

Sangguniang Panlalawigan

BATAAN CAPITOL, BALANGA CITY



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EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF BATAAN HELD AT THE MANSION GARDEN HOTEL, SBMA, OLONGAPO OITYUNIANU PANLALAWIUN

ON NOVEMBER 14, 2016

PRESENT:

Hon. Jovy Z. Banzon, Acting Vice-Governor and Presiding Office NOV

FIRST DISTRICT:

Hon. Benjamin C. Serrano, Jr., Board Member

Hon. Dexter B. Dominguez, Board Member

Hon. Rolando Z. Tigas, Board Member

Hon. Reynaldo T. Ibe, Jr., Board Member

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Hon. Doroteo M. Austria, Board Member (FABC President)

Hon. Noel Joseph L. Valdecañas, Board Member (PCL President)

Hon. Danilo B. Salonga, Board Member (IPM Representative)

ABSENT:

Hon. Aristotle J. Gaza, Board Member (Excused)

ORDINANCE NO. 2

AN ORDINANCE INSTITUTIONALIZING THE "GALING! BATAAN AWARDS" (GBA) IN THE PROVINCE OF BATAAN, ESTABLISHING THE AWARDS COMMITTEE DEFINING ITS POWERS AND PROVIDING FUNDS THEREOF.

WHEREAS, the "GALING! BATAAN" was launched in the Province of Bataan on April 9, 2005 and adopted by the Brand Development Program thru SP Resolution No. 135 during the incumbency of Governor Enrique T. Garcia as one highlights of the 63rd Bataan Day Celebration/Araw ng Kagitingan;

WHEREAS, the "GALING! BATAAN" Brand was registered to the Intellectual Property Office on September 14, 2006 making it the official brand name and identity of Bataan products;

WHEREAS, the result of the "GALING! BATAAN" Brand's evolution begets the "GALING! BATAAN AWARDS" (GBA) as the official awarding program in the Province to acknowledge the quality, ingenuity, craftsmanship, expertise and excellence of the products, services and the people of Bataan;

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WHEREAS, the "GALING! BATAAN AWARDS" is a program conceptualized and designed to give due recognition to cooperatives, MSMEs and corporate citizens that displayed exemplary performance as local economic players and significantly contributed to the efficient, inclusive and sustainable economic growth of Bataan;

WHEREAS, the institutionalization of the "GALING! BATAAN AWARDS" through a local legislation will assure its continuity and permanence, define the parameters of the selection process to avoid personal feelings, closeness or bias from interfering in the choice considering the prestige of the Award given to the truly deserving;

WHEREAS, the formation of a credible Awards Committee is an integral part to bring about reliable results for this program;

NOW THEREFORE, be it ordained by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Bataan in Regular Session assembled:

Section 1. TITLE. This Ordinance shall be known as "AN ORDINANCE INSTITUTIONALIZING THE "GALING! BATAAN AWARDS" (GBA) IN THE PROVINCE OF BATAAN, ESTABLISHING THE AWARDS COMMITTEE, DEFINING ITS POWERS AND PROVIDING FUNDS THEREOF";

Section 2. DEFINITION OF TERMS. The following terms shall be construed to mean:

- a. Awards Committee this shall pertain to the Galing! Bataan Awards Committee established under this Ordinance;
- b. Cooperatives are autonomous and duly registered association of persons with common bond of interest, who voluntarily joined together to achieve their social, economic and cultural needs and aspirations by making equitable contributions to the capital required, patronizing their products and services and accepting a fair share of the risks and benefits of the undertaking in accordance with universally accepted cooperative principles;
- c. Corporate Citizens refers to establishments and companies with a minimum capitalization of ONE HUNDRED MILLION PESOS (PHP100,000,000.00) located and operating within the Province of Bataan;
- d. Galing Bataan Awards the highest award given annually by the Province to cooperatives, MSMEs and corporate citizens;
- e. MSMEs Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises are any business activity or enterprise engaged in industry, agribusiness and/or services that may be classified according to asset exclusive and land or the number of employees. MSME also include a single proprietorship.

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Section 3. THE AWARD. The GALING! BATAAN AWARDS (GBA) is a program conceptualized and designed to give due recognition to cooperatives, MSMEs and corporate citizens that displayed exemplary performance as local economic players and significantly contributed to the efficient, inclusive and sustainable economic growth of Bataan. GBA acknowledges the quality, ingenuity, craftsmanship, expertise and excellence of the products, services and the people of Bataan;

The GALING! BATAAN AWARDS shall recognize outstanding local economic players, along the following categories: (1) Cooperatives; (2) MSMEs; and (3) Corporate Citizens, located and operating in the Province of Bataan, in line with the Provincial Cooperative and Enterprise Development Office's (PCEDO) three-pronged approach to investment generation:

- 1. Cooperative Development Program. Promote and encourage the creation, growth and development of economically competitive and socially responsible cooperatives in the Province;
- 2. Enterprise Development Program. Promote and develop MSMEs by providing support programs and policies addressing specific needs in the areas of market and financial access and entrepreneurial trainings and seminars in collaboration with other partner agencies; and
- 3. Investment Promotion Programs. Promote investment priority areas and provide incentives and support services to attract and encourage local and foreign investments that will significantly contribute to the efficient, inclusive and sustainable economic growth of the Province by providing for the incentives and services for local and foreign investors.

Section 4. AWARDS COMMITTEE. There is hereby created the Galing! Bataan Awards Committee which shall be composed of a Chairman and six (6) members and shall have a term of one (1) year, duly appointed or designated through an appropriate executive order issued by the Provincial Governor. The Committee shall promulgate the Implementing Rules and Regulations tailored specifically for each category in the implementation of this Ordinance to award the most outstanding cooperatives, entrepreneurs and big ticket companies or corporations. The Committee members shall meet at least once a month or at the call of the Chairman as the need arises;

Section 5. DUTIES AND FUNCTIONS OF THE AWARDS COMMITTEE. It shall be the duty of the Galing! Bataan Awards Committee to perform the following functions:

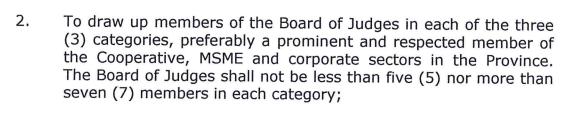
1. Upon consultation with various stakeholders, to promulgate and implement rules and regulations establishing the following but not limited to the criteria, qualifications, requirements, categories of awards and the selection process as well as the prizes to be given away;

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- 3. The Committee shall design, program, coordinate and facilitate all the preparations and activities relative to the conferment of the Award, including but not limited to the setting or extension of deadline for the submission of nomination forms with its supporting documents, procurement and design of medals, trophies and plaques of appreciations;
- 4. To prepare and submit to the Local Sanggunian, through the Provincial Cooperative and Enterprise Development Office's (PCEDO), Plan and Budget, the proposed programming and other regular funding/budgetary requirements of GBA;
- 5. The Committee shall initiate extensive information and dissemination campaign to promote the program;
- 6. To perform such other function necessary to the attainment of the objectives of this Ordinance.

Section 6. THE SECRETARIAT, DUTIES AND FUNCTIONS. The Provincial Cooperative and Enterprise Development Office (PCEDO) shall act as the Secretariat of the Galing! Bataan Awards Committee. The PCEDO shall handle the administrative and financial matters of the Committee. It shall also act as the repository of Awardees' documents, memorabilia, pictures and the like;

Section 7. AWARDING DAY. The awarding shall be held annually, starting on the year 2017, on a date to be determined by the Awards Committee;

Section 8. FUNDING. The Provincial Government shall appropriate an annual budget of FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND PESOS (PHP500,000.00) which shall be sourced from the Budget of the Provincial Government and shall be augmented or supplemented as the need arises;

Section 9. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. If for any reason, any part or provision of this Ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional or invalid, other parts or provisions hereof which are not be affected thereby and shall continue in full force and effect;

Section 10. REPEALING CLAUSE. All Local Ordinances, Acts, Executive Orders, Decrees, Proclamations and Administrative Regulations or part or parts thereof which are inconsistent with any of the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed or modified accordingly;

Section 11. EFFECTIVITY. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately on approval.

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ATTESTED:

JOVY Z. BANZON Acting Vice-Governor (Presiding Officer)

APPROVED:

Provincial Governor

Date: 11-15-14