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## 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 October 23, 2023 at the Session Hall, Capitol Building, Lingayen, Pangasinan, the following provincial resolution was approved:

Authored by SP Members Shiela Marie F. Baniqued and co-authored by SP Mmeber Vici M. Ventanilla

#### PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 925-2023

COMMENDING AND CONGRATULATING KIMBERLY GARCIA GAELA OF CALASIAO, PANGASINAN FOR EMERGING AS CHAMPION IN THE 100-KILOMETER WOMEN OPEN FOOT RACE IN THE RECENTLY CONCLUDED THE MAGNIFICENT BALING 100 (TMB100) HELD IN KEDAH, MALAYSIA

WHEREAS, The Magnificent Baling 100 (TMB100) was founded as a trail running event to promote Baling as one of the eco-tourism locations in Malaysia;

WHEREAS, this year's race is the 1<sup>st</sup> Edition of TMB100 which encompasses 10km, 25km, 50km and 100km categories wherein participants will run through the beautiful trail of Baling through some of the iconic landscape, paddy field, traditional Malay villages, orchards, jungles and wading through refreshing rivers in Kedah, Malaysia;

WHEREAS, the Province of Pangasinan has consistently extended due recognition and commendation to its outstanding Pangasinense athletes for their excellent performance in their chosen sport;

WHEREAS, Kimberly G. Gaela, who proudly hails from the Municipality of Calasiao, Pangasinan and the daughter of Mr. Generoso Gaela and Mrs. Yolanda Gaela, emerged as Champion in the 100-kilometer Women Open Foot Race as she conquered and finished with a record time of 17 hours and 29 minutes in the recently concluded The Magnificent Baling 100 held in Kedah, Malaysia last October 13-14, 2023;

WHEREAS, prior to this international feat, Kimberly G. Gaela started from humble beginnings and has relentlessly persisted to reach her trail running dreams, and gradually, dominated the local and international trail running scene by competing and winning several awards and breaking course records;

WHEREAS, despite several challenges encountered during her trail journey, Kimberly G. Gaela's strength, determination, grit, and perseverance have pushed her to remain steadfast in her pursuit of a professional trail running career;





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WHEREAS, the recent achievement of Kimberly G. Gaela not only serves as an inspiration to her fellow Calasiaoeño, but also to all Pangasinenses, to continuously aim for their dreams and to believe in their full potential;

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan joins the whole Province in commending and congratulating Kimberly G. Gaela for her accomplishments, as well as wish her the best of luck for her future endeavors;

**WHEREFORE,** in view of the foregoing, on motion of SP Member Shiela Marie F. Baniqued and co-authored by SP Member Vici M. Ventanilla, duly seconded, it was –

**RESOLVED**, by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan in session assembled to commend and congratulate, as she is hereby commended and congratulated, Kimberly Garcia Gaela of Calasiao, Pangasinan for emerging as Champion in the 100-Kiilometer Women Open Foot Race in the recently concluded The Magnificent Baling 100 held in Kedah, Malaysia;

**RESOLVED, FURTHER,** that a copy of this resolution be furnished to Kimberly Garcia Gaela at Lasip Highway, Calasiao, Pangasinan, for her information.

CERTIFIED BY

VERNAT. NAVA-PEREZ Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

MARK ROMALD DG. LAMBINO

Vice Governor Presiding Officer)

