



MAYOR FRANCIS ZAMORA LEADS PROCLAMATION RALLY OF TEAM MAKABAGONG SAN JUAN LEGACY, THIRD-TERM BID HIGHLIGHTS DIGNIFIED IN-CITY HOUSING, LANDMARK INFRASTRUCTURE, AND FURTHER HOSPITAL UPGRADE

Mayor Francis Zamora formally launched his bid for a third and final term as Mayor of San Juan City during the Team Makabagong San Juan Legacy Proclamation Rally on March 28, 2025 at the Filoil EcoOil Centre. The event began with a 4:00 PM Mass at the Santuario del Sto. Cristo, followed by a parade leading to the rally venue.

Mayor Zamora is seeking to build on the gains of his first two terms alongside his partymates: Congresswoman Bel Zamora, Vice Mayor Angelo "AAA" Agcaoili, and the councilor slates from Districts 1 and 2.

For District 1, the councilor candidates are:

- Councilor Ryan Llanos Dee
- Dennis Pardinez
- Renren Ritualo
- Councilor Boyet Tolentino
- Councilor Ercic Vijandre
- Councilor James Yap

For District 2, the candidates are:

- Councilor Don Allado
- Councilor Totoy Bernardo
- Councilor Bea de Guzman
- Councilor Macky Mathay
- Councilor Kit Peralta
- Councilor Franco Tañada-Yam

A major component of Mayor Zamora's third-term agenda is the construction of "desente at marangal na pabahay" through the Pambansang Pabahay para sa Pilipino program in Barangays



Batis, Sta. Lucia, and West Crame, providing thousands of San Juaneños with quality homes within the city.

He is also committed to delivering legacy infrastructure projects, including the Makabagong San Juan Sports Center (on the site of the former San Juan Gym), the Makabagong San Juan Local Government Center (as City Hall Annex), and the Makabagong San Juan Crematorium and Columbarium, equipped with high-speed cremation, four chapels, a 1,000-niche columbarium, and expansion provisions up to the third and fourth floors.

Other projects in the pipeline include the citywide CCTV system with a central command center, main road beautification with LED lighting and cat's eyes, Pinaglabanan Shrine and City Hall lighting improvements, radio communication system upgrade, and free public Wi-Fi in key areas. The city will also establish the Makabagong San Juaneño Animal Care Center, complete with a clinic, surgery and rehab rooms, and an animal crematorium.

Further infrastructure developments include the Makabagong San Juan People's Park and Civic Center, Pinaglabanan Tourist Center and Souvenir Shop, Makabagong San Juan Plaza with LTO Offices, and a new public market in Barangay Batis. A mid-rise housing project in Taytay, Rizal will support additional housing needs, while pumping stations at Baguio Oil and Maytunas Creek and a Sewerage Treatment Plant in Batis will address flooding and sanitation. As part of city vehicle modernization, each barangay will receive two new vehicles to replace old units, in addition to new vehicles for City Hall and the police, including a ladder fire truck.

In the health sector, Mayor Zamora also aims to lead the further upgrade of the San Juan Medical Center (SJMC) into a Level 3 hospital, expanding services and procedures available to San Juaneños and strengthening the city's healthcare system.

During the past two terms, Team Makabagong San Juan delivered impactful results: zero balance billing at SJMC, its upgrade to a Level 2 hospital, and two consecutive Seal of Good Local Governance (SGLG) awards. San Juan public school students and City Hall employees have received free Makabagong San Juan customized rubber shoes, and all public school students have benefited from free school and PE uniforms. All of them have tablets as well. All classrooms have been equipped with fiber optic internet and Smart TVs, and students' homes have also been connected. The Libreng Gamot program continues to provide residents with free medicines via the City Hall Dispensary.

The city also constructed the Greenhills–West Crame Connector Road, launched Barangay Caravans to bring services directly to the grassroots, and attained 100% drug-cleared barangays (PDEA-certified). San Juan currently holds the distinction of having the lowest crime volume in Metro Manila.

The proclamation rally featured a special performance by Enrique Gil, and hosted by Dennis Padilla and Gelli de Belen, promising a night of celebration and unity for the people of San Juan.