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Province of Ilocos Norte
MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT OF SOLSONA

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 56TH REGULAR SESSION OF THE 11TH SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT OF SOLSONA, ILOCOS NORTE HELD AT THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN SESSION HALL ON OCTOBER 19, 2020 AT NINE O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING (9:00 AM).

PRESENT:

Hon. Bob G. Sacro,	Municipal Vice Mayor/ Presiding Officer,
Hon. Jonathan L. de Lara,	Member,
Hon. Jovencio M. Pascua,	Member,
Hon. Nestor M. dela Cruz,	Member,
Hon. Norberto L. Agulay,	Member,
Hon. Ceasar Paul M. Parado,	Member,
Hon. Benigno L. Aquino,	Member,
Hon. Mark Dennis P. del Castillo,	Member,
Hon. Jose P. Martin, Jr.,	Member,
Hon. Reynaldo G. Mariano,	LnB President/ Ex-Officio Member,
Hon. Efrey June P. Salvador,	SK President/Ex-Officio Member.

ABSENT:

None.

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-284

RECOMMENDING THE REOPENING OF TOURIST DESTINATIONS IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF SOLSONA, ILOCOS NORTE.

WHEREAS, it is widely acknowledged that the tourism can serve as the primary engine of growth for the local economy and a catalyst for positive economic development which contributed 12.7 percent to the Philippine Gross Domestic Product in 2019;

WHEREAS, due to the proliferation of the Corona Disease 2019 in the middle of this year, the Municipal Tourism Council of Solsona, Ilocos Norte recommended for the indefinite closure of all tourist spots and related destinations with this municipality;

WHEREAS, according to the Department of Health and backed by data from the University of the Philippines Octa Research Group, the government has sustained the flattening of the COVID19 curve and cases are now in its downward trend;

WHEREAS, owing to this positive development, the Integrated Task Force for the Emerging Diseases recommend the gradual reopening of the economy in low risk areas, in which the Province of Ilocos Norte is included;

WHEREAS, due to this improvement and considering the significant contribution of local tourism to the economy, the Municipal Tourism Council of this Municipality deemed the necessity to recommend the gradual reopening of tourist destinations of Solsona to Ilocos Norte residents;

NOW THEREFORE, on motion of Hon. Jonathan L. de Lara, unanimously seconded, be it;


RESOLVED, as it is hereby **RESOLVED**, to **RECOMMEND THE REOPENING OF TOURIST DESTINATIONS IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF SOLSONA, ILOCOS NORTE**;


RESOLVED FINALLY to transcribe copies of this Resolution to the Municipal Tourism Council and others concerned for their information and appropriate action;

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

I hereby certify that this Resolution was approved by the Sangguniang Bayan of Solsona, Ilocos Norte in its 56TH Regular Session dated October 19, 2020.

ATTESTED:


HON. BOB G. SACRO
Municipal Vice Mayor
& Presiding Officer
Date: OCT 20 2020


LAURENCE T. CORPUZ
Secretary to the Sanggunian