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Save Our Shores

That we learn to take a longer view when it comes to looking at projects of this magnitude: reclamation that obliterates what little historicity is left of our beautiful bay, destroys diverse marine life, rich fishing grounds and a precious food source for our fellow Filipinos.

We have ample tools and competent scientists who can gauge the risk (and have done so) of reclaiming land from the ocean in these environmentally challenged times, not to mention so many examples of similar failed exercises in many other parts of the world.

By the time we learn to listen, to think, and act responsibly, it will be a mistake that cannot be undone.