

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing minutes.

FLORINDA JILL S. UYVICO  
Secretary to the Sanggunian

APPROVED:

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5<sup>TH</sup> District Board Member

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Ex-Officio Member

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SK Prov'l. Fed. President  
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PCL President  
Ex-Officio Member

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Vice-Governor

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SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN

MINUTES OF THE 132<sup>nd</sup> REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF LEYTE, HELD AT THE SESSION HALL, LEYTE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT COMPLEX, PALO, LEYTE ON 29 APRIL 2025.

PHYSICALLY PRESENT:

1. Hon. Leonardo M. Javier, Jr.	Vice-Governor/Presiding Officer
2. Hon. Ronnan Christian M. Reposar	1 <sup>st</sup> District Board Member
3. Hon. Raissa J. Villasin	2 <sup>nd</sup> District Board Member
4. Hon. Marie Kathryn V. Kabigting	3 <sup>rd</sup> 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:

1. Hon. Carlo P. Loreto	5 <sup>th</sup> District Board Member Floor Leader
2. Hon. Wilson S. Uy	1 <sup>st</sup> District Board Member
3. Hon. Trinidad G. Apostol	2 <sup>nd</sup> District Board Member
4. Hon. Ma. Corazon E. Remandaban	3 <sup>rd</sup> District Board Member
5. Hon. Vincent L. Rama	4 <sup>th</sup> District Board Member
6. Hon. Flaviano C. Centino, Jr.	4 <sup>th</sup> District Board Member
7. Hon. Michael L. Cari	5 <sup>th</sup> District Board Member
8. Hon. MJ Luinly D. Lumen	SK President/Ex-Officio Member

The 132<sup>nd</sup> Regular Session opened at 10:18 o'clock in the morning presided over by the Honorable Leonardo M. Javier, Jr. Provincial Vice-Governor.

Opening Prayer was led by Honorable Carlo P. Loreto, 5<sup>th</sup> District Board Member, 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, 5<sup>th</sup> District Board Member, duly seconded by the Honorable Raissa J. Villasin, 2<sup>nd</sup> District Board Member, Honorable Marie Kathryn V. Kabigting, 3<sup>rd</sup> District Board Member, Honorable Ma. Martina L. Gimenez, Ex-Officio Member, Liga Ng Mga Brgy. President and Honorable Trinidad G. Apostol, 2<sup>nd</sup> District Board Member.

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

47           The Presiding Officer, Honorable Leonardo M. Javier, Jr., requested the  
48 Sangguniang Panlalawigan Secretary, Ms. Florinda Jill S. Uyvico to call the roll in order  
49 to determine the presence of quorum.

50 **MS. FLORINDA JILL S. UYVICO: SECRETARY TO THE SANGGUNIAN**

51           The following Members are in attendance:

52 **PHYSICALLY PRESENT:**

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54       Hon. Leonardo M. Javier, Jr.               -Presiding Officer  
55       Hon. Ronnan Christian M. Reposar  
56       Hon. Raissa J. Villasin  
57       Hon. Marie Kathryn V. Kabigting  
58       Hon. Carmen L. Cari  
59       Hon. Ma. Martina L. Gimenez

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61 **VIRTUALLY PRESENT:**

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63       Hon. Carlo P. Loreto                       -Floor Leader  
64       Hon. Wilson S. Uy  
65       Hon. Trinidad G. Apostol  
66       Hon. Ma. Corazon E. Remandaban  
67       Hon. Vincent L. Rama  
68       Hon. Flaviano C. Centino, Jr.  
69       Hon. Michael L. Cari  
70       Hon. MJ Luinly D. Lumen

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72           We have fourteen Members (14) present, Mr. Chair, Mr. Floor.

73 **HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR**

74           We have a quorum, Mr. Floor Leader.

75 **HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER**

76           Thank you, Mr. Chair.

77           We now proceed to the consideration of the minutes of the previous session last  
78 April 22, 2025. Mr. Chair, will you please recognize the Honorable Apostol?

79 **HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2<sup>ND</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER**

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

81           As of the moment, this representation has no correction. Thank you.

82 **HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER**

83           Thank you, Honorable Apostol.

84           Unless there are serious corrections, I move that we approve the minutes of the  
85 previous session last April 22, 2025. I so move.

86 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: 5<sup>TH</sup> DIST. BOARD MEMBER

87 Second.

88 HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2<sup>ND</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

89 Second.

90 HON. MARIE KATHRYN V. KABIGTING: 3<sup>RD</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

91 Second.

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

93 Second.

94 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

95 Any objections?

96 Hearing none, the motion is carried and approved.

97 Approved unanimously.

**RES. NO. 2025-211**

98 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

99 Thank you, Mr. Chair. Since there are no Committee Report and First Reading  
100 and Reference of Business registered at our Secretariat, we now proceed to the Business  
101 of the Day. Item No. 1, Madam Secretary, please.

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

103 **ITEM NO. 01**

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105 Presented for consideration is **Municipal**  
106 **Ordinance No. 12 Series of 2025 of Tolosa, Leyte**  
107 entitled: **"AN ORDINANCE DECLARING THE**  
108 **TEMPORARY CLOSURE TO VEHICULAR TRAFFIC THE**  
109 **PORTIONS OF THE STREETS IN BARANGAY**  
110 **POBLACION AND BARANGAY IMELDA DURING**  
111 **SOCIO-CULTURAL AND SOCIO-ECONOMIC**  
112 **ACTIVITIES PURSUANT TO TOLOSA DAY**  
113 **CELEBRATION."** Same is recommended for the  
114 declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office  
115 per 2<sup>nd</sup> indorsement dated April 4, 2025.

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117 **ITEM NO. 02**

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119 Presented for consideration is **Municipal**  
120 **Ordinance No. 13 Series of 2025 of Tolosa, Leyte** entitled  
121 : **"AN ORDINANCE DECLARING THE TEMPORARY**  
122 **CLOSURE OF STREETS IN THE PERIMETER OF THE**  
123 **MUNICIPAL TOWN PLAZA (CORNER OF SAN MIGUEL**  
124 **AND ROMUALDEZ ST.; CORNER OF IMELDA LANE**  
125 **AND M. VIVERO ST.; SAN MIGUEL AND MABINI ST.,**

CORNER OF SAN MIGUEL AND M. VIVERO ST.,  
CORNER OF IMELDA LANE AND M. VIVERO ST.) FROM  
ANY FORM OF MOTORIZED VEHICLES AND  
PEDICABS STARTING FROM 5:00PM TO 12:00 MN,  
WITH THE EXEMPTION OF LGU OFFICIAL VEHICLES,  
EMERGENCY TRANSPORT VEHICLES, POLICE  
PATROL CARS, AND FIRE TRUCKS, FROM APRIL 27  
TO MAY 9, 2025.” Same is recommended for the  
declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office  
per 2<sup>nd</sup> indorsement dated April 4, 2025.

**ITEM NO. 03**

Presented for consideration is **Municipal Ordinance No. 14 Series of 2025 of Tolosa, Leyte** entitled: **“AN ORDINANCE ENACTING THE TOLOSA LEYTE CHILDREN’S WELFARE AND DEVELOPMENT CODE.”** Same is recommended for the declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> indorsement dated April 4, 2025.

**ITEM NO. 04**

Presented for consideration is **Municipal Ordinance No. 15 Series of 2025 of Tolosa, Leyte** entitled: **“AN ORDINANCE ENACTING THE SENIOR CITIZENS’ CODE OF TOLOSA, LEYTE APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.”** Same is recommended for the declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> indorsement dated April 4, 2025.

**ITEM NO. 05**

Presented for consideration is **Municipal Ordinance No. 16 Series of 2025 of Tolosa, Leyte** entitled: **“GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT (GAD) CODE OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF TOLOSA, PROVINCE OF LEYTE”** Same is recommended for the declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> indorsement dated April 4, 2025.

**ITEM NO. 06**

Presented for consideration is **MunicipAL ORDINANCE No. 17 Series of 2025 of Tolosa, Leyte** entitled: **“AN ORDINANCE PROMOTING TRANSPARENCY AND ACCOUNTABILITY IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF TOLOSA, LEYTE, AND PRESCRIBING MECHANISMS FOR ITS IMPLEMENTATION”.** Same is recommended for the declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> indorsement dated April 4, 2025.

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**ITEM NO. 07**

Presented for consideration is **Municipal Ordinance No. 2025-01 of Palo, Leyte** entitled: **“AN ORDINANCE ABOLISHING THE VACANT POSITIONS OF MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT ASSISTANT DEPARTMENT HEAD I (SUPERVISING AGRICULTURIST), ITEM NO. 069, SALARY GRADE 22, AND LIBRARIAN I, ITEM NO. 007, SALARY GRADE 11, IN THE PLANTILLA OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT OF PALO, LEYTE.”** Same is recommended for the declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> indorsement dated April 4, 2025.

**ITEM NO. 08**

Presented for consideration is **Municipal Ordinance No. 2025-03 series 2025 of Santa Fe, Leyte** entitled: **“PROHIBITING THE NAILING, PASTING, POSTING, AND HANGING OF STREAMERS, POSTERS, BANNERS, POLITICAL ADS AND OTHER SIMILAR MATERIALS ON TREES AND SPECIES OF THE SAME NATURE IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF SANTA FE, LEYTE.”** Same is recommended for the declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> indorsement dated April 4, 2025, **PROVIDED** that Section 458(a)(1)(vi) be changed to Section 447 (a)(vi) since the cited provision pertains to Sangguniang Panlungsod and not Sangguniang Bayan.

**HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER**

Mr. Chair, there are several Items from the 1<sup>st</sup> District. Will you please recognize, the Honorable Uy?

**HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR**

Honorable Uy, you are recognized.

**HON. WILSON S. UY: 1<sup>ST</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER**

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

There are several Items under 1<sup>st</sup> District, Item nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8.

Item No. 1 Is **Municipal Ordinance No. 12 Series Of 2025 Of Tolosa, Leyte** Entitled: **“An Ordinance Declaring The Temporary Closure To Vehicular Traffic The Portions Of The Streets In Barangay Poblacion And Barangay Imelda During Socio-Cultural And Socio-Economic Activities Pursuant To Tolosa Day Celebration.”**

Item No. 2 Is **Municipal Ordinance No. 13 Series Of 2025 Of Tolosa, Leyte** Entitled: **“An Ordinance Declaring The Temporary Closure Of Streets In The Perimeter Of The**

227 Municipal Town Plaza (Corner Of San Miguel And Romualdez St.; Corner Of Imelda Lane  
228 And M. Vivero St.; San Miguel And Mabini St., Corner Of San Miguel And M. Vivero St.,  
229 Corner Of Imelda Lane And M. Vivero St.) From Any Form Of Motorized Vehicles And  
230 Pedicabs Starting From 5:00pm To 12:00 Mn, With The Exemption Of Lgu Official  
231 Vehicles, Emergency Transport Vehicles, Police Patrol Cars, And Fire Trucks, From April  
232 27 To May 9, 2025.”

233 Item No. 3 Is Municipal Ordinance No. 14 Series Of 2025 Of Tolosa, Leyte Entitled:  
234 “An Ordinance Enacting The Tolosa Leyte Children’s Welfare And Development Code.”

235 Item No. 4 Is Municipal Ordinance No. 15 Series Of 2025 Of Tolosa, Leyte Entitled:  
236 “An Ordinance Enacting The Senior Citizens’ Code Of Tolosa, Leyte Appropriating Funds  
237 Therefor, And For Other Purposes.

238 Item No. 5 Is Municipal Ordinance No. 16 Series Of 2025 Of Tolosa, Leyte Entitled:  
239 “Gender And Development (Gad) Code Of The Municipality Of Tolosa, Province Of Leyte”

240 Item No. 6 Is Municipal Ordinance No. 17 Series Of 2025 Of Tolosa, Leyte Entitled:  
241 “An Ordinance Promoting Transparency And Accountability In The Municipality Of Tolosa,  
242 Leyte, And Prescribing Mechanisms For Its Implementation”.

243 Item No. 7 Is Municipal Ordinance No. 2025-01 Of Palo, Leyte Entitled: “An  
244 Ordinance Abolishing The Vacant Positions Of Municipal Government Assistant  
245 Department Head I (Supervising Agriculturist), Item No. 069, Salary Grade 22, And  
246 Librarian I, Item No. 007, Salary Grade 11, In The Plantilla Of The Local Government Unit  
247 Of Palo, Leyte.”

248 Item No. 8 Is Municipal Ordinance No. 2025-03 Series 2025 Of Santa Fe, Leyte  
249 Entitled: “Prohibiting The Nailing, Pasting, Posting, And Hanging Of Streamers, Posters,  
250 Banners, Political Ads And Other Similar Materials On Trees And Species Of The Same  
251 Nature In The Municipality Of Santa Fe, Leyte.”

252 Mr. Chair, if my motion is in order, I move that we approve all Ordinances from  
253 Item No.1 to Item No. 8. I so move.

254 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

255 Second.

256 HON. RONNAN CHRISTIAN M. REPOSAR: 1<sup>ST</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

257 Second.

258 HON. MA. MARTINA L. GIMENEZ: EX-OFFICIO MEMBER, LIGA NG MGA BRGY PRESIDENT

259 Second.

260 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

261 Duly seconded.

262 Any questions?

263 Hearing none, motion is approved.

264 Approved unanimously. **RES. NO. 2025-212**

265 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

266 Thank you, Mr. Chair. We now proceed to Item No. 9, Madam Secretary, please.

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

268 **ITEM NO. 09**

269 Presented for consideration is **Municipal**

270 **Ordinance No. 01 Series 2025 of Tabontabon, Leyte**

271 entitled: **"AN ORDINANCE MANDATING ALL**

272 **BUSINESSES OPERATING WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL**

273 **JURISDICTION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF**

274 **TABONTABON, LEYTE ENGAGED IN THE**

275 **MANUFACTURING, SALE AND DISTRIBUTION OF PNP**

276 **UNIFORMS, INSIGNIAS AND OTHER**

277 **ACCOUTREMENTS TO SECURE CERTIFICATE OF**

278 **CONFORMITY."** Same is recommended for the

279 declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office

280 per 2<sup>nd</sup> indorsement dated April 4, 2025.

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282 **ITEM NO. 10**

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284 Presented for consideration is **Municipal**

285 **Ordinance No. 02 Series 2025 of Tabontabon, Leyte**

286 entitled: **"AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE USE AND**

287 **OPERATION OF MOTOR VEHICLES WITH MODIFIED**

288 **MUFFLERS, WITHIN THE MUNICIPALITY OF**

289 **TABONTABON, LEYTE AND PRESCRIBING**

290 **PENALTIES THEREOF."** Same is recommended for the

291 declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office

292 per 2<sup>nd</sup> indorsement dated April 4, 2025.

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**ITEM NO. 11**

Presented for consideration is **Municipal Ordinance No. 03 Series 2025** of Tabontabon, Leyte entitled: **“AN ORDINANCE INSTITUTIONALIZING KATUWANG SA DIWA AT GAWA SA MASAGANANG ANI AT MATAAS NA KITA (KADIWA) NG PANGULO (KNP) IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF TABONTABON, LEYTE.”** Same is recommended for the declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> indorsement dated April 4, 2025.

**ITEM NO. 12**

Presented for consideration is **Municipal Ordinance No. 04 Series 2025** of Tabontabon, Leyte entitled: **“AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING REPUBLIC ACT 11361 OR THE ‘ANTI-OBSTRUCTION OF POWER LINES ACT’ AND FURTHER STRENGTHENING ITS IMPLEMENTATION IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF TABONTABON, LEYTE.”** Same is recommended for the declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> indorsement dated April 4, 2025.

**ITEM NO. 13**

Presented for consideration is **Municipal Ordinance No. 05 Series of 2025** of Tunga, Leyte entitled: **“AN ORDINANCE MANDATING ALL BUSINESSES OPERATING WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF TUNGA, LEYTE ENGAGED IN THE MANUFACTURING, SELLING, OR DISTRIBUTING PNP UNIFORMS, INSIGNIAS, AND OTHER ACCOUTREMENTS TO SECURE PNP CERTIFICATE OF CONFORMITY AND PRESCRIBING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF.”** Same is recommended for the declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> indorsement dated April 4, 2025.

**ITEM NO. 14**

Presented for consideration is **Municipal Ordinance No. 06 Series of 2025** of Tunga, Leyte entitled: **“AN ORDINANCE ENACTING THE NEW GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT (GAD) CODE OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF TUNGA, PROVINCE OF LEYTE.”** Same is recommended for the declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> indorsement dated April 4, 2025.

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**ITEM NO. 15**

Presented for consideration is **Municipal Ordinance No. 07 Series of 2025 of Tunga, Leyte**, entitled: **“AN ORDINANCE INSTITUTIONALIZING THE EXPANDED BENEFITS OF THE PANTAWID PAMILYANG PILIPINO PROGRAM (4PS) BENEFICIARIES IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF TUNGA, LEYTE”**. Same is recommended for the declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> indorsement dated April 4, 2025.

**ITEM NO. 16**

Presented for consideration is **Municipal Ordinance No. 2024-218 of Carigara, Leyte**, entitled: **“AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING PENALTY FOR THE ABUSE, MISUSE, FALSIFICATION, MUTILATION, ALTERATION, TAMPERING AND OTHER SIMILAR ACTS IN ANY IDENTIFICATION CARD ISSUED BY THE MUNICIPALITY OF CARIGARA.”** Same is recommended for the declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> indorsement dated April 4, 2025, **subject to consideration** that the phrase “any ID issued by the government” of the proposed ordinance be changed and limited to ID’s issued by Carigara LGU.

**ITEM NO. 17**

Presented for consideration is **Municipal Ordinance No. 2 Series of 2025 of Capoocan, Leyte**, entitled: **“SOLO PARENTS’ WELFARE ACT OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF CAPOOCAN, LEYTE”**. Same is recommended for the declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> indorsement dated April 4, 2025, subject to consideration that, since it is pursuant to RA 11861, it is recommended that the title be amended to **“An ordinance Adopting and/or localizing the implementation of RA 11861 otherwise known as Expanded Solo Parents Welfare Act**, providing for the benefits and privileges for Solo Parents and their children, appropriating funds therefore and for other purposes.”

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

Mr. Chair, there are several Items from the 2<sup>nd</sup> District. These are Item nos. 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, and 17. Will you please recognize the Honorable Apostol?

HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

Honorable Apostol, you are recognized.

HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2<sup>ND</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

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

Item No. 09 is Municipal Ordinance No. 01 Series of 2025 Of Tabontabon, Leyte Entitled : "An Ordinance Mandating All Businesses Operating Within The Territorial Jurisdiction Of The Municipality Of Tabontabon, Leyte Engaged In The Manufacturing, Sale And Distribution Of PNP Uniforms, Insignias And Other Accoutrements To Secure Certificate Of Conformity."

Item No. 10 is Municipal Ordinance No. 02 Series of 2025 Of Tabontabon, Leyte Entitled : "An Ordinance Regulating The Use And Operation Of Motor Vehicles With Modified Mufflers, Within The Municipality Of Tabontabon, Leyte And Prescribing Penalties Thereof."

Item No. 11 is Municipal Ordinance No. 03 Series of 2025 Of Tabontabon, Leyte Entitled : "An Ordinance Institutionalizing Katuwang Sa Diwa At Gawa Sa Masaganang Ani At Mataas Na Kita (Kadiwa) Ng Pangulo (KNP) In The Municipality Of Tabontabon, Leyte." Same Is Recommended For The Declaration Of Its Validity By The Provincial Legal Office Per 2<sup>nd</sup> Indorsement Dated April 4, 2025.

Item No. 12 is Municipal Ordinance No. 04 Series of 2025 Of Tabontabon, Leyte Entitled : "An Ordinance Adopting Republic Act 11361 Or The 'Anti-Obstruction Of Power Lines Act" And Further Strengthening Its Implementation In The Municipality Of Tabontabon, Leyte."

Item No. 13 is Municipal Ordinance No. 05 Series Of 2025 Of Tunga, Leyte Entitled : "An Ordinance Mandating All Businesses Operating Within The Territorial Jurisdiction Of The Municipality Of Tunga, Leyte Engaged In The Manufacturing, Selling, Or Distributing PNP Uniforms, Insignias, And Other Accoutrements To Secure PNP Certificate Of Conformity And Prescribing Penalties For Violations Thereof."

Item No. 14 is Municipal Ordinance No. 06 Series Of 2025 Of Tunga, Leyte Entitled : "An Ordinance Enacting The New Gender And Development (GAD) Code Of The Municipality Of Tunga, Province Of Leyte."

Item No. 15 is Municipal Ordinance No. 07 Series Of 2025 Of Tunga, Leyte, Entitled: "An Ordinance Institutionalizing The Expanded Benefits Of The Pantawid Pamilyang Pilipino Program (4PS) Beneficiaries In The Municipality Of Tunga, Leyte".

431 Item No. 16 is Municipal Ordinance No. 2024-218 Of Carigara, Leyte, Entitled:  
432 "An Ordinance Providing Penalty For The Abuse, Misuse, Falsification, Mutilation,  
433 Alteration, Tampering And Other Similar Acts In Any Identification Card Issued By The  
434 Municipality Of Carigara."

435 Item No. 17 is Municipal Ordinance No. 2 Series Of 2025 Of Capoocan, Leyte,  
436 Entitled: "SOLO PARENTS' Welfare Act Of The Municipality Of Capoocan, Leyte".

437 Mr. Chairman, with the recommendation of validity by the Provincial Legal Office,  
438 I move that we approve all these Ordinances coming from the mentioned municipalities.  
439 I so move.

440 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

441 Second.

442 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: 5<sup>TH</sup> DIST. BOARD MEMBER

443 Second.

444 HON. RAISSA J. VILLASIN: 2<sup>ND</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

445 Second.

446 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

447 Duly seconded.

448 Any questions?

449 Hearing none, motion is approved.

450 Approved unanimously.

**RES. NO. 2025-213**

451 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

452 Thank you, Mr. Chair. We now proceed to Item No. 18, Madam Secretary, please.

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

454 **ITEM NO. 18**

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456 Presented for consideration is **Ordinance**  
457 **No. 2025-003 of Calubian, Leyte, entitled: "AN**  
458 **ORDINANCE REGULATING THE DISPENSING,**  
459 **SELLING, AND RESELLING OF PHARMACEUTICAL**  
460 **PRODUCTS IN SARI-SARI STORES AND OTHER**  
461 **SIMILAR RETAIL OUTLETS IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF**  
462 **CALUBIAN, LEYTE, AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR**  
463 **VIOLATIONS THEREOF."** Same is recommended for the

464 declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office  
465 per 2<sup>nd</sup> indorsement dated April 4, 2025.  
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467 **ITEM NO. 19**

468 Presented for consideration is **Municipal**  
469 **Ordinance No. 3 S. 2025 of Villaba, Leyte**, entitled: "**AN**  
470 **ORDINANCE PROVIDING SPECIAL PROTECTION TO**  
471 **SENIOR CITIZENS AND PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES**  
472 **(PWDs) IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF VILLABA LEYTE,**  
473 **AGAINST GRIEVANCE RELATED ACTS AND**  
474 **IMPOSING PENALTIES FOR ANY VIOLATIONS**  
475 **THEREOF**" Same is recommended for the declaration of  
476 its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup>  
477 indorsement dated April 4, 2025.  
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479 **ITEM NO. 20**

480 Presented for consideration is **Municipal**  
481 **Ordinance No. 4, S. 2025 of Villaba, Leyte**, entitled: "**AN**  
482 **ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE "LUNGSOD NGA**  
483 **AMONG NATAWHAN" AS THE OFFICIAL HYMN OF**  
484 **THE MUNICIPALITY OF VILLABA, LEYTE AND**  
485 **PRESCRIBING ITS MANDATORY SINGING IN OFFICIAL**  
486 **AND FUNCTIONS OF ALL PUBLIC AND PRIVATE**  
487 **INSTITUTIONS IN VILLABA, LEYTE AND FOR OTHER**  
488 **PURPOSES."** Same is recommended for the declaration of  
489 its **VALIDITY** subject to corrections of the clerical errors  
490 found on Sec. 11, 12, and 13 of said ordinance by the  
491 Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> indorsement dated April 4,  
492 2025.  
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494 **ITEM NO. 21**

495 Presented for consideration is **Municipal**  
496 **Ordinance No. 7, S. 2025 of Villaba, Leyte**, entitled: "**AN**  
497 **ORDINANCE FORMULATED TO INSTITUTIONALIZE**  
498 **KATUWANG SA DIWA AT GAWA SA MASAGANANG**  
499 **ANI AT MATAAS NA KITA (KADIWA) NG PANGULO**  
500 **(KNP) IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF VILLABA, LEYTE"**  
501 Same is recommended for the declaration of its **VALIDITY**  
502 by the Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> indorsement dated  
503 April 4, 2025.  
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505 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

506 Mr. Chair, Item nos. 18, 19, 20, and 21 are from the 3<sup>rd</sup> District. Will you please  
507 recognize the Honorable Kabigting?

508 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

509 Honorable Kabigting, you are recognized.

510 HON. MARIE KATHRYN V. KABIGTING: 3<sup>RD</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

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

Under Agenda No. 18, 19, 20 and 21 are Ordinances coming from the 3<sup>rd</sup> District of Leyte.

Under Agenda No. 18 is Ordinance No. 2025-003 Of Calubian, Leyte, Entitled: "An Ordinance Regulating The Dispensing, Selling, And Reselling Of Pharmaceutical Products In Sari-Sari Stores And Other Similar Retail Outlets In The Municipality Of Calubian, Leyte, And Providing Penalties For Violations Thereof."

Item No. 19 is Municipal Ordinance No. 3 S. 2025 Of Villaba, Leyte, Entitled: "An Ordinance Providing Special Protection To Senior Citizens And Persons With Disabilities (PWDS) In The Municipality Of Villaba Leyte, Against Grievance Related Acts And Imposing Penalties For Any Violations Thereof."

Item No. 20 is Municipal Ordinance No. 4, S. 2025 Of Villaba, Leyte, Entitled: "An Ordinance Establishing The "Lungsod Nga Among Natawhan" As The Official Hymn Of The Municipality Of Villaba, Leyte And Prescribing Its Mandatory Singing In Official And Functions Of All Public And Private Institutions In Villaba, Leyte And For Other Purposes."

Item No. 21 is Municipal Ordinance No. 7, S. 2025 Of Villaba, Leyte, Entitled: "An Ordinance Formulated To Institutionalize Katuwang Sa Diwa At Gawa Sa Masaganang Ani At Mataas Na Kita (KADIWA) Ng Pangulo (KNP) In The Municipality Of Villaba, Leyte"

These Ordinances from the 3<sup>rd</sup> District of Leyte have been reviewed by the Provincial Legal Office and has been recommended for the declaration of its validity under Section 447 of the Local Government Code. The Provincial Legal Office just noted that there some clerical errors in Agenda No. 20 because of the misspelling of the clause and repealing and for them to correct it. So, considering the foregoing, I move to approve all these Ordinances under Agenda No. 18, 19, 20 and 21 from the 3<sup>rd</sup> District of Leyte with the corrections from the Provincial Legal Office. I so move.

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

Second.

HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: 5<sup>TH</sup> DIST. BOARD MEMBER

Second.

541 HON. RAISSA J. VILLASIN: 2<sup>ND</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

542 Second.

543 HON. MA. MARTINA L. GIMENEZ:EX-OFFICIO MEMBER, LIGA NG MGA BRGY PRESIDENT

544 Second.

545 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

546 Duly seconded.

547 Any questions?

548 Hearing none, motion is approved.

549 Approved unanimously. **RES. NO. 2025-214**

550 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

551 Thank you, Mr. Chair.

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

553 Thank you, Mr. Chair. We now proceed to Item No. 22, Madam Secretary, please.

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

555 **ITEM NO. 22**

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557 Presented for consideration is **Municipal**

558 **Ordinance No. 13 Series of 2024 of Merida, Leyte,**

559 **entitled: “AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE**

560 **OPERATION OF THE NEW MERIDA RECLAMATION**

561 **AREA (MERIDA TOWN CENTER) AND PRESCRIBING**

562 **FEES, RENTALS, AND OTHER CHARGES ON ITS**

563 **COMMERCIAL STALLS AND OTHER ESTABLISHMENT**

564 **THEREIN, PROVIDING GUIDELINES, POLICIES AND**

565 **PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF.”** Same is

566 recommended for the declaration of its **VALIDITY subject**

567 **to corrections** of the clerical errors found on Sec. 11, 12,

568 and 13 of said ordinance by the Provincial Legal Office per

569 2<sup>nd</sup> indorsement dated April 4, 2025.

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571 **ITEM NO. 23**

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573 Presented for consideration is **Municipal**

574 **Ordinance No. 500-030325, of Palompon, Leyte, entitled:**

575 **“AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING AND IMPLEMENTING**

576 **TAX AMNESTY ON REAL PROPERTY TAXES UNDER**

577 **REPUBLIC ACT NO. 12001, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS**

578 **THE REAL PROPERTY VALUATION AND**

579 **ASSESSMENT REFORM ACT”, IN THE MUNICIPALITY**

580 **OF PALOMPON UNTIL JULY 5, 2026”.** The Provincial

581 Legal Office recommended that RA 12001 limitations be

582 incorporated in the proposed Ordinance per 2<sup>nd</sup>

583 Indorsement dated March 27, 2025.



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ITEM NO. 24

Presented for consideration is **Ordinance No. 23L.25-070 series 2025, of Kananga, Leyte**, entitled: **“COMPREHENSIVE SOLO PARENTS ORDINANCE OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF KANANGA, LEYTE.”**. Same is recommended for the declaration of its **VALIDITY** subject to consideration of the recommendation by the Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> indorsement dated April 4, 2025, that, since it is pursuant to RA 11861, it is recommended that the title be amended to **“An ordinance Adopting and/or localizing the implementation of RA 11861 otherwise known as Expanded Solo Parents Welfare Act,** , providing for the benefits and privileges for Solo Parents and their children, appropriating funds therefore and for other purposes.”

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

Mr. Chair, will you please recognize the Honorable Rama?

HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

Honorable Rama, you are recognized.

HON. VINCENT L. RAMA: 4<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

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

On the part of the 4<sup>th</sup> District, there are 3 Items, Agenda No. 22, 23 and 24.

I would like to start on Agendum No. 22. This is Municipal Ordinance No. 13 Series Of 2024 Of Merida, Leyte, Entitled: “An Ordinance Regulating The Operation Of The New Merida Reclamation Area (Merida Town Center) And Prescribing Fees, Rentals, And Other Charges On Its Commercial Stalls And Other Establishment Therein, Providing Guidelines, Policies And Penalties For Violations Thereof.” If my motion is in order, I would like to move for the approval of Ageda No. 22. I so move.

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

Second.

HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: 5<sup>TH</sup> DIST. BOARD MEMBER

Second.

HON. MA. MARTINA L. GIMENEZ:EX-OFFICIO MEMBER, LIGA NG MGA BRGY PRESIDENT

Second.



621 HON. VINCENT L. RAMA: 4<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

622 Next, Mr. Presiding Officer is Municipal Ordinance No. 500-030325, Of Palompon,  
623 Leyte, Entitled: "An Ordinance Adopting And Implementing Tax Amnesty On Real  
624 Property Taxes Under Republic Act No. 12001, Otherwise Known As The Real Property  
625 Valuation And Assessment Reform Act", In The Municipality Of Palompon Until July 5,  
626 2026". It is also recommended for approval, it just asks for the RA 12001 limitations to be  
627 incorporated in the proposed Ordinance per 2<sup>nd</sup> endorsement dated march 27, 2025.

628 And for Item No. 24 is Ordinance No. 231.25-070 Series 2025, Of Kananga, Leyte,  
629 Entitled: "Comprehensive Solo Parents Ordinance Of The Municipality Of Kananga,  
630 Leyte." Same is also declared to be valid and also has to take note that it is recommended  
631 that the title be amended to "An ordinance Adopting and/or localizing the implementation  
632 of RA 11861 otherwise known as Expanded Solo Parents Welfare Act."

633 I would like to move for the approval of all three. If my partner who is also in Zoom,  
634 Honorable Centino, I would also like to invite him to jointly move with me. I so move.

635 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

636 Second

637 HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2<sup>ND</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

638 Mr. Chairman?

639 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

640 Go ahead, please.

641 HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2<sup>ND</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

642 For Item no. 23, the Provincial Legal Office recommended that RA 12001  
643 limitations be incorporated in the proposed Ordinance as per 2<sup>nd</sup> endorsement dated  
644 March 27, 2025. So that RA 12001 limitations be incorporated in the proposed Ordinance.  
645 That is my observation, Mr. Chairman. Thank you.

646 HON. VINCENT L. RAMA: 4<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

647 I wholeheartedly agree with the observation of Honorable Apostol, Mr. Chair.

648 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

649 Mr. Chair, may I be recognized.

650 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

651 Go ahead, please.

652 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

653 Mr. Chair, considering that the limitation stated in RA 12001 has not yet been  
654 included in the Ordinance of Palompon, Leyte. Perhaps we can, first, refer this to the  
655 Committee on Rules for further study. Mr. Chair, My dear colleagues, real property  
656 taxation is a power vested in the Sangguniang Panlalawigan and RA 12001 provides for  
657 exceptions for this when the property is action or subject to compromise for payment of  
658 taxes. It's not absolute but it could appear that the Ordinance of Palompon, Leyte makes  
659 it absolute without the limitations which will be dangerous as far as the coffers of the  
660 Provincial Government is concerned. So, if the Honorable Rama would be amenable,  
661 perhaps, we could refer the Ordinance of Palompon to the Committee on Rules for further  
662 study.

663 HON. VINCENT L. RAMA: 4<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

664 I wholeheartedly agree, Mr. Chair.

665 HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2<sup>ND</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

666 Mr. Chairman?

667 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

668 Go ahead, please.

669 HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2<sup>ND</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

670 Mr. Chairman, I agree with the observation and manifestation of our intelligent  
671 Floor Leader, Honorable Carlo Loreto.

672 HON. RONNAN CHRISTIAN M. REPOSAR: 1<sup>ST</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

673 I second the motion and no objection, Mr. Chair.

674 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

675 Duly seconded.

676 Any other manifestations?

677 Hearing none, motion is approved. (Item No. 22 & 24) **RES. NO. 2025-215**

678 Approved unanimously. (Item No. 23) **RES. NO. 2025-216**

679 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

680 Thank you, Mr. Chair. We now proceed to Item No. 25, Madam Secretary, please.

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

682 **ITEM NO. 25**

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684 Presented for consideration is **Ordinance No.**  
685 **2025-05** of **Javier, Leyte**, entitled: **“AN ORDINANCE**  
686 **CREATING THE MUNICIPAL ASF TASK FORCE AND**  
687 **TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP, AND ADOPTING AND**  
688 **IMPLEMENTING THE “BANTAY ASF SA BARANGAY” OR**  
689 **THE “BABay ASF PROGRAM”, AND PROVIDING POWERS**  
690 **THEREOF, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.”** Same is  
691 recommended for the declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the  
692 Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> indorsement dated March 27,  
693 2025.

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695 **ITEM NO. 26**

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697 Presented for consideration is **Ordinance No.**  
698 **2025-07** of **Javier, Leyte**, entitled: **“AN ORDINANCE**  
699 **PROHIBITING ANY PERSON OR PERSONS OR**  
700 **ESTABLISHMENTS TO SELL OR DISPENSE ALCOHOLIC**  
701 **DRINKS OR BEVERAGES TO MINORS AND PROVIDING**  
702 **PENALTIES THEREOF.”** Same is recommended for the  
703 declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup>  
704 indorsement dated March 27, 2025.

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706 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

707 Mr. Chair, there are two items from the 5<sup>th</sup> Distict. Will you please recognize my  
708 active partner, the Honorable Mike Cari?

709 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

710 Honorable Mike Cari, you are recognized.

711 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: 5<sup>TH</sup> DIST. BOARD MEMBER

712 Good morning, Mr. Chair and Mr. Floor Leader.

713 I would like to pass an omnibus resolution regarding Item nos. 25 and 26 which  
714 are both are in accordance to the Provincial Legal Office and recommended for validity.

715 Item No. 25 Is Ordinance No. 2025-05 Of Javier, Leyte, Entitled: “An Ordinance Creating  
716 The Municipal ASF Task Force And Technical Working Group, And Adopting And  
717 Implementing The “Bantay ASF Sa Barangay” Or The “BABay ASF Program”, And  
718 Providing Powers Thereof, And For Other Purposes.”

719 Item No. 26 Is Ordinance No. 2025-07 Of Javier, Leyte, Entitled: "An Ordinance  
720 Prohibiting Any Person Or Persons Or Establishments To Sell Or Dispense Alcoholic  
721 Drinks Or Beverages To Minors And Providing Penalties Thereof."

722 I therefor move for the approval of Item nos. 25 and 26. I so move.

723 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

724 Second

725 HON. VINCENT L. RAMA: 4<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

726 Second.

727 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

728 Duly seconded.

729 Any questions?

730 Hearing none, motion is approved.

731 Approved unanimously.

**RES. NO. 2025-217**

732 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

733 Thank you, Mr. Chair. We now proceed to Item No. 27, Madam Secretary, please.

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

735 **ITEM NO. 27**

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Presented for consideration is a letter dated April 22, 2025 from the **Provincial Governor Carlos Jericho L. Petilla** requesting **AUTHORITY to enter into a Memorandum of Agreement with the University of the Philippines Asian Institute of Tourism (UP-AIT)** in partnership to develop the **LEYTE PROVINCIAL TOURISM DEVELOPMENT PLAN**, ensuring a strategic and sustainable approach to enhancing the province's tourism potential.

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

Mr. Chair, may I be recognized?

HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

Honorable Floor Leader, you are recognized.

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

Thank you, Mr. Chair.

752 Mr. Chair, I move to favorably consider the request for authority of the Governor

753 Carlos Jericho L. Petilla. I so move.

754 HON. RONNAN CHRISTIAN M. REPOSAR: 1<sup>ST</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

755 Second

756 HON. VINCENT L. RAMA: 4<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

757 Second.

758 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

759 Duly seconded.

760 Any questions?

761 Hearing none, motion is approved.

762 Approved unanimously.

**RES. NO. 2025-218**

763 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

764 Thank you, Mr. Chair. We now proceed to Item No. 28, Madam Secretary, please.

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

766 **ITEM NO. 28**

767 Presented for consideration is **General Fund**  
768 **Annual Budget CY 2025 of Isabel, Leyte** amounting to  
769 **Php295,000,000.00** under **Appropriation Ordinance No. 05,**  
770 **series of 2024.** Same is recommended for **APPROVAL** with  
771 **CONDITIONS** by the Local Finance Committee per review letter  
772 dated April 21, 2025, together with **Annual investment**  
773 **Program (AIP) CY 2025** in the amount of **Php1,375,500,000.00.**

774 **ITEM NO. 29**

775 Presented for consideration is **General Fund**  
776 **Supplemental Budget No. 01 FY 2025 of Tunga, Leyte**  
777 amounting to **Php7,168,434.17** under **Appropriation**  
778 **Ordinance No. 01, series of 2025.** Same is recommended for  
779 **APPROVAL** with **CONDITIONS** by the Local Finance  
780 Committee per review letter dated April 23, 2025, together with  
781 **CY 2025 Supplemental Investment Program (SIP) No. 02** the  
782 amount of **Php8,300,000.00.**

783 **ITEM NO. 30**

784 Presented for consideration is **General Fund**  
785 **Supplemental Budget No. 2 CY 2024 of Mayorga, Leyte**  
786 amounting to **Php1,216,000.00** under **Appropriation Ordinance**  
787 **No. 03, series of 2024.** Same is recommended for **APPROVAL**  
788 with **CONDITIONS** by the Local Finance Committee per review  
789 letter dated April 23, 2025, together with **CY 2025 Supplemental**  
790 **Annual Investment Plan (AIP) 2024** of the same amount.

795 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

796 Mr. Chair, there are several budgets, Item nos. 28, 29 and 30. Will you please  
797 recognize the very active and dynamic knowledgeable Chairman of Committee on Budget  
798 and Management, the Honorable Uy?

799 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

800 Honorable Uy, you are recognized.

801 HON. WILSON S. UY: 1<sup>ST</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

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

803 Item No. 28 is General Fund Annual Budget CY 2025 of Isabel, Leyte amounting  
804 to Php295,000,000.00 under Appropriation Ordinance No. 05, series of 2024. together  
805 with Annual investment Program (AIP) CY 2025 in the amount of Php1,375,500,000.00.

806 Item No. 29 is General Fund Supplemental Budget No. 01 FY 2025 of Tunga, Leyte  
807 amounting to Php7,168,434.17 together with CY 2025 Supplemental Investment Program  
808 (SIP) No. 02 in the amount of Php8,300,000.00.

809 Item No. 30 is General Fund Supplemental Budget No. 2 CY 2024 of Mayorga,  
810 Leyte amounting to Php1,216,000.00 together with CY 2025 Supplemental Annual  
811 Investment Plan (AIP) 2024 of the same amount.

812 Mr. Chair, if my motion is in order, I move that we approve item nos. 28, 29 and 30  
813 with the conditions set forth by the Local Finance Committee per review. I so move.

814 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

815 Second.

816 HON. TRINIDAD G. APOSTOL: 2<sup>ND</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

817 Second.

818 HON. RAISSA J. VILLASIN: 2<sup>ND</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

819 Second.

820 HON. VINCENT L. RAMA: 4<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

821 Second.

822 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

823 Duly seconded.

824 Any questions?

825 Hearing none, motion is approved.

826 Approved unanimously. **RES. NO. 2025-219**

827 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

828 We have no items in our agenda, Mr. Chair. We now proceed to Other Matters.

829 Mr. Chair, today is a glorious day because not only is the 2<sup>nd</sup> District Congressman,

830 Honorable Lolita Karen Javier, in attendance in our session, it is also the birthday of

831 Governor Carlos Jericho Petilla, Mayor Jass Tañala, and Dr. Noreen Cari. If I may be

832 allowed Mr. Chair, may I be allowed to sing?

833 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

834 Go ahead, Floor Leader.

835 *(Everybody sings a Happy Birthday song)*

836 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

837 About our schedule, lets take it up now.

838 The week after next week is already the election week. So, I don't think it's

839 appropriate and I think there is no time for session.

840 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

841 Yes, Mr. Chair, it's a non-working holiday.

842 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

843 The Monday on that week is already the Election Day and it's also a very tedious

844 week for all of us. So, shall we declare a recess first?

845 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

846 Yes, Mr. Chair. So, I therefor move that we have a recess. I so move.

847 HON. VINCENT L. RAMA: 4<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

848 Second.

849 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

850 It has been seconded. Any questions?

851 Hearing none, motion is approved.

852 Approved unanimously. **RES. NO. 2025-220**

853 HON. MA. MARTINA L. GIMENEZ: EX-OFFICIO MEMBER, LIGA NG MGA BRGY PRESIDENT  
854 Mr. Chair?  
855 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR  
856 Go ahead, Honorable Gimenez.  
857 HON. MA. MARTINA L. GIMENEZ: EX-OFFICIO MEMBER, LIGA NG MGA BRGY PRESIDENT  
858 Before we end, I would also like to greet Honorable Vince Rama a belated Happy  
859 Birthday.  
860 HON. VINCENT L. RAMA: 4<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER  
861 Thank you, guys.  
862 HON. RAISSA J. VILLASIN: 2<sup>ND</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER  
863 Mr. Chair, I have one for Other Matters.  
864 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR  
865 Go ahead, Honorable Villasin.  
866 HON. RAISSA J. VILLASIN: 2<sup>ND</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER  
867 The former mayor of MacArthur, Leyte, Mayor Leonardo Leria Sr., passed away  
868 last Thursday. If my motion is in order, I would like to move to pass a resolution condoling  
869 with the family of the former mayor of MacArthur, Leyte, Mayor Leonardo Leria Sr., who  
870 passed away last April 24, 2025. I so move.  
871 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER  
872 Second.  
873 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: 5<sup>TH</sup> DIST. BOARD MEMBER  
874 Second.  
875 HON. VINCENT L. RAMA: 4<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER  
876 Second.  
877 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR  
878 It has been seconded.  
879 Any questions?  
880 Hearing none, motion is approved.  
881 Approved unanimously.

**RES. NO. 2025-221**



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

883 Mr. Chair, I also have one for Other Matters.

884 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

885 Go ahead, Honorable Carmen Cari.

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

887 Mr. Chair, I would like to pass a resolution of condolence to the death of the famous  
888 Lawyer, Atty. Estelito Mendoza, who helped us in the Cityhood not only in Baybay City  
889 but also in 15 others. He was our lawyer and as a sign of gratitude, I would like to pass  
890 the said resolution of condolence to his family. I so move.

891 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

892 Second.

893 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: 5<sup>TH</sup> DIST. BOARD MEMBER

894 Second.

895 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

896 It has been seconded.

897 Any questions?

898 Hearing none, motion is approved.

899 Approved unanimously.

**RES. NO. 2025-222**

900 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

901 Mr. Chair?

902 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

903 Go ahead, Honorable Floor Leader.

904 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

905 Another gentleman from Baybay City also passed away. He is a Barangay Captain  
906 and a good friend of Honorable Mike Cari and mine. If I may be allowed, I would like to  
907 request Honorable Mike Cari to join me in moving for the passage of a resolution of  
908 condolences to Honorable Alfred Licaros.

909 HON. MA. MARTINA L. GIMENEZ:EX-OFFICIO MEMBER, LIGA NG MGA BRGY PRESIDENT

910 Second.

911 HON. CARMEN L. CARI: EX-OFFICIO MEMBER, PCL PRESIDENT  
912 Mr. Chair?  
913 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR  
914 Go ahead, Honorable Carmen Cari.  
915 HON. CARMEN L. CARI: EX-OFFICIO MEMBER, PCL PRESIDENT  
916 If it's okay with Honorable Carlo, please include me as a co movant for the  
917 resolution.  
918 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER  
919 Gladly, Honorable Carmen Cari.  
920 Mr. Chair, it's a triple motion.  
921 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR  
922 It has been seconded.  
923 Any questions?  
924 Hearing none, motion is approved.  
925 Approved unanimously. **RES. NO. 2025-223**  
926 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER  
927 Mr. Chair, Will you please recognize the Honorable Lumen?  
928 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR  
929 The Honorable Lumen is recognized.  
930 HON. MJ LUINLY D. LUMEN: PROVL SANG. KABATAAN FEDERATION PRESIDENT  
931 Thank you, Mr. Chair. Thank you, Mr. Floor Leader.  
932 If there are no other matters, I move to adjourn.  
933 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER  
934 Second.  
935 HON. MICHAEL L. CARI: 5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER  
936 Second.  
937 HON. RAISSA J. VILLASIN: 2<sup>ND</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER  
938 Second.  
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940 HON. MA. CORAZON E. REMANDABAN: 3<sup>RD</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

941 Second.

942 HON. MARIE KATHRYN V. KABIGTING: 3<sup>RD</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

943 Second.

944 HON. MA. MARTINA L. GIMENEZ:EX-OFFICIO MEMBER, LIGA NG MGA BRGY PRESIDENT

945 Second.

946 HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.: PRESIDING OFFICER/VICE-GOVERNOR

947 It has been seconded. So, the session is adjourned.

948 (The regular session is adjourned at 11:15 o'clock in the morning

949 Honorable Mike Cari led the closing prayer)

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