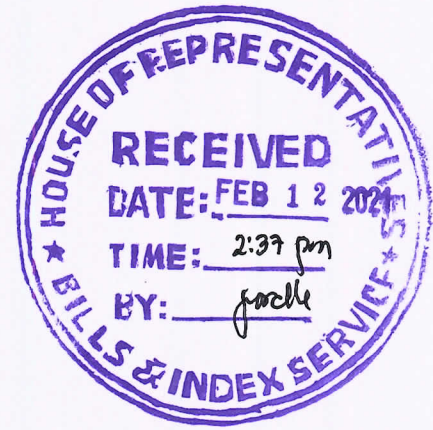


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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
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House Resolution No. 1577



Introduced by **REPRESENTATIVE JOY MYRA S. TAMBUNTING**

A RESOLUTION
EXPRESSING PROFOUND SYMPATHIES AND SINCEREST CONDOLENCES OF THE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO THE BEREAVED FAMILY OF FORMER OLONGAPO
CITY MAYOR JAMES "BONG" GORDON JR., REPRESENTATIVE OF THE 1ST DISTRICT
OF ZAMBALES IN THE 10TH, 11TH, and 12TH CONGRESSES

WHEREAS, Honorable James "Bong" Gordon Jr., former Olongapo City Mayor and First District of Zambales Representative, passed away last February 9, 2021;

WHEREAS, he is survived by his wife Anne Marie and their daughter Amelie Jane;

WHEREAS, Hon. Bong Gordon was remembered by his brother Senator Richard Gordon, "approachable person who was ready to help those in need," and had "a soft voice that would only ever get loud when he sang rock and roll";

WHEREAS, Hon. Bong Gordon led a life of public service starting out as a city councilor then the Representative of the First District of Zambales in the 10th, 11th and 12th Congresses and ultimately, the mayor of Olongapo City from 2004 to 2013;

WHEREAS, he served as the chairman of the ad hoc oversight committee on bases conversion and the ad hoc subcommittee on Intramuros during the 11th Congress;

WHEREAS, he served as Battalion Commander for the Philippine Army Reserve Command 1st (ZAM) Ready Reserved Battalion since December 1, 2007;

WHEREAS, he was also a stalwart volunteer during the Pinatubo explosion and a former chairman of Red Cross Olongapo

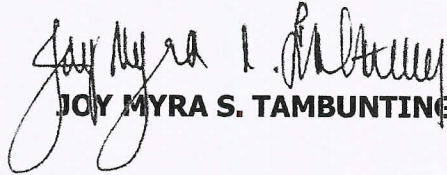
WHEREAS, former Mayor Gordon will always be remembered as a devoted husband and father to his wife and daughter, and a remarkable public servant who dedicated his life in service of the people;

WHEREAS, the demise of former Mayor Gordon is a great loss to all his friends, family, former colleagues and the people of the Olongapo City.

RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, To express profound condolences of the House of Representatives to the family former Olongapo City Mayor James "Bong" Gordon Jr., Representative of the 1st District of Zambales in the 10th, 11th, and 12th Congresses.

RESOLVED, FURTHER, That a copy of this Resolution be furnished the bereaved family of the deceased.

Adopted,


JOY MYRA S. TAMBUNTING