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2<sup>nd</sup> INDORSEMENT  
April 5, 2024

Respectfully returned to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Leyte, through the SP Secretary, the attached Ordinance No. 098-24 of the Sangguniang of Bayan of Leyte, Leyte, recommending for the declaration of its validity, pursuant to its power under Section 56 (C) of R.A. 7160, to the opinion of the Provincial Legal Office (PLO), an exercise of the power under Section 16<sup>i</sup> of the Local Government Code, in relation to Article 2 Section 17<sup>ii</sup> of the Constitution, with the recommendation that the funding and appropriation of the project be reflected in the said ordinance for the purposes of transparency.

Furthermore, the opinions rendered herein are without prejudice to opinions rendered by higher authorities.

  
**ATTY. JOSE RAYMUND A. ACOL**  
Asst. Provincial Legal Officer

<sup>i</sup> **Section 16. General Welfare.** - Every local government unit shall exercise the powers expressly granted, those necessarily implied therefrom, as well as powers necessary, appropriate, or incidental for its efficient and effective governance, and those which are essential to the promotion of the general welfare.

<sup>ii</sup> **Article 2, Section 17:** "The State shall give priority to education, science and technology, arts, culture and sports to foster patriotism and nationalism, accelerate social progress, and promote total human liberation and development."

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Province of Leyte  
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**1<sup>ST</sup> INDORSEMENT**  
04 April 2024

The Provincial Legal Office is respectfully requested to review and submit recommendations on the herein enclosed **MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 098-24** of the **Municipality of LEYTE, LEYTE**, entitled: **An Ordinance Enacting the Municipal Sports Development Ordinance of the Municipality of Leyte.**

  
**FLORINDA JILLS. YVICO**  
Secretary to the Sanggunian



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**1<sup>st</sup> ENDORSEMENT**  
**April 1, 2024**

Respectfully forwarded to the Honorable Sangguniang Panlalawigan in session, through the Sangguniang Panlalawigan Secretary, Province of Leyte, Palo, Leyte, the herein **Municipal Ordinance No. 098-24 Entitled "AN ORDINANCE ENACTING THE MUNICIPAL SPORTS DEVELOPMENT ORDINANCE OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF LEYTE.**

Attached herewith are the following :

1. Municipal Ordinance No. 098-24
2. Certificate of Posting

  
**VILMA D. COMBATE**  
SB Secretary



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Office of the Sangguniang Bayan

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION BY THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN HELD ON MARCH 4, 2024 AT THE SB SESSION HALL, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, LEYTE, LEYTE

Present:

Hon. Armando M. Ysidoro, -----	Mun. Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer
Hon. Lileth I. Gatchalian, -----	SB Member
Hon. Edward Jay A. Durante, -----	-do-
Hon. Rowil G. Batan, -----	-do-
Hon. Aida A. Delantar, -----	-do-
Hon. Eulogio E. Capacio, -----	-do-
Hon. Alex A. Dagandan, -----	-do-
Hon. Gualberto G. Meracap, -----	-do-
Hon. Jerry G. Apacible, -----	ABC President
Hon. Nellie Grace D. Dandan, -----	SK Fed. President

Absent:

Hon. Paquito D. Pelipel, Jr. -----	SB Member
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**MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 098-24**

**AN ORDINANCE ENACTING THE MUNICIPAL SPORTS DEVELOPMENT ORDINANCE OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF LEYTE**

Author: Hon. Rowil G. Batan

Whereas, Section 13, Article II of the 1987 Philippine Constitution provides that the state recognizes the vital role of the youth in nation building and shall promote and protect their physical, moral, spiritual, intellectual and social wellbeing.

Whereas, Section 17, Article II of the same constitution also provides that the state shall give priority to education and sports among others to foster patriotism and nationalism, accelerate social progress and promote total human liberation and development.

Whereas, The youth in nation-building act, the child and welfare code were enacted in order to give recognition to the youth's responsibilities to fulfill their vital role in nation-building.

Whereas, Section 19, Article XIV of the same constitution, however provide that the state shall promote and encourage sports programs including trainings for competitions to foster self-discipline teamwork, and excellence for development of a healthy and allert citizenry.

Whereas, Section 7 of Republic Act. No. 6847, provides that the Philippine Sports Commission (PSC) shall encourage, promote and sustain the creation and establishment of regional, provincial, municipal and barangay or school district sports promotion and development council composed of officials from the department of education, local government officials and representative from the private sector that shall initiate conduct and coordinate sports activities in their respecting jurisdictions.

Whereas, Sports participation and recreational activities has been successfully used in preventing dangerous acts, improving productivity of the citizen and extending a better quality of life among elders.

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Whereas, That the municipal government recognize that sports development will effectively address the need for a comprehensive grassroots sports program centered on values formation inherent in the practice of sports and play.

Now therefore, be it enacted by the sangguniang bayan in regular session assembled.

### Article I

Section 1. Title- This ordinance shall be known as the Municipal Sports Development Ordinance.

Section 2. Declaration by policy- it is hereby declared the policy of the Municipality of Leyte.

- A. To recognize that sports development will effectively address the need for a comprehensive grassroots sports program centered on values formation inherent in the practice of sports and play.
- B. To develop a sports program by providing opportunities to brings out the best in aspiring individuals and elevate them to the highest level of competency in sports that will encourage citizen, particularly these inclined to a particular sports to train for purposes of competing in local, provincial, regional and national competition.
- C. To have a coordinated sport activities and competitions in the municipality from the public and private schools . The out of school youth, persons with disabilities and the barangay.
- D. To recognize the potentials of the youth and persons with disabilities, encourage and promote their physical and educational wellbeing through sports, league and amateur sports competitions including indigenous filipino sports and training for national competitions, foster discipline, teamwork and sports excellence.
- E. To draw commitment from public officials, institution and other non- government organization to support and encourage residents of the municipality to be active in sports.

Section 3. Scope- This ordinance shall cover all sports club/ organizations, teams, recreational group, school sport program, either public or private within, the territorial jurisdiction of the Municipality of Leyte.

Section 4. Definition of terms

- A. Coach- is a trained individual involved in the direction, instruction and training of the operations of a sports team or of individual athlete.
- B. Sports Clubs/ Organizations- sports club/ organization based and registered in the Municipality of Leyte officially planning in palarong pambansa, batang pinoy and philippine national games.
- C. Recreation Clubs/ Organization- clubs or organization whose primary mission is to take part in an activity that involved physical and fitness component in the purpose recreation.
- D. Recreation- activities done for entertainment, amusement, improved health, fitness and wellbeing
- E. School Sports- sports prescribed by the department of education (deped) in the basic education curriculum especially under MAPEH, including the special tracks for sports under the k-12 program and priority sports listed under the philippine sports commission.
- F. Sports- an organized competitive, entertained and skillful activity requiring commitment, strategy and fair play, in which a winner be defined by objective means.
- G. Sports Competition- refers to a particular sports played by two or more individual or two or more groups or teams with the primordial aim of garnering the highest score or the highest team standing as the case maybe.

- H. Sports Development- planning, organizing and controlling of sports programs for the purpose of developing athlete for competition from the grassroots to competitive phase.
- I. Sport League- a sports event wherein a group of individual athletes or teams compete against each other in specific sports.
- J. Sports Program- series of planned activities that provide graduated and continuous development of athlete and winner propagation of priority sport.

## Article II

### Municipality of Leyte Sports and Recreational Council

Section 1. Municipality of Leyte Sports and Recreational Council -the municipality of Leyte sports and recreational council is hereby created and established to conceptualized and implement the comprehensive sports and recreational development program of the municipality that will serve as the policy-making and coordinated body of sports development program of the municipality.

Section 2. Composition- the municipal sports and recreational council shall be composed of the following:

- A. Municipal Mayor- Chairman
- B. Municipal Vice Mayor- Vice Chairman
- C. Chairperson- Committee on sport
- D. Chairperson- Committee on youth
- E. Focal Person- Person with disability
- F. President- Liga ng mga barangay
- G. Schools District Supervisors
- H. Representative of duly accredited sports organization
- I. Representative of duly accredited recreational organization

Section 3. Duties and Functions- the municipal sports and recreation council shall perform the following duties and functions:

- A. Plan for a medium and long term sports development program and evaluate sports activities of the municipality aimed at excelling in district, provincial, regional, and national sports competition.
- B. Provide athletes and coaches with technical assistance, exposure and access to high training standards.
- C. Oversee and assess the implementation of the physical fitness and recreation activities in the municipality.
- D. Promulgate and adopt rules and regulation governing the granting of incentive and awards for those athlete who have done exemplary performance in regional and national sports competition.
- E. Promulgate rules and regulations concerning evaluation of sports proposal.
- F. Invite and initiate partnership with the Leyte Sport Academy of the Province of Leyte.
- G. Coordinate with the department of education (deped) Leyte District I and District 2 to integrate their entire sports program and be directed to achieve the vision of developing national athletes.
- H. Exercise other powers and portray such other functions as maybe necessary to carry out the objectives if this ordinance.

Section 4. Meeting. The council shall have a regular quarterly meeting to be held at a place designated and agreed upon by majority of all those member. A special meeting of the council maybe called as the need arises.

Section 5. Notice. A notice, containing the date, place, time and agenda shall be sent to every member at least five (5) days before the date of such meeting.

Article III

Community Based Sports Program

Section 1. Community Based Sports- A community based sports program shall be introduced in every barangay within the territorial jurisdiction of the Municipality of Leyte and shall provide an appropriate space in the conduct of sports and recreational activities.

Barangay competitions, annual interbarangay competitions and sports leisure shall be given priority to organize, promote and support competitive leisure tournaments for achievement and competence and other related activities.

Section 2. Palarong Barangay- There shall be a palaro to be held in every barangay that will be spearheaded by the S.K Chairperson of the barangay.

The punong barangay and member of the sanguniang barangay are mandated to provide support, financial and logistics to the sangguniang kabataan to ensure success of the events.



Article IV

Incentives

Section 1. To promote sports in the municipality, an athlete performance incentives shall be given to student athlete depending on the level of competition and medals achieved.

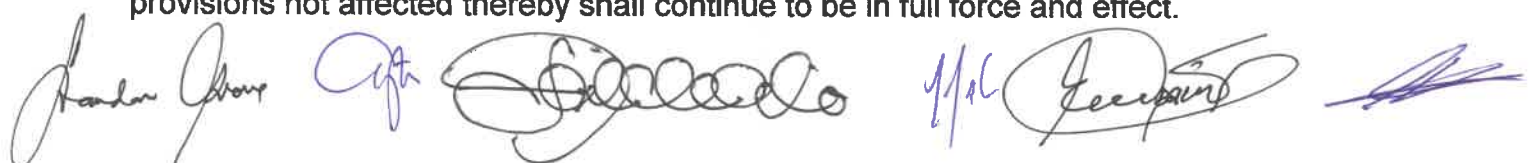
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Sports Category Level	Per Medal Earned		
	Gold	Silver	Bronze
1.Evraa	1,500	1,000	500
2.Philippines National Games	2,500	1,500	1,000
3.Batang Pinoy	2,500	1,500	1,000
4.Palarong Pambansa	5,000	3,000	2,000
5.International	10,000	5,000	2,500



ARTICLE V  
FINAL PROVISIONS

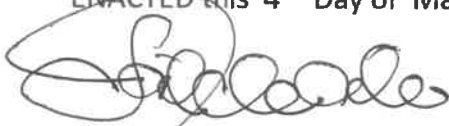
SECTION 1. Separability Clause- If for any reason, any part or provision of this Ordinance is declared unconstitutional or invalid by a competent court, the remaining sections or provisions not affected thereby shall continue to be in full force and effect.




SECTION 2. Repealing Clause . All ordinances, resolutions, rules or regulations inconsistent with or contrary to the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed, amended or modified accordingly.

SECTION 3. Effectivity – This ordinance shall take effect after compliance to the posting requirement.

ENACTED this 4<sup>th</sup> Day of March 2024 at Leyte, Leyte, Philippines.

  
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SB Member

  
EDWARD JAY A. DURANTE  
SB Member

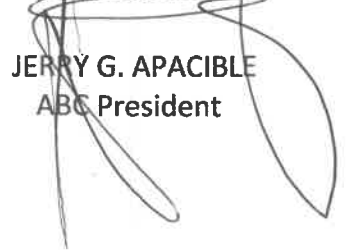
  
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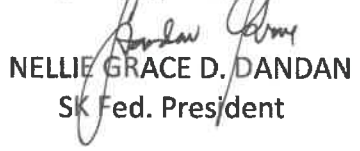
  
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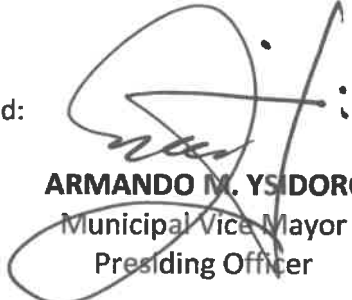
  
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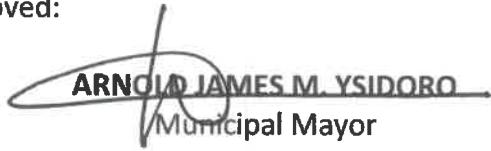
  
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Attested:   
**ARMANDO M. YSIDORO**  
Municipal Vice Mayor  
Presiding Officer

Certified Correct:

  
**VILMA D. COMBATE**  
SB Secretary

Approved:

  
**ARNOLD JAMES M. YSIDORO**  
Municipal Mayor





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## **CERTIFICATE OF POSTING**

**TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:**

**THIS IS TO CERTIFY that Municipal Ordinance No. 098-24: " AN ORDINANCE ENACTING THE MUNICIPAL SPORTS DEVELOPMENT ORDINANCE OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF LEYTE, has been posted in three (3) conspicuous places in this Municipality.**

**This certification is issued this 1<sup>st</sup> day of April, 2024 at Leyte, Leyte, Philippines.**

  
**VILMA D. COMBATE**  
SB Secretary