



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
Province of Eastern Samar
MUNICIPALITY OF GUIUAN

-OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN-

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN
OF GUIUAN, EASTERN SAMAR HELD ON July 15, 2020 AT THE MUNICIPAL SESSION HALL.

PRESENT:

HON. VERONICA C. RAMIREZ	Vice-Mayor
	Presiding Officer
HON. FLORIANO G. BAGRO, JR.	SB Member
HON. ROGELIO O. CABLAO	SB Member
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HON. MANUEL L. VELASCO	SB Member
HON. MARY CHARMAINE G. VILLAR	SB Member
HON. JAYSON C. ABRAJANO	SB Member

ABSENT:

Official Travel:

HON. PEDRO M. MACABOCSIT	SB Member
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Ordinance No. 40, Series of 2020

AN ORDINANCE

DESIGNATING A STRIP OF LAND IN CALICOAN ISLAND, BARANGAY NGOLOS, LEADING TO
"OFFICER'S COUNTRY" AS THE LOCATION FOR THE QUINCENTENNIAL MARKER OF THE
GUIUAN EPISODE OF THE FIRST CIRCUMNAVIGATION OF THE WORLD IN THE PHILIPPINES.

WHEREAS, Article XIV, Section 15 of the 1987 Constitution provides that the State shall conserve, promote and popularize the nation's historical and cultural heritage and resources, as well as artistic creations;

WHEREAS, consistent with this constitutional mandate, Republic Act No. 10086 or Strengthening Peoples' Nationalism Through Philippine History Act. Declares that the State shall "give utmost priority not only to the research on history but also to the popularization of history", and that in "this way, the State will be able to build a Philippine national identity based on unity and pride in diversity held together by a common history;

WHEREAS, one way of popularizing Philippine history is to identify and declare a place as a historical site by way of the historical marker installed by the National Historical Commission of the Philippines (NHCP);

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 7160 or the Local Government Code, particularly Section 16 thereof, mandates that local government units ensure and support the preservation and enrichment of culture and to preserve the comfort and convenience of their inhabitants;;

WHEREAS, while the Sangguniang Bayan of Guiuan, Eastern Samar aims for economic and social advancement, it is firm and steadfast with its principle and policy that the cultural and historical heritage of Guiuan should not be sacrificed;

WHEREAS, President Rodrigo Roa Duterte created the National Quincentennial Committee (NQC) by virtue of Executive Order No. 55, S-2018 to prepare the country for the commemoration of the 500th anniversaries of the Victory of Mactan, the Philippine part of the first circumnavigation of the world, and other related events in 1521, collectively known as the 2021 Quincentennial Commemorations in the Philippines (2021 QCP);

WHEREAS, as its contribution to 2021 QCP and tourism, the NHCP will mark the Philippine sites associated to the first circumnavigation of the world, as achievement of science and humanity from 1519-1522; and

WHEREAS, the NHCP identified that the Calicoan Island of Guiuan, Eastern Samar played a vital role in the Philippine part of the first circumnavigation of the world in 1521;

NOW THEREFORE, on motion of Hon. Jose Eric C. Cordero, duly seconded by Hon. Antonia R. Cablaog;

BE IT ORDAINED, By This Sangguniang Bayan in its Regular Session duly assembled that –

Section 1. This Ordinance shall be known as “An Ordinance Designating a Strip of Land in Calicoan Island, Brgy. Ngołos, Leading to “Officer’s Country” as the Location for the Quincentennial Marker of the Guiuan Episode of the First Circumnavigation of the World in the Philippines.

Section 2. The Quincentennial Marker, containing the NHCP historical marker and bas relief artwork in a pedestal, is hereby set to be built at a strip of land in Calicoan Island, Brgy. Ngołos, with the following core zone bounded by:

Technical Descriptions			
Line	Bearing	Distance	
PROPOSED LOCATION FOR THE HISTORICAL MARKER IN CALICOAN, NGOLOS			
1	2	N 35° 16' W	14.54 m
2	3	N 54° 46' E	18.76 m
3	4	S 36° 38' E	14.84 m
4	5	S 55° 39' W	19.12 m


Section 3. The zoning classification of the property is hereby changed or overlaid as a Local Historical Site in the Comprehensive Land Use Plan (CLUP).

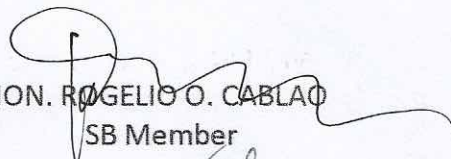
Section 4. The Municipal Government of Guiuan, Eastern Samar shall preserve, protect and promote the historical significance of this market through local tourism and public programs.

Section 5. A copy of this ordinance shall be transmitted to the National Historical Commission of the Philippines (NHCP) and the National Commission for Culture and the Arts (NCCA) for the inclusion in the National Registry of Historic Sites and Structures and Philippine Registry of Cultural Properties (PRECUP)

Section 6. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval.

ENACTED AND APPROVED: July 15, 2020, at Guiuan, Eastern Samar.

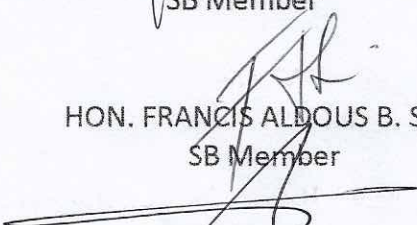

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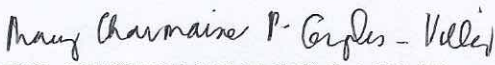

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SB Member
President – SK Federation

I hereby certify to the correctness of the foregoing Ordinance:


RECTITO A. MELQUIADES
Secretary to the Sangguniang Bayan

Attested by:

HON. VERONICA C. RAMIREZ
Municipal Vice-Mayor & Presiding Officer

Approved:

HON. ANNALIZA P. GONZALES - KWAN
Municipal Mayor

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25 Member
President - 26 February 2020

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