



EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE NINTH (9TH) REGULAR SESSION OF THE 12TH SANGGUNIANG BAYAN HELD ON SEPTEMBER 15, 2025 AT THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN SESSION HALL, NATIONAL HIGHWAY, BRGY. TIMUGAN, LOS BAÑOS, LAGUNA.

PRESENT:

Hon. Marlo PJ A. Alipon	Municipal Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer
Hon. Miko C. Pelegrina	S.B. Member
Hon. Aldous Amiel B. Perez	S.B. Member
Hon. Muriel Laisa B. Dizon	S.B. Member
Hon. Leren Mae M. Bautista	S.B. Member
Hon. Benedicto S. Alborida	S.B. Member
Hon. Rand Edouard R. De Jesus	S.B. Member
Hon. Myla E. Alinsunurin	S.B. Member
Hon. Jay G. Rolusta	S.B. Member
Hon. Samantha Nicole A. Banasihan-Ortega	Ex-Officio Member/SK Federation President

ABSENT:

Hon. Gaudencio P. Macatangay	Ex-Officio Member/Liga President- O.B.
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RESOLUTION NO. 2025-131

A RESOLUTION APPROVING AND ADOPTING THE MUNICIPAL SCHOOL BOARD RESOLUTION NO. 2025-15 DATED AUGUST 27, 2025 ENTITLED, "RESOLUTION ADOPTING AND APPROVING THE RIZAL TABLETS FOR SCHOOLS OF THE FUTURE PROJECT OF THE HONORABLE PROVINCIAL GOVERNOR MIRASOL "SOL" ARAGONES OF THE PROVINCE OF LAGUNA AND THE HONORABLE MUNICIPAL MAYOR NEIL ANDREW N. NOCON OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF LOS BAÑOS".

Author : Councilor Jay G. Rolusta

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 7160 otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991 delegated specific functions and responsibilities to local government units for efficient and effective local governance in the promotion of the general welfare of its constituents;

WHEREAS, Sections 98 to 101 of the Act mandated the creation of the local school board, enumerated its composition, functions, meetings, quorum, budget and compensation;

WHEREAS, local school boards have been tasked by law to determine the annual and supplementary budgetary needs for operation and maintenance of all public schools;

WHEREAS, the Rizal Tablets for Schools of the Future Project of the Province of Laguna aim to revolutionize public education;

WHEREAS, back in June 19, 2011, the Province of Laguna launched the eRizal Tablet Project, distributing 1,000 tablets throughout the province to public elementary schools to stimulate learning amongst public school students, however, the project was shelved due to the change in local administration;

WHEREAS, the 2020 pandemic proved the value to tablets computers in helping students under the modular and mixed learning scheme;

WHEREAS, statistics show that in the Philippines, 16% of students attained at least Level 2 proficiency in mathematics, 24% of students attained the said level in reading, while 23% of students passed Level 2 or higher in Science, all of which are way below the Organization of Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) averages and are behind the country's ASEAN neighbors;

WHEREAS, the adoption of tablet computers is a proposed intervention to arrest the slide in learning performance and improve the leaning of Filipino students. Tablet computers are an excellent interactive tool to support active learning in teaching;

WHEREAS, tablet computers supported by software and hardware infrastructure are seen as promising solutions to the Philippines' education crisis;

WHEREAS, the proponents has lined-up an Implementation Schedule:

Set-up Team	July, 2025
Set-Up Pilot Classroom	July-November, 2025
Identify initial beneficiaries and teachers	July-October, 2025
Teacher's Training	October 28-30, 2025
Launch of Pilot Classroom	December 30, 2025
Initial Implementation	January 2-March 20, 2026
Evaluation	April, 2026
Launch of Rizal Classrooms	June 19, 2026

WHEREAS, the project is proposed to be pilot-tested for Grade 3 students in three (3) public elementary schools in Los Baños, namely:

1. Los Banos Central Elementary School
2. Lopez Elementary School
3. Mayondon Elementary School

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Bayan, after hearing the project details and thorough discussion unanimously agreed adopt and approve the Schools of the Future Project and the use of Rizal Tablets for implementation in the Municipality of Los Baños;

NOW THEREFORE, on motion of Councilor Jay G. Rolusta duly seconded by Councilor Miko C. Pelegrina and approved by the councilors present;



3.00 Resolution No. 2025-131

09/15/2025

RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to approve and adopt the Municipal School Board Resolution No. 2025-15 dated August 27, 2025, entitled, "Resolution adopting and approving the Rizal tablets for Schools of the Future Project of the Honorable Provincial Governor Mirasol "Sol" Aragones of the Province of Laguna and the Honorable Municipal Mayor Neil Andrew N. Nocon of the Municipality of Los Baños.

UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED : September 15, 2025

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the above-quoted Resolution.


MIRASOL P. MOJICA
Local Legislative Staff Officer II

CERTIFIED ADOPTED:


HON. MARLO PJ A. ALIPON, MPA, REE, RMP
Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer