



Republic of the Philippines
Province of Ilocos Norte
MUNICIPALITY OF NUEVA ERA

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF NUEVA ERA, ILOCOS NORTE, HELD AT THE SESSION HALL ON MARCH 6, 2015 AT 09:00 O’CLOCK IN THE MORNING, FRIDAY.

PRESENT:

HON. CAROLINE A. GARVIDA	Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer
HON. JOSEPH B. ARZADON	SB Member
HON. REDENTOR B. VALERA	“
HON. BENABEL A. LALUGAN	“
HON. ATTY. JERRY D. ALEJANDRO	”
HON. ROGER O. ARZADON	“
HON. OSIAS O. BUENO	“
HON. AGRIFINA T. DUMLAO	“
HON. JURLANDINO B. CASTILLO	“
HON. PETRONIO H. RIQUELMAN JR.	ABC President

ABSENT :

NONE

MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 3
Series 2015

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING ACCESS ROADS WITHIN THE VICINITIES OF NUEVA ERA ECO-CULTURAL PARK, NUEVA ERA, ILOCOS NORTE.

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Nueva Era has established an eco-cultural park anchored on the concept of sustainable or responsible tourism, supportive to key development objectives such as poverty alleviation, employment generation, income redistribution, people empowerment and environmental and natural resources conservation;

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 8371 or the Indigenous Peoples Rights Act of 1997, Rule IV Section 7, provides that the ancestral domains of the ICCs/IPs is the foundation of their right to determination. As such, the ICCs/IPs (of which Nueva Era is one) shall have the right to decide their own priorities for development affecting their lives , beliefs, institutions, spiritual well-being, and the lands they own, occupy and use;

WHEREAS, the Eco-Cultural Park of Nueva Era is a natural park which needs a road network to allow the tourists to visit natural attractions and engage nature-based activities and to allow the government/community to efficiently initiate development and conservation efforts;

WHEREAS, the Local chief Executive and the Municipal Council (Sangguniang Bayan) find that the subject of this ordinance is the minimum necessary to accomplish the various activities for eco-cultural tourism;

WHEREAS, the Department of Environment and Natural Resources thru Secretary Mike Defensor and the Local Government Unit thru Municipal Mayor Caroline A. Garvida entered into a Memorandum of Agreement in the year 2004 for the administration and development of a fifty (50) hectare land now called Eco-park.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Sangguniang Bayan and it is hereby ordained by the authority of the same, that the following ordinance and its articles and sections is hereby enacted into law.

ARTICLE 1. TITLE. This ordinance shall be known as and maybe cited as **AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING ACCESS ROADS WITHIN THE VICINITIES OF NUEVA ERA ECO-CULTURAL PARK, NUEVA ERA, ILOCOS NORTE.**

ARTICLE II. PURPOSE AND INTENT.

The purpose of this ordinance include but not limited to the following:

- a) Implement the comprehensive plan including goals and policies not currently implemented by land use regulations of the municipality;
- b) Promote efficiency, safety, welfare, convenience, order and prosperity of the townspeople and visitors;
- c) Promote responsible growth, lessen congestion in the public streets, secure safety from forest fire and health dangers, and promote desirable eco-tourism conditions;
- d) Provide adequate access to vital areas of the eco-park;
- e) Protect and preserve sensitive natural areas and vital natural resources and avoid environmental degradation and other undesirable consequences of irresponsible or shortsighted land management;

ARTICLE III. DEFINITIONS AND INTERPRETATIONS.

SECTION I. DEFINITIONS. Except as specifically defined herein or in other sections of this ordinance containing definitions, all words used in this ordinance have their customary dictionary definitions. Unless otherwise expressly stated, the following words shall have the meaning herein indicated.

- a) **ACCESSIBILITY** – the site must be served by a road that is readily accessible to public transportation lines. Said access road shall conform to the standards set herein of this ordinance to accommodate expected demand caused by the development of the area.
- b) **ECO-TOURISM** – The responsible travel to natural areas that conserves the environment and sustain the well-being of local people.
- c) **ESTABLISH ROAD** –Establishment of road in the final process for the purpose of construction or improvement of public road including developing a road right of way.
- d) **NATURAL PARK** – Refers to a forest reservation essentially of natural wilderness character which has been withdrawn from settlement, occupancy, or any form of exploitation except in conformity with approved management plan exclusively to preserve the scenery, the natural and historic objects, wild animals and plants within and to provide employment of these features in such areas.

ARTICLE IV. DESIGN STANDARDS FOR TOURISM ROADS

In line with the mandate of the Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH) to ensure the quality and safety of road infrastructure, hereunder are the prescribed minimum designed standards for tourism road projects for the guidance and compliance of all concerned;

1. **Pavement type – Portland Cement concrete Pavement (PCCP)**
2. **Pavement width – Minimum of 6.1 meters for two lanes**
3. **Pavement thickness – Minimum of 230mm (9 inches) (higher thickness of pavement may be adopted but shall be verified from pavement design analysis using AASHTO method as contained in the DPWH Design Guidelines and Standards considering the latest Annual Daily Traffic and Axle Loading).**
4. **Shoulder**
 - a) **width – Minimum of 1.5 m.**
 - b) **Material- Minimum of gravel surfacing**
5. **Roadway Cross slope – 1.50% for PCCP**
6. **Shoulder Cross slope – 3.0% for Gravel Surfacing**
7. **Radius Horizontal curve – Minimum of 50m**
8. **Length of Tangent between reverse curves – Minimum length of 30m**
9. **Length of vertical curve- Minimum length of 60m**
10. **Design speed-**
 - a. **60 kilometer/hour for flat terrain**







- b. 40 km/hr for rolling terrain
- c. 30 km/hr for mountainous terrain
- 11. Longitudinal Grade – Minimum of 0.50% on cut section and maximum of 12% on cut/fill.
- 12. Side Slope Ratio (H:V)
 - a. Cut slope of 1.5:1 to 1:1 for common materials
 - b. Cut slope of 0.25:1 to 0.5:1
 - c. Cut slope of 0.25:1 to 0>5:1 for hard/solid rock
 - d. Minimum fill slope of 1.5:1
- 13. Road Drainage –
 - a. Box Culvert : 25-year flood with sufficient freeboard to contain the 50- year flood
 - b. Pipe culvert: 15-year flood with sufficient freeboard to contain the 25-year flood
 - c. Minimum size of 910mm in diameter
- 14. Slope Protction – As needed
- 15. Accessibility requirement for persons w/ Disability –As needed
- 16. Bridgeges
 - a. Permanet structures (concrete or steel)
 - b. Structural design based on AASHTO HS20-44, using 0.4g ground acceleration coefficient for seismic analysis and 50-year flood frequency for hydraulic analysis
 - c. Carriage width+6.70m

ARTICLE V. APPLICABILITY. Unless this ordinance clearly indicates otherwise, this ordinance shall apply within the unincorporated limits of the Municipality of Nueva Era, Province of Ilocos Norte.

ARTICLE VI. REQUIREMENTS. Unless specifically exempted or otherwise provided by this ordinance, no development activities shall be done without the necessary permit/clearance or compliance certificates from concerned government agencies.

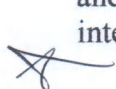
ARTICLE VII. ADMINISTRATION. It shall be the duty of the Local Government of Nueva Era to prepare administrative procedures and guidelines to implement the provisions of this ordinance.

ARTICLE VIII. ENFORCEMENT AND PENALTIES. Any action or inaction which violates the provisions of this ordinance or the requirements of an approved site plan or permit may be subject to any or all of the enforcement actions and remedies that will be determined by the appropriate authorities or as herein prescribed.

ARTICLE IX. VALIDITY AND SEPARABILITY. Should any section or provision of this ordinance be declared invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such declaration shall not affect the validity of the ordinance as a whole or any part thereof which is not specifically declared to be invalid or unconstitutional.

ARTICLE X. REPEAL OF CONFLICTING ORDINANCES. All ordinances and resolutions and parts thereof in conflict herewith are repealed to the extent necessary to give this ordinance full force and effect, except that any ordinances or resolutions repealed by this provision shall not limit or impair the municipality's authority to enforce such ordinances or resolutions to the extent that violations thereof occurred prior to repeal.

ARTICLE XI. CODIFICATION. It is hereby ordained that the provisions of this ordinance shall become and be made part of the official code/ Code of general ordinances of Nueva Era, and the sections of this ordinance may be renumbered or recognized to accomplish such intention.





ARTICLE XII. ADOPTION AND EFFECTIVITY DATE. This ordinance shall take effect upon approval and after posting in two consecutive weeks at the Municipal Hall of the Municipality.

ADOPTED THIS 6th day of March 2015.

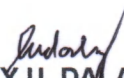
Voting Profile:

In Favor: Members J. Arzadon, R. Valera, B Lalugan, J. Alejandro, R. Arzadon, O. Bueno, A. Dumlao, J. Castillo, and P. Riquelman Jr.

Against: N o n e

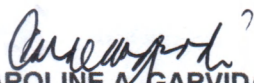
Abstained: N o n e

CERTIFIED CORRECT:


LILY U. DALAG

Secretary to the Sangguniang Bayan

ATTESTED:


CAROLINE A. GARVIDA
Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer

APPROVED:


ATTY. ALDRIN R. GARVIDA
Municipal Mayor

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COMMITTEE REPORT
(COMMITTEE ON RULES, ETHICS, LAWS AND PRIVILEGES)

THE HONORABLE PRESIDING OFFICER
AND SB MEMBERS

Subject: **Municipal Ordinance No. 2 re: AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING ACCESS ROAD WITHIN THE VICINITIES OF NUEVA ERA ECO-CULTURAL PARK.**

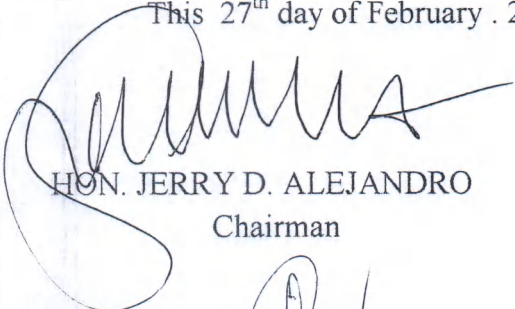
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RECOMMENDATIONS:

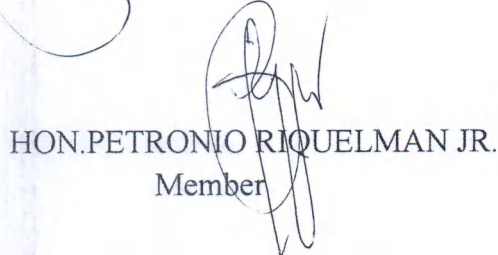
In view of the foregoing, the committee hereby recommends the approval of **Municipal Ordinance No. 2.**

This 27th day of February, 2015.

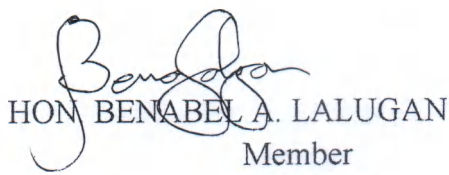


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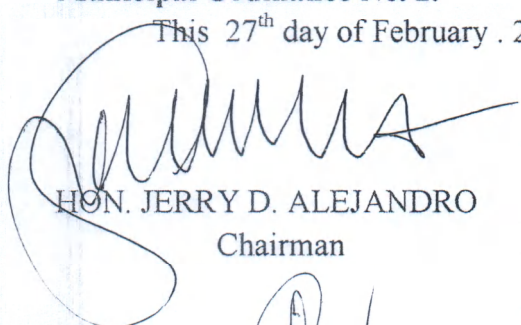
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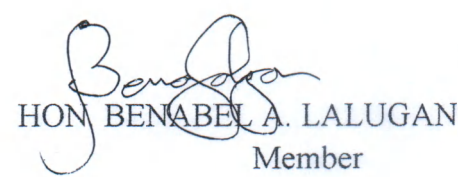


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THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF ILOCOS NORTE
Laoag City, 2900

NINTH SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE **105TH** REGULAR SESSION
OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN, HELD AT THE
SANGGUNIANG SESSION HALL, PROVINCIAL CAPITOL,
LAOAG CITY, AT 3:05 O'CLOCK P. M.
MONDAY, 24 AUGUST 2015.

Present:

- Hon. Eugenio Angelo M. Barba, Vice Governor,
and Presiding Officer,
- Hon. Ria Christina G. Fariñas, Member,
- Hon. Albert D. Chua, Member,
- Hon. Da Vinci M. Crisostomo, Member.
- Hon. Juan Conrado A. Respicio II, Member,
- Hon. Portia Pamela R. Salenda, Member,
- Hon. James Paul C. Nalupta, Member.
- Hon. Vicentito M. Lazo, Member,
- Hon. Rogelio R. Balbag, Member,
- Hon. Joel R. Garcia, Member,
- Hon. Domingo C. Ambrocio, Jr., PCL-IN, Member,
- Hon. Charles L. Tadena, ABC-IN, Member.

Absent:

- Hon. Ramon M. Gaoat, Member,

RESOLUTION NO. R2015-6234

REVIEW OF/ACTION ON ORDINANCE NO. 3 s. 2015
ENACTED BY THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF
NUEVA ERA.

ON MOTION of Member CHUA, Chairman, Committee on PUBLIC WORKSS, duly seconded, the Body Resolved that:

Ordinance No. 3 s. 2015 **be declared VALID pursuant to the Recommendation of the Committee on PUBLIC WORKS, a copy of which is being furnished the Sanggunian concerned;**

Copy of this Resolution be furnished to all concerned for their information and guidance.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the above-quoted Resolution.

MILDRED NIRMLA R. LAMOSTE
Provincial Board Secretary

ATTESTED:

EUGENIO ANGELO M. BARBA
Vice-Governor
and Presiding Officer

AUG 28 2015

APPROVED 01 SEP 2015
DATE

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IMEE R. MARCOS
PROVINCIAL GOVERNOR



Republic of the Philippines
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COMMITTEE REPORT

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS

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THE HONORABLE PRESIDING OFFICER
 & MEMBERS OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN

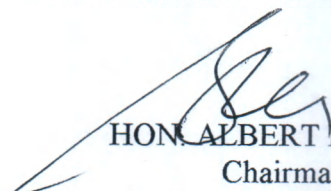
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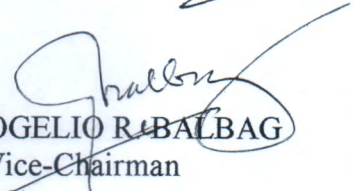
1. That Municipal Ordinance No. 3 of the Municipality of Nueva Era, Ilocos Norte seeks to establish access roads within the vicinities of Nueva Era Eco-cultural Park of the said municipality;
2. That pursuant to the provisions of Republic Act 7160, Book I, Title One, Chapter 2, Section 21 (a) indicated therein "A local government unit may, pursuant to an ordinance, permanently or temporarily close or *open* any local road, alley park, park, or square falling within its jurisdiction. x. x. x. x. . . .";
3. That said ordinance is in line with the the Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) in the year 2004 between the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) and the Municipal Government of Nueva Era, Ilocos Norte that has been made for the administration and development of fifty (50) hectare land now called Eco-park.
4. That said subject ordinance is likewise in line with the mandate of the Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH) on the design standards for tourism roads as indicated in "Article IV" of this ordinance;
5. That Muncpal Ordinance No. 3 series of 2015 is in order.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

In view of the foregoing findings and observations, the committee hereby recommends Municipal Ordinance No. 3 of Nueva Era, Ilocos Norte be approved and declared VALID.



HON. ALBERT D. CHUA
Chairman



HON. ROGELIO R. BALBAG
Vice-Chairman



HON. CHARLES L. TADENA
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