RESOLUTION NO. 68
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A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES TO PASS A LAW CREATING THE HIGHLY-URBANIZED "CITY OF BACOOR".

Sponsored by: Hon. Bayani De Leon

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Bacoor already possess all the requirements under the law for it to be converted into a highly-urbanized city.

WHEREAS, past administrations of the Municipality of Bacoor have tried to convert the municipality into a highly-urbanized city but all such efforts failed for lack of support in Congress.

WHEREAS, the incumbent members of the Sangguniang Bayan deliberated on the wisdom of converting the Municipality of Bacoor into a highly-urbanized city and they unanimously agreed that the conversion of the municipality into a city will redound to the benefit of the people of Bacoor.

NOW, THEREFORE, upon motion of Councilor Bayani De Leon in regular session assembled BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED to respectfully request the Honorable Members of the Congress of the Philippines to pass a law creating the highly-urbanized "City of Bacoor".

RESOLVED, FURTHER, to attach the following documents to the instant Resolution in compliance with the pertinent provisions of the Rules and Regulations Implementing the Local Government Code of 1991 and the Local Government Code of 1991, to wit: (a) a certification from the National Statistics Office (NSO) as to the present population of the Municipality of Bacoor and that the creation of the highly-urbanized City of Bacoor will not reduce the present population of the Municipality of Bacoor, Cavite; (b) a certification from the Department of Finance regarding the average annual income of the municipality of Bacoor during fiscal years 2006 and 2007 and that the conversion of the municipality into a city will not reduce such income based on 1991 constant prices; (c) a certification from the Land Management Bureau (LMB) with regard the exact metes and bounds of Bacoor, Cavite and that the creation of the City of Bacoor will not reduce the present area of the Municipality of Bacoor; (d) a copy of the map of Bacoor, Cavite that indicates the areas to be included in the highly-urbanized City of Bacoor as well as the road networks thereof as prepared by the Office of the Municipal Engineer of Bacoor, Cavite; (e) another certification from the LMB that the area comprising the proposed highly-urbanized City of Bacoor has sufficient alienable and disposable public lands to meet its growing population; (f) another certification from the NSO on the number and nature of existing and commercial establishments in the proposed highly-urbanized City of Bacoor; (g) certification from the Local Water Utilities Administration (LWUA) with regard the possible sources of water for the inhabitants of the proposed highly-urbanized City of Bacoor; (h) a certification from the Office of Municipal Engineer of Bacoor, Cavite

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regarding the facilities, plans, and site for sewerage, garbage, and waste disposal for the proposed highly-urbanized City of Bacoor; (i) copies of the various resolutions passed by a majority of the various barangays of Bacoor supporting the move for the conversion of the municipality into a highly-urbanized city; (j) copies of letters/petitions/manifestoes of various sectors of society supporting the conversion of the Municipality Bacoor into a highly-urbanized city; and (k) a copy of the proposed City Charter for the new, highly-urbanized City of Bacoor to be drafted by the Sangguniang Bayan Secretariat under Atty. Khalid A. Atega Jr., Secretary to the Sangguniang Bayan.

RESOLVED FINALLY to furnish the Office of Rep. Joseph Emilio Abaya, Governor Ayong S. Maliksi, Vice-Governor Dencito Campañas, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan, and the Municipal Mayor with a copy of this Resolution.

ADOPTED this 5th day of May 2008 by the Sangguniang Bayan of Bacoor, Cavite.

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