

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 44<sup>TH</sup> REGULAR SESSION OF THE HONORABLE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN, TIGBAUAN, ILOILO HELD AT THE SB SESSION HALL, TIGBAUAN MUNICIPAL BUILDING ON OCTOBER 30, 2024 AT 9:50 IN THE MORNING

**PRESENT:**

HON. LUGEN T. ORTILANO,	-	Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer
HON. ADRIAN S. CAMPOSAGRADO	-	SB Member
HON. NERI T. CAMIÑA	-	SB Member
HON. REYNALDO E. TUMABOTABO	-	SB Member
HON. JULIUS T. LEDESMA	-	SB Member
HON. NORBERTO T. TURALBA	-	SB Member
HON. JOEL L. SAYSON	-	SB Member
HON. ANA ROWENA A. PERERA	-	SB Member
HON. GAYLORD T. TRASPORTO	-	Liga President
HON. FLORENCE JOY V. CABALONGA	-	SKMF President

**ABSENT:**

HON. JERRY T. TUARES	-	SB Member – (Special Priv. Leave)
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**Resolution No. 2024-169**

**RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE TIGBAUAN CULTURAL AFFAIRS AND TOURISM OFFICE HEADED BY MRS. PHOEBE M. TORRICO, MUNICIPAL TOURISM OFFICER FOR BEING THE GRAND WINNER OF THE ASSOCIATION OF TOURISM OFFICERS OF THE PHILIPPINES (ATOP) PEARL AWARDS 2024 BEST LOCAL EVENTS HOSTING CATEGORY – MUNICIPAL LEVEL HELD LAST OCTOBER 9-12, 2024 AT SOUTH COTABATO.**

WHEREAS, the Association of Tourism Officers of the Philippines (ATOP) is a national dynamic organization dedicated to promoting and advancing the tourism industry in the Philippines and serves as a platform for collaboration, knowledge exchange, and advocacy among tourism practitioners across the country;

WHEREAS, every year, the Association of Tourism Officers of the Philippines (ATOP) conducts its National Convention and ATOP Pearl Awards, an annual recognition program that honors outstanding individuals, organizations, and local government units (LGUs) for their remarkable contributions to the development and promotion of the Philippine tourism industry;

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Tigbauan, through the Cultural Affairs and Tourism Office, participated in the ATOP Pearl Awards 2024 Best Local Events Hosting Category – Municipal Level with an entry entitled “PAG-AMUMA: The Best of Tigbauan’s Hospitality”;

WHEREAS, the “PAG-AMUMA: The Best of Tigbauan’s Hospitality” fosters the power of convergence of the town’s stakeholders that reflects Tigbauan’s unique way of welcoming Department of Tourism Secretary Maria Christina Garcia-Frasco, other regional and national functionaries, social media influencers, and other delegates for the Philippine Experience Program held in three (3) sites of Tigbauan namely: SEAFDEC, St. John of Sahagun Parish Church, and Sol Y Mar Eco Farm last November 30, 2023;

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Tigbauan emerged as the Grand Winner of the Best Local Events Hosting Category- Municipal Level during the 25th Association of Tourism Officers of the Philippines (ATOP) Pearl Awards held at South Cotabato last October 9-12, 2024;

WHEREAS, the success of the Municipality of Tigbauan, through its exemplary performance, brought the municipality’s tourism industry presence in the national level and the radar of the Department of Tourism;

NOW THEREFORE, on motion of HON. ADRIAN S. CAMPOSAGRADO, Chairman, Committee on Education, Tourism and Civil Service and duly seconded Hon. Neri T. Camiña, Hon. Reynaldo E. Tumabotabo, Hon. Julius T. Ledesma, Hon. Norberto T. Turalba, Hon. Joel L. Sayson, Hon. Ana Rowena A. Perera, Hon. Gaylord T. Trasporto and Hon. Florence Joy V. Cabalonga,

BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to commend the Tigbauan Cultural Affairs and Tourism Office headed by Mrs. Phoebe M. Torrico, Municipal Tourism Officer for being the Grand Winner of the Association of Tourism Officers of the Philippines (ATOP) Pearl Awards 2024 Best Local Events Hosting Category – Municipal Level held last October 9-12, 2024 at South Cotabato,

RESOLVED FURTHER, to furnish copies of this resolution to the Office of the Municipal Mayor, Atty. Virgilio T. Teruel, to the Cultural Affairs and Tourism Office and to all concerned for their information and/or acceptance.

APPROVED.

CERTIFIED CORRECT:



MARLENE TAYO-NAVA  
SB Secretary

ATTESTED:



LUGEN T. ORTILANO  
Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer

HON. LUGEN T. ORTILANO  
Municipal Vice Mayor

Sangguniang Bayan Members:

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HON. ANA ROWENA ARIAS-PERERA, R.N. M.A.N.  
HON. GAYLORD T. TRASPORTO, LNB President  
HON. FLORENCE JOY V. CABALONGA, PPSK President



