

RESOLUTION NO. 2015-078

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RESOLUTION ACKNOWLEDGING NORA CABALTERA VILLAMAYOR, POPULARLY KNOWN AS NORA AUNOR, AS "HONORARY NAGUEÑA" FOR HER INVALUABLE CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE PROMOTION OF THE PERFORMING AND CINEMATIC ARTS NOT ONLY IN THE CITY OF NAGA BUT ALSO IN THE ENTIRE COUNTRY:-

On joint and collective motion

WHEREAS, Nora Cabaltera Villamayor, popularly known as Nora Aunor, is a Bikolana artist who is acknowledged as one of the best thespians of the Philippines and is celebrated as the Philippine Cinema's Superstar;

WHEREAS, she has received over two hundred awards and citations from prestigious local and international award-giving bodies and film festivals, such as the Filipino Academy of Movie Arts and Sciences, Manunuri ng Pelikulang Pilipino, Star Awards for Movies, Film Academy of the Philippines, Catholic Mass Media Awards, Metro Manila Film Festival, Young Critics Circle, Golden Screen Awards, Sakhalin International Film Festival, Venice International Film Festival, Cairo International Film Festival, Asian Film Awards, Asia Pacific Screen Awards, Festival International du Film Indépendant de Bruxelles, East Asia Film and Television Award, and Cannes International Film Festival;

WHEREAS, she is the first Filipino actor to win an international acting award in a major film festival, the Cairo International Film Festival, in the movie "The Flor Contemplacion Story";

WHEREAS, her life story from humble beginnings has inspired every Filipino to use and enrich his/her talents and achieve his/her dreams;

WHEREAS, her extraordinary talent has inspired Bikolano filmmakers and artists to produce works of art expressed in film, poetry, novels, and essays, among others;

WHEREAS, her enduring career in the entertainment industry began when she competed in an amateur singing contest called "Darigold Jamboree" at the Kiosko, the city's central plaza, now known as Plaza Quezon;

WHEREAS, after winning in the aforementioned contest, she then joined and won as champion in another singing contest in Naga dubbed as "The Liberty Big Show";

WHEREAS, her winning streak in regional singing competitions in Naga culminated in her becoming the national grand champion in the "Tawag ng Tanghalan", where she was identified as a contestant from Naga City, even if she actually hails from Iriga;

NOW, THEREFORE, on joint and collective motion of the Members of the 11th Sangguniang Panlungsod of the City of Naga,

BE IT RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved, to acknowledge Nora Cabaltera Villamayor, popularly known as Nora Aunor, as "Honorary Nagueña" for her invaluable contributions to the promotion of the performing and cinematic arts not only in the City of Naga but also in the entire country.

LET COPIES of this resolution be furnished the Philippine Cinema's Superstar, Nora Cabaltera Villamayor a.k.a. Nora Aunor, for her information and record for posterity.

UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED.

Adopted: March 17, 2015

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WE HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing resolution.

GIL A. DE LA TORRE
Secretary to the
Sangguniang Panlungsod

NELSON S. LEGACION
City Vice Mayor
& Presiding Officer

CONCURRED:

JOHN G. BONGAT
City Mayor