

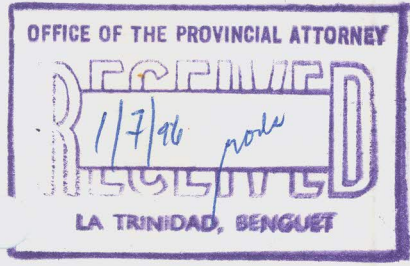
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Republic of the Philippines
PROVINCE OF BENGUET
La Trinidad, Benguet
OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN

Regular Meeting - December 23, 1996

- PRESENT:**
- HON. WASING D. SACLA, Provincial Vice Governor,
Presiding Officer
 - HON. VICTORINA P. ALIPIT, Board Member
 - HON. JAMES M. MALAYA, Board Member
 - HON. FRANCISCO E. GOLINGAB JR., Board Member
 - HON. BIAL A. PALAEZ, Board Member
 - HON. MARCIANO T. INSO, SR., Board Member
 - HON. SAMSON C. PARAN, Board Member
 - HON. AGOSTO P. SANTOS, Board Member
 - HON. DANIO L. BOLISLIS, Board Member
 - HON. FERNANDO M. ARITAO, Board Member
 - HON. JAIME A. GALASGAS, Board Member
 - HON. DOMINGO B. BAY-AN, PCL President, Member
 - HON. LIMSON A. OGAS, Liga Ng Mga Barangay Pres.,
Member
 - HON. REDENTOR P. EDOC, SKF President, Member



ABSENT: N O N E

PROVINCIAL ORDINANCE NO. 96-29

ORDINANCE REQUIRING AS MANDATORY THE INCORPORATION IN THE PROGRAM OF WORK OF ALL LOCALLY FUNDED OR SUPERVISED INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS THE PLANTING OF EITHER FRUIT OR NON-FRUIT BEARING TREES FOR LIVELIHOOD AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND PRESCRIBING THE TERMS THEREOF

EXPLANATORY NOTES

Among the identified causes of land slides and soil erosions are road constructions, subdivisions, open pit clearings, lack of drainage, etc; thus, causing more damages to roads, properties and lives;

To minimize these destructive effects, there is need to properly manage and protect the environment through the concerted joint efforts of the community people such as the project planner, the project implementor, the project contractor, the monitoring officials, the citizenry and the local government unit leaders.

The incorporation thereof in the program of work of every infrastructure project the requirement to the concerned project contractor to plant either fruit or non-bearing fruit trees in feasible areas will in the long run sustain our environment as well as provide increased livelihood income to the community considering the numerous local infrastructure projects in the province when taken in summary. Besides, the joint involvement of concerned individuals from distinct groups or agency under the peoples empowerment is productively being redirected.

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NOW THEREFORE, as proposed by Hon. Bial A. Palaez, on motion duly
seconded, be it

ORDAINED as it is hereby done by the Honorable Body in session,
that:

- Section 1. It shall be a requirement for every program of work of
all locally funded or supervised infrastructure project
to include an item on the planting of either fruit or
non-fruit bearing trees;
- Section 2. The trees being recommended could be coffee, pine tree,
alnus, bamboos and other fruit trees and forest trees
which are suitable to the climate and readily available
near the project site.
- Section 3. The planting area or site shall be determined by the
implementing agency in coordination with the Barangay
council if it is in communal forest, private land or in
open space, the DPWH or PEO if along the road or the
school principal if in school site and so on;
- Section 4. That the amount to be allotted for tree planting
purposes in the program of work per project shall be
five percent (5%) of the cost of the project or 50
pieces of planting materials whichever is lower in
value;
- Section 5. That government nurseries such as Barangay nursery,
municipal nursery, OPAG nursery, DENR nursery, and DA
nursery shall give preferential priority at lower price
for this purpose as compared to their normal selling
price;
- Section 6. Recipients of this tree planting in their properties or
projects shall take good care of the trees planted
towards continuing success and submit regular update
reports to the municipal and provincial executive for
information, evaluation and appropriate action;
- Section 7. The Provincial Governor is hereby authorized to issue an
executive order for the effective implementation of this
ordinance.
- Section 8. That this ordinance takes effect 15 days after approval.

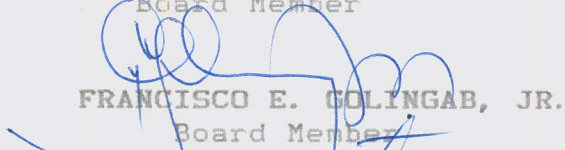
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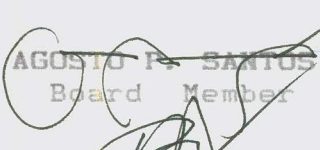
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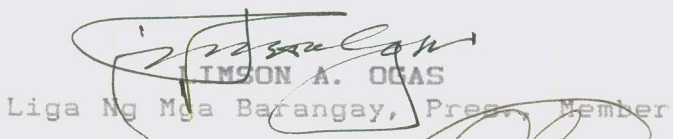

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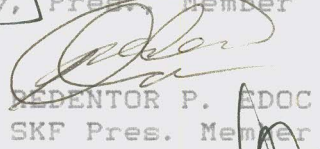

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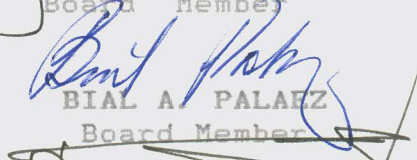

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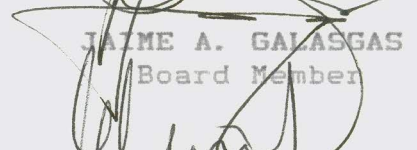

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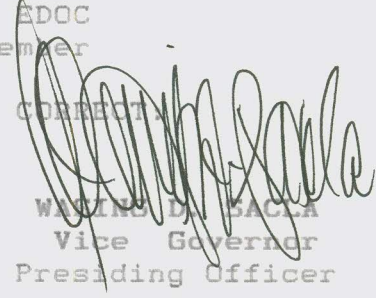

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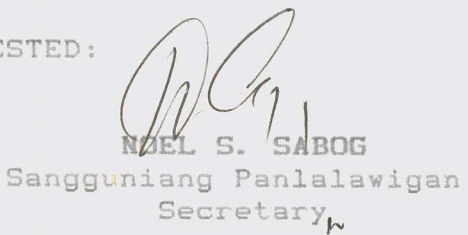

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Secretary

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RAUL M. MOLINTAS
Provincial Governor

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DATE: 13 JAN 1997