



REPUBLIKA NG PILIPINAS
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KALAKHANG MAYNILA

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RESOLUTION NO. 2021-567

A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES, HON. RODRIGO ROA DUTERTE, AS APPOINTING AUTHORITY OF THE BUREAU OF CORRECTIONS DIRECTOR GERALD BANTAG, TO IMMEDIATELY RECALL AND/OR OVERTURN THE ACTIONS OF THE SAID OFFICIAL IN THE ILLEGAL AND IRRATIONAL ROAD CLOSURES AND ILLEGAL EVICTION AND DEMOLITION OF INFORMAL SETTLERS IN THE NBP RESERVATION IN VIOLATION OF THE CONSTITUTION, ALL RELEVANT NATIONAL LAWS AND ORDINANCES

Sponsored by:

- Hon. Coun. Atty. Raul R. Corro*
- Hon. Coun. Alexson V. Diaz – via zoom*
- Hon. Coun. Paty Katy C. Boncayao*
- Hon. Coun. Louisito A. Arciaga*
- Hon. Coun. Allan Rey A. Camilon*
- Hon. Coun. Ting Niefes*
- Hon. Coun. Stephanie G. Teves– via zoom*
- Hon. Coun. Ivey Rhia A. Tadea*
- Hon. Coun. Engr. Marissa C. Rongavilla– via zoom*
- Hon. Coun. Francis Ian T. Bagatsing*
- Hon. Coun. Mark Lester M. Baes– via zoom*
- Hon. Coun. Engr. Mamerto T. Sevilla, Jr.*
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WHEREAS, Section 16, Article VII, of the Constitution vests unto the President of the Philippines the power to nominate and, with the consent of the Commission on Appointments, appoint the heads of the Executive Departments; he shall also appoint all other officers of the government whose appointments are not otherwise provided for by law, and those whom he may be authorized by law to appoint;

WHEREAS, Section 17, Article VII, of the Constitution also provides, that *“The President shall have control of all the executive departments, bureaus, and offices. He shall ensure that the laws be faithfully executed.”*

WHEREAS, on November 26, 2021, on or about 10:30 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. the Bureau of Corrections under **Director Gerald Bantag** initiated the closure of the road going to **Katarungan Village 1 and 2, Pamantasang ng Lungsod ng Muntinlupa (PLMUN)** and **Muntinlupa National High School (MNHS)** and effectively denied access to the said NBP road of thousands of the village residents, high school and college students and their school officials and their teachers and non-teaching personnel;

WHEREAS, prior to the **November 26** incident, Director Bantag likewise closed the roads leading to Southville 3, a national government housing project and Type B, and Magdaong, and evicted informal settlers and demolished shanties in violation of the constitution, pertinent national laws and ordinances;





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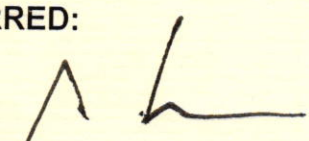
WHEREAS, the actions of **Director Bantag** and his people are illegal, irrational and are not in accordance with established legal processes enshrined in the Philippine Constitution and hence should be revoked, recalled and overturned by the President of the Philippines;

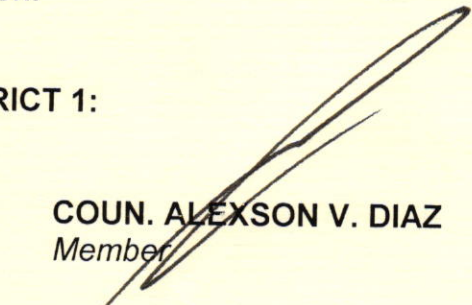
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, by the 9th Sangguniang Panlungsod of Muntinlupa, to request the President of the Philippines, **Hon. Rodrigo Roa Duterte**, as appointing authority of the **Bureau of Corrections Director Gerald Bantag**, to immediately recall and/or overturn the actions of the said official in the illegal road closures and illegal eviction and demolition of informal settlers in the **NBP** Reservation in violation of the Constitution, all relevant national laws and ordinances.

ADOPTED, by the 9th Sangguniang Panlungsod of Muntinlupa this 27th day of November 2021, on its 16th Special Session.

CONCURRED:

DISTRICT 1:


COUN. ATTY. RAUL R. CORRO
Member


COUN. ALEXSON V. DIAZ
Member

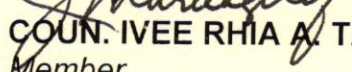

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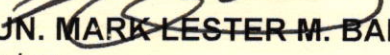

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Member


COUN. IVEE RHIA A. TADEFA
Member


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Member

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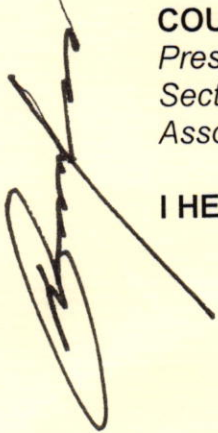


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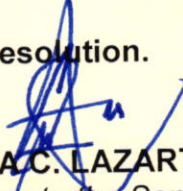

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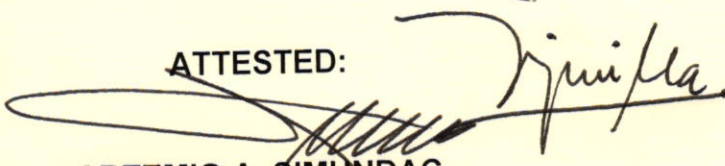

COUN. WALTER A. ARCILLA
President
Sectoral Representative
Association of Barangay Chairman

COUN. KENICHI D. TAKAGI, JR.
President
Sectoral Representative
Federation of Sangguniang Kabataan

I HEREBY CERTIFY, as to the correctness of the foregoing Resolution.


CECILIA C. LAZARTE
Secretary to the Sanggunian


ATTESTED:


ARTEMIO A. SIMUNDAC
City Vice-Mayor/Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

ATTY. JAIME R. FRESNEDI
City Mayor

Date: 02 DEC 2021


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