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OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN

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 20TH DAY OF JANUARY 2026.

Present:

Hon. Jose Benito A. Alonso	Vice Governor / Presiding Officer
Hon. Araceli T. Somosa	Member - 1 st District
Hon. Laurence Marxlen J. de la Cruz	Member - 1 st District
Hon. Sixto Teofilo Roxas V. Guanzon, Jr.	Member - 2 nd District
Hon. Arthur Christopher D. Marañon	Member - 2 nd District
Hon. Andrew Gerard L. Montelibano	Member - 3 rd District
Hon. Atty. Hope Marey B. Depasucat	Member - 3 rd District
Hon. Patricia Paula M. Alonso-Valderrama	Member - 4 th District
Hon. Nicholas M. Yulo	Member - 4 th District
Hon. Rita Angela S. Gatuslao	Member - 5 th District
Hon. Hadji P. Trojillo	Member - 5 th District
Hon. Genaro G. Alvarez IV	Member - 6 th District
Hon. Jeffrey T. Tubola	Member - 6 th District
Hon. Richard Julius L. Sablan	Member - ABC
Hon. Mayvelyn L. Madrid	Member - SK

Absent:

Hon. Julius Martin D. Asistio	(O.L.)	Member-PCL
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RESOLUTION NO. 0129
 Series of 2026

RESOLUTION APPROVING APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 2025-05 OF THE CITY OF ESCALANTE, NEGROS OCCIDENTAL, COVERING THE 2025 GENERAL FUND SUPPLEMENTAL BUDGET NO. 4 OF THE SAID CITY IN THE AMOUNT OF TWENTY FOUR MILLION SEVEN HUNDRED TWENTY EIGHT THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED FIFTEEN PESOS AND FIFTY TWO CENTAVOS (P24,728,315.52)

WHEREAS, thereby presented for review and appropriate action of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan is the 2025 General Fund Supplemental Budget No. 4 of the City of Escalante, Negros Occidental with a total appropriation of P24,728,315.52, enacted by the Sanggunian Panlungsod per Appropriation Ordinance No. 2025-05;

WHEREAS, the above-mentioned budget shows apparent compliance in substance with the provisions of R.A. No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, and Joint Circular No. 93-2 of the Commission on Audit and the Department of Budget and Management dated June 8, 1993 and other implementing circulars and issuances, as pre-reviewed and endorsed by the Provincial Budget Officer and the Local Finance Committee;

WHEREAS, in view of the foregoing, the SP Committee on Budget and Finance recommends approval of the same;

NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of Hon. Araceli T. Somosa, unanimously seconded by all the members present,



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THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN RESOLVED, as it hereby resolves, to approve Appropriation Ordinance No. 2025-05 of the City of Escalante covering the 2025 General Fund Supplemental Budget No. 4 of the said city with an appropriation of P24,728,315.52 and considered operative in its entirety effective December 3, 2025 subject to the posting requirement under Section 59 of LGC 1991 and subject further to the following conditions:

1. the grant of FY 2023 Performance Based Bonus (PBB) shall strictly be in accordance with the provisions of JMC No. 2025-001 dated April 30, 2025 and 2025-002 dated June 27, 2025 of the DILG and DBM, and Regional Memorandum of DILG – Negros Island Region dated October 28, 2025. The rate of the PBB shall be consistent with the rate prescribed in the Notice of Eligibility issued by the DILG.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that this review action does not authorize any item of appropriation that is specifically prohibited by or inconsistent with the provisions of law and that the accuracy of the statement/certification and other supporting documents contained in this supplemental budget as well as the observance with other existing laws, rules and regulations shall be the responsibility of the city government.

ADOPTED UNANIMOUSLY.

This resolution shall take effect immediately upon approval.

CERTIFIED CORRECT:


HON. JOSE BENITO A. ALONSO
Vice Governor

ATTESTED:


ATTY. MAKI ANGEL O. ASCALON
Provincial Secretary

