Republic of the Philippines
Province of Oriental Mindoro
MUNICIPALITY OF ROXAS

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 10TH REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF ROXAS, ORIENTAL MINDORO HELD ON 10 MARCH 2003, 9:10 A.M. AT THE SANGGUNIAN SESSION HALL.

Present:

	Vice Mayor Cesar T. Ballaos	- Presiding Officer
	Councilor Eduardo K. Soriano	- Member
	Councilor Mae Arlene M. Talens	- Member
	Councilor Josue S. Dela Cruz	- Member
	Councilor Ramil O. Dimaplilis	- Member
	Councilor Angeles D. Bautista	Member
	Councilor Herman C. Erorita	- Member
	Councilor Jovito D. Estrada	- Member
	Councilor Gemar C. Montesa	- Member, ABC President
	Councilor King Philip D. Dimaplilis	- Member, Municipal SK Federation President
Absent:	Councilor Juan S. Advincula	- On Leave

RESOLUTION NO. 025
Series of 2003

RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING HON. LEANDRO C. MENDOZA, SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND COMMUNICATION FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF AN EXTENSION OF THE LAND TRANSPORTATION OFFICE IN ROXAS, ORIENTAL MINDORO.

WHEREAS, Roxas municipality has for the past three decades been the center of trade and commerce of the southern towns of Oriental Mindoro and of the nearby islands of Romblon, Panay and other Visayan islands;

WHEREAS, with the influx of people to this municipality from various towns and provinces came an increase in diversified trade brought by the introduction of advanced technology, capital and labor and which calls for an expansion and improvement in services one of which is in transportation and communication that serves as a link between barangays and the Poblacion area where most of the economic enterprises are established and managed;

WHEREAS, several means of transportation have been on the streets since then but the illegal operation of many of the public utility vehicles has been a permanent problem of the town's officials and authorities as many owners operate without registering the vehicles with the Land Transportation Office putting the riding public in a very disadvantageous situation in cases of accidents and causing a considerable loss of government revenues;

WHEREAS, this failure to register motor vehicles defeats the program of the Land Transportation Office of upgrading and accounting motor vehicles operating on our public highways;

WHEREAS, one basic reason for non-registration of motor vehicle is the distance of the nearest and only available transportation office which is in the capital town of this province, 147 kilometers away making it difficult for owners and operators to bring their vehicles and legalize their operation;

WHEREAS, it is on this light the members of this august body acting on the need of the people of this locality unanimously agreed to request the Department of Transportation and Communication that an extension of the Land Transportation Office be established in Roxas, Oriental Mindoro.

NOW THEREFORE, on unanimous motion of the members present -

BE IT RESOLVED to respectfully request as it hereby requests Hon. Leandro C. Mendoza, Secretary of the Department of Transportation and Communication for the establishment of an extension of the Land Transportation Office in Roxas, Oriental Mindoro.

RESOLVED FURTHER to send copies of this resolution Hon. Leandro C. Mendoza, Secretary of the Department of Transportation and Communication, The Columbia Tower, Ortigas Avenue, Pasig City for his perusal and most favorable action.

Adopted : 10 March 2003

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

VIOLETA P. FUENTES
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

CESAR T. BATICOS
Municipal Vice Mayor/
Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

JESUS M. DIMAPILIS
Municipal Mayor

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