, they
460 earned the right to represent the country in the national stage. A Certificate has already
461 been issued to confirm their qualification and participation validating the right process in
462 the upcoming competition in Dubai.

463 Mr. Chair, if I may, I'd like to pass a Resolution recognizing and supporting the
464 Dayon Junior Team as official representative of the Philippines to the World Supremacy
465 Battlegrounds (WSB) where finals is to be held in Dubai United Arab Emirates on July 10
466 to 13, 2025. I so move, Mr. Chair.

467 HON. WILSON S. UY: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

468 I second, Mr. Chair.

469 HON. MA. CORAZON E. REMANDABAN: 3RD DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

470 Second.

471 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

472 Any objections?

473 Hearing none, the motion is carried and approved.

474 Approved unanimously. **RES. NO. 2025-305**

475 HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

476 Mr. Chairman.

477 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

478 Yes, ma'am.

479 HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

480 As my previous explanation before, since this group is going out of the country,
481 there should be an invitation attached to these papers. Walang invitation, e. Because we
482 also, Board Members, when we go out of Leyte, we have to get a Certification or

483 endorsement coming from the Office of the Governor. Bakit eto hindi n'yo isinama? 'Yung
484 mga nandidito lang mga pictures. That's my observation.

485 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

486 Okay.

487 HON. WILSON S. UY: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

488 Mr. Chair.

489 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

490 Honorable Uy.

491 HON. WILSON S. UY: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

492 With due respect to our Board Member Apostol, Mr. Chair, my understanding is
493 this group is a private group. They don't need any, they have an invitation but they don't
494 need a formal invitation because they will not be spending the government funds, Mr.
495 Chair. This is a private entity. They have a personal invitation. Since they came to us and
496 the Vice-Governor personally gave the donation coming from Andok's, that's why they
497 just came to this office. But this is not a government entity, Mr. Chair.

498 HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

499 Mr. Chairman. Mr. Floor Leader.

500 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

501 The Honorable Apostol.

502 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

503 Yes, ma'am Ebbie.

504 HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

505 During the last session we held, they were asking financial assistance coming from
506 the Province of Leyte. You look into the record last week. They were asking financial
507 assistance. So, if they are asking financial assistance from the government, all the papers
508 should be documented because that is government money. Money from the taxes.

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512 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

513 At any rate, there's no need for government assistance, government funds
514 because the Honorable Vice-Governor found it in his heart. He was visited by his better
515 angels to donate the financial assistance.

516 HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

517 If there is no government assistance they're asking, it's okay. But if they are asking
518 assistance from the Province of Leyte, hindi pwede 'yun. They have to complete all the
519 documentations.

520 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

521 So, the request for government funds was overtaken by private funds of the Vice-
522 Governor.

523 The Honorable Rama, Mr. Chair.

524 HON. VINCENT L. RAMA: 4TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

525 From the last session, we understood that the Vice-Governor gave personally help.
526 So, true enough, they are no longer asking budget coming from the Provincial
527 Government. But in this case, I have to point out that they're also asking for a legislative
528 recognition. So, I am asking now when a certain private individual would like to be or
529 asking recognition from this August Body, are there any supporting documents that we
530 need? That is my question there. Because it is not always that the Vice-Governor will be
531 able to give as much as he has to give. Since they are asking for a Resolution recognizing
532 them, what is the procedure? For future references lang.

533 HON. WILSON S. UY: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

534 Mr. Chair, maybe in the future as you made mentioned, if we are going to use
535 government funds, then probably, there's some documentation. But for this activity, Mr.
536 Chair, they're just asking indorsement from us considering that they came from Leyte.
537 They are from our province and this is also our pride, give them recognition but there's
538 no money involved as far as the province is concerned. So, I think, it is but proper, 'yung
539 iba nga walang indorsement pag dumadating sa atin panalo, we give a recognition from
540 this August Body. This time prior to their going to Dubai, I think it is also but proper, that

541 we give them our indorsement, parang since they came from Leyte, I think it is but proper
542 to give recognition that they will be representing our country. So, I think there's no quarrel
543 of giving them. Maybe also that document, they can use them whatever, that they
544 represent Leyte. That is what they want.

545 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

546 Perhaps, Mr. Chair, we can find a middle ground. We can pass a Resolution
547 acknowledging that they are from Leyte, and etc. The laurels that they may get, the
548 awards bring honor also to the province. Something like that, 'no. We can work it that
549 way. So, we can ally the fears.

550 HON. RONNAN CHRISTIAN M. REPOSAR: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

551 Mr. Chair.

552 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

553 The Honorable Reposar, Mr. Chair.

554 HON. RONNAN CHRISTIAN M. REPOSAR: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

555 I think the concern of Honorable Apostol has already been resolved since no
556 government fund is involved in this matter. And, I think the motion of Honorable Lumen
557 has been seconded and in fact, the Chair has already ruled and approved the said motion.

558 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

559 So, we now proceed, Mr. Chair, to other matters.

560 HON. WILSON S. UY: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

561 In that case, Mr. Chair, we better sing a Happy Birthday song to Honorable Ina
562 Gimenez. She will be celebrating her birthday tomorrow.

563 (Everybody sang a Happy Birthday Song)

564 HON. MA. MARTINA L. GIMENEZ: EX-OFFICIO MEMBER, LIGA NG MGA BRGY PRESIDENT

565 Thank you, everybody. Also, its going to be Chiqui Uy's Birthday tomorrow.

566 HON. WILSON S. UY: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

567 I would like to recognize Honorable Karen Javier who is around, Mr. Chair.

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570 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR/: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

571 Honorable Uy, I also would like to recognize my youngest daughter. Her name is

572 Leona Javier. Leona, I want you to see what my job is like.

573 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

574 Honorable Lumen please.

575 HON. MJ LUILLY D. LUMEN: PROVL. SANG. KABATAAN FEDERATION PRESIDENT

576 Thank you, Mr. Chair. Thank you, Mr. Floor Leader.

577 Mr. Chair, if there are no other matters, I move to adjourn.

578 HON. WILSON S. UY: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

579 Second.

580 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

581 Second.

582 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

583 Since there are no objections, let's adjourn.

584 (Regular session adjourned at 11:15 o'clock in the morning.

585 (Closing prayer was led by the Honorable Apostol.)

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