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EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 48TH REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF NARVACAN, ILOCOS SUR HELD ON DECEMBER 14, 2020 AT THE MUNICIPAL SESSION HALL

RESOLUTION NO. 138

Series of 2020

A RESOLUTION DECLARING THE GABALDON BUILDING OF THE NARVACAN NORTH CENTRAL SCHOOL A "MUNICIPAL CULTURAL PROPERTY"

WHEREAS, pursuant to its constitutional mandate expressed in secs. 14, 15, 16 and 17, Art. XIV of the 1967 Constitution, it is the declared policy of government, under R.A. No. 10066, the "National Cultural Heritage Act of 2009" to "protect, preserve, conserve and promote the nation's cultural heritage, its property and histories, and the ethnicity of local communications.";

WHEREAS, the **GABALDON BUILDING OF THE NARVACAN NORTH CENTRAL SCHOOL** is among the oldest, if not the oldest existing school in Narvacan which is a heritage school building called "GABALDON", designed by American architect **William E. Parsons** during the American colonial regime, and found at **Limmansangan, Margaay**;

WHEREAS, the said building was erected a century ago, in 1920 pursuant to Act No. 1801 or the **Gabalton Law** and is among those designated as cultural properties under R.A. 10066 in relation to Republic Act No. 11194 and still in use to the present date;

WHEREAS, it should be noted that the original flagpole donated by the first graduates of 1926-27 is also still in use today;

WHEREAS, in order to underscore the historic and cultural significance of the **GABALDON BUILDING OF THE NARVACAN NORTH CENTRAL SCHOOL** and to show its value, regard, respect and attachment to the town of Narvacan, its people and the countless students who received their early education in its historic halls and classrooms, there is need to declare it and its surroundings as a Municipal Cultural Property and thus bring it under the protection of the law and government agencies involved in the identification, protection and preservation of Philippine cultural properties;

NOW THEREFORE, on motion duly seconded, **BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** that the **GABALDON BUILDING OF THE NARVACAN NORTH CENTRAL SCHOOL** at Sitio Limmansangan, Barangay Margaay, Narvacan, Ilocos Sur, be declared, as it is hereby declared a **MUNICIPAL CULTURAL PROPERTY**;



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RESOLVED FURTHER, also to seek the help of the **NATIONAL CULTURAL COMMISSION OF THE PHILIPPINES**, the **NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR CULTURE AND ARTS**, the **NATIONAL MUSEUM**, the **NATIONAL LIBRARY OF THE PHILIPPINES** be sought in order to help the efforts of the Municipal Government of Narvacan, Ilocos Sur in preserving, maintaining and protecting the said cultural property.

RESOLVED FINALLY, that copies of this resolution be furnished to concerned agencies for their information and appropriate action.

PASSED AND APPROVED.