

Republic of the Philippines
PROVINCE OF CAGAYAN
Tuguegarao City

SIXTH CITY COUNCIL

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION
OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD OF TUGUEGARAO CITY, CAGAYAN
HELD ON APRIL 29, 2014, 9:00 AM, TUESDAY,
AT BUNTUN GYMNASIUM

PRESENT:

Hon. Bienvenido C. De Guzman II	Acting City Vice Mayor, Presiding Officer
Hon. Rosauro G. Resuello	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member
Hon. Ronald S. Ortiz	-do-
Hon. Perla C. Tumaliuan	-do-
Hon. Maila Rosario T. Que	-do-
Hon. Jude T. Bayona	-do-
Hon. Loreto B. Valdepeñas	-do-
Hon. Kendrick S. Calubaquib	-do-
Hon. Estelita U. Dayag	-do-
Hon. Anthony C. Tuddao	-do-

ABSENT:

Hon. Noel A. Mora	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member
Hon. Aurora A. Ave	-do- (on Official Time)
Hon. Hilario Larry S. Ting	-do-

CITY RESOLUTION NO. 047-2014

**A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE INCREASE IN THE PERCENTAGE SHARE IN THE
INTERNAL REVENUE ALLOTMENT OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS
FROM 40% TO 50% FROM THE COLLECTIONS OF
THE BUREAU OF INTERNAL REVENUE AND THE BUREAU OF CUSTOMS**

WHEREAS, Senate Bill No. 2045, introduced by the Honorable Senator Aquilino “Koko” Pimentel Jr., which proposed the increase of Internal Revenue Allotment (IRA) of Local Government Units (LGUs) from the existing 40% to 50% of the collections of Bureau of Internal Revenue and Bureau of Customs;

WHEREAS, local government units share 40% of the BIR collections as their Internal Revenue Allotment (IRA), however, the Constitution provides that *local government units shall have a just share in the national taxes which shall be automatically released*;

WHEREAS, Section 284 of the Local Government Code provides that the local government unit shall have a share in the national internal revenue taxes based on the collection of the 3rd Fiscal Year preceding the current fiscal year;

WHEREAS, the proposed bill provides an increase of the IRA to be computed from the taxes collected by the BIR and also from the duties, taxes and tariffs collected by the Bureau of Customs;

WHEREAS, the increase in the internal revenue allotment of local government units from the existing 40% to 50% of the collections of both Bureau of Internal Revenue and the Bureau of Customs will provide the necessary funds to address the concerns of the constituents of the local level through basic services extended to the people.

NOW THEREFORE, RESOLVE, as it is hereby **RESOLVED** that the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Tuguegarao City strongly supports the passage of House Bill No. 2045 authored by Senator Aquilino Pimentel Jr. which will provide additional resources for Local Government Units

(LGUs) by expanding the source of Internal Revenue Allotment (IRA) funds and increasing the percentage shares from the present 40% to 50%.

RESOLVED FURTHER, to transmit this Resolution of Support to the President of the House of Senate for consideration and to Honorable Senator Aquilino Pimentel Jr. for his information.

On motion of all members present, **CITY RESOLUTION NO. 047-2014** was UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY TO THE CORRECTNESS OF THE FOREGOING:


JOEL JOSEPH L. EGIPTO
Secretary to the Sangguniang Panlungsod

ATTESTED:


HON. BIENVENIDO C. DE GUZMAN II
Acting City Vice Mayor

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