

MR. ROLEN C. PAULINO

Rolen as Olongapeños fondly called him, endured much in pursuing his aspirations to serve the people of Olongapo City; and fate paved the way to fulfill his dreams and promises.

He started his duty as public servant when he became a City Councilor, Vice Mayor and City Mayor of Olongapo City.

During his first term as Mayor, he poured out himself to work and proved a lot, and the people believed in what this man can deliver in dedication to public service. He continues to excel and re-invent public service under the fundamentals of Transparency and Good Governance. He did not fail his supporters and yet gaining more.

In April 2021, he was elected as the Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of the Philippines. In the midst of the COVID-19 pandemic, he accepted the challenge to lead the Philippine Freemasonry.

He was once again seated in public service when President Rodrigo Roa Duterte appointed him as the Chairman and Administrator of the Subic Bay Metropolitan Authority (SBMA) on March 1, 2023 and lead the agency with his Fast, Friendly and Flexible mantra that has worked wonders for the stakeholders and locators of the Subic Bay Freeport Zone. It has made the business and other processes easy among locators and stakeholders. Consequently, it has brought the confidence of locators and stakeholders with SBMA.

His stint as Chairman and Administrator of SBMA was cut short when his Courtesy Resignation was accepted by President Ferdinand R. Marcos, Jr. He was however appointed as member of the board of directors of Bases Conversion and Development Authority. Indeed, his passion and desire to serve never stops.

Aside from being a public servant, Rolen was also a sports enthusiast. He is a former Clerk of Course of the Subic Bay International Raceway, a holder of Fédération Internationale de l'Automobile (FIA) and Fédération Internationale de Motocyclisme (FIM). On his free time, Rolen plays chess, tennis and golf.

At present, he is the Potentate of the Mabuhay Shriners Philippines, a philanthropic organization treating children up to 18 years of age who have orthopedic conditions, burns, spinal cord injuries, cleft lip and palate, and more.