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EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 116TH REGULAR SESSION OF THE 9TH SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD OF THE CITY OF KABANKALAN, PROVINCE OF NEGROS OCCIDENTAL HELD ON THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2024 AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL

Present:

HON. MIGUEL M. ZAYCO	- Vice-Mayor/Presiding Officer
HON. ROGER M. REGALIA	- Member
HON. JEANNA C. GENIZERA	- Member
HON. JOESTARR B. BANDOJO	- Member
HON. ADOLFO T. MANGAO JR.	- Member
HON. MACARIO Z. ZAFRA, III	- Member
HON. JERZY M. GUANZON	- Member
HON. JOSE M. DUMAGUETE	- Member
HON. MARIE VIC A. RAMOS	- Member
HON. JOAN D. CAGAPE	- Member
HON. RICO M. REGALIA	- Member (Ex-Officio, LB Pres)
HON. ERNIE J. LIBONA	- Member (Ex-Officio, SK Fed. Pres.)
HON. JENNELYN M. LARGADO	- Member (IPMR)

Absent:

HON. REY G. CORDERO	- Member

R E S O L U T I O N

Number 2024-518

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE ENHANCED LOCAL CLIMATE CHANGE ACTION PLAN (LCCAP) 2023-2033 OF THE CITY OF KABANKALAN

WHEREAS, the City Government of Kabankalan recognizes the urgent need to address the impacts of climate change and is committed to implementing measures that promote environmental sustainability, resilience, and adaptation;

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 9729, otherwise known as the "Climate Change Act of 2009," mandates all local government units (LGUs) to formulate and implement their respective Local Climate Change Action Plans (LCCAP) in accordance with the national framework strategy on climate change;

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 10174, known as the "People's Survival Fund Act of 2012," amends the Climate Change Act to provide long-term finance streams to enable the government to effectively address climate change;

WHEREAS, the Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG) and the Climate Change Commission (CCC) have issued guidelines to assist LGUs in the preparation and enhancement of their LCCAPs, ensuring alignment with national policies and international commitments such as the Paris Agreement;

WHEREAS, the City Government of Kabankalan has undertaken the necessary processes to enhance its Local Climate Change Action Plan for the period 2023-2033, incorporating updated data, strategies, and programs to effectively respond to climate change challenges;

WHEREAS, the Enhanced LCCAP 2023-2033 outlines comprehensive strategies and action plans aimed at reducing greenhouse gas emissions, enhancing climate resilience,

promoting sustainable development, and safeguarding the well-being of the city's constituents and the environment;

WHEREAS, Section 16 and Section 458(a)(5) of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the "Local Government Code of 1991," empower the Sangguniang Panlungsod to enact measures that protect the environment and promote the general welfare of the city and its inhabitants;

WHEREAS, Section 458(a)(2)(vii) of the same Act provides that the Sangguniang Panlungsod shall "adopt measures to protect the inhabitants of the city from the harmful effects of man-made or natural disasters and calamities, and to provide relief services and assistance for victims during and in the aftermath of said disasters and calamities";

WHEREAS, pursuant to DILG Memorandum Circular No. 2014-135 and the guidelines set forth by the Climate Change Commission, the adoption of the Enhanced LCCAP by the Sangguniang Panlungsod is essential for its integration into local development plans and for ensuring legislative support for its implementation;

NOW THEREFORE, the *Sangguniang Panlungsod*, upon motion made by SP Member *Roger M. Regalia* and duly seconded by SP Members *Jeanna C. Genizera, Adolfo T. Mangao Jr., Macario Z. Zafra III, Jerzy M. Guanzon, Jose M. Dumaguete, Marie Vic A. Ramos, Joan D. Cagape, Rico M. Regalia, Ernie J. Libona, and Jennelyn M. Largado;*

RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved:

1. ***To adopt the Enhanced Local Climate Change Action Plan (LCCAP) 2023-2033 of the City of Kabankalan, as the official framework and guide for all climate change-related programs, projects, and activities within the city;***

2. ***To endorse the Enhanced LCCAP to the Climate Change Commission (CCC) and the Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG) for their information, support, and guidance;***

3. ***To direct all city departments, offices, and instrumentalities to integrate and align their plans, programs, and activities with the strategies and actions outlined in the Enhanced LCCAP;***

4. ***To encourage the active participation and collaboration of all stakeholders, including barangay councils, civil society organizations, the private sector, and the community at large, in the implementation of the Enhanced LCCAP;***

5. ***To allocate necessary resources, subject to the availability of funds and in accordance with existing budgeting and appropriation processes, for the effective implementation of the Enhanced LCCAP;***

RESOLVED FURTHER, that copies of this Resolution be furnished to the Office of the City Mayor, the City Planning and Development Office, the City Environment and Natural Resources Office, the Climate Change Commission (CCC), the Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG), and all concerned agencies and stakeholders for their information and appropriate action.

CARRIED by the Affirmative Votes of SP Members *Roger M. Regalia, Jeanna C. Genizera, Adolfo T. Mangao Jr., Macario Z. Zafra III, Jerzy M. Guanzon, Jose M. Dumaguete,*

Marie Vic A. Ramos, Joan D. Cagape, Rico M. Regalia, Ernie J. Libona, and Jennelyn M. Largado.

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I hereby certify to the correctness of the foregoing Resolution:

MIGUEL M. ZAYCO
City Vice-Mayor/Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

JEREMY PAUL L. ARBOLARIO
Secretary to the Sangguniang Panlungsod

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