

ORDINANCE NO. 2014-045

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AN ORDINANCE OFFICIALLY NAMING "MABINI STREET" IN BARANGAY SAN FRANCISCO, NAGA CITY, TO "HINAWASAN STREET" IN RECOGNITION OF ITS HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE IN THE 1972 PEÑAFRANCIA FLUVIAL PROCESSION TRAGEDY:-

Sponsor: Hon. Elmer S. Baldemoro

EXPLANATORY NOTE

WHEREAS, Barangay San Francisco passed Resolution No. 11-046, requesting the City Government of Naga to acknowledge said barangay government's intention to name "Mabini Street" to "Hinawasan Street" of Barangay San Francisco;

WHEREAS, the name "Hinawasan" comes from the street's historical significance as the road where the images of Our Lady of Peñafrancia and Divino Rostro passed through after being brought back to land during the aftermath of the 1972 Peñafrancia Fluvial Procession Tragedy on September 16, 1972;

WHEREAS, the 1972 Peñafrancia Fluvial Procession Tragedy, though heart-breaking, is still a significant epoch in the history of the City of Naga;

WHEREAS, naming "Mabini Street" to "Hinawasan Street" shall acknowledge and immortalize its historical significance;

WHEREAS, Section 13, Chapter II of R.A. 7160 provides the local government units the power to name streets within their jurisdiction;

BE IT ORDAINED, therefore, by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of the City of Naga, that:

SECTION 1. "Mabini Street" in Barangay San Francisco is hereby officially named as "Hinawasan Street" to recognize and eternalize its historical significance during the 1972 Peñafrancia Fluvial Procession Tragedy.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its approval.

ENACTED: July 22, 2014.

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WE HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing ordinance.

GIL A. DE LA TORRE
Secretary to the
Sangguniang Panlungsod

NELSON S. LEGACION
City Vice Mayor
& Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

JOHN G. BONGAT
City Mayor