

Republic of the Philippines PROVINCE OF CAGAYAN Tuguegarao City



## NINTH CITY COUNCIL

## EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 114<sup>th</sup> REGULAR SESSION OF THE NINTH CITY COUNCIL OF TUGUEGARAO CITY, CAGAYAN HELD ON NOVEMBER 04, 2024 (MONDAY), 9:00 A.M., AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL

#### PRESENT:

Hon. Jude T. Bayona Hon. Mark Angelo B. Dayag Hon. Maria Rosario B. Soriano Hon. Ronaldo S. Ortiz Hon. Imogen Claire M. Callangan Hon. Gilbert S. Labang Hon. Karina S. Gauani-Viernes Hon. Arnel T. Arugay Hon. Grace B. Arago Hon. Tirso V. Mangada Hon. Marc Aldous C. Baccay Hon. Restituto C. Ramirez Hon. Cerene Pearl T. Ouilang Sangguniang Panlungsod Member, Temporary Presiding Officer Sangguniang Panlungsod Member -do--do-Sangguniang Panlungsod Member (via Teleconferencing) -do-Sangguniang Panlungsod Member -do--do-Sangguniang Panlungsod Member (via Teleconferencing) Ex Officio Member -do-

ABSENT:

Hon. Bienvenido C. De Guzman II Hon. Mary Marjorie P. Martin-Chan City Vice Mayor, Presiding Officer (on Official Business) Sangguniang Panlungsod Member (on Official Time)

# CITY RESOLUTION NO. 600-09-2024

#### RESOLUTION INTERPOSING NO OBJECTION AND EXPRESSING SUPPORT TO THE CARONSI SOLAR ENERGY CORPORATION 50MWac SOLAR-PV POWER PROJECT

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 9513, otherwise known as the Renewable Energy Act of 2008, promotes and affirms the government's commitment to accelerate the development, utilization and commercialization of renewable energy resources in the country;

WHEREAS, RA 9513 further provides that the government commits to accelerate the exploration and development of renewable energy resources such as solar energy to achieve energy-self-reliance through the adoption of sustainable energy development strategies to reduce dependence on fossil fuels;

WHEREAS, the Tuguegarao City Government recognizes the importance of renewable energy sources and the benefits thereof to the community, including increased energy security, environmental sustainability and job opportunity;

WHEREAS, indorsed to the Ninth City Council was the request of Caronsi Solar Energy Corporation (CSEC), an institution duly registered with the Department of Energy (DOE) and duly authorized to conduct solar energy operations under the DOE Solar Energy Operating Contract No. 2024-04-852, for the issuance of Sangguniang Panlungsod resolution interposing no objection and expressing support to the Caronsi Solar Energy Corporation 50MWac Solar-PV Power Project;

WHEREAS, the Caronsi Solar Energy Corporation (CSEC) has proposed the development of a 50MWac Solar-PV Power Project to be located within Barangay Carig Norte, Tuguegarao City, and the Municipalities of Iguig and Peñablanca, with a total area of 29.0980 hectares bearing Title Nos. OCT No. P-68433, OCT No. P-68434, OCT No. P-70392, OCT No. P-62670, OCT No. P-62671, OCT No. P-62672, OCT No. P-62673, OCT No. P-62676 and OCT No. C2015000529;

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WHEREAS, the land identified for the project is currently classified as agricultural, which necessitates a change in land use classification to facilitate the development of the Solar Power Project;

WHEREAS, Caronsi Solar Energy Corporation (CSEC) must secure a Resolution of No Objection from Barangay Carig Norte where the energy generating facility is located, pursuant to Department of Energy Order No. 2023-10-018 and Energy Regulation No. 1-94;

**NOW**, **THEREFORE**, **RESOLVE**, as it is hereby **RESOLVED**, on motion, duly seconded and without objection from the body, the Sagguniang Panlungsod of Tuguegarao City interposes No Objection and Expresses Support to the Caronsi Solar Energy Corporation 50MWac Solar-PV Power Project.

**RESOLVED FURTHER**, that this resolution is subject to the appropriate reclassification of the land location of the project from agricultural to industrial, in accordance with applicable laws and regulations and the issuance of a Resolution of No Objection from Barangay Carig Norte;

**RESOLVED FURTHER**, that this Resolution is subject to compliance with all the applicable environmental, safety and regulatory standards as well as obligations towards the local community and stakeholders;

**RESOLVED FINALLY**, that copies of this resolution shall be forwarded to Caronsi Solar Energy Corporation and other pertinent agencies or departments concerned for information and appropriate action.

On motion of Hon. Soriano and without any objection, CITY RESOLUTION NO. 600-09-2024 was APPROVED.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY TO THE CORRECTNESS OF THE FOREGOING:

PTO, P Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:/

HON. JUDE T. BAYONA Sangguniang Panlungsod Member Temporary Presiding Officer Date: Nov. 3, nox

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