

### Republic of the Philippines PROVINCE OF ISABELA

City of Ilagan -oOo-

# Office of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 45th REGULAR SESSION OF THE 11th SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF ISABELA HELD AT PROVINCIAL CAPITOL, ILAGAN CITY, ISABELA ON JUNE 26, 2023.

#### PRESENT:

**FAUSTING G. DY III** 

**DELFINITO EMMANUEL L. ALBANO** 

EMMANUEL JOSELITO B. ANES **EDGAR R. CAPUCHINO** 

MARY GRACE D. ARREOLA

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MARCO PAOLO A. MERIS

AMADOR A. GAFFUD, JR.

ANTONIO S. HUI

DANTE G. HALAMAN

DAX PAOLO C. BINAG

LOURDES S. PANGANIBAN MARGARETTE U. CHIN

**EVYN JAY C. DIAZ** 

ON LEAVE:

**ED CHRISTIAN S. GO** 

RAMON JUAN N. REYES, JR.

ADRIAN PHILIP S. BAYSAC

Vice Governor & Presiding Officer

Member (1st District) & Floor Leader

Member (1<sup>st</sup> District)

Member (2<sup>nd</sup> District)

Member (3<sup>rd</sup> District)

Member (4th District)

Member (4th District)

Member (5<sup>th</sup> District)

Member (5th District)

Member (6<sup>th</sup> District) Member (6<sup>th</sup> District)

Member, PCL Federation President

Member, LnB Federation President

Member, SK Federation President

Member, Women's Sectoral Representative

Member, Indigenous Cultural Communities

Sector Representative

Member, Labor Sector Representative

Member (2<sup>nd</sup> District) Member (3<sup>rd</sup> District)

Member, Agricultural Workers Sector

Representative

# **RESOLUTION NO. 2023-22-02**

Series of 2023

A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING FULL SUPPORT AND NO OBJECTION FOR THE APPLICATION OF RENEWAL OF THE "FOREST LAND GRAZING LEASE AGREEMENT UNDER FGLA NO. 299" OF CAGAYAN VALLEY INDUSTRIES CORPORATION

Sponsor: HON. MARCO PAOLO A. MERIS

Chairperson, Committee on Natural Resources, Environmental Protection

WHEREAS, Presidential Decree No. 705, otherwise known as the "Revised Forestry Code of the Philippines", was issued to promote the conservation and preservation of forest and grazing land of the country to prevent unauthorized exploitation, possession or conduct of any activity which would cause irreparable injury to our natural resources:

WHEREAS, for further preservation of the forest and grazing lands, there is a need to provide sufficient incentives to encourage and expand the participation of the private sector in forest management, protection and development, as well as wood

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processing activities within the concept of joint or co-management of the forest resources;

WHEREAS, for further development of the large cattle and livestock industry in the Province of Isabela, the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) issues Forest Land Grazing Lease Agreement (FLGLA) to qualified applicants;

WHEREAS, FLGLA No. 299 has been previously issued to Cagayan Valley Industry Corporation, which is represented by Dr. Flordeliza V. Uy, covering 1,160 hectares, more or less, property that is situated in the Municipality of Mallig, Isabela and traversing the Municipalities of Delfin Albano, and Quezon, Isabela;

WHEREAS, due to the expiration of FLGLA No. 299, Cagayan Valley Industries Corporation filed for an application of renewal to the DENR to pursue their large cattle and livestock projects in the area;

WHEREAS, this August Body is cognizant of the significance of Forest Land Grazing in rehabilitating degraded forestlands, improving forest conservation, protection, development and sustainable activities of forestland resources for food security and income in the Province of Isabela. Thus, we found no cogent reason to raise objections to or oppose the application for the renewal of FLGLA No. 299 by Cagayan Valley Industries Corporation and further express our full support to the same;

**WHEREFORE**, upon motion of Honorable Marco Paolo A. Meris, duly approved and seconded in a session duly assembled, it was -

RESOLVED, AS IT HEREBY RESOLVES, TO PASS A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING FULL SUPPORT AND NO OBJECTION FOR THE APPLICATION OF RENEWAL OF THE "FOREST LAND GRAZING LEASE AGREEMENT UNDER FGLA NO. 299" OF CAGAYAN VALLEY INDUSTRIES CORPORATION.

**RESOLVED FINALLY**, to furnish the Provincial Governor, Hon. Rodolfo T. Albano III, and Regional Executive Director of DENR-RO2, Dir. Gwendolyn Bambalan, for their Information, guidance, and further action.

Approved and Adopted, June 26, 2023.

I HEREBY CERTIFY TO THE CORRECTNESS

of the foregoing Resolution:

ATTY. FRANCIS VAMES E. MEER

Secretary to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan

ATTESTED/ APPROVE

Provincial Vice Governor