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CERTIFICATION

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that at the regular session duly constituted of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan, Province of Pangasinan, held on March 18, 2024 at the Session Hall, Capitol Building, Lingayen, Pangasinan, the following provincial resolution was approved:

Authored by Vice Governor Mark Ronald DG. Lambino and SP Member Salvador S. Perez, Jr. and co-authored by all Members of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan

PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 372-2024

**REITERATING THE FAVORABLE ENDORSEMENT OF AND
EXPRESSION OF NO OBJECTION TO THE PROPOSED
REDEVELOPMENT OF THE PROVINCIAL CAPITOL COMPLEX,
LINGAYEN, PANGASINAN**

WHEREAS, due to the changing times and evolving needs, it is essential to adapt and modernize the Provincial Capitol Complex, a significant landmark in the Province serving as a hub for various governmental activities and public services, to better serve the public;

WHEREAS, the proposed redevelopment plan of the Provincial Capitol Complex envisions a comprehensive transformation of the Provincial Capitol Complex to enhance its functionality, aesthetics, and accessibility that shall include the revitalization of existing buildings, construction of new facilities, implementation of green spaces, and improvements to infrastructure, public amenities and the war memorial, thereby creating a more efficient and citizen-centric environment and paving the way to better accommodate the increasing demands of government services, fostering effective decision-making processes and improved service delivery for the constituents;

WHEREAS, recognizing the great significance of the Redevelopment of the Provincial Capitol Complex, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Pangasinan passed and approved Provincial Resolution No. 1057-2023 on December 11, 2023, entitled: Favorably Endorsing and Interposing No Objection to the Proposed Redevelopment of the Provincial Capitol Complex, Lingayen, Pangasinan;

WHEREAS, the full implementation of the Project necessitates the cutting/removal and transfer of trees and other vegetations;



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WHEREAS, pursuant to Administrative Order No. 2021-11, entitled: Guidelines in the Processing and Issuance of Permits for Cutting, Removal and Relocation of Naturally Growing Trees, an LGU endorsement is one of the documentary requirements needed by the DENR for the issuance of tree cutting permit:

WHEREAS, to bring this vision into fruition, and in order to gather support from various sectors of the society, two Public Consultations were conducted by the Provincial Government of Pangasinan: on November 21, 2023 and on March 14, 2024, both held at the Pangasinan Training & Development Center 1, attended by officials and residents of concerned barangays of Lingayen, Pangasinan and other stakeholders. The second consultation included a comprehensive presentation of all areas and aspects of the proposed redevelopment;

WHEREAS, it was stressed during the public consultations that some trees at the Provincial Capitol Complex are found to be invasive, thus the need to be cut/removed, but to be replaced by species of native trees;

WHEREAS, it is likewise worth reiterating that a coordination with the National Historical Commission of the Philippines (NHCP) has been made by the Provincial Government of Pangasinan regarding the relocation of historical landmarks and relics at the War Memorial, the location of which had been integrated in the redevelopment plan;

WHEREAS, after a thorough deliberation, and in order to facilitate the implementation of the Project, there is a need for the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Pangasinan to pass a resolution reiterating its endorsement of the proposed Redevelopment of Provincial Capitol Complex, as well as authorizing the cutting/removal of trees and vegetations and the relocation of historical landmarks and relics;

NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of Vice Governor Mark Ronald DG. Lambino, SP Member Salvador S. Perez, Jr. and co-authored by all Members of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan, duly seconded, it was –

RESOLVED, by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan in session assembled to reiterate, as it hereby reiterates, the endorsement of and expression of no objection to the proposed Redevelopment of the Provincial Capitol Complex, Lingayen, Pangasinan, subject to compliance of existing laws and permitting requirements from concerned agencies;




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RESOLVED, FINALLY, that copies of this resolution be furnished to the Honorable Governor, Ramon V. Guico III, Province of Pangasinan; Mr. Emmanuel F. Calairo, Chairman of the National Historical Commission of the Philippines (NHCP); Mayor Leopoldo N. Bataoil, Municipality of Lingayen; Engr. Ronnel M. Tan, Regional Director of the Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH), Regional Office No. 1; and Engr. Noriel G. Nisperos, OIC-Community Environment & Natural Resources Office (CENRO-DENR), Dagupan City, for their information and guidance.

CERTIFIED BY:


VERNA T. NAVA-PEREZ
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:


MARK RONALD DG. LAMBINO
Vice Governor
(Presiding Officer)