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TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE 136TH REGULAR SESSION OF THE 20TH SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF SURIGAO DEL SUR HELD AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN SESSION HALL, LEGISLATIVE BUILDING, CAPITOL HILLS, TELAJE, TANDAG CITY, PROVINCE OF SURIGAO DEL SUR ON APRIL 15, 2025

PRESENT:

Hon. Manuel O. Alameda, Sr.

- Vice Governor
(Presiding Officer)

Regular Sangguniang Panlalawigan Members:

District I

Hon. Amado M. Layno, Jr.
Hon. Antonio C. Azarcon
Hon. Valerio T. Montesclaros, Jr.
Hon. Jose Dumagan, Jr.

District II

Hon. Conrad C. Cejoco
Hon. Margarita G. Garay
Hon. Gines Ricky J. Sayawan, Sr.
Hon. Anthony Joseph P. Cañedo
Hon. Raul K. Salazar

Ex-Officio Member:

Hon. Jimmy I. Guinsod

- Indigenous Peoples Mandatory
Representative (IPMR), Surigao del Sur

ON OFFICIAL BUSINESS:

Hon. John Paul C. Pimentel

- President, Philippine Councilors'
League, Surigao del Sur Chapter

Hon. Melanie Joy M. Guno

- President, Provincial Chapter of the
Liga ng mga Barangay sa Pilipinas

ABSENT:

On Vacation Leave:

Hon. Ruel D. Momo

- Member, Sangguniang Panlalawigan

On Sick Leave:

Hon. Yuri Art Eufy R. Sanchez

- President, Panlalawigang Pederasyon
ng mga Sangguniang Kabataan

The session started at **9:42** in the morning.

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SECRETARY PEREZ II:

Respectfully requesting the Honorable Sangguniang Panlalawigan Members, staff and visitors to please rise.

NOTE: (Everybody stood up)

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

The 136th Regular Session of the 20th Sangguniang Panlalawigan will now please come to order.

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

To show respect for our country and of the province, we will now have the singing of the Pambansang Awit, followed by the Surigao del Sur Hymn and to invoke God's presence a prayer will be led by Hon. Amado M. Layno, Jr..

NOTE: (Everybody directed their attention to the widescreen and sung the Pambansang Awit and Surigao del Sur Hymn.)

HON. LAYNO, JR.:

Let us bow our heads in prayer as we ask for the presence of our Lord.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Dear God, we thank You and glorify You for another day. We can't say anything else but thank You for everything You've done to us. God, we need You in our lives, without You, we are nothing. You are the reason why we are still breathing, You are our strength, our light and our salvation. Thank You so much, Lord God.

Heavenly Father, as we start the 136th Regular Session of the 20th Sangguniang Panlalawigan of the Province of Surigao del Sur, we praise and honor You for having us today. God of goodness and mercy, hear our prayer as we begin this Lenten journey with You. Let us be honest with ourselves as we look into our heart and soul, noticing the times we turn away from You. Guide us as we humbly seek request and return for Your love.

We pray also that You will keep us and our loved ones free from all harm and bring us home safely. May You continue to heal our bodies, restore our relationships especially during this Lenten season and keep us covered under Your precious blood of Jesus. All these we ask in Jesus name, we pray, one God forever and ever. Amen.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Our Secretary, may call the roll of Members.

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SECRETARY PEREZ II:

Hon. Manuel O. Alameda, Sr.	-	Present
Hon. Ruel D. Momo	-	On Vacation Leave
Hon. Amado M. Layno, Jr.	-	Present
Hon. Antonio C. Azarcon	-	Present
Hon. Valerio T. Montesclaros, Jr.	-	
Hon. Jose Dumagan, Jr.	-	Here
Hon. Conrad C. Cejoco	-	Here
Hon. Margarita G. Garay	-	Present
Hon. Gines Ricky J. Sayawan, Sr.	-	Present
Hon. Anthony Joseph P. Cañedo	-	Present
Hon. Raul K. Salazar	-	Present
Hon. Jimmy I. Guinsod	-	Present
Hon. John Paul C. Pimentel	-	
Hon. Melanie Joy M. Guno	-	On Official Business
Hon. Yuri Art Eufy R. Sanchez	-	

Honorable Presiding Officer, there are ten (10) Sangguniang Panlalawigan Members in attendance.

NOTE: (Hon. Valerio T. Montesclaros arrived at 9:54 in the morning, while Hon. John Paul C. Pimentel and Hon. Melanie Joy M. Guno are on Official Business and Hon. Yuri Art Eufy R. Sanchez is on Sick Leave.)

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

The Chair declares the existence of quorum.

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

Approval and adoption of the Order of Business of the 136th Regular Session of the 20th Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Surigao del Sur dated April 15, 2025.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

The Honorable Board Member, Atty. Jun-Jun.

HON. DUMAGAN, JR.:

To our Vice Governor, Manuel O. Alameda, Sr., Sir, Members of the 20th Sangguniang Panlalawigan, friends, ladies and gentlemen, good morning. I would like to respectfully move for the approval and adoption of the Order of Business for the 136th Regular Session of the 20th Sangguniang Panlalawigan.

HON. AZARCON:

I second the motion.

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HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Any objection? Hearing none. Motion is approved.

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

Next is the approval and adoption of the previous session, the Minutes of the 134th Regular Session of the 20th Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Surigao del Sur dated April 2, 2025 prepared by Ms. Genevieve M. Cagalawan, Local Legislative Staff Officer IV.

HON. DUMAGAN, JR.:

With respect, I would like to move for the approval and adoption of the Minutes of the previous session.

HON. AZARCON AND HON. GARAY:

We second the motion.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Any objection? Hearing none. Motion is approved.

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

Next is the approval and adoption of the previous session, the Minutes of the 135th Regular Session of the 20th Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Surigao del Sur dated April 8, 2025 prepared by Ms. Genevieve M. Cagalawan, Local Legislative Staff Officer IV.

HON. DUMAGAN, JR.:

In the same manner, Honorable Presiding Officer, I would like to respectfully move for the approval and adoption of the Minutes of the previous session.

HON. AZARCON AND HON. GARAY:

We second the motion.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Any objection? Hearing none. Motion is approved.

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

Next is the approval and adoption of the Transcript of Proceedings of the 134th Regular Session of the 20th Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Surgao del Sur dated April 2, 2025 prepared by Mrs. Metzi Ann D. Obaob, Administrative Assistant V.

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HON. DUMAGAN, JR.:

With respect, I would like to move for the approval and adoption of the Transcript of Proceedings of the 134th Regular Session.

HON. AZARCON AND HON. GARAY:

We second the motion.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Any objection? Hearing none. Motion is approved.

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

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HON. DUMAGAN, JR.:

With respect, I would like to move for the approval and adoption of the Transcript of Proceedings of the 135th Regular Session.

HON. AZARCON:

I second the motion.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Any objection? Hearing none. Motion is approved.

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

Next is **Question Hour/Visitors' Hour.**

We have none, your Honor.

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

Privilege Hour.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

The Honorable Board Member, Atty. Tony Boy.

Atty. Boy



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HON. AZARCON:

Thank you, Honorable Presiding Officer and good morning. Likewise, good morning to my distinguished colleagues, the amazing staff of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan and our visitors for today. For the Privilege Hour, may I have the honor Honorable Presiding Officer to ask that the following Members of this August Body be acknowledged and recognized and be given the floor to deliver their respective Privilege Speeches. First in line is the gentleman from Telaje, Hon. Jose Dumagan, Jr., to be followed by the gentleman who would now become the Executive Officer of the Municipality of Lianga, the Honorable Doctor Amado M. Layno, Jr., and to be followed by the gentleman from Bislig City, Hon. Gines Ricky J. Sayawan, Sr.. So, as of the moment, that would be all, three gentlemen who would be delivering their Privilege Speeches. Thank you, Honorable Presiding Officer.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

The Honorable Board Member, Atty. Jun-Jun.

HON. DUMAGAN, JR.:

Thank you very much, Honorable Presiding Officer. Supposedly, my Privilege Speech will be about the AIP of the Municipality of Cantilan and since the Chairman of the Committee on Finance and Appropriation is present, Honorable Presiding Officer, I would like to respectfully yield the floor to Hon. Sayawan, Sr..

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

The Honorable Board Member Ricky Sayawan, Sr. is recognized.

HON. SAYAWAN, SR.:

Thank you, Mr. Presiding Officer. Thank you also Hon. Azarcon and thank you Hon. Dumagan, Jr.. Mr. Presiding Officer, we received the 3rd endorsement dated April 14, 2024.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

2024 or 2025?

HON. SAYAWAN, SR.:

Basin typographical error *ini*. Coming from the Provincial Planning and Development Coordinator, respectfully endorsing to Honorable Gines Ricky J. Sayawan, Sr., Sangguniang Panlalawigan Member, Chairman of the Committee on Finance and Appropriation, this province, the herein Enhanced Annual Investment Program, Calendar Year 2025 of the Municipality of Cantilan, Surigao del Sur, which was already reviewed by this Office and for your appropriate action.

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Mr. Presiding Officer, as we can recall, the Provincial Planning and Development Coordinator has a remark on the AIP of the Municipality of Cantilan, which, according to them, is not in conformity. However, the Office of the Mayor, through the MPDC LGU-Cantilan, respectfully informed the Honorable Body that the 90% of the necessary adjustments of the PPAs has been undertaken in the AIP for 2025.

So, meaning, Mr. Presiding Officer, the one mentioned now by the Provincial Planning and Development Coordinator is the enhanced AIP of the Municipality of Cantilan. So, according to the MPDC, based on the recommendation of the Provincial Planning and Development Coordinator, 90% has already been adjusted in the PPAs of the Municipality of Cantilan. Therefore, Mr. Presiding Officer, it is then, but necessary, that after the adjustment, we will also consider them and their enhanced AIP. Thus, this humble representation, would like that this will be calendared under Second Reading, Mr. Presiding Officer, in order to ventilate if there are no other questions in the deliberation. I hope this will be included for Second Reading in today's session, Mr. Presiding Officer.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Okay, our Secretariat is requested that it will be included under Second Reading in today's session.

HON. SAYAWAN, SR.:

Yes, Mr. Presiding Officer. Thank you.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

The Honorable Board Member, Dr. Boy Layno, Jr. is recognized.

HON. LAYNO, JR.:

My respect to our Honorable Presiding Officer, Secretary and the staff, my colleagues in this August Body and the guests this morning. Good morning to all. The Committee on Health, Sanitation and Nutrition has received a letter coming from our very own Governor, Alexander T. Pimentel, requesting this Committee for approving an innovation in healthcare in our province. Allow me to read the letter of our good Governor.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Go ahead, please.

HON. LAYNO, JR.:

Dear Honorable Alameda, I am writing to formally request the approval of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan for the opening of a separate bank account that will serve as a Trust Fund for the following facilities under the Provincial Government of Surigao del Sur. One, Provincial Health and Wellness Center and Clinical Laboratory. Two, Water Testing Laboratory, Environmental Laboratory, Calibration and Soil Laboratory. We have all these facilities now at hand. To ensure proper financial management and accountability, the Trust Fund shall have the following designated sub-accounts. One is the Healthcare Institution Charges and the number

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two, Professional Fee Designated for Pooling. This initiative aims to enhance the efficiency of financial transactions, ensure proper allocation of funds, and maintain transparency in the operations of these essential health and environmental facilities. The separate trust fund will also help in sustaining the services provided by these laboratories and centers while adhering to regulatory requirements and financial guidelines.

In view of the foregoing, I respectfully seek the endorsement and approval of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan to authorize the opening of the said bank accounts. Your favorable action on this request will greatly contribute to the continuous improvement of the healthcare and environmental services in the Province of Surigao del Sur. Should there be any further requirements or clarifications needed regarding this request, please do not hesitate to inform my office. We remain committed to ensuring that our provincial facilities operate with efficiency, transparency, and accountability. Thank you for your kind consideration and support. Sincerely yours, Alexander T. Pimentel, our Governor.

In this regard, there was also a discussion about three weeks ago about the request of the manpower for the said Provincial Health and Wellness Center that is created in this in our province. It is the position of this Committee, the Committee on Health, Sanitation and Nutrition that this request be taken up in our Committee Meeting that I propose to be scheduled next week, on Tuesday. This will cover the opening of the accounts and also the question on manpower. Personally, this program is good for our province. The way I look at it, it's really beneficial. But since there were questions on the manpower, we have to trace out in a Meeting, not a special Meeting, but in our Committee Meeting next week that will be in Bislig City. This will be referred also to the Committee on Finance and Appropriation. So under this Committee Meeting, we would like to, request the presence of the PHO, Dr. de Jesus, the authority in the Accounting Department, as well as the HR Officer. Of course, I would respect the position also of the Committee on Finance and Appropriation the other personalities they would like to invite on Tuesday next week. So I propose that this will be calendared for Committee Meeting.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

The Chair would like to inquire from the proponent about the request of the Governor for the opening of a bank account intended for some purposes. Would that be included in the proposal for Committee?

HON. LAYNO, JR.:

Oh, yes. Actually, the opening of the different accounts is not questionable. There's no issue on this. The problem is this opening account is related to the program on Provincial Health and Wellness Center and Clinical Laboratories. A subsequent creation of the positions in this program. So some of my colleagues in the Board were asking for a Meeting for this one. But with regards to the account, the submitted accounts, there's no question about it. So may I ask also the advice of our very own Vice Governor?

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Can we have a one-minute break?

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HON. LAYNO, JR.:

Okay, thank you.

NOTE: (Break at 10:04-10:11 in the morning.)

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Session is resumed.

The Honorable board Member, Dr. Boy, you may proceed.

HON. LAYNO, JR.:

Thank you, Honorable Presiding Officer. The position of the Committee on Health, Sanitation and Nutrition is to propose two (2) Resolutions. One, is the opening of an account for the Trust Fund for the collection of fees coming from Water Testing Laboratory, Environmental Laboratory, Calibration and Soil Laboratory, subject to the requirements of the creation of the Trust Fund. I hope that this will be approved in the Unassigned Business/Privilege Business in today's session.

The second Resolution that I would like to move is that the Meeting should be held on the issue of the problem on the creation of the Provincial Health and Wellness Center and Clinical Laboratory and its manpower, as we have discussed it in the previous session. In this regard, we would like to invite the Provincial Health Officer, the Provincial Human Resource and Management Officer and the Accounting Officer. And I would like to respect any decision or recommendation also from the Committee on Finance and Appropriation on this regard. So this will be calendared in the Committee Meeting under the Committee on Health, Sanitation and Nutrition on Tuesday, next week. Thank you.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Okay. Thank you for that, Dr. Boy.

The Honorable Board Member, Ricky Sayawan, Sr. is recognized.

HON. SAYAWAN, SR.:

Mr. Presiding Officer, earlier I have already delivered my Privilege Speech when Hon. Jun-Jun Dumagan waived his right. Thank you.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Okay. Thank you also for that comment, Board Member Ricky.

Okay. Our Secretary may now proceed to the next item.

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SECRETARY PEREZ II:

For the **Calendar of Business**

Unfinished Business

Committee Reports

HON. DUMAGAN, JR.:

There are ten (10) Reports submitted by the respective Committee Chairs, I would like to respectfully move that the same be admitted and accepted as official Report of the respective Committees, viz:

1. Committees on Trade, Industry, Investment and SMEs/Local Economic Enterprises and Utilities (Lead Committee)/Cooperatives and Livelihood;
2. Committee on Health, Sanitation and Nutrition;
3. Committees on Youth (Lead Committee)/Laws and Justice and Human Rights;
4. Committees on Finance and Appropriation (Lead Committee)/Laws and Justice and Human Rights;
5. Committee on Finance and Appropriation;
6. Committees on Urban Planning and Development (Lead Committee)/Finance and Appropriation;
7. Committee on Boundary Settlement;
8. Legislative Oversight Committee;
9. Committees on Good Government, Public Ethics and Accountability (Lead Committee)/Health, Sanitation and Nutrition; and
10. Committee on Public Works and Infrastructure.

HON. AZARCON:

I second the motion.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Any objection? Hearing none, motion is approved.

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

Next is the referral to appropriate Committees of twenty (20) items, viz:

**Referred To: Committees on Urban Planning and Development (Lead Committee)/
Finance and Appropriation**

1. Resolution No. 0325-511 dated March 04, 2025 of the Municipality of San Agustin, this Province entitled "A Resolution Adopting and Approving MDC Res. No. 05-2025, Dated February 21, 2025, Re: The Supplemental Annual Investment Plan (SAIP) No. 2 of CY 2025 of the Municipality of San Agustin Involving the Amount of P120,143,904.11".

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2. Resolution No. 0325-512 dated March 04, 2025 of the Municipality of San Agustin, this Province entitled "A Resolution Adopting and Approving MDC Res. No. 06-2025, Dated February 21, 2025, Re: The Updated Local Development Investment Program 2023-2028 of the Municipality of San Agustin, Surigao del Sur".
3. Resolution No. 84 dated March 25, 2025 of the Municipality of Carmen, this Province entitled "A Resolution Adopting the Supplemental Annual Investment Program (SAIP) No. 1 CY 2025 of the Municipality of Carmen, Surigao del Sur".

**Referred To: Committees on Finance and Appropriation (Lead Committee)/
Reduction Disaster Risk Reduction and Climate Change Adaptation**

4. Resolution No. 88 dated March 25, 2025 of the Municipality of Carmen, this Province entitled "A Resolution Adopting the Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Trust Fund (LDRRM Trust Fund) Annual Investment Plan for Calendar Year 2025 Amounting to Three Million Three Hundred Seventy-Five Thousand Two Hundred Three Pesos and Ninety Two Centavos (Php3,375,203.92)".

**Referred To: Committees on Laws and Justice and Human Rights (Lead
Committee)/Environmental Protection and Ecology/Boundary
Settlement**

5. Resolution No. 67 dated February 25, 2025 of the Municipality of Carmen, this Province entitled "A Resolution Excluding from the Objection of the Municipality of Carmen the Area Identified by the Municipality of Lanuza, Specifically Lot No. 1026-F and Lot No. 1028-G, as Part of the Clustered Sanitary Landfill Site for the Municipalities of Lanuza, Carmen, Madrid, Cantilan and Cortes, as Members of Lanuza Bay Development Alliance, Subject to the Conditions Set Forth in this Resolution".

Referred To: Committee on Environmental Protection and Ecology

6. Resolution No. 87 dated March 25, 2025 of the Municipality of Carmen, this Province entitled "A Resolution Requesting the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Surigao del Sur for the Local Declaration of Identified Sub-Watersheds in the Municipality of Carmen, Surigao del Sur, in Accordance with Joint DENR-DILG-LGU Memorandum Circular No. 98-01 and RA 7160 Section 447 (A) (5) (I)".

Referred To: Committee on Rules, Privileges and Ethics

7. Resolution No. 80 dated March 25, 2025 of the Municipality of Carmen, this Province entitled "A Resolution Adopting the State of the Municipality Address (SOMA) of Local Chief Executive Hon. Jane V. Plaza, Municipal Mayor of Carmen, Surigao del Sur".

Referred To: Committee on Cooperatives and Livelihood

8. Ordinance No. 08 dated March 17, 2025 of the Municipality of San Miguel, this Province entitled "An Ordinance Establishing a Civil Society Organization (CSO) Desk and Institutionalizing a People's Council in the Municipality of San Miguel".

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Referred To: Committee on Differently Abled or Persons with Disabilities and Senior Citizens, and Social Services and Community Development

9. Ordinance No. 07 dated March 17, 2025 of the Municipality of San Miguel, this Province entitled "An Ordinance Prescribing the Prioritization and Commitment to Pantawid Pamilyang Pilipino Exited and Graduated Households in the Delivery of Services Through the Adoption of the Convergence Provisions of RA 11310 in the Municipality of San Miguel".

Referred To: Committee on Good Government, Public Ethics and Accountability

10. Ordinance No. 10 dated March 10, 2025 of the Municipality of Carrascal, this Province entitled "An Ordinance Creating the Position of Administrative Officer I (Records Officer I) Salary Grade 10 Under the Municipal Social Welfare Development Office of this Municipality and Appropriating Corresponding Funds Therefor".
11. Ordinance No. 11 dated March 10, 2025 of the Municipality of Carrascal, this Province entitled "An Ordinance Creating the Position of Social Welfare Aide Salary Grade 4 Under the Municipal Social Welfare Development Office of this Municipality and Appropriating Corresponding Funds Therefor".
12. Ordinance No. 12 dated March 10, 2025 of the Municipality of Carrascal, this Province entitled "An Ordinance Creating the Position of Social Welfare Aide Salary Grade 4 Under the Municipal Social Welfare Development Office of this Municipality and Appropriating Corresponding Funds Therefor".
13. Ordinance No. 13 dated March 10, 2025 of the Municipality of Carrascal, this Province entitled "An Ordinance Creating the Position of Aquaculturist II Salary Grade 15 Under the Office of the Municipal Agriculture of this Municipality and Appropriating Corresponding Funds Therefor".
14. Ordinance No. 32 dated October 21, 2024 of the Municipality of Carrascal, this Province entitled "An Ordinance Creating the Position of Internal Auditor I, Salary Grade 11 Under the Internal Audit Service Office of this Municipality and Appropriating Corresponding Funds Therefor".
15. Ordinance No. 35 dated October 28, 2024 of the Municipality of Carrascal, this Province entitled "An Ordinance Creating the Position of Administrative Assistant II (Data Controller II) Salary Grade 8 Under the Office of the Municipal Engineer, Municipality of Carrascal, Surigao del Sur and Appropriating Corresponding Funds Thereof".
16. Ordinance No. 07 dated February 16, 2024 of the Municipality of San Miguel, this Province entitled "An Ordinance Creating the Office of the Municipal Public Employment Service Office of the Municipality of San Miguel, Surigao del Sur, Providing its Organizational Structure and Staffing Pattern".

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17. Ordinance No. 19 dated March 04, 2024 of the Municipality of San Miguel, this Province entitled “An Ordinance Creating the Position Title of Municipal Government Assistant Department Head I (Assistant Secretary to the Sangguniang Bayan), SG-22 Under the Office of the Secretary to the Sangguniang Bayan and Appropriating Funds Therefor”.

Referred To: Committees on Indigenous Peoples (Lead Committee)/ Laws and Justice and Human Rights

18. Ordinance No. 14 dated March 10, 2025 of the Municipality of Carrascal, this Province entitled “An Ordinance Institutionalizing and Recognizing the Kautawan Tu Tribu Tu Carrascal Kunseho Tu Mu Manigaon Manobo Dow Mamanwa and the Municipal Tribal Council of Indigenous Peoples (IP) Leaders of Carrascal, Surigao del Sur as the Highest Governing Body of the Manobo and Mamanwa ICCs/IPs of this Municipality, and Defining its Composition”.

Referred To: Committee on Women, Children and Family Relations

19. Ordinance No. 15 dated March 17, 2025 of the Municipality of Carrascal, this Province entitled “An Ordinance Adopting the 2024 Revised Children’s Code of the Municipality of Carrascal, Surigao del Sur”.

Referred To: Committee on Youth

20. Ordinance No. 16 dated March 17, 2025 of the Municipality of Carrascal, this Province entitled “An Ordinance Creating a Safe Space for the Adolescents of the Municipality of Carrascal Through the Establishment of a Teen Center that will Provide for the Necessary Information and Services in this Municipality”.

Two (2) items For Information, viz:

1. Letter from Hon. Charlyn L. Literato, Municipal Vice Mayor, Office of the Municipal Vice Mayor, Municipality of Lanuza, this Province dated March 26, 2025 addressed to the Office of the Ombudsman, Mindanao, Davao City copy furnished this Office with Subject: Formal Complaint Against the Sangguniang Bayan of Lanuza for Procedural Violations and Unauthorized Sessions, for the Body’s information.
2. 1st Indorsement dated March 31, 2025 from Mr. Esmeraldo S. Raymundo, Acting Provincial Administrator for and in behalf of Hon. Alexander T. Pimentel, Provincial Governor, this Province, indorsing to all Provincial Department Heads, this Province the basic communication dated March 25, 2025 from Mr. Francis Marc O. Ty, President, Tandag Chamber of Commerce and Industry Inc., inviting for the upcoming Fun Run Event on April 12, 2025, which will feature 3km, 5km, and 10km categories. Further, the event is dedicated of promoting, health and wellness, and unity among the business and working sectors across Tandag City and the entire Province of Surigao del Sur, for the Body’s information.

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For Second Reading:

(Reading Item No. 1)

Resolution No. _____ sponsored by Hon. John Paul C. Pimentel, Hon. Margarita G. Garay, Hon. Conrad C. Cejoco, Hon. Valerio T. Montesclaros, Jr., Hon. Melanie Joy M. Guno, Hon. Ruel D. Momo, Hon. Antonio C. Azarcon, Hon. Jose Dumagan, Jr., Hon. Gines Ricky J. Sayawan, Sr., Hon. Anthony Joseph P. Cañedo, Hon. Raul K. Salazar, Hon. Jimmy I. Guinsod and Hon. Yuri Art Eufy R. Sanchez entitled "Affirming Ordinance No. 005 Dated February 19, 2025 of the City of Tandag, this Province Entitled 'An Ordinance Organizing and Operationalizing the 'City Bantay Asin Task Force' in the City of Tandag', it Being Within the Scope of the Prescribed Powers of the Sangguniang Panlungsod Concerned to Enact Such Ordinance Pursuant to the Local Government Code of 1991".

HON. DUMAGAN, JR.:

Asin is not the Asin used to counter the spell of women used to their husbands. Asin is the iodized salt, iodization of the salt. With this, Honorable Chair, I would like to respectfully move with the permission coming from the Chair to pass a Resolution affirming Ordinance No. 005 of the City of Tandag.

HON. MONTESCLAROS, JR. AND HON. GARAY:

We second the motion.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Any objection? Hearing none, approved.

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

(Reading Item No. 2)

Resolution No. _____ sponsored by Hon. Yuri Art Eufy R. Sanchez, Hon. Anthony Joseph P. Cañedo, Hon. Gines Ricky J. Sayawan, Sr., Hon. Ruel D. Momo, Hon. John Paul C. Pimentel, Hon. Antonio C. Azarcon, Hon. Conrad C. Cejoco, Hon. Jose Dumagan, Jr., Hon. Raul K. Salazar, Hon. Valerio T. Montesclaros, Jr., Hon. Margarita G. Garay, Hon. Jimmy I. Guinsod and Hon. Melanie Joy M. Guno entitled "Affirming Ordinance No. 006 Dated February 26, 2025 of the City of Tandag, this Province Entitled 'Amending Section 15, 16, 19 and 20 of Ordinance No. 004-2023 Entitled, Youth Development Code of the City of Tandag', it Being Within the Scope of the Prescribed Powers of the Sangguniang Panlungsod Concerned to Enact Such Ordinance Pursuant to the Local Government Code of 1991".

HON. CAÑEDO:

Honorable Presiding Officer, with due respect to the absence of the Chairman of this Committee, Hon. Yuri Art Eufy R. Sanchez, and as the Vice Chairman of the Committee, the action would be to move for the approval of this Resolution which is to affirm the Ordinance.

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HON. AZARCON, HON. GARAY AND HON. MONTESCLAROS, JR.:

We second the motion?

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Any objection? Hearing none, motion is approved.

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

(Reading Item No. 3)

Resolution No. _____ sponsored by Hon. Gines Ricky J. Sayawan, Sr., Hon. Antonio C. Azarcon, Hon. Ruel D. Momo, Hon. Jose Dumagan, Jr., Hon. Anthony Joseph P. Cañedo, Hon. Conrad C. Cejoco, Hon. Raul K. Salazar, Hon. Valerio T. Montesclaros, Jr., Hon. Margarita G. Garay, Hon. John Paul C. Pimentel, Hon. Jimmy I. Guinsod, Hon. Melanie Joy M. Guno and Hon. Yuri Art Eufy R. Sanchez entitled “Affirming Ordinance No. 2025-01 Dated January 28, 2025 of the City of Bislig, this Province Entitled ‘An Ordinance Confirming, Amending and Ratifying the Approved Terms and Conditions of the Approved Loan of the City Government of Bislig, Surigao del Sur with the Development Bank of the Philippines (DBP) for the Construction of Phase 2 of the Legislative Building Amounting to One Hundred Forty Million Pesos (P140,000,000.00) and Completion of 911 Facility/Building Amounting to Sixty Million Pesos (P60,000,000.00), a Total of Two Hundred Million Pesos (P200,000,000.00)’, it Being Within the Scope of the Prescribed Powers of the Sangguniang Panlungsod Concerned to Enact Such Ordinance Pursuant to the Local Government Code of 1991”.

HON. SAYAWAN, SR.:

I so move for its approval for Second Reading, Mr. Presiding Officer.

HON. GARAY:

I second the motion.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Any objection? Hearing none, motion is approved.

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

(Reading Item No. 4)

Resolution No. _____ sponsored by Hon. Gines Ricky J. Sayawan, Sr., Hon. Antonio C. Azarcon, Hon. Ruel D. Momo, Hon. Jose Dumagan, Jr., Hon. Anthony Joseph P. Cañedo, Hon. Conrad C. Cejoco, Hon. Valerio T. Montesclaros, Jr., Hon. Margarita G. Garay, Hon. Raul K. Salazar, Hon. John Paul C. Pimentel, Hon. Jimmy I. Guinsod, Hon. Melanie Joy M. Guno and Hon. Yuri Art Eufy R. Sanchez entitled “Declaring Appropriation Ordinance No. 04 Dated November 26, 2024 (General Fund and Local Economic Enterprise Annual Budget FY 2025) of the Municipality of Barobo, this Province Operative Subject to Some Conditions”.

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HON. SAYAWAN, SR.:

I move for its approval for Second Reading, Mr. Presiding Officer.

HON. AZARCON AND HON. GARAY:

We second the motion.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Any objection? Hearing none, motion is approved.

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

(Reading Item No. 5)

Resolution No. _____ sponsored by Hon. Gines Ricky J. Sayawan, Sr., Hon. Antonio C. Azarcon, Hon. Ruel D. Momo, Hon. Jose Dumagan, Jr., Hon. Anthony Joseph P. Cañedo, Hon. Conrad C. Cejoco, Hon. Valerio T. Montesclaros, Jr., Hon. Margarita G. Garay, Hon. Raul K. Salazar, Hon. John Paul C. Pimentel, Hon. Jimmy I. Guinsod, Hon. Melanie Joy M. Guno and Hon. Yuri Art Eufy R. Sanchez entitled “Declaring Appropriation Ordinance No. 05 Dated December 9, 2024 (General Fund and Economic Enterprise Annual Budget FY 2025) of the Municipality of Bayabas, this Province Operative, Subject to Some Conditions”.

HON. SAYAWAN, SR.:

I move for its approval for Second Reading, Mr. Presiding Officer.

HON. DUMAGAN, JR. AND HON. GARAY:

We second the motion.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Any objection? Hearing none, motion is approved.

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

(Reading Item No. 6)

Resolution No. _____ sponsored by Hon. Gines Ricky J. Sayawan, Sr., Hon. Antonio C. Azarcon, Hon. Ruel D. Momo, Hon. Jose Dumagan, Jr., Hon. Anthony Joseph P. Cañedo, Hon. Conrad C. Cejoco, Hon. Valerio T. Montesclaros, Jr., Hon. Margarita G. Garay, Hon. Raul K. Salazar, Hon. John Paul C. Pimentel, Hon. Jimmy I. Guinsod, Hon. Melanie Joy M. Guno and Hon. Yuri Art Eufy R. Sanchez entitled “Declaring Appropriation Ordinance No. 2025-05 Dated February 18, 2025 (General Fund Supplemental Budget No. 2 FY 2025) of the City of Bislig, this Province Operative, Subject to Some Conditions”.

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HON. SAYAWAN, SR.:

I move for its approval for Second Reading, Mr. Presiding Officer.

HON. MONTESCLAROS, JR. AND HON. GARAY:

We second the motion.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Any objection? Hearing none, motion is approved.

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

(Reading Item No. 7)

Resolution No. _____ sponsored by Hon. Gines Ricky J. Sayawan, Sr., Hon. Antonio C. Azarcon, Hon. Ruel D. Momo, Hon. Jose Dumagan, Jr., Hon. Anthony Joseph P. Cañedo, Hon. Conrad C. Cejoco, Hon. Valerio T. Montesclaros, Jr., Hon. Margarita G. Garay, Hon. Raul K. Salazar, Hon. John Paul C. Pimentel, Hon. Jimmy I. Guinsod, Hon. Melanie Joy M. Guno and Hon. Yuri Art Eufy R. Sanchez entitled "Declaring Appropriation Ordinance No. 08 Dated December 27, 2024 (General Fund Supplemental Budget No. 4 FY 2024) of the Municipality of Cortes, this Province Operative, Subject to Some Conditions".

HON. SAYAWAN, SR.:

I move for its approval for Second Reading, Mr. Presiding Officer.

HON. MONTESCLAROS, JR.:

I second the motion.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Any objection? Hearing none, approved.

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

(Reading Item No. 8)

Resolution No. _____ sponsored by Hon. Gines Ricky J. Sayawan, Sr., Hon. Ruel D. Momo, Hon. Jose Dumagan, Jr., Hon. Melanie Joy M. Guno, Hon. Conrad C. Cejoco, Hon. Antonio C. Azarcon, Hon. Anthony Joseph P. Cañedo, Hon. Valerio T. Montesclaros, Jr., Hon. Margarita G. Garay, Hon. Raul K. Salazar, Hon. John Paul C. Pimentel, Hon. Jimmy I. Guinsod and Hon. Yuri Art Eufy R. Sanchez entitled "Affirming Resolution No. 49 Dated February 24, 2025 of the Municipality of Carrascal, this Province Entitled 'Approval of the Supplemental Annual Investment Program (AIP) No. 1 Planning Year 2025 in the Amount of One Hundred Thirty Seven Million Ninety Four Thousand Three Hundred Seventy One Pesos and 90/100 (₱137,094,371.90) with the Following Source of Funds: General Fund Proper Surplus 2024 - ₱99,832,244.96; PS Savings (2025 Unfilled Position January & February) - ₱2,311,468.85;

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Local Economic Enterprise Surplus 2024 - ₱1,561,054.44; Share from the Utilization of National Wealth 2024 - ₱18,389,603.66 and NFT-ELCAC - ₱15,000,000.00 of the Municipality of Carrascal, Surigao del Sur, it Being Within the Scope of the Prescribed Powers of the Sangguniang Bayan Concerned Pursuant to the Local Government Code of 1991, Subject to Verification During the Submission of the Appropriation Ordinance to Ensure Plan-Budget Linkage Wherein the Local Budgets Truly Operationalize Approved Local Development Plans (Section 305 (i) R.A. 7160) and are Consistent with the Budget Operations Manual (BOM) for LGUs2023 Edition”.

HON. SAYAWAN, SR.:

I move for its approval for Second Reading, Mr. Presiding Officer.

HON. GARAY AND HON. AZARCON:

We second the motion.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Any objection? Hearing none, motion is approved.

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

(Reading Item No. 9)

Resolution No. _____ sponsored by Hon. Antonio C. Azarcon, Hon. Conrad C. Cejoco, Hon. Jose Dumagan, Jr., Hon. Jimmy I. Guinsod, Hon. Gines Ricky J. Sayawan, Sr., Hon. Ruel D. Momo, Hon. Anthony Joseph P. Cañedo, Hon. Valerio T. Montesclaros, Jr., Hon. Margarita G. Garay, Hon. Raul K. Salazar, Hon. John Paul C. Pimentel, Hon. Melanie Joy M. Guno and Hon. Yuri Art Eufy R. Sanchez entitled “Submitting the Counter-Proposal of the 20th Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Surigao del Sur in Response to the Counter-Proposal of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of the Province of Agusan del Sur Relative to the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) Purposely Made for the Resolution of the Existing Boundary Dispute Between the Two Provinces”.

HON. AZARCON:

May I be recognized, Honorable Presiding Officer?

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

The Honorable Board Member, Atty. Tony Boy is recognized.

HON. AZARCON:

Thank you, Honorable Presiding Officer. As Chair of the Committee on Boundary Dispute and Settlement, we received a copy of the Counter-Proposal of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Agusan del Sur re: Boundary Disputes. Now, after reading and discussing the said Counter-Proposal, we found out that there are some issues that we want also to have a Counter-Proposal to the Counter-Proposal. Therefore, after deliberating and agreeing that we

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have to touch certain issues that they proposed, particularly the status quo on the areas subject to the dispute. It would appear that the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Agusan del Sur wants that the reckoning of the status quo would be on the subject property would be the earliest declaration of the property, while ours was the latest declaration. So that is diametrically opposed from each other, and I believe that it will be a big issue. However, we have to maintain our position on that matter because that is really the issue there that made some chaos among the residents of Barobo. Now, the second is that we counter proposed that there should be a term on the proposal of a status quo, that it should not be indefinite, but rather we should have a definite term, which we pegged at October 31st, 2025. So when and if there will be no settlement, then either party may now proceed to file a case in Court. So that is the subject of our Counter-Proposal to their Counter-Proposal. So now, if there are any other questions on the matter, the Committee is now ready to be interpolated.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Any interpolation? Okay, if there is no interpolation, then what's now the pleasure of the Committee?

HON. AZARCON:

There being none, I now respectfully move for the approval of this Resolution in Second Reading.

HON. DUMAGAN, JR.:

I second the motion.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Any objection? Hearing none, approved.

HON. AZARCON:

I now respectfully move, Honorable Presiding Officer, for the suspension of the House Rules.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

House Rules is suspended.

NOTE: (House Rules was suspended at 10:27 in the morning.)

One of the reasons why the rule is suspended so that the items last session in view of failure of quorum, it can be included in today's Third Reading.

HON. AZARCON:

Third Reading in Unfinished Business, Honorable Presiding Officer. While our House Rules are suspended, and a while ago, we have approved on Second Reading, nine (9) Resolutions without much arguments and discussion considering that they are appropriate,

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proper and in order. Therefore, it is but fitting that we can move up all these items to the Third Reading in today's session. So I now respectfully move for a Resolution, minute Resolution, calendaring all of these nine (9) Resolutions approved in Second Reading be calendared for the Third and Final Reading in today's session in Unfinished Business.

HON. DUMAGAN, JR.:

I second the motion.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Any objection? Hearing none, motion is approved.

HON. AZARCON:

I now respectfully move for the restoration of the House Rules.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

House Rules is restored.

NOTE: (House Rules was restored at 10:29 in the morning.)

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

Third and Final Reading under Unfinished Business.

HON. DUMAGAN, JR.:

Honorable Presiding Officer, I would like to respectfully move for the passage of an omnibus motion approving the nine (9) matters as earlier discussed which is part of the Second Reading in today's Third and Final Reading, viz:

1. Resolution No. _____ sponsored by Hon. John Paul C. Pimentel, Hon. Margarita G. Garay, Hon. Conrad C. Cejoco, Hon. Valerio T. Montesclaros, Jr., Hon. Melanie Joy M. Guno, Hon. Ruel D. Momo, Hon. Antonio C. Azarcon, Hon. Jose Dumagan, Jr., Hon. Gines Ricky J. Sayawan, Sr., Hon. Anthony Joseph P. Cañedo, Hon. Raul K. Salazar, Hon. Jimmy I. Guinsod and Hon. Yuri Art Eufy R. Sanchez entitled "Affirming Ordinance No. 005 Dated February 19, 2025 of the City of Tandag, this Province Entitled 'An Ordinance Organizing and Operationalizing the 'City Bantay Asin Task Force' in the City of Tandag', it Being Within the Scope of the Prescribed Powers of the Sangguniang Panlungsod Concerned to Enact Such Ordinance Pursuant to the Local Government Code of 1991".
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9. Resolution No. _____ sponsored by Hon. Antonio C. Azarcon, Hon. Conrad C. Cejoco, Hon. Jose Dumagan, Jr., Hon. Jimmy I. Guinsod, Hon. Gines Ricky J. Sayawan, Sr., Hon. Ruel D. Momo, Hon. Anthony Joseph P. Cañedo, Hon. Valerio T. Montesclaros, Jr., Hon. Margarita G. Garay, Hon. Raul K. Salazar, Hon. John Paul C. Pimentel, Hon. Melanie Joy M. Guno and Hon. Yuri Art Eufy R. Sanchez entitled “Submitting the Counter-Proposal of the 20th Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Surigao del Sur in Response to the Counter-Proposal of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of the Province of Agusan del Sur Relative to the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) Purposely Made for the Resolution of the Existing Boundary Dispute Between the Two Provinces”.

HON. AZARCON:

I second the motion.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Any objection? Hearing no objection, so we'll now put the question to a vote. As many as in favor for the motion, please raise the right hand.

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SECRETARY PEREZ II:

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IN FAVOR:

AGAINST:

ABSTAIN:

Hon. Antonio C. Azarcon
Hon. Valerio T. Montesclaros, Jr.
Hon. Jose Dumagan, Jr.
Hon. Conrad C. Cejoco
Hon. Margarita G. Garay
Hon. Gines Ricky J. Sayawan, Sr.
Hon. Anthony Joseph P. Cañedo
Hon. Raul K. Salazar

None

None

Out with Permission:

Hon. Amado M. Layno, Jr.
Hon. Jimmy I. Guinsod

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

Eight (8) voted in favor, Your Honor.

Two (2) are out with permission.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Approved.

HON. SAYAWAN, SR.:

Mr. Presiding Officer, while House Rules is still suspended.

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

Your Honor, it's already restored.

HON. SAYAWAN, SR.:

Yeah, may I just be clarified on the proposed Resolution earlier, Mr. Presiding Officer, with regards to the AIP of Cantilan.

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

The next item for **Business for the Day**,

Committee Reports.

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HON. DUMAGAN, JR.:

There were six (6) Committee Reports submitted for today's session. I respectfully move that the same be admitted and accepted by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan, viz:

1. Committee on Public Works and Infrastructure;
2. Committee on Finance and Appropriation;
3. Committee on Energy and Power;
4. Committee on Good Government, Public Ethics and Accountability;
5. Committee on Laws and Justice and Human Rights; and
6. Committee on Youth.

HON. AZARCON:

I second the motion.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Any objection? Hearing none, approved.

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

Next is the referral to appropriate Committees of six (6) items, viz:

Referred To: Committee on Good Government, Public Ethics and Accountability

1. Ordinance No. 57 dated March 25, 205 of the Municipality of San Agustin, this Province entitled "An Ordinance Creating the Position of Administrative Aide III (Driver I) SG 3 Under the Municipal Engineering Office (MEO) and Appropriating the Same for Budget Year 2025 Under the Same Office.

Referred To: Committees on Laws and Justice and Human Rights (Lead Committee)/Health, Sanitation and Nutrition

2. Letter from Hon. Alexander T. Pimentel, Provincial Governor, this Province dated March 31, 2025 addressed to the Honorable Members, Office of the Provincial Council thru Hon. Manuel O. Alameda, Sr., Vice Governor, all of this Province, requesting for the passage of a Sangguniang Panlalawigan Resolution authorizing the Provincial Governor to enter into and sign a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA), for and in behalf of the Provincial Government, with the Department of Health-Center for Health Development-Caraga represented by Dr. Cesar C. Cassion, MPH, CESO III, Regional Director, under the Medical Assistance for Indigent and Financially Incapacitated Patients (MAIFIP) Program for the Identified Health Facilities as listed hereunder opposite their corresponding amount of MAIFIP, viz: Lianga District Hospital - ₱20,400,000.00; Bislig District Hospital - ₱11,600,000.00; and Lingig Community Hospital ₱750,000.00, for the Body's information and appropriate action.

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Referred To: Committee on Rules, Privileges and Ethics

3. Letter from Mr. Edgar G. Perez II, J.D., Secretary to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan, Office of the Secretary to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan, this Province dated April 2, 2025 addressed to the Honorable Members, Office of the Provincial Council thru Hon. Manuel O. Alameda, Sr., Vice Governor, all of this Province, furnishing a copy of the SP Quarterly Report for January to March, 2025 of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan, for the Body's information, guidance and approval.

Referred To: Committee on Agriculture/Fisheries

4. Ordinance No. 56 dated March 04, 2025 of the Municipality of San Agustin, this Province entitled "Ordinance Institutionalizing the Katuwang sa Diwa at Gawa Para sa Masaganang Ani at Mataas na Kita (KADIWA) ng Pangulo in the Municipality of San Agustin, Province of Surigao del Sur".

Referred To: Committee on Health, Sanitation and Nutrition

5. Ordinance No. 04 dated February 25, 2025 of the Municipality of Barobo, this Province entitled "An Ordinance Providing and Updating the 'E-Konsulta Plus Package,' in the PhilHealth Accredited Health Facilities in this Municipality".

Referred To: Committees on Cooperatives and Livelihood (Lead Committee)/Good Government, Public Ethics and Accountability

6. Ordinance No. 05 dated March 18, 2025 of the Municipality of Barobo, this Province entitled "Ordinance Institutionalizing the People's Council in the Municipality of Barobo, Surigao del Sur, and Providing Funds Therefor".

Two (2) items for **Information**, viz:

1. Letter from Mr. Leonido J. Pulido III, Assistant Secretary, Department of Budget and Management, General Solano Street, San Miguel Manila addressed to Deputy Executive Secretary Naella Bainto Aguinaldo, Office of the Deputy Executive Secretary for General Administration (ODESGA), Office of the President, J.P. Laurel St., San Miguel, Manila, with attention to Assistant Executive Secretary Neal Vincent M. Bainto, copy furnished this Office pertaining to the referral by the OP-ODESGA to the Department of Budget and Management (DBM) of the following requests/Resolutions of the Local Government Units (LGUs) concerned for evaluation and appropriate action of the Department, viz: request of the Provincial Government of Bukidnon to allow LGUs to implement the second tranche of the updated salary schedule under Executive Order (EO) No. 64, s. 2024 beginning January 1, 2025, as expressed under Sangguniang Panlalawigan (SP) Resolution No. 2025-5195; and requests of the Provincial Governments of Surigao del Sur, Misamis Occidental, and Sorsogon to reconsider the provisions under DBM Local Budget Circular (LBC) No. 160 in order to allow the retroactive implementation of the salary increase for LGU officials and employees, i.e., from August 2, 2024 to January 1, 2024, as outlined in SP Resolution No. 2805-25, No. 865-24, and No. 546-2024 respectively. Further, the latter informed the Body that the DBM is currently preparing the guidelines for the implementation of the second tranche of the modified

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salary schedule in LGUs. For this purpose, the Department will issue the LBC to provide the rules and regulations on the matter, including the effectivity of the implementation of the modified salary schedule by LGUs, for the Body's information.

2. Letter from Engr. Ruel B. Bantugan, MPA, District Engineer, Surigao del Sur 1st District Engineering Office, Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH), Tandag City, this Province dated April 03, 2025, addressed to the Honorable Provincial Board Members of the Province of Surigao del Sur, furnishing a copy of the Status Report of Project Implementation undertaken by the DPWH-SDS 1st District Engineering Office, Tandag City, Surigao del Sur for the Month of March, 2025, for the Body's information.

For Second Reading:

(Reading Item No. 1)

Resolution No. _____ sponsored by Hon. Gines Ricky J. Sayawan, Sr., Hon. Amado M. Layno, Jr., Hon. Margarita G. Garay, Hon. Conrad C. Cejoco, Hon. Anthony Joseph P. Cañedo and Hon. Raul K. Salazar entitled "Disapproving Ordinance No. 57 Dated August 05, 2024 of the Municipality of San Miguel, this Province Entitled 'An Ordinance Approving the Revised Organizational Structure and Staffing Pattern of the Municipality of San Miguel, Amending Ordinance No. 06-2000 and for Other Purposes', for Containing Various Discrepancies".

HON. SAYAWAN, SR.:

I move for its approval for Second Reading, Mr. Presiding Officer.

HON. GARAY:

I second the motion.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Any objection? Hearing none, approved.

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

(Reading Item No. 2)

Resolution No. _____ sponsored by Hon. Gines Ricky J. Sayawan, Sr., Hon. Amado M. Layno, Jr., Hon. Margarita G. Garay, Hon. Conrad C. Cejoco, Hon. Anthony Joseph P. Cañedo and Hon. Raul K. Salazar entitled "Affirming Ordinance No. 2025-33 Dated February 18, 2025 of the Municipality of Lingig, this Province Entitled 'An Ordinance Unfunding the Created Position of Municipal Human Resource Management Officer and Reallocating the Funds for the Newly Created Position of Public Employment Service Office (PESO) Manager, Subject to the Passage of a Supplemental Budget', it Being Within the Scope of the Prescribed Powers of the Sangguniang Bayan Concerned to Enact Such Ordinance Pursuant to the Local Government Code of 1991".

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HON. SAYAWAN, SR.:

I move for its approval for Second Reading, Mr. Presiding Officer.

HON. GARAY:

I second the motion.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Any objection? Hearing none, motion is approved.

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

(Reading Item No. 3)

Resolution No. _____ sponsored by Hon. Gines Ricky J. Sayawan, Sr., Hon. Amado M. Layno, Jr., Hon. Margarita G. Garay, Hon. Conrad C. Cejoco, Hon. Anthony Joseph P. Cañedo and Hon. Raul K. Salazar entitled “Affirming Ordinance No. 05 Dated February 24, 2025 of the Municipality of Carrascal, this Province Entitled ‘An Ordinance Creating the Position of Administrative Aide III (Driver I) Salary Grade 3 Under the Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Office of this Municipality and Appropriating Corresponding Funds Therefor’, it Being Within the Scope of the Prescribed Powers of the Sangguniang Bayan Concerned to Enact Such Ordinance Pursuant to the Local Government Code of 1991”.

HON. SAYAWAN, SR.:

I move for its approval for Second Reading, Mr. Presiding Officer.

HON. GARAY:

I second the motion.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Any objection? Hearing none, motion is approved.

HON. SAYAWAN, SR.:

I move for its approval for Second Reading, Mr. Presiding Officer.

HON. GARAY:

I second the motion.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Any objection? Hearing none, approved.

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SECRETARY PEREZ II:

(Reading Item No. 4)

Resolution No. _____ sponsored by Hon. Gines Ricky J. Sayawan, Sr., Hon. Amado M. Layno, Jr., Hon. Margarita G. Garay, Hon. Conrad C. Cejoco, Hon. Anthony Joseph P. Cañedo and Hon. Raul K. Salazar entitled “Affirming Ordinance No. 06 Dated February 24, 2025 of the Municipality of Carrascal, this Province Entitled ‘An Ordinance Creating the Position of Administrative Aide III (Driver I) Salary Grade 3 Under the Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Office of this Municipality and Appropriating Corresponding Funds Therefor’, it Being Within the Scope of the Prescribed Powers of the Sangguniang Bayan Concerned to Enact Such Ordinance Pursuant to the Local Government Code of 1991”.

HON. SAYAWAN, SR.:

I move for its approval for Second Reading, Mr. Presiding Officer.

HON. GARAY:

I second the motion.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Any objection? Hearing none, approved.

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

(Reading Item No. 5)

Resolution No. _____ sponsored by Hon. Gines Ricky J. Sayawan, Sr., Hon. Amado M. Layno, Jr., Hon. Margarita G. Garay, Hon. Conrad C. Cejoco, Hon. Anthony Joseph P. Cañedo and Hon. Raul K. Salazar entitled “Affirming Ordinance No. 07 Dated February 24, 2025 of the Municipality of Carrascal, this Province Entitled ‘An Ordinance Creating the Position of Process Server, Salary Grade 5 Under the Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Office of this Municipality and Appropriating Corresponding Funds Therefor’, it Being Within The Scope of the Prescribed Powers of the Sangguniang Bayan Concerned to Enact Such Ordinance Pursuant to the Local Government Code of 1991”.

HON. SAYAWAN, SR.:

I move for its approval for Second Reading, Mr. Presiding Officer.

HON. GARAY:

I second the motion.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Any objection? Hearing none, approved.

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SECRETARY PEREZ II:

(Reading Item No. 6)

As included under the Privilege Hour, Resolution sponsored by Hon. Gines Ricky J. Sayawan, Sr., Hon. Ruel D. Momo, Hon. Jose Dumagan, Jr., Hon. Conrad C. Cejoco, Hon. Antonio C. Azarcon, Hon. Anthony Joseph P. Cañedo, Hon. Amado M. Layno, Jr., Hon. Raul K. Salazar, Hon. Valerio T. Montesclaros, Jr., Hon. Margarita G. Garay and Hon. Jimmy I. Guinsod and Hon. John Paul C. Pimentel entitled “Affirming Resolution No. 275-2024 dated December 9, 2024 of the Municipality of Cantilan, this Province Entitled ‘A Resolution Affirming Municipal Development Council Resolution No. 02-2024 which is the Annual Development Plan for FY 2025 of this Municipality’”, it Being Within the Scope of the Prescribed Powers of the Sangguniang Bayan Concerned Pursuant to the Local Government Code of 1991, Subject to Verification During the Submission of the Appropriation Ordinance to Ensure Plan-Budget Linkage Wherein the Local Budgets Truly Operationalize Approved Local Development Plans (Section 305 (1) R.A. 7160) and are Consistent with the Budgets Truly Operationalize Consistent with the Budget Operations Manual (BOM) for Local LGUs 2023 Edition.”

HON. SAYAWAN, SR.:

I move for its approval for Second Reading, Mr. Presiding Officer.

HON. GARAY AND HON. DUMAGAN, JR.:

We second the motion.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Any objection? Hearing none, approved.

HON. SAYAWAN, SR.:

Thank you, Mr. Presiding Officer.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

The Honorable Board Member, Atty. Tony Boy.

HON. AZARCON:

Thank you, Honorable Presiding Officer. At this juncture, I would like to move for the suspension of the House Rules.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

House Rules is suspended.

NOTE: (House Rules was suspended at 10:33 in the morning.)

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HON. AZARCON:

While the House Rules has been suspended, a while ago in Second Reading we approved six (6) Resolutions without much discussion considering that all of these Resolutions are proper, appropriate and in order. Therefore, it is but fitting that we will have these calendared for the Third and Final Reading in today's session. So, I now respectfully move that all of these six (6) Resolutions approved in Second Reading be calendared for Third and Final Reading in today's session.

HON. DUMAGAN, JR. AND HON. GARAY:

We second the motion.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Any objection? Hearing none, motion is approved.

HON. AZARCON:

I would like now to move for the restoration of the House Rules.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

House Rules is restored.

NOTE: (House Rules was restored at 10:34 in the morning.)

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

Third and Final Reading.

HON. DUMAGAN, JR.:

Mr. Chair?

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

The Honorable Board Member, Atty. Jun-Jun.

HON. DUMAGAN, JR.:

I would like to move for the passage of an omnibus motion for the six (6) matters that were earlier discussed as part of the Second Reading for its inclusion in today's Third and Final Reading, viz:

1. Resolution No. _____ sponsored by Hon. Gines Ricky J. Sayawan, Sr., Hon. Amado M. Layno, Jr., Hon. Margarita G. Garay, Hon. Conrad C. Cejoco, Hon. Anthony Joseph P. Cañedo and Hon. Raul K. Salazar entitled "Disapproving Ordinance No. 57 Dated August 05, 2024 of the Municipality of San Miguel, this Province Entitled 'An Ordinance Approving the Revised Organizational Structure

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and Staffing Pattern of the Municipality of San Miguel, Amending Ordinance No. 06-2000 and for Other Purposes', for Containing Various Discrepancies".

2. Resolution No. _____ sponsored by Hon. Gines Ricky J. Sayawan, Sr., Hon. Amado M. Layno, Jr., Hon. Margarita G. Garay, Hon. Conrad C. Cejoco, Hon. Anthony Joseph P. Cañedo and Hon. Raul K. Salazar entitled "Affirming Ordinance No. 2025-33 Dated February 18, 2025 of the Municipality of Lingig, this Province Entitled 'An Ordinance Unfunding the Created Position of Municipal Human Resource Management Officer and Reallocating the Funds for the Newly Created Position of Public Employment Service Office (PESO) Manager, Subject to the Passage of a Supplemental Budget', it Being Within the Scope of the Prescribed Powers of the Sangguniang Bayan Concerned to Enact Such Ordinance Pursuant to the Local Government Code of 1991".
3. Resolution No. _____ sponsored by Hon. Gines Ricky J. Sayawan, Sr., Hon. Amado M. Layno, Jr., Hon. Margarita G. Garay, Hon. Conrad C. Cejoco, Hon. Anthony Joseph P. Cañedo and Hon. Raul K. Salazar entitled "Affirming Ordinance No. 05 Dated February 24, 2025 of the Municipality of Carrascal, this Province Entitled 'An Ordinance Creating the Position of Administrative Aide III (Driver I) Salary Grade 3 Under the Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Office of this Municipality and Appropriating Corresponding Funds Therefor', it Being Within the Scope of the Prescribed Powers of the Sangguniang Bayan Concerned to Enact Such Ordinance Pursuant to the Local Government Code of 1991".
4. Resolution No. _____ sponsored by Hon. Gines Ricky J. Sayawan, Sr., Hon. Amado M. Layno, Jr., Hon. Margarita G. Garay, Hon. Conrad C. Cejoco, Hon. Anthony Joseph P. Cañedo and Hon. Raul K. Salazar entitled "Affirming Ordinance No. 06 Dated February 24, 2025 of the Municipality of Carrascal, this Province Entitled 'An Ordinance Creating the Position of Administrative Aide III (Driver I) Salary Grade 3 Under the Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Office of this Municipality and Appropriating Corresponding Funds Therefor', it Being Within the Scope of the Prescribed Powers of the Sangguniang Bayan Concerned to Enact Such Ordinance Pursuant to the Local Government Code of 1991".
5. Resolution No. _____ sponsored by Hon. Gines Ricky J. Sayawan, Sr., Hon. Amado M. Layno, Jr., Hon. Margarita G. Garay, Hon. Conrad C. Cejoco, Hon. Anthony Joseph P. Cañedo and Hon. Raul K. Salazar entitled "Affirming Ordinance No. 07 Dated February 24, 2025 of the Municipality of Carrascal, this Province Entitled 'An Ordinance Creating the Position of Process Server, Salary Grade 5 Under the Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Office of this Municipality and Appropriating Corresponding Funds Therefor', it Being Within The Scope of the Prescribed Powers of the Sangguniang Bayan Concerned to Enact Such Ordinance Pursuant to the Local Government Code of 1991".
6. Resolution sponsored by Hon. Gines Ricky J. Sayawan, Sr., Hon. Ruel D. Momo, Hon. Jose Dumagan, Jr., Hon. Conrad C. Cejoco, Hon. Antonio C. Azarcon, Hon. Anthony Joseph P. Cañedo, Hon. Amado M. Layno, Jr., Hon. Raul K. Salazar, Hon. Valerio T. Montesclaros, Jr., Hon. Margarita G. Garay and Hon. Jimmy I. Guinsod and Hon. John Paul C. Pimentel entitled "Affirming Resolution No. 275-2024 dated December 9, 2024 of the Municipality of Cantilan, this Province Entitled 'A

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Resolution Affirming Municipal Development Council Resolution No. 02-2024 which is the Annual Development Plan for FY 2025 of this Municipality”, it Being Within the Scope of the Prescribed Powers of the Sangguniang Bayan Concerned Pursuant to the Local Government Code of 1991, Subject to Verification During the Submission of the Appropriation Ordinance to Ensure Plan-Budget Linkage Wherein the Local Budgets Truly Operationalize Approved Local Development Plans (Section 305 (1) R.A. 7160) and are Consistent with the Budgets Truly Operationalize Consistent with the Budget Operations Manual (BOM) for Local LGUs 2023 Edition.”

HON. GARAY AND HON. AZARCON:

We second the motion.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Any objection? Hearing no objection, so we'll now put the question to a vote. As many as in favor for the motion, please raise the left hand.

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

(Counting)

IN FAVOR:

AGAINST:

ABSTAINED:

Hon. Antonio C. Azarcon
Hon. Valerio T. Montesclaros, Jr.
Hon. Jose Dumagan, Jr.
Hon. Conrad C. Cejoco
Hon. Margarita G. Garay
Hon. Gines Ricky J. Sayawan, Sr.
Hon. Anthony Joseph P. Cañedo
Hon. Raul K. Salazar

None

None

Out with Permission:

Hon. Amado M. Layno, Jr.
Hon. Jimmy I. Guinsod

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

Eight (8) voted in favor, Your Honor.

Two (2) are out with permission.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Approved.

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SECRETARY PEREZ II:

For the Unassigned Business/Privilege Business, we only have one (1) Resolution.

HON. DUMAGAN, JR.:

With respect, I would like to move that the matter that were earlier discussed as part of the Unassigned Business/Privilege Business which is a Resolution authored by Hon. Amado M. Layno, Jr. entitled "Creating a Trust Fund Accounts for Fees coming from the Provincial Health *dili amo yaun*. Your Honor, I think the staff has misconstrued the intention of Hon. Layno, Jr.. I would like to move for the suspension of the House Rules.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

House Rules is suspended.

NOTE: (House Rules was suspended at 10:38 in the morning.)

HON. DUMAGAN, JR.:

I would like to move for the restoration of the House Rules.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

House Rules is restored.

NOTE: (House Rules was restored at 10:38 in the morning.)

HON. DUMAGAN, JR.:

As part of the Unassigned Business/Privilege Business this morning, I would like to respectfully move for the passage of a Resolution which is authored by Hon. Amado M. Layno, Jr. entitled "Creating a Trust Fund Accounts for the Proceeds of the Water Testing Laboratory, Environmental Laboratory, Calibration and Soil Laboratory of this Province. I so therefore move.

HON. AZARCON:

I second the motion.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Any objection? Hearing no objection, so we'll now put the question to a vote. As many as in favor for the motion kindly raise your right hand.

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

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IN FAVOR:

Hon. Antonio C. Azarcon
Hon. Valerio T. Montesclaros, Jr.
Hon. Jose Dumagan, Jr.
Hon. Conrad C. Cejoco
Hon. Margarita G. Garay
Hon. Gines Ricky J. Sayawan, Sr.
Hon. Anthony Joseph P. Cañedo
Hon. Raul K. Salazar

AGAINST:

None

ABSTAINED:

None

Out with Permission:

Hon. Amado M. Layno, Jr.
Hon. Jimmy I. Guinsod

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

Eight (8) voted in favor, Your Honor.

Two (2) are out with permission, your Honor.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Approved.

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

Next is **Other Matters**.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

The Honorable Board Member Ton-ton.

HON. CAÑEDO:

Thank you very much, Mr. Presiding Officer for recognizing. Good morning everyone especially to the Members of this August Body. Last March 26, 2025, I have received an e-mail official communication from the National President of the National Movement of the Young Legislators (NMYL). This is relative to the Quarterly National Council Assembly or Term and Assessment and Training on Effective Program Project Policy Monitoring and Evaluation Practices and Innovation. Actually, this is being scheduled on June 16 to 18, 2025 and the venue would be at Tag Resort, Coron, Palawan.

So to the Secretariat, as the Regional Chairperson of the NMYL in CARAGA Region, I would like to request your help to furnish a copy of this communication to the different Sangguniang Panlalawigan Secretary of the other provinces and also a communication to the different LGUs or Sangguniang Bayan, I mean the different LGUs in the Province of Surigao del Sur. Thank you.

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HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Okay, any other information or any other matters?

SECRETARY PEREZ II:

For the announcement, the 137th Regular Session of the 20th Sangguniang Panlalawigan, this Province will be held on April 22, 2025 at 9:00 o'clock in the morning at the Sangguniang Panlalawigan Session Hall, Legislative Building, Capitol of the South, Kahayag, Bislig City, this Province.

HON. DUMAGAN, JR.:

Before I would like to move for the adjournment of today's session, upon instruction of the Majority Floor Leader, all Members are informed that the Committee Hearings for today's proceedings will be done right after the session.

Honorable Presiding Officer, I would like to respectfully move for the adjournment of the 136th Regular Session of the 20th Sangguniang Panlalawigan.

HON. GARAY AND HON. AZARCON:

We second the motion.

HON. VICE GOVERNOR ALAMEDA, SR.:

Session is officially adjourned.

ADJOURNMENT: - - - - - 10:42 in the morning.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the transcript of proceedings taken down by the undersigned during the 136th Regular Session of the 20th Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Surigao del Sur on the above-stated time, date and place.

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Administrative Assistant V

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EDGAR G. PEREZ II, J.D.
Secretary to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan



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APPROVED:

MANUEL O. ALAMEDA, SR.
Vice Governor
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SP Member

ATTY. ANTONIO C. AZARCON
SP Member

MARGARITA G. GARAY
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SP Member

GINES RICKY J. SAYAWAN, SR.
SP Member

ATTY. JOSE DUMAGAN, JR.
SP Member

ANTHONY JOSEPH P. CAÑEDO
SP Member

JIMMY I. GUINSOD
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