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PROVINCE OF NEGROS OCCIDENTAL  
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**EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE  
SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF THE PROVINCE OF NEGROS OCCIDENTAL  
HELD IN THE CITY OF BACOLOD ON THE 6th DAY OF AUGUST 2024**

**PRESENT:**

Hon. Jeffrey P. Ferrer	Vice Governor/Presiding Officer
Hon. Manuel Frederick O. Ko	Member - 3 <sup>rd</sup> District
Hon. Rommel T. Debulgado	Member - 1 <sup>st</sup> District
Hon. Araceli T. Somosa	Member - 1 <sup>st</sup> District
Hon. Andrew Gerard L. Montelibano	Member - 3 <sup>rd</sup> District
Hon. Andrew Martin Y. Torres	Member - 4 <sup>th</sup> District
Hon. Valentino Miguel J. Alonso	Member - 6 <sup>th</sup> District
Hon. Jeffrey T. Tubola	Member - 6 <sup>th</sup> District
Hon. Richard Julius L. Sablan	Member - ABC Rep.
Hon. Mayvelyn L. Madrid	Member - SK Rep.

**OFFICIAL BUSINESS:**

Hon. Sixto Teofilo Roxas V. Guanzon, Jr.	Member - 2 <sup>nd</sup> District
Hon. Samson C. Mirhan	Member - 2 <sup>nd</sup> District
Hon. Rita Angela S. Gatuslao	Member - 5 <sup>th</sup> District
Hon. Anthony Dennis J. Occeño	Member - 5 <sup>th</sup> District
Hon. Julius Martin D. Asistio	Member - PCL Rep.

**ABSENT: (ON-LEAVE)**

Hon. Jose Benito A. Alonso	Member - 4 <sup>th</sup> District
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**RESOLUTION NO. 0917  
Series of 2024**

**RESOLUTION APPROVING AND GRANTING THE ACCREDITATION OF VITO  
LANGOB FISHERFOLK ASSOCIATION (VILFA)**

**WHEREAS**, Section 34 of the Local Government Code of 1991 (Book 1, Chapter 4) states that local government units shall promote the establishment and operation of people's and non-governmental organizations to become active partners in the pursuit of local autonomy;

**WHEREAS**, on June 15, 2022, the Department of the Interior and Local Government issued Memorandum Circular No. 2022-083, on the Guidelines on the Accreditation of Civil Society Organizations and Selection of Representatives to the Local Special Bodies;

**WHEREAS**, the Vito Langob Fisherfolk Association (VILFA) with office address at Brgy. Vito, Sagay City, Negros Occidental through Eddie S. Sabroso Sr., its Chairman has signified its intention to be an accredited CSO in the Province of Negros Occidental to pursue an active partnership with the Local Government Unit in the pursuit of local autonomy and nation building;

**WHEREAS**, the Vito Langob Fisherfolk Association (VILFA) has satisfactorily complied with the requirements and criteria for accreditation as a civil society organization in accordance with the procedures and guidelines set forth in DILG MC 2022-083;

**WHEREAS**, in view of the foregoing, the SP Committee on Cooperatives, finding the same to be in order, deemed it best to approve the same;



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**WHEREFORE**, on motion of Hon. Jeffrey T. Tubola, unanimously seconded by all members present,

**THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN RESOLVED**, as it hereby resolves, to approve and grant the accreditation of Vito Langob Fisherfolk Association (VILFA) in the Province of Negros Occidental;



**RESOLVED FURTHER**, that this accreditation is effective only until June 30, 2025.

**RESOLVED FURTHERMORE**, that copies of this Resolution be furnished to the Honorable Governor, Eugenio Jose V. Lacson; Eddie S. Sabroso Sr., Chairman of Vito Langob Fisherfolk Association (VILFA) and the Provincial Legal Officer for information and guidance.

**ADOPTED UNANIMOUSLY.**

This resolution shall take effect immediately upon approval.

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

  
**HON. JEFFREY P. FERRER**  
Vice Governor/Presiding Officer 

ATTESTED:

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

