

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 August 1, 2022 at Lingayen, Pangasinan, the following provincial resolution was approved:

Authored by Vice Governor Mark Ronald DG. Lambino and co-authored by all Members of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan

## PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 663-2022

EXPRESSING THE DEEPEST SENSE OF GRIEF, SYMPATHY AND CONDOLENCE OF THE PEOPLE OF PANGASINAN OVER THE PASSING AWAY OF HIS EXCELLENCY, FIDEL V. RAMOS, 12<sup>TH</sup> PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES

**WHEREAS**, the late former President Fidel V. Ramos, a native son of the Province of Pangasinan, passed away on July 31, 2022 due to complications from COVID 19 at the age of 94;

WHEREAS, the late former President Ramos, fondly called as "FVR", was born in Lingayen, Pangasinan and is the pride of the Province of Pangasinan, being the 1st President who came from this Province;

**WHEREAS**, the late former President Fidel V. Ramos, a career military man, emerged from a high-ranking security role during the Marcos dictatorship to win the vote for the nation's highest office in 1992;

**WHEREAS**, the late former President Fidel V. Ramos, a steadfast leader and democracy icon, was able to secure a place in history for his participation in the great changes of our country, both as military officer and chief executive;

WHEREAS, during his incumbency from 1992 to 1998, the late former President Ramos has steadfastly promoted the principles of people empowerment and global competitiveness as he implemented economic reforms by inviting more domestic and foreign investments;

WHEREAS, the country has been dubbed as the rising Tiger of Asia during his term as he was able to bring out the best for the country in terms of economic growth, technological development, political stability and efficient delivery of basic services for the people;

WHEREAS, during his administration, the late former President Ramos had made a shift from reactive leapfrogging to proactive pole-vaulting of economic policies for the country;





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**WHEREAS**, the late former President Ramos has shown deep concern for Pangasinenses by personally and constantly visiting the Province and for launching various development projects aimed at people empowerment and poverty alleviation for his *kabaleyans*;

**WHEREAS**, the late former President Fidel V. Ramos will be honoured as one of the great Filipino leaders and leaves behind a colorful service legacy and with a caring heart for common Filipino;

**WHEREAS**, the late former President Ramos will be remembered as a president with dignity, respect for democracy and rule of law, and as a person who lived a life with modesty, simplicity and integrity;

**WHEREAS**, the sudden demise of former President Ramos is a grief to many not only in the whole country, but most especially in the Capital Town of Lingayen where he was born;

WHEREAS, the late former President Fidel V. Ramos is survived by his wife, Amelita "Ming" Ramos, and their children Angelita Ramos-Jones, Carolina Ramos-Sembrano, Cristina Ramos-Jalasco and Gloria Ramos, while their other daughter Josephine Ramos-Samartino died in 2011:

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan honors the legacy of his presidency and his significant and countless contributions in the selfless pursuit of public service;

**NOW, THEREFORE,** in view of the foregoing, on motion of Vice Governor Mark Ronald DG. Lambini and co-authored by all Members of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan, duly seconded, it was –

**RESOLVED**, by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan in session assembled to express, as it is hereby expressed, deepest sense of grief, sympathy and condolence of the People of Pangasinan over the passing away of His Excellency, Fidel V. Ramos, 12<sup>th</sup> President of the Republic of the Philippines;

**RESOLVED FURTHER**, that a copy of this resolution be furnished to the bereaved family of the late former President Fidel V. Ramos through his loving wife, Mrs. Amelita M. Ramos at their residence in Ayala Alabang, Muntinlupa, Metro Manila, for their information.

CERTIFIED BY:

VERNA T NAVA-PEREZ

Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

SP MEMBER SHIELA MARIE F. BANIQUED

Presiding Officer Pro Tempore