

DR. No. 2510-056

RESOLUTION NO. 53 series of 2025

A RESOLUTION HUMBLY REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION ACTING SECRETARY GIOVANNI Z. LOPEZ, THROUGH UNDERSECRETARY MARK STEVEN PASTOR TO HELP FUND THE CONSTRUCTION OF A MANGGAHAN FLOODWAY PEDESTRIAN AND BIKE-EXCLUSIVE BRIDGE IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF TAYTAY, RIZAL

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WHEREAS, the Municipality of Taytay has a population of three hundred ninety-seven thousand nine hundred eleven (397,911) as of July 1, 2024, based on the Philippine Statistics Authority 2024 Census;

WHEREAS, almost one fourth of the town's population, approximately around one hundred thousand (100,000) individuals, live in the vicinity of West Floodway up to the territorial boundaries of Taytay from Pasig and Taguig;

WHEREAS, the Barkadahan Bridge, constructed in 2000, expanded last December 2017 and opened in 2019, and was designed primarily for vehicles and not for pedestrians and cyclists;

WHEREAS, public transportation to the areas across the bridge are limited to tricycles, since no PUV routes are currently available along C6 Road;

WHEREAS, the lack of public transportation options in the area forces a good number of people to bike and to walk across the Barkadahan Bridge;

WHEREAS, the construction of a pedestrian and bike-exclusive bridge can benefit a lot of residents particularly students, senior citizens, and bike-commuters who pass by the bridge on a daily basis;

WHEREAS, the proposed bridge is estimated to cost One Hundred Fifty Million Pesos (Php 150,000,000.00) based on the initial design submitted by the Municipal Engineering Office, and may be a challenge for the local government unit to fund;

WHEREAS, this August Body believes that the construction of this bridge is a progressive step towards promoting active mobility in the Municipality of Taytay;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved, by the 13th Sangguniang Bayan of Taytay, Rizal, in session duly assembled, hereby HUMBLY REQUESTS THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION ACTING SECRETARY GIOVANNI Z. LOPEZ, THROUGH UNDERSECRETARY MARK STEVEN PASTOR TO HELP FUND THE CONSTRUCTION OF A MANGGAHAN FLOODWAY PEDESTRIAN AND BIKE-EXCLUSIVE BRIDGE IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF TAYTAY, RIZAL.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that copies of this Resolution be furnished to the Department of Transportation and other concerned agencies for their information and appropriate action.

ADOPTED, this 6th day of October 2025, 2:05 PM at the Sangguniang Bayan Session Hall, Municipality of Taytay, Province of Rizal.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, to the correctness of the foregoing Resolution which was duly adopted by the Sangguniang Bayan of Taytay on second reading on October 6, 2025 and was passed on third and final reading on October 6, 2025 during the 14th Regular Session held on the 6th day of October, 2025.

JULIETA M. JUANILLO Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED AND CERTIFIED TO BE

ADOPTED BY HIS HONOR

HON. JAN VICTOR B. CABITAC Municipal Vice Mayor / Presiding Officer