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RESOLUTION NO. 26

RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE PHILIPPINE
NATIONAL VOLUNTEER SERVICE COORDINATING
AGENCY (PNVSCA) ON ITS 55TH ANNIVERSARY AND
COMMENDING ITS INVALUABLE CONTRIBUTION TO
NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND INTERNATIONAL
UNDERSTANDING

WHEREAS, in 1964, the Philippine National Volunteer Service Coordinating Agency (PNVSCA) was created as a committee to concretize the Philippine Government's commitment to the international agreement of adopting volunteerism as a tool for socioeconomic development;

WHEREAS, the PNVSCA became a coordinating office in 1973 and an agency in 1980 through Executive Order No. 635, making it an attached agency of the National Economic and

Development Authority (NEDA) mandated to promote volunteerism as a tool for development and to coordinate volunteer programs and services in the Philippines;

WHEREAS, for the past fifty-five (55) years, the PNVSCA has closely worked with other government agencies, nongovernment organizations, the academe, corporate groups, media, and other partners in converging and linking the different volunteering efforts and resources so that they are aligned with national priorities and assist especially the marginalized sectors and communities;

WHEREAS, the PNVSCA coordinates the implementation of a National Volunteer Service Program (NVSP) through the mobilization of local and foreign volunteers in the country aligned with the thrusts and priorities of the Philippine Development Plan and towards the realization of “Ambisyon Natin 2040”, as well as the deployment of Filipino volunteers overseas to foster international cooperation and goodwill;

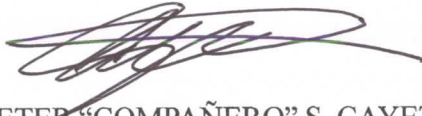
WHEREAS, the PNVSCA leads the integration of volunteerism in local and national policies, plans and programs to promote the institutionalization of volunteerism as a development strategy and as a social value;

WHEREAS, the PNVSCA spearheads the recognition of the contribution of volunteers to national development and international cooperation through the celebration of the National Volunteer Month and the conduct of the Search for Outstanding Volunteers and other advocacy instruments, serving as platforms for the wide dissemination and sharing of the inspiring stories of dedication and commitment of everyday heroes: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, as it is hereby resolved by the House of Representatives, To congratulate the Philippine National Volunteer Service Coordinating Agency (PNVSCA) on its 55th anniversary and to commend its invaluable contribution to national development and international understanding.

Resolved, further, That a copy of this Resolution be furnished the Philippine National Volunteer Service Coordinating Agency (PNVSCA) and the National Economic and Development Authority (NEDA).

Adopted,



ALAN PETER "COMPAÑERO" S. CAYETANO
Speaker

This Resolution was adopted by the House of Representatives on December 11, 2019.



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