

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 8th REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF GUBAT, SORSOGON HELD ON MONDAY, MARCH 5, 2018 AT THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN SESSION HALL.

PRESENT:

HON. SIXTO F. ESTAREJA	- Municipal Vice Mayor/P.O.
HON. JOHN PAUL E. ERLANO	- Member, Sanggunian Bayan
HON. CESAR D. ESPERIDA, JR.	- Member, Sanggunian Bayan
HON. DANILO E. ENAJE	- Member, Sanggunian Bayan
HON. KENNETH D. ESCANDOR	- Member, Sanggunian Bayan
HON. ANTHONY C. CALLOS	- Member, Sanggunian Bayan
HON. VALENTIN A. PURA IV	- Member, Sanggunian Bayan
HON. AIZA E. ENCINARES	- Member, Sanggunian Bayan
HON. RAMON E. ENTICO	- Member, Sanggunian Bayan
HON. ARNEL E. BILLONES	- Acting Liga President

ABSENT: NONE

RESOLUTION NO. 37 S-2018

A RESOLUTION URGING ALL BARANGAY GOVERNMENT UNITS IN GUBAT, SORSOGON, OPERATING A WATER UTILITY SYSTEM TO ENACT REVENUE ORDINANCE AS BASIS OF THEIR COLLECTION FOR WATER SERVICE FEES AND CHARGES.

WHEREAS, Section 129 of the Local Government Code of 1991, states that “Each Local Government shall exercise its power to create its own source of revenue and to levy taxes, fees, and charges subject to the provisions herein, consistent with the basic policy of local autonomy. Such taxes, fees and charges shall accrue exclusively to the local government units;”

WHEREAS, Section 154 of the Local Government Code of 1991 further states that “Local Government Units may fix the rates for operation of public utilities owned, operated and maintained by them within their jurisdiction”;

WHEREAS, there are barangay government units within the jurisdiction of this municipality that are operating water system facilities and collecting fees and charges for its maintenance and operation without the necessary revenue ordinances as legal basis for collecting thereof;

WHEREAS, to rectify and comply with the mandate of the Local Government Code of 1991 in the imposition of taxes, fees and charges in the exercise of their power to create their own sources of revenue, it is mandatory that the barangay government units concerned should enact revenue ordinance as basis of their collection in order to avoid legal issues and concerns;

NOW THEREFORE, on motion of Hon. John Paul E. Erlano and duly seconded by Hon. Kenneth D. Escandor, it was;

RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved, urging all Barangay Government Units in Gubat, Sorsogon, operating a water utility system to enact revenue ordinance as basis of their collection for water service fees and charges;

RESOLVE FURTHER, that copy of this resolution be furnished all barangay captains of the municipality and all other offices concerned for their information and guidance.

APPROVED.

I HEREBY CERTIFY TO THE
CORRECTNESS OF THE
FOREGOING:

(Sgd) RIA A. MERCADER
Temporary Secretary

Attested by:

(Sgd) HON. SIXTO F. ESTAREJA
Municipal Vice Mayor, Presiding Officer