



MINUTES OF THE MEETING ON THE FOREST CONSERVATION PROJECT BY THE
COMPANY BR ARBO GESTÃO FLORESTAL S/A

On the fourth day of the month of April, in the year two thousand and twenty-three, to this city of Carauari, State of the Amazonas, at the seat where it was fur,cio. Active L€g Power -d€Ste Muni-cípi-0, 5ito a Rua Anastácio Cavakante, 811 - Centro; At exactly 6:00 p.m., the following Councilors met *at the Pl márJo of the Municipality of Carauari*: **ETEVALDO WBO (President); ZONAJRA CARVALHO PEREIRA (Vice-President); Alderman; JOSÉ AIRTON FREITAS SIQUEIRA, ANTONIO ALMIRES DAS CHAGAS GONDIM, FRANCISCO TAVEIRA, SIDONAY SOCORRO LITAIFF RAMALHO and ELITON BRÁS.** The **President Etevaldo Avelino Lobo** welcomed all those present and, at the beginning of the work, spoke of the importance of the project on the agenda by the company BR ARBO Gestão Florestal S.A. for the municipality of Carauari. He then invited Mr. Carlos Roberto Canabarro Gomes, Director of BR ARBO, **to take his seat at the Presidency's table**; Mr. Ricard Luiz Ludke, **Forest Engineer; Mr. Ricardo G. Neuding**, representative of **ATA, the outsourced company responsible for the project**; Mr. **Ricardo Atanásio Felinto de Oliveira**, lawyer of BR ARBO, and Mr. Maurizio Rocchi, **General Coordinator of the BR ARBO project**. Opening the oratories, the floor was given to the **Director of the BR ARBO Company, Mr. C.arJos Roberto C.an.ab.arro Gomes**, who jnjcj, greeting Pres; *House Tooth* Etevaldo Avelino Lobo, the Councilors present, the Municipal Vice Mayor José Cardoso Viana, representatives of governmental and non-governmental institutions and other audiences; presented his advisors, the lawyer and the coordinator of the project that will be implemented. He thanked in a special way the space provided by the Presidency of the House Legislative, the partnership and attention given by the Executive Branch in the person of the Municipal Mayor Bruno Luis Litaiff Ramalho and the Municipal Vice Mayor José Cardoso Viana in carrying out the evet1to reference. He said that HR ARBO settled in this city in 1-974 and talking to the citizens we observed that it is fully rooted in this community going through several stages, and today it wants to present on this date a forest management and conservation project with the certainty that we will mark a new time. For a better understanding of the process, the floor was given to Mr. **Ricardo G. Neuding** Consultant and **Ricardo Luiz Ludke**, forest engineer and Director of Operations at Floresta BR



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ARBO, and asked the gentlemen present that at the end of the speeches they will be able to ask the necessary questions for a better progress of the presentation. Mr. **Ricardo G. Neuding**, explained that the project will have some activities such as Sustainable Forest Management, social projects, Carbon Credit project and an industrial project, said that the objective of the meeting is exactly to engage the community in these projects, opening with them some communication channels that are permanent so that we can talk to people to improve and improve the longo of the project, also inserting within this project the contributions that will be presented by the community, being very important this integration between the community, the project, BR ARBO and the Municipal Management; Stressed that the mechanisms through which we will interact with the community begins with this meeting and with the presentation of this project and also what the municipality of Carauari can expect from it, made it clear that the main objective of the project is the conservation of the great

forest heritage that BR ARBO Have today in your area, Know that the natural heritage that is composed of the forest needs to be conserved and preserved, and this is our idea, and for this to happen some activities need to be developed such as

Example handling sustainable, the Issues Social that make up the project that will be To 1ment much of the dialogue between us as a company and the community, it will be from this dialogue that the demands that the community has will come; He also spoke of the importance of preserving biodiversity in what it serves the local community as well as in some animal and plant species that are consumed or commercialized and this we need to respect and conserve. This understanding is important because it is the community that has to inform us what is important and what is of value to it, whether it is in the social sphere, in biodiversity and even in the economic part involving income and employment that it is part of the project to em1-Sion of carbon credits ¹¹⁰ qua he represents the support that the global community gives to this project because the world today looks at the Amazon as something that needs to be conserved and this is a clear trend, so this project contains within it the carbon credit project that is being developed and will be submitted to registers on the correct platforms, -and to the

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Over time, it will help to sustain this set of activities that we are reporting on at this meeting for the benefit of both the local and regional communities, the country and the entire world, because we know that carbon credits are related to the greenhouse gas emissions that generate climate change that are affecting the whole world today; and what we do here will help to improve the living conditions of people in any given world. part of the planet, however, we want to have this global recognition of the value of our project, that is, in other countries of the value that the municipality of Carauari has before the world, and this is what we now want to transform into a practical reality. Then the floor was given to Mr. **Ricardo Luiz Ludke**, forest engineer, who will explain with details to those present on the issue of Flower Management, which is one of the fundamental pieces of our project, which began by greeting all members of the Board, Councilors and others present, stressed that within the concepts already presented of conservation, forest management is one of the economic activities; We consider that without a proposal for economic activity and without a conservation

Any forest space becomes a mere playpen of land ---"<"--- therefore, anyone who lives in a Resex, in an indigenous area or any area of the forest will have to develop some type of activity that complies with the criteria of respect for the environment, even with techniques still considered traditional and popular in that community or with techniques that we learned in college and perfected with the However, forest management is one of those techniques that is capable of maintaining all the environmental functions of the forest, of protecting the fauna, serving as shelter and food for the fauna, of maintaining the qualities of the water resources without compromising biodiversity because for each species exploited it will always follow a series of criteria that we apply within a forest management; He said that, in general, a hectare of forest has around 600 trees or, depending on the area, up to 900 trees with more than ten centimeters, which is equivalent to a football field. He said that forest management is all planning with exploration techniques with reduced impacts to reduce the impact of the impulse of machines in the forest, directional cutting of trees and not affecting those trees



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extractive interests protected by law, such as copaibas, rubber trees and Brazil nut trees which are important for collectors and extractors of non-timber forest products,

So in these applied techniques we will always preserve these trees, because the correct term is preserve because they are untouchable, so at most we will be removing with all the applied conservation techniques around four to six trees in a space

the size of a football field with more than fifty centimeters; However, in the hypothesis a gum will cease to exist preservation and sustainability, and this is what moves

these projects. Initially, within our conservation project, we have first allocated about 18% of the BR ARBO property, corresponding to approximately 165,000 hectares, which will not be explored at once, because we have to have sustainability, which is why it is a sustainable management project containing three criteria, the economic and the social and the environmental; pointed out that the area will be divided into thirty production units of approximately 4,500 hectares, so that, when we arrive at the last exploration unit in thirty years, it is very likely that all the volume and commercial stock that was removed in the first harvest will return to that unit, he made it clear that the area of BR ARBO that he is referring to occupies a part of three municipalities, being Jutai, Carauari and Juruá, and that this project is mainly centered here in Carauari, he clarified that when we reach the end of this first area, we will still have the remaining 82% of the forest if that little piece of thirty years is still not properly recovered, but in the face of real studies of areas that have already been managed and exploited with techniques prove that the forest grows 0.86 cubic meters per year from commercial stock, that is, if we intend to remove 20 cubic meters of a total of 400 cubic meters that that forest has, equivalent to 5% of the volume that will be able to be recovered the same vacuum exploited over these years, That's why it's sustainable and

Also because it has some rules that do not allow the removal of protected species of community interest for various purposes; He also pointed out that this project is not limited to logging and is complemented by the projects here in the industry; However, we will have four sawmill processing units consisting of four



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At first working in a single shift, we will have two units for the production of beneficiaries and also a panel production line that should bring a return to the company, obviously we will need energy for this process in which initially we should use about 3.56 megawatts of energy generation, where we will have an extra volume of energy production per year at least more than 70 megawatts, which corresponds to about 10% of what is produced and consumed in the municipality today, but nothing prevents this project from being expanded, we can take advantage of the açai seeds that are produced and discarded; He pointed out that this timber industry project is expected to generate around four hundred and thirty-six jobs in the forest and industry

Of course, in the beginning these people will have to do training \ because we need people trained and qualified to work with equipment---

state-of-the-art because this is the purpose, accompanied by the process of training manpower that will be good for the municipality, because this knowledge will remain in the municipality after the server is trained. Continuing the work, President **Etevaldo Avelino Lobo** gave the floor to the people present who wish to make use of it. Made use of

Mr. **Gilberto Olavo Costa de Oliveira**, Manager of the RDS Uacari State Reserve, - ,--.... who began by greeting all the members of the Board, Councilors and the audience present, spoke that he has been living in the municipality of Carauari for thirty-three years and currently his work is also focused on environmental issues; elucidated that he arrived in the municipality in the year of 1989 and recalls that at the time APLUB today BR ARBO already performed some economic activities in the municipality such as cattle raising and some work related to the sawmill, said that APLUB has a very large deficit with the municipality of Carauari during these 50 years that they have been implanted here, and this time corresponds to almost half the age of the municipality of Carauari¹³¹⁰; pointed out that any project that APLUB today wants to bring to the municipality for the resumption of activities we will have to have a different look, he said that this company holds a third of the territorial extension of this municipality and clarified that he is speaking as a political scientist and academic student, so in this area of land that is owned by APLUB we have the largest



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difficulty in generating employment and income activity by farmers and ranchers, highlighted that we have an area of 25,000 km² in which one third belongs to APLUB, one third belongs to the Conservation Units and there are three rubber plantations that hold all this area and outside the area of the municipal headquarters, so farmers and ranchers have difficulties accessing land to have credits for job and income generation, For this reason, he rightly emphasizes that this is the existing deficit in relation to the volume of unproductive land that today hinders the land issue of our municipality; He made it clear that he was looking closely at the

It is notorious that the background of the project is the carbon credit, the

The forestry part will generate jobs and income, but the carbon credit is the most important thing to look at the forestry.

affection for the front because he is the feb.r.e of the moment and what is tending to to.do the world with eyes focused on the Amazon and the carbon projects that it is to maintain the

standing forest and all; informed that he has a very interesting work in both ...S Conservation Units for more than 20 years listening to the demands of communities and

existing works of extractivism, because our municipality is extractivist, and when we think about executing a project with a forest look that is still extractive, it is interesting to listen to the base of our Conservation Units because there they have a work focused on the management of the pirarncu as well as on the collection of seeds, and when this work is done, you at BR ARBO will have to have a look differentiated for people, especially from the lower area of the municipality, because there is already work done there; however, this is a project that is now beginning and will generate great discussions and expectations, especially when they talk about generating employment and income, because we have to be very careful not to break the work of the people who are already producing, collecting seeds and managing the arapaima, to create in them an expectation of coming to work here at the headquarters at BR ARBO coming out of their activities in the Conservation Units, It is important that we expand the discussions in detail through several meetings with however, it is very

associations and organizations, especially with the residents of riverside communities who also participate in high sustainable management projects, so as not to create a frustrated expectation; He made it clear again that he carries out his activities

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State and the information it has is that the land of Carauari belongs entirely to the State, which is also an important point of discussion, especially to know where this land belonging to BR ARBO is located in the State. Mr. **Ricardo Luiz Ludke**, thanked the contribution of Mr.

Gilberto Olavo Costa de Oliveira, made it clear that the participation in this project of the Traditional Communities is fundamental and we count on these people who know the entire region very well. He said that since 2016 the old management project has been certified and since April 2022 it has been incorporated into the APLUB framework. He reported that he will make some clarifications so that there is no misunderstanding, especially in the expectation of job creation; when we quote an estimate 400 jobs left d.aro that this will not be immediate, this generation of employment and income will go through some stages that will be advanced from. According to the maturity of the project, it is evident that it can't be frustrated by some kind of problem, unlike the carbon credit project which, despite appearing in a background, will be the

one that will give the complement and help to overcome the logistical and environmental conditions. the issue of supporting communities; announced that one of the major activities that we have planned in this project is to take over those people who already make use of the

APLUB forest, so we are talking about sustainable use, extraction of seeds, said that he did not leave with such fervor in the preliminar diagnoses of those who use our forests; but in relation to açaí and rubber we are doing a service of @-

forest inventory that will be used for the management of carbon credits, he said that he has Aware of the confusion that is happening in the community of Riozinho about the extraction of açaí, we recognize in a certain way the people who have been there for a long time taking care of that land, as well as about the rubber because we know the subsidy amounts; therefore, all this is in our planning, He said that it is evident to have a good attitude that is not the ugliness of those who are inside<, such as the seed crene, the company will be able very well within its outline of social action to foster, train, train and give opportunity to those who occupy and exploit the forest with a new activity such as seed collection. Mr. **Gilberto Olavo Costa de Oliveira**, complemented his oratory by saying that the management of açaí is one of the most important resources of



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The generation of employment that we have within the Conservation Units, especially in the lower area of the municipality, we already have associations with this expertise of already having a management plan, of knowing how to buy the production, so integrating these personnel with BR ARBO will be able to strengthen the company's work here in the municipality. Mr. **Ricardo G. Neuding** thanked the comment quoted by Mr. Gilberto Olavo because these are exactly the mechanisms that we need to build a project together with the community members to take over precisely those who are at the forefront of this conservation initiative, however it is important to work together, to have more meetings, We listen to people more so that we can extract things that will be useful to the community as a whole. Mr. **Carlos**

Roberto Canabarrão Gomes, Director of the company BR ARBO Gestão Florestal S.A., he made

considerations, first of all in relation to the social debt with the municipality of Carauari that was mentioned said that the BR ARBO there were phases that there were unemployed, later reactivated their operations, reported that they were with Mayor Bruno Ramalho this week and they gave him a document that was already in the City Hall, but we revived it with the donation of 2,200 hectares of land that will solve a large part of the problems Of residents of the Riozinho Settlement, so there is social attention Of enterprise e=

This has always been the case; Another aspect that he registered is that BR ARBO made an agreement with the

State of Amazonas in the year 1985 ratified by the President of the Court of Justice of the State donating 550,000 hectares of land, this donation is in the records of the State of Amazonas in the notary offices; for a better understanding of the situation, he said that the original property of the company was 1,400,000 hectares and 550,000 hectares were donated to the land of the State, so at the time of this act we also did a great social action, in addition we are transferring the ownership of another 2,200 hectares next to the urban area of Carauari

to contemplate these pending issues, and if there are still pending issues with people who are Mr. David F. da Silva Guimarães, **Forest Engineer**, then took the floor do out of this situation we will be returning in the months of May and June here in the municipality

to build a solution, thus elucidating again that BR ARBO has the title to 900,000 hectares of land of its patrimony, part of which is in the municipality of Carauari.



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IDAM, who began by greeting all those present in the Plenary, described some doubts regarding the details of the proposals, such as which communities will be impacted and targeted by the project, what is the size of the area that will be allocated to forest management, what is the volume of carbon credit that the project refers to, stressed that these recommendations can be for the next moments of meeting that we will have ahead, such as an organization by powerpoint for a better location of our details mentioned above; As the company is open to receive some proposals, he said that the proposal regarding industrialization within the municipality suggested that we add what already happens here in Carauari because we already have a Association of Furniture Makers and Wood Extractors of Carauari AMEC, with several furniture factories already licensed and it would be interesting to bring them together and take advantage of them in this process of generating a new generation of furniture.

Employment and income together to the BR project ARBO; in relation to açaí and the syringe that has already **outside** \ We have several associations such as ASPROC and ASMOBRI

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carry out activities related to this production chain, so it would be interesting to exist -+ this approach; suggested as a recommendation that the next hearings take place in the spaces in which these communities will be involved, for example in the lower Juruá in the Cerrado Lake, the community of Riozinho so <that they can be really heard and feel that they are part of the process; in relation to the social debt of BR ARBO that was commented on suggest that the next donations of territories should not be made to the State but to the residents themselves through organizations, such as Riozinho which is a region of conflicts and there they have a great difficulty of the Rural Environmental Registry - CAR by IDAM so that they The contribution that BR ARBO will be able to make is to donate these lands to their rights have the right to credits and financing due to existing conflicts of land belonging to APLUB doflos, which are the people who, over time, produce and reproduce within these spaces and and not to traditional families, and the largest today contribute to the generation of income and to the rural development of the municipality. **Ricardo G. Neuding** thanked the important contribution of IDAM Engineer Mr. David and took the opportunity to ask him to make a list of all the entities



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We think and our goal is to really go and be in contact with these communities to listen to them and try to help the issues that will be specific to each of them. In response to questions from Forest Engineer David from IDAM, Ricardo **Luiz Ludke** stated that initially there was even a powerpoint prepared in this sense, but in relation to the projected volume of wood he said it was 110 thousand hectares and 109 thousand cubic meters of wood to be unfolded predicting the maximum use in the industrial park, in the case of wood, without a doubt, one of our products can provide, even with training and improvement, that local associations and furniture companies move up and seek their financing channels to supply, for example, the wood segment to the State, school desks, because many products that are planned are the factory of panels with glued laminated wood, So, the furniture activity here in the municipality could, instead of panels, use school and office furniture for government purchases. As there was no one else from the audience to speak, President **Etevaldo Avelino Lobo** gave the floor to the Councilors present. Councillor José Airton Freitas Siqueira **then took the floor**, who began by saying that all •

Gefalme-nte project is very beautiful and Cfiaa many expectations, And it usually brings a little bit of pressure on society and on our political class on this issue of job creation due to the disability we have. He pointed out that we are far from discussing the issues related to the project, we are taking the same now and we know that when this starts it will generate conflicts, and so we want to know what will be the alternatives and solutions to resolve these conflicts, which will be generated from the beginning of the execution of this project. According to data, APLUB has 252,459.37.15 hectares titled here in Carauari, are almost ten times the territorial extension of Carauari, because our territorial extension is 25,771KM2, however he asked what will be the area that will affect us, given that we have açai extractors, andiroba collection extractors, lake management extractors of sin in the communities and by our associations of the two Fishermen's Colonies that total almost a thousand fishermen who guarantee the supply of the city and certainly these lakes to



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Their great totality are not within this margin, we also have our furniture stores as already well stated by the previous speakers and some have a management plan; He said that he would like to know if the management plan given by the State is within this area that was donated to the State or suddenly in these areas of APLUB that they are going to separate, as well as how will these furniture factories survive if there is this issue that the wood that was being taken for these furniture factories that have job creation and people living in this field and that only know how to do this type of work, but when this project of BR ARBO da

Wood extraction that is the basic outside of the carbon credit, this space will have wood, how will it be the form and it may be possible within the production of BR ARBO wood

Could allocate a quantity, because today and the movers do not always collect money and

Yes, they buy from people who have a management plan, so if this situation starts to get difficult, within this production of wood from BR ARBO it would have to allocate a survival situation for the furniture companies, which allows them to buy these woods, benefit and have results, that is, a way of surviving them suddenly due to the lack of raw materials; The farmers, as already stated in a second stage, will have their problems solved with the area that has already been donated to the municipality, in this case the municipality, for a financial reason, does not dismember the donated area for the APLUB in 1985 and coot1n-ua in APLUB's property registration, but the municipality in the face of the deed that the company has already passed legal form, it has to have the dismemberment factor and for that there is a cost in the notary's office, so we will still face many economic, social and even environmental conflicts; upon the more than four hundred jobs that will be generated, will Carauari in the profile that our worker has, what would be the real portion of the labor that will be absorbed, therefore Be It was good that we had this detail of employment, he reminded us that we have good professionals who APIUB has already had in its essence, indu-si-ve with fundonar ◀o-s already -if retiring for her; However, it would be good to know what our return will be, what it will be

BR ARBO's counterpart after this project, this carbon credit issue, the volume of revenue or what it can generate or allocate in terms of its social function to ;(j

to further alleviate this situation, because Carauari is experiencing a drama in the growth of the increase in the

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drug consumption, said that we had a meeting here in this Plenary about our children, adolescents and young people with special needs, and BR ARBO could be another hook and enter as a partner, stressing that today our biggest partner in this social issue is Petrobras, Natura, Bradesco and other strong entities that together with our organizations in the Resexs contribute a lot, We also have the extraction of murumuru oil; however, we would like to know what BR ARBO's sensitivity will be in this

condition that the extractivism of the forest that will not act, what would be the way to work in conciliation where, within the areas where the company will operate, açaí can be explored because of the price that it is and generating revenue is already part of the guarantee of the maintenance of the floresta, because today it does not s.e.knock down maJs o Acai Berry and yes If you plant that palm.anger. Or **Mr. Ricar.do**

G. Neuding said that these activities that are being talked about are not alien to the conservation project, on the contrary, we support this part of conservation and we have to look at this

action as a very important part of our project. **Councilman José Airton Freitas-Siqueira** reported that in the project it says that BR ARBI will carry out an inspection **processo: r**

So we have to analyze how far this inspection goes and make it very clear that each party Know of their responsibility and whether there will be the flexibility to work within what BR ARBO does not expose and understand that açaí is an activity that is part of the

sustainability of the municipality and that must be preserved, clarified that we will not support anything incorrect, but that people also have to work correctly, this being the process and its recommendation, and if we have the serenity and equity to solve problems and conflicts, we are sure that the coming of this project will be of great value for the economic and social development of our municipality. He then took the floor **Councillor Antonio A/mires das Chagas Gondim**, who began by greeting all the Components of the Bureau, Councillors and demai5 public present, Ressa Tou that we've had a small internal meeting before and it's already been

given, in a way, several clarifications about today's Session; what congratulates him at this moment is that BR ARBO has no interest in non-timber products in its understanding, such as fish, the andiroba and açao project, because I really know she's not interested with



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It will certainly allow the residents of the communities to make a living from this activity, so you mentioned this statement because for decades these people have been taking care of the BR ARBO area for you, because when we survive on the forest without cutting it down and without attacking it, I am conserving it; asked what BR ARBO has as a company and as a project for the people who have been taking care of this area all this time. He mentioned that in his understanding the conflicts that may be caused will be with the timber sector because there are few lands that belong to the municipality, the vast majority are owned by the State and BR ARBO, and we are aware that on a scale of 0 to 10 at most four has the

legal registration of the timber sector from which it is extracted, however it is difficult to work on the side of a large company with legal forest management, or that the BR ARBO will be going over all these small furniture and sawmills and will put their survival at risk, so it would be interesting for this company to analyze a way to aggregate

These small logging companies next to it, in this case is referring to almost 200,000 hectares that will be worked and that a part of the wood that is removed by the BR ARBO can stay for the community. In relation to the riverside communities that are on the banks of the Juruá River that live from fishing, tambaqui management, arapaima and andiroba collection, which discussions have already been held in relation to these communities, only the project has been presented, or there may be other discussions to the point that the community members say that they can have a slice within the immense area of the BR ARBO, or whether they can have a hope of getting a job for a certain period and after that period how they will stay; so he asked if in the corporate name what will be the guarantee that the community members will have and how long will that guarantee be. President **Etevaldo Avelino Lobo** made a referral about the methodology of the meeting, where, after the speeches of the councilors, the representatives of BR ARBO would answer all the questions. Councilor **Francisco Taveira da Silva** then took the floor, who began by greeting all the members of the Board, Councilors and the public present, said he fully agreed with the speech of Councilman Airton Siqueira when he said that every project is beautiful, and is often

problem in its execution; commented that the IDAM engineer spoke to the property



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14 because he knows the entire territory of Carauari, he said that the situation of how the citizen will legalize himself if he does not have land is very worrying, so he agrees as already mentioned in this Session that the company has a deficit with the people of Carauari, because it was not only BR ARBO, other companies such as Petrobras also left many social problems in our society; he said that he was in the community of Riozinho when the mapping was being done of the families and could perceive their fear of losing the land that they have been living for thirty to forty years producing or taking away the livelihood of their families, however he congratulates the Board of the BR ARBO company for being open and building dialogue, and what is best for the population and for the company we will be in this House ready to approve, and

They hope that the company will actually make its investments and from this session-0 already There will be rumours that each Councillor will have a quota of job indication, unfortunately in the countryside it works like this; Therefore, he congratulated the company again _

Be open to dialogue, and it is important for all the people who are involved in this process to be heard, as well as the organizations that do a beautiful job

here in Carauari. However, it is interesting that at the end of this great project everyone is... both the population and BR ARBO and that the fruits are reaped by all. The

Zonaira **Carvalho Pereira, who** greeted all representatives of BR ARBO, Councilors, local authorities and people who are part of the Session, said she understood that at this first moment it would only be appropriate for the presentation of the project by BR ARBO and that the discussions and questions should take place with the interested social classes and we Councilors as representatives of the people also participating, supporting and bringing the appropriate information, therefore considering this moment as being more of a presentation of the project to society; He took the opportunity to ask if any research has already been done to verify the potential of the fauna and flora of the area that is to be preserved, if the company already has the quantitative and qualitative "..." so that we can then ask about the extraction of wood, fish, so we need this data and this knowledge.

Question

also if the project will contemplate only the area below or other areas that do not



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are within this environmental preservation; I would like to know who will be responsible for provoking the meetings between the classes, because he believes that from that moment on new questions will arise, so it is important to know who will organize the meetings, the debates, the lectures to reach a consensus proposal with the company and also for a public hearing for the final decision; clarified that in the time that the lands of BR ARBO were alienated, the population invaded, resided, produced, also remembering that they are people, human beings who need respect and there they live and survive, so he hopes that this project will contemplate in particular these people who already live in these areas and also the municipality of Carauari, in which the attitude of the Director of the .company referring to the donation .d.and a part .of this land to the municipality. Contu.clo is coJo.ca willing to participate in the discourses that are yet to come, and they cannot forget to expand these discourses with the people of the hangover, of Riozinho, with the wood extractors, with the açaí extractors, with the people who work with the management of the oil, it is with these people

that we will have to discuss and align in order to actually bring benefits to the entire population of Carauari. The floor was then given to **Councillor Sidonay Socorro Litaiff Ramalho**, who She began by greeting the company's representatives, the Councillors and other public representatives, she said{J that the questions have already been well posed by her fellow Councillors who preceded her, she said that it was an initial meeting that is starting well, and the good will of the company is visible, she said that she was satisfied with the fact that the lands were legalized, so it is already noticeable that the process is serious and as Director Carlos Canabarro has already commented, who was not contemplated in this first stage will be in the second, and when

If questions arise, we will turn to the company's representatives so that we can a better answer, meanwhile this moment is only for presentation and will seek to delve deeper into the project so that in the next d1Scursões can contribute with more ownership in what is best for the company and for the municipality of Carauari. Then **Councilor Eliton Braz de Lima took the floor**, who began by greeting all the Councilors, representatives of

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the company and people present, pointed out that as several guidelines have already been mentioned, he congratulated the BR ARBO team for the presentation of the project, in the



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At first, several situations were addressed and in this first moment he thanked the entire team for coming and that it is available for the well-being of society. Then the floor was given to Mr. **José Cardoso Viana, Deputy Municipal Mayor**, who began by greeting the representatives of the BR ARBO company, other Councilors and people present, stressed that at the moment he does not feel in a position to ask any questions or give any opinion, because now in this When he received the project in his hands, he needs to do a meticulous reading so that in the next meeting he can bring some questioning or claim, taking a quick look at page 25 he was able to observe that in front of him the people who live in the surroundings of the area will be

Consequently there is a lot to be studied in order to be able to claim, but also not undoing the questions already made by the noble Councilors because each one has their own way of acting, despite not knowing it in full

The project prefers to wait and ask some questions at the next meeting in some situation that it does not find in accordance with the needs of our population; it emphasized that the Director Of Carlos Canabarro company delivered to us Documentation Where to be Plowed &...! dismemberment of a large quantity from hectare of land to the municipality or than

At the time, it was the manager who did his part with the deed of the document. He justified the absence of Mayor Bruno Luís Litaiff Ramalho due to an indisposition, but sent the message so that the key to the municipality is handed over to the company BR ARBO and that it can do what is best for the benefit of our population and for the development of Carauari. Continuing the work, the **President of the Coso, Councilor Etevaldo Avelino Lobo**, thanked the presence of the BR ARBO team, thanked the participants who expressed their questions and made himself available together with all the councilors of this house to support the project that will benefit the population of Carauari. Then the floor was given to the representatives of the BR ARBO company to answer the questions now on the agenda made by the noble councilors. With the floor, Mr. **Ricardo Atanásio Felinto de Oliveira**, who in his speech initially clarified a widely discussed topic in relation to the area that was donated to the



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17 State of Amazonas referring to 1 million and a half hectares, then there was a challenge by the State that the area mentioned would belong to the State of Amazonas, therefore there was a lawsuit that was won by BR ARBO, then there was a new questioning by the State and from there an agreement was made and in order not to have any more discussion about the presence of public area overlapping private area, the donation, so what was left was exactly what was expunged from any discussion of public area, so BR ARBO did not have many options to be able to donate to the municipality or to the private sector, it was much more a matter of having a consolidated private property and removing any type of questioning about the public area, However, it was an act of vontade, and, or seja, recognition is an alleged *right* to p.o.d.e.r to close a legal dispute. However, on his part, he thanked the reception, being an honor to be here in this Legislative Branch, as he does not have much knowledge of the Amazon rainforest and the communities, it is a fantastic learning experience everything he is hearing and should as well. learn more about it later, with this type of opportunity we open a contact with

the Government, in which yesterday it had a signing of a term of intent and we are in the municipality to listen, learn and be sure that it will not be just a --. **situation** formal because everything that has been said is put in this . Plenary - will be respected and will have a response, of course in any dialogue not everything can be taken into account, but everything that has been explained will be treated with great respect.

Mr. Ricardo G. Neuding, said that he is very happy because the proposal that we brought was exactly read by everyone in a very correct way and this made us very happy because we are not just dealing with a discussion or a request, but a process that is now going on and that will extend over time and that all the The statements discussed in this meeting are pertinent and deserve to be used and deserve to be debated, so all of them individually have to be analyzed individually

to later resolve these issues; some Councillors spoke about conflicts and made it point out that conflicts arise naturally and we have to be mature }



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18 and to be able to solve them, because they exist to be solved and solved, and to resolve a conflict there is the element of goodwill and it has to be present in this process; He recalled a statement by several Councilors who listed that what has to be good for the community must also be good for BR ARBO and thus publicly declared that what is not good for Br ARBO will not be good for the community either, this being a principle of the situation and the important thing is to make things happen and still show the society of Carauariense that this project will bring clear, continuous and progressive benefits over time, and all this has to happen within the concept of conservation, And when we refer to forest conservation, we are referring to the preservation of everyone, of the forest, of the community and of the people; and the preservation of forest conservation.

by the very nature of the word is a permanent thing, and that is the spirit that Moves; However, he stressed that he is very happy with all the placements made and considers it an excellent start for us to be able to work in a constructive way.

Mr. Ricardo Luiz Ludke He also said that he is very happy and will probably stay, a good part of the time here in the municipality facing the challenges in the execution of this project, he made only a specific comment because this is not the time to bring all the answers, because we need to work point by point on the placements as it has already been

I mentioned earlier, but I would like to bring some peace of mind to the issue of resources made it clear that we can't hire all the manpower here in the municipality

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citing as an example the rolling mill that is not only in the school bench that one learns, but also through training and experiences, but believes that 80% of the initial jobs can start with local labor, precisely in those functions that do not require so much qualification and in the functions that we already have qualified people here; When we evaluated the size and dimension, we could have done a much bigger project than the sawmill, But it was precisely because of the number of qualified people, for example, we
we have a legacy from Petrobras, but not all of its heritage is bad, because many people as



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they had training in machine and equipment operations as a whole, and when we have a modern sawmill the knowledge of these people in CLT panels for example, which most likely these professionals have passed will be a profile that we need to take advantage of, maybe one less training, but if by chance there is not, it brings the training as well; In the initial budget that was made of the sawmill all this was agreed with the possible supplier of sawmills, in which we want these sawmills, but we have to have the personnel who will go 1á to give the operation training, and we cannot find a qualified function anywhere, we cannot have a top quality equipment and let it be lost because if the company does not operate in blue which is the balance in the .da will be maintained, p.or .exempJ.o will not keep JJ social benefit .and not po.d.in JJs work in the red; however, we believe that 80% of the hand we will be able to achieve here in the city by training some of them, that is, we have human resources in the city that can be trained and used, some of them coming from Petrobras; However, this was the message he had to convey in order to reassure and he reported with propriety why_

The same activity was also carried out through an identical remote operation in the municipality of Manicoré of another company that was headquartered in Ltacoatiara and the process was, _-"5---. c latter, only differing that more of the workforce already trained was taken there because the a slightly different characteristic;

Jobs will not be tomorrow and we cannot generate false expectations, being a process that will be matured in the years 2024 to 2025. **Councillor José Airton Freitas Siqueira, as a matter of order, asked for the floor to clarify that even though it is only a presentation of the project, in this presentation it shows what would be good** for us, but it would be good to clarify that when it is presented we have already discovered the problems, and this is the intention of all colleagues who have already done it their statements here in this plenary; and to anticipate us, the BR ARBO team itself could already anticipate and take charge of the situation because just as we were not aware because it was presented today, the company also does not have the knowledge of our reality, and in this case

At the moment we tried to give the representatives of BR ARBO a little bit of our } 11)



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so that they are aware of the types of conflicts in advance that will arise, because we will have social and economic conflicts, and it is in this sense that we have to prepare ourselves so that we can walk with everyone winning and producing, made it pointed out that bringing BR ARBO to invest in our municipality is the best news that we will be able to give to our people, and what we want is for this company to really arrive closer to us because for now she was in the south and we are in the north, but this is the objective that BR ARBO come on and helps to improve the lives of our citizens. Or **Alderman Francisco Taveira da Silva**, also as a matter of order, he asked for a space only to express himself very briefly upon the issue of manpower, saying that same Carauari is geographically distant from Capital of the State, but nevertheless we have some manpower and he recalled that in the last sawmill I work he knows three rolling mills living here in the municipality. The President **Etevaldo Avelino Lobo** He gave the floor to the **Director of Enterprise BR ARBO Mister Carlos Roberto Canabarro Gomes** to make his final remarks, which initially thanked the participation of the councilors, the Municipal Vice Mayor José Cardoso Viana and other gentlemen present; stressed that BR ARBO in this new phase one of the priorities is not to create social problems and no one will be left helpless, for contrary we want to in the contact to meet the needs of the community and business interests, i.e. solving problems; He pointed out that the company's first attitude of goodwill was to revive this issue of donation that had been dormant for more than 40 years, this occurred in 1977, it has been detached from the patrimony for a long time and today all that remains is the regularization and bring it to the municipality's collection; Another situation is that we will need a lot of raw materials in this project. We will have to have production, consequently the riverside dwellers, the settlers will certainly be good so this is the message that BR ARBO will not abandon anyone and within the context we will build solutions, which is already corrected now with the donation of 2,200 hectares and those families that may not have been contemplated in May or June, we will be returning to work and build a solution that meets the needs of the everyone. Closed by extending or Thank you very much on behalf of the Board of Directors of BR ARB




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He thanked the Councilors, the President of the House Etevaldo Avelino Lobo, the Vice Mayor José Cardoso Viana, the representatives of governmental and non-governmental organizations and the community in general. President **Etevaldo Avelino Lobo** thanked the entire team of the BR ARBO company, the Councilors present, as well as all the guests who attended and contributed to the presentation of the Forest Conservation Project and made this Legislative House available for the development of the project and consequently of our municipality of Carauari. As there was nothing else to report, you declared this meeting closed.



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