



**SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN**

SP Building Gov. Augusto G. Ortiz Drive corner Gov. Salvador C. Escudero, Sr. Drive,  
Capitol Compound, Brgy. Burabod, East District, Sorsogon City-4700

EXCERPT FROM THE JOURNAL OF THE 17<sup>TH</sup> REGULAR SESSION OF THE 12<sup>TH</sup> PROVINCIAL BOARD ON October 20, 2025 AT THE SP SESSION HALL, SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN BUILDING, GOV. AUGUSTO G. ORTIZ DRIVE COR. GOV. SALVADOR C. ESCUDERO, SR. DRIVE, CAPITOL COMPOUND, BRGY. BURABOD, EAST DISTRICT, SORSOGON CITY.

**PRESENT:**

Hon. Krunimar Antonio D. Escudero II, Vice Governor/Presiding Officer

**1<sup>ST</sup> DISTRICT**

Hon. Maria "Nini" O. Ravanilla  
Hon. Edmundo A. Atutubo  
Hon. Rommel John C. Mella  
Hon. Luis C. Leosala, Jr.  
Hon. Fernando David H. Duran III

**2<sup>ND</sup> DISTRICT**

Hon. Ramil M. Robles  
Hon. Benito L. Doma  
Hon. Roland R. Afionuevo  
Hon. Eduardo E. Ong, Jr.  
Hon. Christian D. Lim

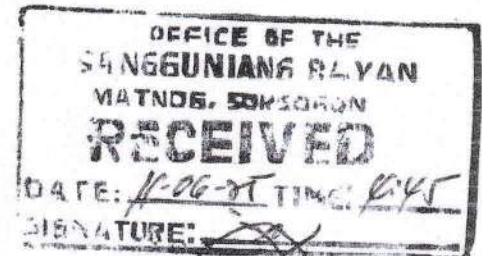
**EX-OFFICIO**

Hon. Ramon B. Escudero – Provincial President, Philippine Councilors League  
Hon. Jose Arturo D. Enano – Provincial President, Liga ng mga Barangay  
Hon. Karl Marx H. Lozada \* – Provincial President, Sangguniang Kabataan Federation

\*Absent

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**RESOLUTION NO. 500-2025**



**RESOLUTION DECLARING VALID MATNOG MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 2025-12: AN ORDINANCE IMPOSING AN ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PARTICIPATORY FEE (EMP) TO ALL TRAVELLERS PASSING THROUGH THE MUNICIPALITY OF MATNOG, SORSOGON AND BOUND TO VISAYAS AND MINDANAO.**

WHEREAS, submitted to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Sorsogon is MATNOG MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 2025-12: AN ORDINANCE IMPOSING AN ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PARTICIPATORY FEE (EMP) TO ALL TRAVELERS PASSING THROUGH THE MUNICIPALITY OF MATNOG, SORSOGON AND BOUND TO VISAYAS AND MINDANAO for review and appropriate action;

WHEREAS, the subject ordinance aims to impose an Environmental Management Fund fees to all travelers passing through the Municipality of Matnog and bound to Visayas and Mindanao in order to sustain a clean and healthy environment and enhance economic prosperity within their territorial jurisdiction;

WHEREAS, the august body recommends the following:

- a) In Section 6 (a), limit the exemption to bona fide residents of the Municipality of Matnog only.
- b) In Section 8, the EMP fee should accumulate to the General Fund, instead of putting the collection under a Trust Fund, with the advice that a reasonable portion thereof should be utilized for the effective implementation of the ordinance, as provided in the said section. (Utilization of Fund);

**WHEREAS**, the subject ordinance is within the powers of the Sangguniang Bayan of Bulan as provided under the Local Government Code of 1991. Hence it is *intra vires*;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, on motion of Hon. Luis C. Leosala, duly seconded by Hon. Ramil M. Robles, the Board **RESOLVED**, as it is hereby **DONE**, to **DECLARE VALID MATNOG MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 2025-12: AN ORDINANCE IMPOSING AN ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PARTICIPATORY FEE (EMP) TO ALL TRAVELLERS PASSING THROUGH THE MUNICIPALITY OF MATNOG, SORSOGON AND BOUND TO VISAYAS AND MINDANAO.**

**LET COPIES** of this resolution be furnished Municipal Mayor Robert Lee Rodriguez and the Sangguniang Bayan of Matnog for their information and guidance.

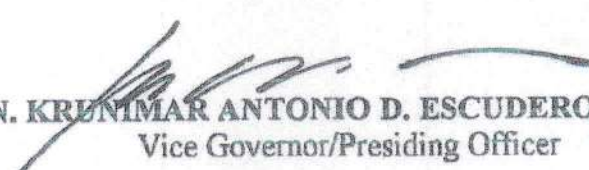
**APPROVED.**

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**I HEREBY CERTIFY** to the correctness of the foregoing.

  
**ATTY. RODOLFO C. DEALCA, JR.**  
Secretary to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan

**ATTESTED:**

  
**HON. KRENIMAR ANTONIO D. ESCUDERO II, MDMG**  
Vice Governor/Presiding Officer

