



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
PROVINCE OF LEYTE
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SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN

MINUTES OF THE 85th REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF LEYTE, HELD AT THE SESSION HALL, LEYTE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT COMPLEX, PALO, LEYTE ON 23 APRIL 2024.

PHYSICALLY PRESENT:

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| 1. Hon. Wilson S. Uy | 1 st District Board Member |
| 2. Hon. Marie Kathryn V. Kabigting | 3 rd District Board Member |
| 3. Hon. Ma. Corazon E. Remandaban | 3 rd District Board Member |
| 4. Hon. Flaviano C. Centino, Jr. | 4 th District Board Member |
| 5. Hon. Carmen L. Cari | PCL President/Ex-Officio Member |
| 6. Hon. Ma. Martina L. Gimenez | Liga ng Mga Barangay President
Ex-Officio Member |

VIRTUALLY PRESENT:

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| 1. Hon. Michael L. Cari | 5 th District Board Member
(Temporary Presiding Officer) |
| 2. Hon. Carlo P. Loreto | 5 th District Board Member
(Floor Leader) |
| 3. Hon. Ronnan Christian M. Reposar | 1 st District Board Member |
| 4. Hon. Trinidad G. Apostol | 2 nd District Board Member |
| 5. Hon. Raissa J. Villasin | 2 nd District Board Member |
| 6. Hon. Vincent L. Rama | 4 th District Board Member |
| 7. Hon. MJ Luinly D. Lumen | SK Federation President
Ex-Officio Member |

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| 1. Hon. Leonardo M. Javier, Jr. | Vice-Governor
(On Leave) |
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The 85th Regular Session opened at 10: 35 o'clock in the morning presided over by the Honorable Michael L. Cari, 5th District Board Member

Opening Prayer was led by the Honorable Raissa J. Villasin, 2nd District Board Member and followed by the singing of the Philippine National Anthem.

A motion to dispense with the Panunumpa sa Watawat, the Leyte Hymn, the PBMLP Hymn and the PBMLP Creed of the agenda was presented by the Honorable Floor Leader Carlo P. Loreto, duly seconded by the Honorable Trinidad G. Apostol: 2nd District Board Member and Honorable Raissa J. Villasin; 2nd District Board Member

51 Considering that there was no objection, the motion was carried.

52 The Honorable Presiding Officer requested the SP Secretary Mrs. Florinda Jill S.
53 Uyvico, to call the roll in order to determine the presence of quorum.

54 MRS. FLORINDA JILL S. UYVICO: SP SECRETARY

55 The following Members are in attendance:

56 **Physically Present:**

57 Hon. Wilson S. Uy
58 Hon. Marie Kathryn V. Kabigting
59 Hon. Ma. Corazon E. Remandaban
60 Hon. Flaviano C. Centino, Jr.
61 Hon. Carmen L. Cari
62 Hon. Ma. Martina L. Gimenez

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64 **Virtually Present:**

65 Hon. Michael L. Cari -Temp. Presiding Officer
66 Hon. Carlo P. Loreto -Floor Leader
67 Hon. Ronnan Christian M. Reposar
68 Hon. Trinidad G. Apostol
69 Hon. Raissa J. Villasin
70 Hon. Vincent L. Rama
71 Hon. MJ Luinly D. Lumen

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74 Thirteen (13) Members are present, Mr. Chair, Mr. Floor Leader.

75 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

76 We have a quorum, Mr. Chair.

77 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. PRESIDING OFFICER/5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

78 Okay, we have a quorum to do business.

79 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

80 We now proceed to our consideration of the minutes of the previous session of April
81 16, 2024. Will you please recognize the Honorable Apostol, if she has any correction on the
82 minutes, Mr. Chair?

83 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. PRESIDING OFFICER/5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

84 Honorable Apostol, you are recognized.

85 HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

86 Thank you Mr. Chairman, thank you Mr. Floor Leader. From this moment Mr. Floor
87 Leader, these representation has no correction. Thank You.

88 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

89 There's no correction Mr. Chair. I move that we approve the minutes of April 16, 2024.

90 HON. MA. MARTINA L. GIMENEZ: LIGA NG MGA BARANGAY PRESIDENT

91 Second.

92 HON. WILSON S. UY: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

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94 HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL:2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

95 Second.

96 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. PRESIDING OFFICER/5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

97 Duly seconded.

98 Motion is approved.

99 Approved unanimously.

RES. NO. 2024-169

100 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

101 Mr. Chair, we don't have committee reports listed in the Secretariat and no items for
102 first reading and reference of business, we now proceed to the business of the day.

103 Item No. 1, Madam Secretary please.

104 MRS. FLORINDA JILL S. UYVICO: SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN SECRETARY

105 **BUSINESS OF THE DAY**

106 **ITEM NO. 1**

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108 Presented for consideration is **Ordinance No. 4, S.2024-05**
109 of **Dagami, Leyte** entitled: "**AN ORDINANCE ENACTING THE**
110 **CHILDREN'S WELFARE CODE OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF DAGAMI,**
111 **LEYTE.**" Same is recommended for **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal
112 Office per 2nd indorsement dated April 4, 2024.
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114 **ITEM NO. 2**

115 Presented for consideration is **Municipal Ordinance No. 01**
116 **Series of 2024** of **Tunga, Leyte** entitled: "**AN ORDINANCE**
117 **ESTABLISHING THE PERSONS WITH DISABILITY AFFAIRS OFFICE (PDAO)**
118 **OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF TUNGA, LEYTE.**", with
119 comments/recommendations from the Provincial Legal Office per
120 2nd indorsement dated April 15, 2024, **that** as a 6th class municipality,
121 **a focal person** be designated to perform the functions of the PDAO,
122 instead of creation of a whole office.

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Presented for consideration is **Municipal Ordinance No. 02 Series of 2024** of **Tunga, Leyte** entitled: **“AN ORDINANCE INSTITUTIONALIZING A DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE POLICY IN THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT OF TUNGA AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION THEREOF.”** Same is recommended for **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2nd indorsement dated April 15, 2024.

ITEM NO. 4

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Presented for consideration is **Ordinance No. 23 Series of 2024** of **Jaro, Leyte** entitled: **“AN ORDINANCE LOCALIZING THE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10666, AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE SAFETY OF CHILDREN ABOARD MOTORCYCLE IN JARO, LEYTE.”** Same is recommended for **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2nd indorsement dated April 15, 2024.

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HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

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Mr. Chair, there are several Items from the 2nd District. Items 1, 2, 3, and 4. Will you

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please recognize the Honorable Apostol for an Omnibus Motion, Mr. Chair?

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HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. PRESIDING OFFICER/5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

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Honorable Apostol, you are recognized.

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HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

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Thank you, Mr. Chairman. Thank you Mr. Floor Leader. For Item No. 1, this is

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Ordinance No. 4, s.2024-05 from Municipality of Dagami, Leyte entitled “An Ordinance

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enacting the Children’s Welfare Code of the Municipality of Dagami, Leyte.” Mr. Chairman,

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Mr. Floor Leader, this has been recommended for validity by the Provincial Legal Office in its

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2nd endorsement dated April 4, 2024 so I move that we approved this particular Ordinance

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coming from the Municipality of Dagami, Leyte. I so move.

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HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

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HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

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For Item No. 2 is Municipal Ordinance No. 01 Series of 2024 of Tunga, Leyte, entitled

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“An Ordinance Establishing the Persons with Disability Affairs Office (PDAO) of the

159 Municipality of Tunga, Leyte.” Mr. Chairman, there are several comments from Provincial
160 Legal Office. We should inform the Municipality of Tunga regarding the Rule 4 of the IRR of
161 Republic Act 100 70 or the Magna Carta for Disabled Persons. Since Tunga, Leyte is a 6th
162 Class Municipality, the Municipal Mayor shall only designate or appoint a focal person to the
163 post from the functions of the PDAO. So with this Mr. Chairman, I recommend that we inform
164 the Municipality of Tunga about comments and recommendation of the Provincial Legal
165 Office. I so move, Mr. Chairman.

166 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

167 Second.

168 HON. MA. MARTINA L. GIMENEZ: LIGA NG MGA BARANGAY PRESIDENT

169 Second.

170 HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL:2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

171 For item No. 3 is Municipal Ordinance No. 02 series of 2024 of Municipality of Tunga,
172 Leyte entitled “An Ordinance Institutionalizing a Drug-Free Workplace Policy of the Local
173 Government Unit of Tunga and Appropriating Funds thereof. Again Mr. Chairman, Mr Floor
174 Leader, this has been recommended for the validity by the Provincial Legal Office to the 2nd
175 endorsement dated April 15, 2024. With this Mr. Chairman, considering this recommendation
176 of the Provincial Legal Office, I move that we approve, this particular Municipal Ordinance of
177 Municipality of Tunga, Leyte. I so moved.

178 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

179 Second.

180 HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL:2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

181 Now, for Item No. 4 is Municipal Ordinance No. 23 Series of 2024 of Jaro, Leyte
182 entitled “An Ordinance Localizing the Republic Act No. 10666, An Act Providing for the
183 Safety of Children Aboard Motorcycle in Jaro, Leyte.” Again Mr. Chairman, this has been
184 recommended for validity by the Provincial Legal Office. With this observation and
185 recommendation of Provincial Legal Office, I move that we approve this particular Ordinance
186 No. 23 Series of 2024 of the Municipality Jaro, Leyte.

187 I so move, Mr. Chairman. Thank you.

188 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

189 Second.

190 HON. MA. MARTINA L. GIMENEZ: LIGA NG MGA BARANGAY PRESIDENT

191 Second.

192 HON. CARMEN L. CARI: EX-OFFICIO MEMBER, PCL PRESIDENT

193 Second.

194 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. PRESIDING OFFICER/5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

195 Duly seconded.

196 Motion for Items Nos. 1,2, 3 and 4 is approved.

197 Approved unanimously.

RES. NO. 2024-170

198 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

199 Thank you Mr. Chair. We now proceed to Item No. 5. Madam Secretary, please?

200 MRS. FLORINDA JILL S. UYVICO: SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN SECRETARY

201 **ITEM NO. 5**

202 Presented for consideration is **Municipal Ordinance No.**
203 **097-24** of **Leyte, Leyte** entitled: **"AN ORDINANCE CHANGING ITEM**
204 **POSITION TITLE OF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER II (COMMUNITY AFFAIRS**
205 **OFFICER 1) TO COMMUNITY AFFAIRS OFFICER I, UNDER THE OFFICE OF**
206 **THE MUNICIPAL MAYOR WITH THE SAME ITEM NUMBER, SALARY**
207 **GRADE, FUNCTIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS."** Same is recommended
208 for **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2nd indorsement
209 dated April 5, 2024.

211 **ITEM NO. 6**

213 Presented for consideration is **Municipal Ordinance No.**
214 **098-24** of **Leyte, Leyte** entitled: **"AN ORDINANCE ENACTING THE**
215 **MUNICIPAL SPORTS DEVELOPMENT ORDINANCE OF THE MUNICIPALITY**
216 **OF LEYTE."** Same is recommended for **VALIDITY** with **CONDITION** by
217 the Provincial Legal Office per 2nd indorsement dated April 5, 2024.

219 **ITEM NO. 7**

220 Presented for consideration is **Municipal Ordinance No.**
221 **099-24** of **Leyte, Leyte** entitled: **"AN ORDINANCE CREATING THE**
222 **POSITION ITEM OF A MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT HEAD 1**
223 **(LOCAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION & MANAGEMENT OFFICER),**
224 **SALARY GRADE 24, UNDER THE LOCAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION &**
225 **MANAGEMENT OFFICE IN THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT OF THE**
226 **MUNICIPALITY OF LEYTE, LEYTE."** Same is recommended for **VALIDITY**
227 **with CONDITION** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2nd indorsement
228 dated April 5, 2024.

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ITEM NO. 8

Presented for consideration is **Municipal Ordinance No. 02, S-2024-2025** of **Villaba, Leyte** entitled: **“AN ORDINANCE LEVYING TOURISM ECOLOGICAL FEE IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF VILLABA PROVINCE OF LEYTE AND IMPOSING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF”** Same is recommended for **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2nd indorsement dated April 2, 2024.

ITEM NO. 9

Presented for consideration is **Municipal Ordinance No. 04, S-2024-2025** of **Villaba, Leyte** entitled: **“AN ORDINANCE ENACTED TO TRANSFER THE POSITION TITLES OF SOME EMPLOYEES OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT OF VILLABA, LEYTE FROM THE OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL MAYOR TO THE OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL SOCIAL WELFARE AND DEVELOPMENT”** Same is recommended for **VALIDITY with CONDITION** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2nd indorsement dated April 2, 2024.

ITEM NO. 10

Presented for consideration is **Municipal Ordinance No. 05, S-2024-2025** of **Villaba, Leyte** entitled: **“AN ORDINANCE CREATING THE NEW PLANTILLA POSITION OF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER-V (BUDGET OFFICER III) IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF VILLABA, LEYTE”** Same is recommended for **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2nd indorsement dated April 2, 2024.

257 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

258 Mr. Chair, there are several Ordinances from the 3rd District, Items 5,6,7,8,9 and 10.
259 Will you please recognize the Honorable Remandaban for Omnibus Motion.

260 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. PRESIDING OFFICER/5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

261 Honorable Remandaban you are recognized.

262 HON. MA. CORAZON E. REMANDABAN: 3RD DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

263 Thank you, Mr. Chairman, thank you, Mr. Floor Leader. Please allow me to make an
264 Omnibus Resolution. For Items No. 5,6,7,8,9 and 10 all from the 3rd District of Leyte. Three
265 from Leyte, Leyte and three from Villaba, Leyte. Item No. 5 is Municipal Ordinance No. 097-
266 24, an Ordinance Changing Item Position Title of Administrative Officer II (Community Affairs
267 Officer 1) to Community Affairs Officer I, under the Office of the Municipal Mayor with the
268 same Item Number, salary grade, functions and qualifications. Item No. 6 is Municipal

269 Ordinance No. 098-24 of Leyte, Leyte, an Ordinance enacting the Municipal Sports
270 Development Ordinance of the Municipality of Leyte. Item No. 7 is Ordinance No. 099-24 of
271 the Municipality of Leyte, Leyte, an Ordinance Creating the Position Item of a Municipal
272 Government Department Head 1 (Local Disaster Risk Reduction & Management Officer),
273 Salary Grade 24, under the Local Disaster Risk Reduction & Management Office in the
274 Municipal Government of the Municipality of Leyte, Leyte. From Items No. 8, 9 and 10 is from
275 Villaba, Leyte. Municipal Ordinance No. 02, S-2024-2025, an Ordinance Levying Tourism
276 Ecological Fee in the Municipality of Villaba Province of Leyte and Imposing Penalties for
277 Violation thereof. Ordinance No. 04, S-2024-2025 is an Ordinance enacted to Transfer the
278 Position Titles of some Employees of the Local Government Unit of Villaba, Leyte from the
279 Office of the Municipal Mayor to the Office of the Municipal Social Welfare and Development,
280 and Item No. 10 is Municipal Ordinance No. 05, S-2024-2025, an Ordinance Creating the
281 New Plantilla Position of Administrative Officer-V (Budget Officer III) in the Municipality of
282 Villaba, Leyte. Mr. Chair, Mr. Floor Leader, all these Ordinances are recommended for
283 validity by the Provincial Legal Office per its 2nd endorsement dated April 5, 2024 and
284 pursuant to its power under Section 56 (c) of RA 7160. Given the reasons for the approval of
285 these Ordinances, I would like to move for the approval of these Ordinances from Leyte,
286 Leyte and Villaba, Leyte. I so move Mr. Chair, Mr. Floor Leader.

287 HON. WILSON S. UY: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

288 **Second.**

289 HON. VINCENT L. RAMA: 4TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

290 **Second.**

291 HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

292 **Mr. Chair, if I may.**

293 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. PRESIDING OFFICER/5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

294 **Yes, Honorable Apostol.**

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297 HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

298 For Items No. 6, 7, and Item No. 9, there are certain conditions that are imposed by
299 the Provincial Legal Office so I think we have to take these into considerations. Thank you,
300 Mr. Chairman. Thank you, Mr. Floor Leader.

301 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

302 Would the distinguished movant be amenable to the suggestion that the motion be
303 subject to the conditions stipulated by the Provincial Legal Office?

304 HON. MA. CORAZON E. REMANDABAN: 3RD DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

305 Yes, Mr. Floor Leader. I yield to the suggestion of the Honorable Apostol. Mr. Floor
306 Leader, may I also join the Honorable Kabigting in the motion for the approval of the
307 mentioned Ordinances from Leyte, Leyte and Villaba, Leyte. Thank you, Mr. Floor Leader.

308 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

309 It's now a joint motion. I will second the amended joint motion.

310 HON. RONNAN CHRISTIAN M. REPOSAR: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

311 Mr. Chair?

312 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. PRESIDING OFFICER/5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

313 Honorable Reposar, you are recognized.

314 HON. RONNAN CHRISTIAN M. REPOSAR: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

315 Thank you very much, Honorable Presiding Chair and Honorable Floor Leader. It's
316 just an observation particularly on the formal requirements of enacting Ordinances
317 particularly of the three Ordinances of Villaba, Leyte. I think it lacks the formal requirement of
318 posting or maybe it was not attached to the records of all the Ordinances in the agenda for
319 today's Session. I noticed or observed that there are no attached Certificate of Posting for the
320 three Ordinances of Villaba, Leyte. Although I have no objection for the approval of those
321 Ordinances, just for the Secretariat to remind the Municipality of Villaba to comply with the
322 formal requirements of posting. Thank You very much, Mr. Chair.

323 HON. WILSON S. UY: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

324 Mr. Chair, if I may?

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326 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. PRESIDING OFFICER/5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

327 Yes, Honorable Uy, you are recognized.

328 HON. WILSON S. UY: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

329 Yes, Mr. Chair on my agenda folder, there's an Affidavit of Publication submitted by
330 the Municipality of Villaba. Mr. Chair, maybe the copy of Honorable Reposar has no attached
331 copy. Thank you.

332 HON. RONNAN CHRISTIAN M. REPOSAR: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

333 Mr. Chair?

334 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. PRESIDING OFFICER/5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

335 Yes, Honorable Reposar.

336 HON. RONNAN CHRISTIAN M. REPOSAR: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

337 The Affidavit of Publication is actually a different requirement from the Certificate of
338 Posting. The Certificate of Posting is the one of the requirements wherein it is posted within
339 the Municipal Territorial Jurisdiction of the Municipal or the LGU. Observing the three
340 Ordinances while they actually complied with the Publication Requirements, the Posting
341 Requirements is not apparent to or complied with.

342 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

343 May we request for a ruling from Mr. Chair?

344 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. PRESIDING OFFICER/5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

345 It's been seconded.

346 Motion is approved subject to the conditions imposed by the Provincial Legal Office
347 that should be considered.

348 Approved unanimously.

RES. NO. 2024-171

349 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

350 Thank you, Mr. Chair. We now proceed to Item No. 11, Mr. Chair. Madame Secretary,
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355 MS. FLORINDA JILL S. UYVICO: SECRETARY TO THE SANGGUNIANG

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ITEM NO. 11

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Presented for consideration is **Ordinance No. 24-03** of **Inopacan, Leyte** entitled: **"AN ORDINANCE CREATING THE POSITION TITLE OF PLANNING OFFICER IV, ITEM NO. 8.6 IN THE OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT COORDINATOR AND AMENDING FOR THIS PURPOSE THE ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE AND STAFFING PATTERN OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT OF INOPACAN, LEYTE"**. Same is recommended for **VALIDITY** with **CONDITION** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2nd indorsement dated April 4, 2024.

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ITEM NO. 12

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Presented for consideration is **Ordinance No. 24-04** of **Inopacan, Leyte** entitled: **"AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING GUIDELINES ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF HALINA'T MAGTANIM NG PRUTAS AT GULAY (HAPAG) SA BARANGAY IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF INOPACAN, PROVINCE OF LEYTE, APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR IMPLEMENTATION THEREOF AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."** Same is recommended for **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2nd indorsement dated April 15, 2024.

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HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

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Mr. Chair, there are two Ordinances from Inopacan, Leyte. Ordinance No. 24-03 and Ordinance No. 24-04. If I may be allowed, Mr. Chair, I move that we pass an Omnibus Resolution approving both ordinances, subject to the condition stated in the report of the Provincial Legal Office. I so move.

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HON. RONNAN CHRISTIAN M. REPOSAR: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

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HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. PRESIDING OFFICER/5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

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There's a move by the Honorable Loreto approving Item Nos. 11 and 12.

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Any questions?

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None?

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Hearing none, the motion is carried and approved.

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Approved unanimously.

RES. NO. 2024-172

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HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

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We now proceed to Item No. 13. Madame Secretary, please.

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396 MS. FLORINDA JILL S. UYVICO: SECRETARY TO THE SANGGUNIAN

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ITEM NO. 13

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408 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

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Mr. Chair, will you please recognize the Honorable Carmen Cari?

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HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. PRESIDING OFFICER/5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

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The Honorable Carmen Cari is recognized.

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HON. CARMEN L. CARI: PROVL. COUNCILORS' LEAGUE FEDERATION PRESIDENT

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Thank you, Mr. Chair. Thank you, Mr. Floor Leader.

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Item No. 13 is Municipal Ordinance No. 2024-04 of Hilongos, Leyte, entitled "An Ordinance Institutionalizing a Mid-Year Festivity to be Known as Anibong Festival in the Municipality of Hilongos and Providing Funds Thereof." Mr. Chair, this Municipal Ordinance was passed through the Provincial Legal Office and it was approved for 2nd endorsement dated April 15, 2024. So I move, Mr. Chair, that we approve this Item No.13 presented by Hilongos. Leyte. I so move.

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HON. RAISSA J. VILLASIN: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

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HON. MA. MARTINA L. GIMENEZ: PROV'L LIGA NG MGA BARANGAY PRESIDENT

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HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

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Second.

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HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. PRESIDING OFFICER/5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

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Duly seconded.

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Any questions?

429 Hearing none, so, the motion is approved.

430 Approved unanimously.

RES. NO. 2024-173

431 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

432 Thank you, Mr. Chair. We now proceed to Item No. 14. Madame Secretary, please.

433 MS. FLORINDA JILL S. UYVICO: SECRETARY TO THE SANGGUNIAN

434 **ITEM NO. 14**

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436 Presented for consideration is **General Fund Annual**
437 **Budget FY 2024** of **Tolosa, Leyte** amounting to **Php 112,952,221.00**
438 through **Appropriation Ordinance No. 01, series of 2023**. Same is
439 recommended for **APPROVAL** with **CONDITIONS** by the Local
440 Finance Committee per review letter dated April 15, 2024, together
441 with **Annual Investment Program (AIP) CY 2024** of the same amount

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444 **ITEM NO. 15**

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446 Presented for consideration is **General Fund Annual**
447 **Budget FY 2024** of **Julita, Leyte** amounting to **Php 105,551,657.00**
448 through **Appropriation Ordinance No. 2023-29**. Same is
449 recommended for **APPROVAL** with **CONDITIONS** by the Local
450 Finance Committee per review letter dated April 12, 2024, together
451 with **Annual Investment Program CY 2024** in the amount of
452 **Php1,250,000,000.00**.

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ITEM NO. 16

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456 Presented for consideration is **General Fund Annual**
457 **Budget CY 2024** of **Isabel, Leyte** amounting to **Php 285,000,000.00**
458 through **Appropriation Ordinance No. 04, series of 2023**. Same is
459 recommended for **APPROVAL** with **CONDITIONS** by the Local
460 Finance Committee per review letter dated April 15, 2024, together
461 with **Annual Investment Program (AIP) CY 2024** in the amount of
462 **Php1,499,993,047.00**.

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464 **ITEM NO. 17**

465 Presented for consideration is **General Fund Supplemental**
466 **Budget No. 1 CY 2024** of **Tabango, Leyte** amounting to **Php**
467 **13,623,818.42** through **Appropriation Ordinance No. 2024-01**. Same
468 is recommended for **APPROVAL** with **CONDITIONS** by the Local
469 Finance Committee per review letter dated April 15, 2024.

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475 **ITEM NO. 18**

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477 Presented for consideration is **General Fund Supplemental**
478 **Budget No. 1 CY 2024** of **Palompon, Leyte** amounting to
479 **Php290,345,735.89** through **Appropriation Ordinance No. 489-**
480 **110324**. Same is recommended for **APPROVAL** with **CONDITIONS** by
481 the Local Finance Committee per review letter dated April 16, 2024,
482 together with **Supplemental Annual Investment Program No. 1 for**
483 **CY 2024** in the amount of **Php290,345,735.90**.
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485 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

486 There are several budgets in our agenda, Item Nos. 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18, Mr. Chair.
487 Will you please recognize the distinguished Chairman of the Committee on Budget and
488 Management, the Honorable Uy?

489 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. PRESIDING OFFICER/5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

490 The Honorable Uy is recognized.

491 HON. WILSON S. UY: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

492 Thank you, Mr. Chair. Thank you, Floor Leader.

493 Mr. Chair, I would like to pass an Omnibus Motion approving the General Fund Annual
494 Budget for Fiscal Year 2024 of Tolosa, Leyte amounting to Php112,952,221.00 together with
495 the Annual Investment Program (AIP) for Calendar Year 2024 of the same amount, the
496 General Fund Annual Budget for Fiscal Year 2024 of Julita, Leyte amounting to
497 Php105,551,657.00 together with the Annual Investment Program (AIP) for Calendar Year
498 2024 in the amount of Php1,250,000,000.00, General Fund Annual Budget for Calendar Year
499 2024 of Isabel, Leyte amounting to Php285,000,000.00 together with the Annual Investment
500 Program (AIP) for Calendar Year 2024 in the amount of Php1,499,993,047.00, General Fund
501 Supplemental Budget No. 1 for Calendar Year 2024 of Tabango, Leyte amounting to
502 Php13,623,818.42 through Appropriation Ordinance No. 2024-01 and General Fund
503 Supplemental Budget No. 1 for Calendar Year 2024 of Palompon, Leyte amounting to
504 Php290,345,735.89 through Appropriation Ordinance No. 489-110324 together with the
505 Supplemental Annual Investment Program No. 1 for Calendar Year 2024 in the amount of
506 Php290,345,735.90. If my motion is in order, Mr. Chair, I move that we approve all the
507 General Fund Annual Budgets and the Supplemental Budgets of the different municipalities

508 in the Province of Leyte per recommendation of the Local Finance Committee together with
509 its conditions set forth. I so move, Mr. Chair.

510 HON. MA. CORAZON E. REMANDABAN: 3RD DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

511 Second.

512 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

513 Second.

514 HON. RAISSA J. VILLASIN: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

515 Second.

516 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. PRESIDING OFFICER/5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

517 There's a motion of the Honorable Uy.

518 Any comments?

519 Hearing none, the motion is approved.

520 Approved unanimously.

RES. NO. 2024-174

521 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

522 We now proceed to Item No. 19. Madame Secretary, please.

523 MS. FLORINDA JILL S. UYVICO: SECRETARY TO THE SANGGUNIAN

524 **ITEM NO. 19**

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526 Presented for consideration is a request for
527 **ACCREDITATION of CAMAYSIHAY, SAN ISIDRO, GACAO ANAHAWAY**
528 **IRRIGATORS' ASSOCIATION (KASAGANAHAN IA)** of Brgy. San Isidro,
529 Palo, Leyte with the Provincial Government of Leyte as a non
530 government organization.
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532 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

533 Mr. Chair, will you please recognize the distinguished Chairperson of the Committee
534 on Accreditation and Cooperatives, the Honorable Apostol?

535 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. PRESIDING OFFICER/5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

536 The Honorable Apostol is recognized.

537 HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

538 Thank you, Mr. Chairman. Thank you, Mr. Floor Leader. This item is a request for
539 accreditation of Camaysihay, San Isidro, Gacao, Anahaway Irrigators' Association

540 (KASAGANAHAN IA) of Barangay San Isidro, Palo, Leyte with the Provincial Government of
541 Leyte as a non-government organization. Mr. Chairman, it has been checked by our office,
542 and all the requirements have been met by this particular organization for accreditation. So,
543 with this, I move that we approve this particular request for accreditation coming from
544 Barangay San Isidro, Palo, Leyte. I so move, Mr. Chairman. Thank you.

545 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

546 Second.

547 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. PRESIDING OFFICER/5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

548 It has been moved and duly seconded. Item No. 19 is approved.

549 Any questions?

550 Hearing none, the motion is carried and approved.

551 Approved unanimously.

RES. NO. 2024-175

552 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

553 We now proceed to Item No. 20. Madame Secretary, please.

554 MS. FLORINDA JILL S. UYVICO: SECRETARY TO THE SANGGUNIANG

555 **ITEM NO. 20**

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557 Presented for consideration is an email dated April 10,
558 2024 from **Dr. Donald M. Ugsang**, President, Drone Entry(Thailand),
559 seeking collaboration with the Provincial Government of Leyte
560 relative to **drone technology** training, research and development.
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562 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

563 Mr. Chair, Dr. Donald Ugsang is requesting for an audience with the Governor or Vice-
564 Governor and the Board Members, to make a representation about his proposed
565 collaboration with the Provincial Government of Leyte relative to drone technology training
566 research and development. Perhaps, if I may, Mr. Chair, I move that we pass a resolution
567 acceding to the request and setting a date for his presentation, perhaps, on our next session.
568 He is an alumnus of VISCA and he is requesting an audience, the August Body. Also, so that
569 also he will know that Carlo Loreto is no longer the Vice-Governor. It appears in his letter that

570 he is under the impression that I'm still Vice-Governor. So, he will meet Vice-Governor
571 Leonardo "Sandy" Javier. I so move.

572 HON. RONNAN CHRISTIAN M. REPOSAR: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

573 Second.

574 HON. WILSON S. UY: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

575 Second.

576 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. PRESIDING OFFICER/5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

577 It has been moved and duly seconded.

578 Any questions?

579 Hearing none, the motion is carried and approved.

580 Approved unanimously.

RES. NO. 2024-176

581 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

582 Thank you, Mr. Chair. Let's now proceed to Item No. 21. Madame Secretary, please.

583 MS. FLORINDA JILL S. UYVICO: SECRETARY TO THE SANGGUNIANG

584 **ITEM NO. 21**

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586 Presented for consideration is a letter dated April 15, 2024
587 from the **Provincial Treasurer Ruth Y. Surpia** requesting for a
588 Resolution **authorizing the Province of Leyte to open a Bank account**
589 **with Landbank of the Philippines-Tacloban branch** and authorizing
590 the following **signatories**:

591 **Hon. Carlos Jericho L. Petilla**- Governor

592 Alternate-

593 Phyllis I. Soledad- Provincial Govt. Assistant Dept. Head

594 Purita H. Real- Supervising Administrative Officer

595 **Corazon M. Alvero**- Provincial Administrator

596 **Ruth Y. Surpia**-Provincial Treasurer

597 Alternate

598 Christine Q. Bodo- Assistant Provl. Treasurer

599 Czarenah Peach F. Redubla- Supervising Administrative Officer

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602 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

603 Unless there is a serious objection, Mr. Chair, I move that we favorably act on the
604 request. I so move.

605 HON. WILSON S. UY: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

606 Second, Mr. Chair.

607 HON. RAISSA J. VILLASIN: 2ND DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

608 Second.

609 HON. RONNAN CHRISTIAN M. REPOSAR: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

610 Second.

611 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. PRESIDING OFFICER/5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

612 It has been moved and duly seconded, so, Item No. 21 is approved.

613 Any queries?

614 Hearing none, the motion is carried and approved.

615 Approved unanimously.

RES. NO. 2024-177

616 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

617 Mr. Chair, there are no more Items in the agenda so we proceed to Other Matters.

618 Anybody from the floor?

619 HON. CARMEN L. CARI: PROV'L COUNCILORS' LEAGUE FEDERATION PRESIDENT

620 Mr. Chair, can I be recognized?

621 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. PRESIDING OFFICER/5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

622 Yes, the Honorable Carmen Cari, you are recognized.

623 HON. CARMEN L. CARI: PROV'L COUNCILORS' LEAGUE FEDERATION PRESIDENT

624 Thank you, Mr. Chair. Thank you, Mr. Floor Leader. Before we adjourn the session, I
625 would like to present to you for recognition the Barangay Captain of Barangay Hipusngo of
626 Baybay City, Barangay Chairman Maria Isabel Sanchez and the Kagawad Members of the
627 Barangay. I would like to present to you for recognition the group of Barangay Hipusngo of
628 the City of Baybay.

629 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. PRESIDING OFFICER/5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

630 Welcome, Barangay Chairman Maribel Sanchez and Kagawad Members.

631 HON. CARMEN L. CARI: PROV'L COUNCILORS' LEAGUE FEDERATION PRESIDENT

632 May I introduce here Brgy. Captain Maribel Sanchez of Barangay Hipusngo.

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634 HON. MA. ISABEL SANCHEZ: BRGY CAPT., BRGY. HIPUSNGO, BAYBAY CITY

635 Hi! Good morning Boss Mike and Sir Carlo and the staff here in Palo.

636 Ni a ang among grupo karon aron mangayo sa inyong tabang labi na sa among gi
637 submit nga gym sa eskwelahan sa Barangay Hipusngo ug ang road concreting sa Teachers'
638 Village. Ug nag follow-up sad mi sa gi promise ni Governor nga street light from sentro sa
639 Barangay Hipusngo up to Margatas. Hopefully nga ang among mga katuyuan denhi sa Palo
640 inyong patilinhugan. Ug ani a mi karon sa inyong atubangan, kinasingkasing nga mga yugpo
641 nga unta inyo ihatag ang among katuyuan sa among barangay.

642 Daghang salamat ug maayong buntag.

643 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

644 Maayong buntag gihapon.

645 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. PRESIDING OFFICER/5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

646 Maayong buntag. Naa na ba'y resolution? Tu a na ni Gov?

647 HON. MA. ISABEL SANCHEZ: BRGY. CAPT., BRGY. HIPUSNGO, BAYBAY CITY

648 Tu a na ni Gov.

649 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

650 Mr. Chair.

651 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. PRESIDING OFFICER/5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

652 Yes, the Honorable Loreto.

653 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

654 Since the Honorable Sanchez and her Sangguniang Barangay are in attendance, may
655 I move that we pass a resolutions endorsing their resolution as stated. I so move.

656 HON. MJ LUNLY D. LUMEN: PROV'L SANG. KABATAAN FEDERATION PRESIDENT

657 Second.

658 HON. MA. MARTINA L. GIMENEZ: PROV'L LIGA NG MGA BARANGAY PRESIDENT

659 Second.

660 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. PRESIDING OFFICER/5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

661 There's a motion of Honorable Loreto, seconded by Honorable Lumen and Honorable
662 Gimenez.

663 Any questions?

664 Hearing none, the motion is carried and approved.

665 Approved unanimously.

RES. NO. 2024-177

666 HON. MA. MARTINA L. GIMENEZ: PROV'L. LIGA NG MGA BARANGAY PRESIDENT

667 Mr. Chair, if I may?

668 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. PRESIDING OFFICER/5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

669 Yes, Honorable Gimenez.

670 HON. MA. MARTINA L. GIMENEZ: PROV'L. LIGA NG MGA BARANGAY PRESIDENT

671 Since there are no more other matters, I'd like to move for the adjournment of today's
672 session.

673 HON. WILSON S. UY: 1ST DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

674 Second.

675 HON. VINCENT L. RAMA: 4TH DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

676 Second.

677 HON. MJ LUINLY D. LUMEN: PROV'L. SANG. KABATAAN FEDERATION PRESIDENT

678 Second.

679 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: TEMP. PRESIDING OFFICER/5TH DIST. BOARD MEMBER

680 There's a motion of Honorable Gimenez to adjourn the session.

681 Duly seconded, so, the session is now adjourned.

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683 (Adjourned at 10:50 o'clock in the morning.)

684 Closing prayer led by the Honorable Kabigting.)

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I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing minutes.

FLORINDA JILL S. UYVICO
Secretary to the Sanggunian

APPROVED:

WILSON S. UY
1ST District Board Member

RONNAN CHRISTIAN M. REPOSAR
1ST District Board Member

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4TH District Board Member

VINCENT L. RAMA
4TH District Board Member

MICHAEL L. CARI
5TH District Board Member
(Temporary Presiding Officer)

CARLO P. LORETO
5TH District Board Member
(Floor Leader)

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