



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES  
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OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

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MINUTES OF THE 94<sup>th</sup> REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF GLORIA HELD AT THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN SESSION HALL ON MONDAY, DATED JUNE 25, 2018 AT 9:00 IN THE MORNING.

PRESENT:

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| HON. ELEUTERIO H. ROLDAN     | - | Liga President    |

ABSENT:

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| HON. ROMEO S. SADIWA | - | SB Member |
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MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 12  
Series of 2018

Sponsored by: Hon. Romeo Edward P. Alvarez  
Co-sponsored by: Hon. Felix V. Jarabe III

**AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING MUNICIPAL MANGROVE CONSERVATION AND PLANTATION PROGRAM IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF GLORIA, PROVINCE OF ORIENTAL MINDORO AND PROVIDING INSTITUTIONAL SUPPORT AND INCENTIVE THEREFOR**

**WHEREAS**, the country's mangrove resources continue to decline numerous laws protecting them. From a 1918 census of around 500,000 hectares of mangrove forest, it had continually declined to 125,000 hectares in a 1993 census;

**WHEREAS**, efforts to reclaim and rehabilitate mangrove areas have been started over thirty (30) years already. However, mangrove restoration efforts are pale in comparison to the various pressures impinging on it;

**WHEREAS**, Mangroves pose benefits ecologically and economically. Mangroves also buffer impacts of storm surge, typhoons, tsunami and other natural disaster. One of its benefits is how it slow down the rate of water flow and allowing silt to settle out, thus they reduce the impact of flooding on adjacent marine ecosystems such as seagrass beds and coral reefs;

**WHEREAS**, the country stands to lose all these invaluable existing and potential economic and ecological benefits unless timely concrete steps and aggressive actions are taken by government to stem the tide of the virtual annihilation of this precious natural heritage;

**WHEREAS**, the Municipality of Gloria has mangrove plantation located at Barangay Balete; and

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**NOW THEREFOR**, in motion of Hon. Felix V. Jarabe III, Chairperson, Committee on Environmental Protection, Natural Resources and Ecology and was duly seconded by Hon. Nicandro F. Fabon, Jr.,

BE IT ORDAINED AS IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF GLORIA, ORIENTAL MINDORO IN A SESSION ASSEMBLED:

**Section 1.** There shall be established Municipal Mangrove Conservation and Plantation Program under the supervision of the Municipal Environment and Natural Resources Office.

**Section 2.** There shall be established mangrove crab seed banks, nurseries and grow-out production farms in Barangay Balete under the supervision of Municipal Environment and Natural Resources Office.


**Section 3.** The Municipal Environment and Natural Resources Office, the Municipal Government of Gloria and the concerned Sangguniang Barangay in the Municipality of Gloria with the assistance of Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) and Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources (BFAR) shall coordinate in the identification of other mangrove plantation. Utilization of abandoned, undeveloped or underutilized fishponds covered by fishpond lease agreements shall be prioritized.

**Section 4.** The Municipal Environment and Natural Resources Office, Municipal Agriculture Office and Municipal Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Office in collaboration with the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) and Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources (BFAR), shall issue guidelines and provide technical assistance to fishermen and their association, in the establishment, operation, maintenance, supervision and monitoring of mangrove crab seed banks, nurseries and grow-out production farms.

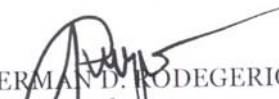
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**Section 6.** The Municipal Environment and Natural Resources Office in coordination with Municipal Agriculture Office and Municipal Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Office shall lead in the operation, maintenance, supervision and monitoring of mangrove crab seed banks, nurseries and grow-out production farms in Barangay Balete and other mangrove plantation area in the municipality.

**Section 7.** All mangrove plantation projects in the Municipality of Gloria whether provincial, regional or national initiative projects shall be coordinated first to the Local Government of Gloria for proper supervision, monitoring and for other purposes.

  
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**Section 9. Repealing Clause-** Any ordinance or resolution or any part thereof inconsistent with this ordinance is hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

**Section 10. Effectivity-** This Ordinance shall take effect fifteen (15) days after posting in the three (3) conspicuous places of the municipality.

**ENACTED BY THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF GLORIA, IN ITS SESSION ON  
June 25, 2018**

**CERTIFIED CORRECT:**

  
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**ATTESTED BY:**

  
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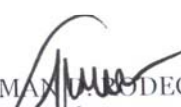
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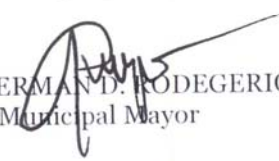
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