

ABSTRACT

Imus is the de jure capital city of the Province of Cavite. The city is bounded by the municipalities of Kawit and Noveleta to the north, General Trias to the west, Bacoor City to the east, and Dasmariñas City to the South. It is one of the fastest growing cities in Cavite in terms of population and industrialization. On 2012, Imus was officially proclaimed a city.

Imus is a historically-rich city, as it was the site of two major Katipunero victories during the Philippine Revolution against Spain. It is also where the first Philippine Flag was flown, making it the "Flag Capital of the Philippines". Imus is also the religious center of Cavite, as the see of the Diocese of Imus, which is coterminous with the province. The city of Imus used to be part of Cavite el Viejo which is now known as Kawit.

"Built Inheritance", encompasses illustrations and information that will serve as reference to the post-war residential heritage architecture in the historical city of Imus. The study was a series of archival research and data gathering, heritage house mapping, understanding and formulating of a documentation framework, related projects and studies review, and establishment of concept of data output. The output was a collection of graphics of measured layouts, and architectural elements and compositions, that will help define the identity of the post-war heritage houses in the city of Imus, and in the Philippines.