Republic of the Philippines
Province of Oriental Mindoro
MUNICIPALITY OF ROXAS

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 14TH REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF ROXAS, ORIENTAL MINDORO HELD ON 21 APRIL 2003, 9:20 A.M. SITIO DALAHICAN, BARANGAY SAN JOSE

Present:

	Vice Mayor Cesar T. Baticos	- Presiding Officer
	Councilor Eduardo K. Soriano	- Member
	Councilor Juan S. Advincula	Member
	Councilor Jesus S. Dela Cruz	- Member
	Councilor Ramil O. Dimapilis	- Member
	Councilor Angeley D. Bautista	- Member
	Councilor Hernan C. Erorita	Member
	Councilor Gemmar C. Montesa	Member, ABC President
	Councilor King Philip B. Dimapilis	- Member, Municipal SK Federation President.
Absent:	Councilor Mae Arlene M. Talens	Member
	Councilor Jovito D. Estrada	Member

RESOLUTION NO. 038
Series of 2003

RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING HONORABLE SENATOR NOLI "KABAYAN" DE CASTRO FOR FUNDING ASSISTANCE FOR THE REPAIR/REHABILITATION OF SOME THREE HUNDRED METERS (300 m.) OF SAN RAFAEL DIKE IN ROXAS, ORIENTAL MINDORO.

WHEREAS, the construction of the dike at Barangay San Rafael, this municipality, has been a priority concern of the local administration considering the damages to lives and properties the Bongabong River has caused when it flooded the lowland areas successively in the past years;

WHEREAS, funding for its construction has been addressed to the national government agencies/officials/congressional representatives; allocation received enabled the initial construction of a portion of said dike;

WHEREAS, the threat of the river overflowing during rainy season through the open/unprotected portion of the bank and the danger this poses to the low-lying barangays prompted the local officials to continuously source funding assistance and which in the year 2001, the Honorable Senator NOLI "KABAYAN" DE CASTRO positively responded with a P15M financial support;

WHEREAS, this generosity has been gratefully acknowledged by the people of this municipality, the construction of the dike has been pushed through with regular monitoring by a locally organized committee;

WHEREAS, on March 31, 2003, Hon. Senator Noli "Kabayan" De Castro who joined President Gloria Macapagal-Arroyo's party in the launching of the Strong Republic Nautical Highway in this municipality, conducted an ocular inspection of the San Rafael Dike with the town's officials; a three hundred meter (300 m.) portion of the old dike was found to have a weak foundation and will readily collapse comes the strong river current this rainy season;

WHEREAS, the Honorable Senator having seen the defective condition of this portion of the dike committed to help for its repair/rehabilitation;

WHEREAS, it is for this noble motive that the local governance of this municipality agreed to request once more the support of the Honorable Senator Noli "Kabayan" De Castro for funding assistance for the repair/rehabilitation of the said 300 meter portion of the San Rafael Dike for the welfare of the more than 43,000 population of Roxas, Oriental Mindoro.

NOW THEREFORE, on motion of Councilor Juan S. Advincula duly seconded by all –

BE IT RESOLVED to respectfully request as it hereby requests Honorable Senator Noli "Kabayan" De Castro for funding assistance for the repair/rehabilitation of the three hundred meters (300 m.) portion of the San Rafael Dike, the generous concern is a magnanimous support to protecting the environment and the lives and properties of the people of this municipality.

RESOLVED FURTHER to send copies of this resolution Hon. Senator Noli "Kabayan" De Castro, Senate of the Philippines, Pasay City for his kind and priority action to this request.

Unanimously Approved.

Adopted : 21 April 2003

CERTIFIED TRUE AND CORRECT:

VIOLETA P. FUENTES
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

CESAR P. BATICOS
Municipal Vice Mayor/
Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

JESUS M. DIMAPILIS
Municipal Mayor

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