

Republic of the Philippines
Province of Oriental Mindoro
MUNICIPALITY OF ROXAS

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF ROXAS, ORIENTAL MINDORO HELD ON 14 AUGUST 1995, 9:10 AM. AT THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN SESSION HALL.

Present:

Vice Mayor Jesus M. Dimapilis	- Presiding Officer
Kagawad Cesar T. Baticos	- Member
Kagawad Ferdinand V. Talens	- Member
Kagawad Angeles D. Bautista	- Member
Kagawad Ramil O. Dimapilis	- Member
Kagawad Jesus S. Dela Cruz	- Member
Kagawad Ranulfo C. Bernal	- Member
Kagawad Honesto O. Taytay	- Member
Kagawad Eduardo G. Villamin	- Member, ABC President
Kagawad Lorna F. Dimapilis	- Member, SK Chairman

Absent:

Kagawad Juanito A. Bacay, Jr.	- Member
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RESOLUTION NO. 018
Series of 1995

RESOLUTION MANDATING THE MUNICIPAL TREASURER OF ROXAS, ORIENTAL MINDORO TO TEMPORARILY WITHHOLD THE TURNOVER TO COMELEC OF THE BALLOT BOXES AND CONTENTS THERETO USED IN THE MAY 11, 1995 ELECTIONS IN THE MUNICIPALITY.

WHEREAS, the true will of the people of Roxas, Oriental Mindoro expressed in their right of suffrage in the May, 1995 elections resulted to the success in the polls of seven candidates in the party of Mayor Gelacio I. Yason:- Mayor Gelacio I. Yason, Vice Mayor Jesus M. Dimapilis and Councilors Cesar T. Baticos, Ferdinand V. Talens, Angeles D. Bautista, Jesus S. Dela Cruz and Ranulfo C. Bernal, one Independent Party candidate, Ramil O. Dimapilis and two from the contending political party, SB Members Juanito A. Bacay, Jr. and Honesto O. Taytay placing seventh and eight place, respectively;

WHEREAS, the winning candidates have all been officially proclaimed for their respective offices;

WHEREAS, except for the last two SB members mentioned, all the rest have been the subject of election protests - the Mayor, the Vice Mayor and the first six councilors, including that from the Independent Party, Election Protest Nos. 261, 262 and 263, respectively, filed before the Regional Trial Court, Branch 43;

WHEREAS, this august body has been informed this date that the COMELEC, thru an earlier radio message to the Municipal Treasurer, Mrs. Hidy F. Fiedacan, has ordered the turnover

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of four ballot boxes - those of Precincts Nos. 46, 46-A, 47 and 52, and of a later radio message, the turnover of all ballot boxes except for the four above-mentioned, these being subjects of election protest and counter protest of Ex-Governor Benjamin Espiritu and Governor Rodolfo G. Valencia of this province;

WHEREAS, the conflicting and vague information called for confused the affected and concerned members of this Sangguniang Bayan who are determined to protect and uphold the dignity and integrity of the said elections and the popular voice of the people of this locality; and

WHEREAS, so as to safeguard the rights and privileges of the winning candidates subjects of the protests in the local level and likewise of the people who have empowered them to take the reins of this Municipal Government, this august body has unanimously agreed to mandate the Municipal Treasurer of this town to temporarily withhold the turnover to COMELEC of the ballot boxes and contents thereto used in the May 11, 1995 elections, pending clarifications by authorities concerned of the matters called for.

NOW THEREFORE, on motion of Kagawad Ferdinand V. Talens and unanimously seconded by all -

BE IT RESOLVED to mandate, as it hereby mandates, Mrs. Hidy F. Fiedacan, Municipal Treasurer of Roxas, Oriental Mindoro to temporarily withhold the turnover of the ballot boxes and contents thereto used in the May 11, 1995 elections in this municipality.

RESOLVED FURTHER to send copies of this resolution Mrs. Hidy F. Fiedacan, Municipal Treasurer, this municipality for her perusal and compliance.

RESOLVED FINALLY to furnish copies of this resolution the Commission on Elections, Manila, the Provincial Election Officer, Calapan, Oriental Mindoro and the Municipal Election Officer, Roxas, Oriental Mindoro for their information and reference.

Unanimously approved.

Adopted: 14 August 1995

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

[Signature]
VIOLETA P. FUENTES
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

[Signature]
JESUS M. DIMAPILIS
Municipal Vice Mayor
Office of the Prov'l. Supr.
Comelec, Calapan, Or. Mindoro

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