

# Republic of the Philippines (Republic Act No. 7611)

Represented by Mr. Bernardino Atienza

### PALAWAN COUNCIL FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

## Excerpts from the Minutes of the 258th PCSD Executive Committee Meeting The Legend Palawan, Puerto Princesa City, Palawan September 26, 2019

#### Present:

1.	Vice Gov. Victorino Dennis M. Socrates, Sangguniang Panlalawigan	Vice Chair
2.	Dir. Nelson P. Devanadera, Executive Director, PCSDS	Secretary
3.	Hon. Ferdinand D. Zaballa, Liga ng mga Barangay	Member
4.	VADM Rene V Medina, WESCOM Commander	Member
5.	Atty. Jansen Jontila, NGO Representative	Member

### Represented:

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6	. Usec. Rodolfo C. Garcia, DENR	Member
	Represented by Ms. Norma Cayatoc	
7	7. Mayor Lucilo R. Bayron, Puerto Princesa City	Member
	Represented by Ms. Zorina C. Arellano	
8	B. Usec. Adoracion M. Navarro, Deputy Director General, NEDA	Member

### Absent:

9. Hon. Jose Ch. Alvarez, Governor of Palawan	Chair
10. Mr. Bobby L. Castro, Private Sector Representative	Member
11. Hon. Mayor Amy R. Alvarez, President, LMP	Member
12. Usec. Ariel T. Cayanan, DA	Member

### PCSD RESOLUTION NO. 19-681

"APPROVING THE TEN-YEAR MUNICIPAL ECOLOGICAL SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN 2018-2028 OF THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT OF ABORLAN"

WHEREAS, on June 19, 1992, Republic Act No. 7611, otherwise known as the Strategic Environmental Plan (SEP) for Palawan Act was enacted, declaring the policy to protect, develop and conserve its natural resources. It shall support and promote the sustainable development goals for the province through proper conservation, utilization and development of natural resources to provide optimum yields on a continuing basis;

> Vision: Palawan, an innovative and dynamic global center of sustainable development Mission: PCSDS as the driver of environmental conservation and inclusive development in Palawan, a biosphere reserve and science-for-sustainability site, guided by the Strategic Environmental Plan

WHEREAS, Section 6 of the same law provides that the SEP shall serve as the framework to guide the government agencies concerned in the formulation and implementation of plans, programs and projects affecting the environment and natural resources of Palawan; all local governments in Palawan and the concerned national and regional government agencies operating therein shall coordinate and align their projects and the corresponding budgets with the project, programs and policies of the SEP;

**WHEREAS,** Section 16 of RA 7611 provides that the governance, implementation and policy direction of the Strategic Environmental Plan for Palawan Act shall be exercised by the Palawan Council for Sustainable Development;

WHEREAS, Section 11 of the Republic Act No. 9003 otherwise known as the Ecological Solid Waste Management Act of 2000 provides that a Provincial Solid Waste Management Board shall be established in every province and that in the Province of Palawan the Board shall be chaired by the chairman of the Palawan Council for Sustainable Development, pursuant to Republic Act No. 7611;

**WHEREAS,** Section 16 of the RA 9003 provides that the province, city or municipality, through its local solid waste management boards, shall prepare its respective 10-year solid waste management plans consistent with the National Solid Waste Management Framework;

WHEREAS, the same law further states that all local government solid waste management plans shall be subject to the approval of the National Solid Waste Commission (NSWMC); Provided, that in the Province of Palawan, the local government solid waste management plan shall be approved by the Palawan Council for Sustainable Development, pursuant to R.A. No. 7611;

**WHEREAS,** on September 4, 2019, the Municipal government of Aborlan submitted to the PCSDS their revised "Ten-Year Municipal Ecological Solid Waste Management Plan 2018-2028;

**WHEREAS,** after evaluation and review by the PCSDS on September 2019, the said plan was recommended for final review and approval by the PCSD;

WHEREAS, in today's meeting, after exhaustive deliberation and discussion, the PCSD resolved to adopt the recommendation of the PCSDS and approve the said plan, subject to the condition that the recommendation and comments indicated in the PCSDS evaluation sheet for the Aborlan ESWM Plan be incorporated and/or taken into consideration in the plan;

**WHEREFORE**, in consideration of the foregoing premises and on motion duly seconded, the Council resolves to approve, as it is hereby APPROVED the revised "Ten-Year Municipal Ecological Solid Waste Management Plan 2018-2028 of the Municipal Government

of Aborlan," subject to the condition that the recommendation and comments of the PCSDS be incorporated and/or taken into consideration in the plan;

RESOLVED FINALLY, that copies of this Resolution be furnished the LGU of Aborlan, the Provincial Government - Environment and Natural Resources Office (PG-ENRO), the National Solid Waste Management Commission and all other concerned parties and agencies for their information, guidance and reference.

RESOLVED AND ADOPTED this 26th day of September 2019 at Puerto Princesa City.

I hereby certify that the above-quoted resolution has been duly adopted by the PCSD on the 26th day of September 2019 at Puerto Princesa City.

Secretary

ATTESTED BY:

VICTORINO DENNIS M. SOCRATES Vice-Chair, PCSD