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## OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN SECRETARY

# 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 November 25, 2024, at the Session Hall, Capitol Building, Lingayen, Pangasinan the following provincial resolution was approved:*

Authored by SP Member Nicholi Jan Louie Q. Sison

### PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1040-2024

**INTERPOSING NO OBJECTION TO AND ENDORSING THE APPLICATION OF MR. RAMIL RIVERA FOR COMMERCIAL SAND AND GRAVEL PERMIT COVERING AN AREA OF 4.7755 HECTARES AT BARANGAY LAWAK-LANGKA, MANGATAREM, PANGASINAN**

**WHEREAS**, Art II, Section 16 of the 1897 Philippine Constitution provides that the state shall protect and advance the right of the people to a balance and healthful ecology in accord with the rhythm and harmony of nature;

**WHEREAS**, Sec. 26 of R.A. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, declares that *“It shall be the duty of every national agency or government-owned or -controlled corporation authorizing or involved in the planning and implementation of any project or program that may cause pollution, climatic change, depletion of non-renewable resources, loss of crop land, rangeland, or forest cover, and extinction of animal or plant species, to consult with the local government units, nongovernmental organizations, and other sectors concerned and explain the goals and objectives of project or program, its impact upon the people and the community in terms of environmental or ecological balance, and the measures that will be undertaken to prevent or minimize the adverse effects thereof”*;

**WHEREAS**, Chapter 8 (Quarry Operations), Section 69 of DENR Administrative Order No. 2010-21 entitled: *“Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations of R.A. 7942, otherwise known as the Philippine Mining Act of 1995”*, provides that *“the mining applicant/contractor may file/declare more than one (1) final mining area in its applied area/contract area: provided, that for sand and gravel, each additional final mining area shall further require the approval of any two (2) of the Sangguniang concerned in the form of a formal Resolution”*;



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**WHEREAS**, Mr. Ramil Rivera intends to operate a quarry project along the riverbed of Barangay Lawak-Langka in the Municipality of Mangatarem, Pangasinan;

**WHEREAS**, the project has gained the endorsement of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan for the reason that quarry operation is beneficial to the barangay as well as to the municipality as one source of income;


**WHEREAS**, subject to compliance with pertinent laws, existing rules, regulations and ordinances appurtenant to the said application for Commercial Sand and Gravel Operation in Barangay Lawak-Langka, Mangatarem, Pangasinan, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan interposes no objection to the quarry project, and consequently endorses the same;

**WHEREFORE**, in view of the foregoing, on motion of SP Member Nicholi Jan Louie Q. Sison, duly seconded, it was –


**RESOLVED**, by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan in session assembled to interpose, as it is hereby interposed, no objection to and endorsing the application of Mr. Ramil Rivera for Commercial Sand and Gravel Permit covering an area of 4.77~~5~~<sup>5</sup> hectares at Barangay Lawak-Langka, Mangatarem, Pangasinan;

**RESOLVED, FURTHER**, that copies of this resolution be furnished to the Honorable Governor, Ramon V. Guico III, Engr. Carlos A. Tayag, Regional Director, DENR-Mines and Geosciences Bureau, San Fernando City, La Union, and Mr. Ramil Rivera, for their information and guidance.

CERTIFIED BY:

  
**VERNA T. NAVA-PEREZ**  
*Secretary to the Sanggunian*

ATTESTED:

  
**MARK RONALD DG. LAMBINO**  
Vice Governor  
*(Presiding Officer)*