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EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF NEGROS OCCIDENTAL HELD IN THE CITY OF BACOLOD, NEGROS OCCIDENTAL ON THE 19<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF MARCH 2024.

Present:

Hon. Araceli T. Somosa	Temporary Presiding Officer
Hon. Rommel T. Debulgado	Member - 1 <sup>st</sup> District
Hon. Sixto Teofilo Roxas V. Guanzon, Jr.	Member - 2 <sup>nd</sup> District
Hon. Samson C. Mirhan	Member - 2 <sup>nd</sup> District
Hon. Manuel Frederick O. Ko	Member - 3 <sup>rd</sup> District
Hon. Andrew Gerard L. Montelibano	Member - 3 <sup>rd</sup> District
Hon. Rita Angela S. Gatuslao	Member - 5 <sup>th</sup> District
Hon. Jeffrey T. Tubola	Member - 6 <sup>th</sup> District
Hon. Julius Martin D. Asistio	Member-PCL
Hon. Richard Julius L. Sablan	Member - ABC

On Official Business:

Hon. Jeffrey P. Ferrer	Vice Governor
Hon. Jose Benito A. Alonso	Member - 4 <sup>th</sup> District
Hon. Andrew Martin Y. Torres	Member - 4 <sup>th</sup> District
Hon. Anthony Dennis J. Occeño	Member - 5 <sup>th</sup> District
Hon. Valentino Miguel J. Alonso	Member - 6 <sup>th</sup> District
Hon. Mayvelyn L. Madrid	Member - SK

**RESOLUTION NO. 0428**  
Series of 2024

**RESOLUTION DECLARING MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 2024-06 OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF ISABELA, ENTITLED: "AN ORDINANCE INSTITUTIONALIZING THE PROGRAMS, SERVICES, PRIVILEGES, AND BENEFITS FOR SOLO PARENTS AND THEIR CHILDREN AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREOF AND OTHER PURPOSES PURSUANT TO REPUBLIC ACT 11861, ALSO KNOWN AS THE EXPANDED SOLO PARENTS WELFARE ACT OF 2000", AS A VALID ENACTED ORDINANCE**

**WHEREAS**, Section 56 of the Local Government Code of 1991 expresses the reviewing power of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan on Component City and Municipal Ordinances and Resolutions declaring the Ordinance or Resolution valid if it's consistent with the law or invalid in whole or in part if the Sangguniang Panlalawigan finds the Ordinance or Resolution to be beyond the power conferred upon the Sangguniang Panlungsod or Sangguniang Bayan concerned;

**WHEREAS**, Ordinance No. 2024-06, series of 2024 of the Municipality of Isabela institutionalizing the programs, services, privileges and benefits for solo parent and their children and appropriating funds thereof and other purposes pursuant to Republic Act No. 11861, also known as the Expanded Solo Parents Welfare Act of 2000; was submitted for review to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Negros Occidental;

**WHEREAS**, R.A. No. 7160 otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991 mandates the Sangguniang Bayan as the legislative body of the municipality has the power to enact ordinances, and appropriate funds for the general welfare of the city and its inhabitants;

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**WHEREAS**, upon reviewing Ordinance No. 2024-06 of the Municipality of Isabela, it becomes apparent that it finds its legal basis in section 16 of R.A. 7160. This provision stipulates that every local government unit possesses the authority to exercise explicitly granted powers, those inherently implied, as well as those necessary, appropriate, or incidental for effective governance and the promotion of the general welfare. Consequently, the sangguniang bayan of Isabela, acting as the municipality's legislative body, holds the mandate to enact ordinances such as the one in question and allocate funds for the municipality's overall well-being and that of its residents. This is particularly relevant as the ordinance institutionalizes programs, services, privileges, and benefits for Solo Parents and their children under R.A. No. 8972, as amended by R.A. 11861.

**WHEREAS**, the reviewing authority of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan finds no irregularity that follow thereto as a result of the thorough scrutiny of the Provincial Legal Officer;


**NOW THEREFORE**, premises considered, on motion of Hon. Sixto Teofilo Roxas V. Guanzon, Jr. unanimously seconded by all the members present during the regular session of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Negros Occidental, resolved, as it hereby resolves, to pass and approve this resolution to wit:

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**ADOPTED UNANIMOUSLY.**

This resolution shall take effect immediately upon approval.

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

  
**HON. ARACELI T. SOMOSA**  
Temporary Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

  
**ATTY. MAKI ANGEL O. ASCALON**  
Provincial Secretary