



Republic of the Philippines
Province of Laguna
Municipality of Santa Cruz



SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OFFICE

EXCERPS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF SANTA CRUZ, LAGUNA HELD ON JULY 28, 2025, MONDAY, 9:27 IN THE MORNING AT THE BATASANG BAYAN, ESCOLAPIA BUILDING, SANTA CRUZ, LAGUNA.

PRESENT:

Honorable LAARNI A. MALIBIRAN

Honorable Ambiel John C. Panganiban
Honorable Norman T. Tolentino
Honorable Jericho V. Asinas
Honorable Roselon F. Pamatmat
Honorable Esmeraldo C. De Las Armas, Jr.
Honorable Rizaldy N. Kalaw
Honorable Louie C. De Leon
Honorable Laura P. Obligacion
Honorable Mark Anthony M. Juangco

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..... Presiding Officer
..... Councilor
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..... Councilor/ABC Federation President
..... Councilor/ President – SK Federation

ABSENT:

Honorable Lea A. Almarvez

..... Councilor – on vacation leave

RESOLUTION NO. 173- S2025

A RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE HONORABLE SENATOR FRANCIS “CHIZ” G. ESCUDERO OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES TO ALLOCATE FUNDS FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE TULONG PANGHANAPBUHAY SA ATING DISADVANTAGED /DISPLACED WORKERS (TUPAD) PROGRAM IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF SANTA CRUZ, PROVINCE OF LAGUNA.

Sponsor: HON. RIZALDY N. KALAW

WHEREAS, the Tulong Panghanapbuhay sa Ating Disadvantaged/Displaced Workers (TUPAD) is a community-based package of assistance implemented by the Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE), which provides emergency employment to displaced, underemployed, and seasonal workers;

WHEREAS, the TUPAD program plays a vital role in mitigating the impact of poverty and unemployment, especially among the vulnerable and marginalized sectors of society by providing short-term, wage-based employment and skills development;

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Santa Cruz, Province of Laguna, has a significant number of residents who are considered disadvantaged or displaced due to various socio-economic factors and would greatly benefit from the said program;

WHEREAS, the Local Government of Santa Cruz, led by Honorable Mayor Joseph Kris Benjamin B. Agarao supported by the Sangguniang Bayan, is steadfast in its efforts to promote inclusive and sustainable local employment opportunities for its constituents;

WHEREAS, the support of the Honorable Senator Francis “Chiz” G. Escudero in the form of fund allocation for the TUPAD program in the Municipality of Santa Cruz would enhance the delivery of meaningful employment assistance to the local community;

NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of Hon. Rizaldy N. Kalaw (Vice Chairman of Committee on Social Welfare and Development, Family and Women), duly seconded by all members of the Sangguniang Bayan present;

BE IT RESOLVED, as it is hereby **RESOLVED**, to respectfully request the **HONORABLE SENATOR FRANCIS “CHIZ” G. ESCUDERO** of the Republic of the Philippines to allocate funds for the implementation of the TUPAD (Tulong Panghanapbuhay sa Ating Disadvantaged/Displaced Workers) Program in the Municipality of Santa Cruz, Province of Laguna;

ORDERED, Let copies of this resolution be furnished the **HON. FRANCIS “CHIZ” G. ESCUDERO**; the Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE), and Honorable Mayor Joseph Kris Benjamin B. Agarao, for their kind and favorable consideration and appropriate action.

APPROVED: July 28, 2025.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the above – quoted resolution.

AMYCAR O. SANTOS
Acting Secretary to the Sangguniang Bayan

ATTESTED : **HON. LAARNI A. MALIBIRAN**
Municipal Vice-Mayor
Presiding Officer

APPROVED: **HON. JOSEPH KRIS BENJAMIN B. AGARAO**
Municipal Mayor