

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN SECRETARY

CERTIFICATION

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that at the regular session duly constituted of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan, Province of Pangasinan, held on March 6, 2023 at Lingayen, Pangasinan, the following resolution was approved:

Sponsored by SP Members Rosary Gracia P. Perez-Tababa and Nicholi Jan Louie Q. Sison and co-sponsored by SP Members Jerome Vic O. Espino, Jeanne Jinky C. Zaplan and Arthur C. Celeste, Jr.

RESOLUTION NO. 233-2023

DECLARING THE ANNUAL BUDGET FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2023 OF STO. TOMAS, PANGASINAN INVOLVING A TOTAL APPROPRIATION OF P86,576,908.00, OPERATIVE IN ITS ENTIRETY

WHEREAS, pursuant to Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Pangasinan as a legislative body of the Province is empowered to review ordinances authorizing annual or supplemental appropriations of component cities and municipalities in the manner prescribed by law;

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Bayan of Sto. Tomas, Pangasinan submitted its Annual Budget for Calendar Year 2023 involving total appropriations of P86,576,908.00, which was enacted on December 20, 2022 through Appropriation Ordinance No. 03, Series of 2022;

WHEREAS, the Committee on Laws and Ordinances of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan with the technical assistance of the Local Finance Committee of the Province pursuant to Section 316 of the Local Government Code of 1991, have conducted review and study on said budget with the following findings:

- 1. That the grant of the Fourth Tranche salary adjustment to all municipal officials and employees shall be in accordance with the provisions of Local Budget Circular No. 149 dated January 10, 2023;
- 2. That the grant of step increment to some municipal employees and clective officials shall be in accordance with the CSC-DBM Joint Circular No. 01, S. 2012 dated September 3, 2012 and CSC-DBM Joint Circular No. 01, S. 2016 dated January 27, 2016;



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- 3. That the items funded out of the Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Fund shall be in accordance with R.A. No. 10121 known as the Philippine Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Act of 2010 and its IRR, and the DBM-NDRRM-DILG Joint Memorandum Circular No. 2013-1 dated March 25, 2013 re: Allocation and Utilization of the Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Fund (LDRRMF), and that 30% shall be set aside as Quick Response Fund;
- 4. That the projects under the 20% of the Annual National Tax Allotment for development projects (20% Development Fund) shall be subject to the provisions of DBM-DOF-DILG Joint Memorandum Circular (JMC) No. 1 dated November 4, 2020. Re: Revised Guidelines on the Appropriation and Utilization of the Twenty percent (20%) of the Annual Internal Revenue Allotment for Development Projects;
- 5. That all procurements to be undertaken shall be in accordance with the pertinent provisions of R.A. No. 9184 (The Government Procurement Reform Act.) and its revised Implementing Rules and Regulations;
- 6. That all programs, projects and activities shall be in accordance with the approved Local Development Plan and the FY 2023 Annual Investment Program of the municipality formulated pursuant to DILG-NEDA-DBM-DOF Joint Memorandum Circular No. 1, Series of 2007 dated March 8, 2007; and
- 7. That the effect of the Final Fiscal Year 2023 National Tax Allotment shares of the municipality necessitate the prioritization in the implementation of items of appropriations by the local government unit.

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan after final evaluation, finds the same in order provided that the findings shall be complied with by the municipality;

WHEREFORE, in view of the foregoing, on motion of SP Members Rosary Gracia P. Perez-Tababa and Nicholi Jan Louie Q. Sison and co-sponsored by SP Members Jerome Vic O. Espino, Jeanne Jinky C. Zaplan and Arthur C. Celeste, Jr., duly seconded, it was-

RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved, by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan in session assembled, to declare Operative in its Entirety the Annual Budget for Calendar Year 2023 of Sto. Tomas, Pangasinan;





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RESOLVED FURTHER, that a copy of this resolution be furnished the Office of the Sangguniang Bayan of Sto. Tomas, Pangasinan, for its information and guidance.

CERTIFIED BY VERNAT NAVA-PEREZ Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

LD DG. LAMBINO MARK Vice Governor (Presiding Officer)