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Province of Oriental Mindoro  
**MUNICIPALITY OF ROXAS**

**OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN**

EXCERPTS FROM THE JOURNAL OF THE 48<sup>th</sup> REGULAR SESSION OF THE 10<sup>TH</sup> SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF ROXAS, ORIENTAL MINDORO HELD ON 08 JUNE 2020 1:00 P. M. AT THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN SESSION HALL.

Present:

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| Vice Mayor Gualberto V. Magno   | - Presiding Officer             |
| Councilor Jerwin S. Dimapilis   | - Member                        |
| Councilor Agustin L. Cusi       | - Member                        |
| Councilor David D. De La Cruz   | - Member                        |
| Councilor John John S. Yason    | - Member                        |
| Councilor Robert S. Qulatchon   | - Member                        |
| Councilor Lucille T. Bacay      | - Member                        |
| Councilor Juan Rafael M. Talens | - Member                        |
| Councilor Ronel S. Sescar       | - Member                        |
| Councilor Elmira May V. Tarac   | - President, Mun. SK Federation |

Absent:

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| Councilor Celso M. Dimapilis | - President, Liga ng mga Barangay |
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**MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 14**  
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AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT AND OPERATION OF LIVELIHOOD AND SKILLS TRAINING CENTER IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF ROXAS, ORIENTAL MINDORO AND PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR.

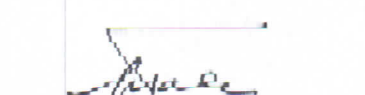
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**Councilor IUAN RAFAEL M. TALENS**

- WHEREAS, the Municipal Government of Roxas strongly supports the pursuit of eradication of poverty and hunger as embodied in the Eight Millennium Goals and shall exert all possible efforts to ensure that this is achieved;
- WHEREAS, Section 17 paragraph (2) (v) of Republic Act 7160 known as the Local Government Code of 1991 provides, among others, that the municipal government shall exercise powers necessary to discharge other functions and responsibilities incidental to efficient and effective provision of basic services including livelihood and other pro-poor projects;
- WHEREAS, RA 9509 known as the Barangay Livelihood and Skills Act of 2000, mandates the establishment of livelihood and skills and training centers in fourth, fifth and sixth class municipalities, but also provides that other municipalities shall be covered by such law upon determination of the National Anti-Poverty Commission (NAPC), taking into account the municipality's population density and demographic status, poverty incidence, income class, level of economic development, employment

  
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and productivity levels, abundance of raw materials which have potential for commercial production and the availability and accessibility of existing livelihood skills and training programs and services;

WHEREAS, the Department of the Interior and Local Government, in its Memorandum Circular 2007-67 dated June 5, 2007, likewise encouraged local government units to establish and institutionalize technology and livelihood center within their jurisdiction;

WHEREAS, the Municipal Government of Roxas has been providing various skills and development and livelihood trainings to its residents;

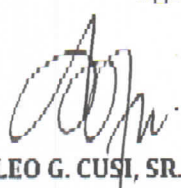
WHEREAS, the Municipal Government of Roxas is determined to sustain local poverty reduction program which can be achieved through the institutionalization, operation and maintenance of livelihood and skills training center patterned after the provision of RA 9509,

NOW THEREFORE, be it ordained by the Sangguniang Bayan of Roxas, Oriental Mindoro, that:

SECTION 1. ESTABLISHMENT OF ROXAS LIVELIHOOD AND SKILLS TRAINING CENTER. There is hereby established in the Municipality of Roxas and to operate within the powers and limitations hereinafter prescribed, a livelihood and skills training center to be known as "Roxas Livelihood and Skills Training Center".

SECTION 2. PURPOSES, OBJECTIVES AND FUNCTIONS OF THE ROXAS LIVELIHOOD AND SKILLS TRAINING CENTER. Roxas Livelihood and Skills Training Center shall provide educational and instructional activities designed to enhance the knowledge, skills and attitudes of intended beneficiaries within the Municipality of Roxas and to better prepare them to engage in gainful employment and/or entrepreneurship. It shall have the following purposes, objectives and functions:

- a) Conduct periodic training needs determination and skills mapping of barangays within the Municipality of Roxas; *Provided*, that the Livelihood and Skills Training Center shall coordinate closely with the Municipal Development Council, the Municipal Planning and Development Office and other national and local government offices to determine and orchestrate the livelihood training skills required by the barangays concerned;
- b) Gather information and maintain an inventory of all existing livelihood and skills training under the various programs of the government within the Municipality;
- c) Coordinate the provision of livelihood and skills training and institute measures to ensure that such trainings are responsive to the needs of the barangays concerned;
- d) Coordinate and orchestrate the conduct of livelihood and skills training independently or in partnership with national government agencies, private sector or civil society organizations;

  
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- e) Facilitate the development and implementation of capability-building programs and services that will ensure effective skills development and target the most number of people and communities in poor barangyas;
- f) Develop its capability to devise and formulate training curricula and training designs;
- g) Develop its own capacity as a resource center for livelihood and skills training by developing in-house trainers services;
- h) Monitor and evaluate the progress of individuals or groups undergoing training as well as the implementation of training programs and services to ensure that such programs and services are relevant and useful to the needs of the communities; and
- i) Ensure that the Livelihood and Skills Training Center is networked with government efforts covering other aspects of livelihood development such as marketing and financing under the livelihood development system.

Section 3. **CREATION OF MUNICIPAL ADVISORY BOARD.** There is hereby created the Municipal Advisory Board which shall be responsible for instituting and maintaining the Roxas Livelihood and Skills Training Center to be composed of the following:

Chairperson : Municipal Mayor

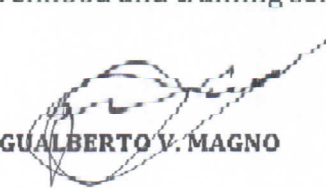
Ex-Officio Members : Municipal Planning and Development Officer  
Municipal Local Government Operations Off.  
Municipal Agricultural Officer  
Business Permit and Licensing Officer  
Public Employment Service Officer

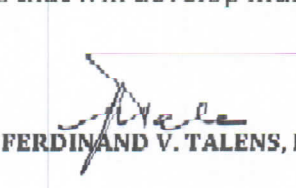
Members : One (1) representative from each of the following:  
  
Business organizations;  
Chamber of Commerce  
Cooperatives  
Micro, small and medium-scale enterprises  
Rural bankers  
Civil society organizations; and  
People's organizations undertaking livelihood and skills training

Section 4. **POWERS AND FUNCTIONS OF THE MUNICIPAL ADVISORY COUNCIL.** The Municipal Advisory Board, through the leadership of the Municipal Mayor, shall provide policy advice and direction to guide the development of plans, programs and activities of Roxas Livelihood and Skills Training Center. It shall also develop information, education and communication plan to promote the Livelihood and Skills Training Center.

Section 5. **PROGRAMS AND SERVICES.** The Livelihood and Skills Training Center shall provide livelihood and training services that will develop individual

  
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