

Republic of the Philippines
Province of Tarlac
MUNICIPALITY OF PURA

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OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF PURA, TARLAC HELD AT THE SB SESSION HALL ON THURSDAY, MAY 21, 2015

PRESENT:

Hon. FERDINAND C. VALDEZ -----	Municipal Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer
Hon. MANUEL N. MADDELA JR. -----	Municipal Councilor
Hon. TEODORA D. ROBINO -----	Municipal Councilor
Hon. TIMOTEO D. BALMORES-----	Municipal Councilor
Hon. JOHN PAUL M. BALMORES-----	Municipal Councilor
Hon. REBHENJER J. CARATIQUIT-----	Municipal Councilor
Hon. NENITA M. CABARIOS-----	Municipal Councilor
Hon. FREDDIE D. DOMINGO-----	Municipal Councilor
Hon. SEGUNDO B. RAMILO-----	Municipal Councilor
Hon. NOEL C. MELEGRITO-----	Ex-Officio Councilor (Liga)

ABSENT:

NONE

RESOLUTION NO. 047

Series of 2015

A RESOLUTION FORGING A SISTER-CITY RELATIONSHIP AND TWINNING AGREEMENT WITH THE CITY OF MAKATI TO FOSTER AND PROMOTE EXCHANGES IN VARIOUS FIELDS OF ENDEAVOURS AS MAY BE AGREED UPON, LIKEWISE GRANTING AUTHORITY TO THE MUNICIPAL MAYOR TO SIGN THE DOCUMENTS THAT MAY BE ENTERED INTO, FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE MUNICIPALITY

WHEREAS, Local Government Units (LGU's) nationwide are urged to explore more opportunities for twinning partnerships with their LGU counterparts here and abroad as a means to promote goodwill and understanding, as well as other socio-cultural and economic aspects of development;

WHEREAS, because of rapid urbanization, LGU's should now consider other equally pressing concerns and issues in their twinning agreements which can be mutually beneficial to them;

WHEREAS, sister-city or town-twinning is the highest form of inter-LGU partnership, in-country or abroad, which enables partner communities or local authorities to implement mutually-beneficial activities;

WHEREAS, the Department of the Interior and Local Government, through the Bureau of Local Government Supervision, has gone a long way in promoting sisterhood and twinning relationships from the time the Sister City or Town Affiliation Program was conceived in 1982 to the time the Philippine International Sisterhood and Twinning Association (PHISTA) was born in 1986;

WHEREAS, technical exchanges and cooperation program among (LGUs) through sisterhood and twinning relationship upholds to promote mutual understanding and goodwill on the multifarious dimension of local governance thereby assuring its inhabitants peace, stability and prosperity, today and beyond;

WHEREAS, this “PEOPLE to PEOPLE PROGRAM” is geared towards multi-sectoral exchange and cooperation on trade and investment, information technology, environmental management, sustainable tourism, human development, among others;

NOW, THEREFORE, **on motion unanimously seconded by Sangguniang Bayan Members present, be it;**

RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved, to forge a sister-city relationship and twinning agreement with the City of Makati to foster and promote exchanges in various fields of endeavours as may be agreed upon;

RESOLVED FURTHER, to grant authority to the Municipal Mayor to sign the documents that may be entered into in connection with the foregoing, for and on behalf of the Municipal Government, subject to ratification by the Sangguniang Bayan;

RESOLVED FINALLY, to furnish copies of this resolution to all concerned for their information and appropriate action.

UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED.

ATTESTED:

JOVITO P. PUNZALAN
SB Secretary

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

Hon. FERDINAND C. VALDEZ
Municipal Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer