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Sangguniang Panlalawigan
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2nd INDORSEMENT
May 26, 2025

Respectfully returned to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Leyte, through the SP Secretary, the attached Ordinance No. 2025-007 of the Sangguniang Bayan of Calubian, Leyte.

Issues/concerns for review/recommendation/legal opinion is/are as follows:

- Ordinance No. 2025-007 entitled: “ **KADIWA Ordinance of the Municipality of Calubian, Leyte.**”

REVIEW/RECOMMENDATION/LEGAL OPINION:

This office is of the subject Ordinance is generally in accordance with its power under Section 447(5)(iv)¹ of the Local Government Code of 1991 (R.A. 7160). Likewise, this Ordinance is pursuant to the MOA dated July 17, 2023 by and between different national and local agencies for the launching of the KNP program. Hence, we recommend for the declaration of its validity.

We hope to have assisted you with this request. Please note that the opinion rendered by this Office are based on the facts available and may vary or change when additional facts and documents are presented or changed. This opinion is likewise without prejudice to the opinions rendered by higher and competent authorities and/or the courts.

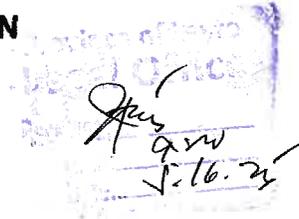

ATTY. JOSE RAYMUND A. ACOL
Provincial Legal Officer

¹ (iv) Regulate the preparation and sale of meat, poultry, fish, vegetables, fruits, fresh dairy products, and other foodstuffs for public consumption;

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OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN

1ST INDORSEMENT
14 May 2025



The Provincial Legal Office is respectfully requested to review and submit recommendations on the herein enclosed **Ordinance No. 2025-007** of the **Municipality of Calubian, Leyte**, entitled: **An Ordinance institutionalizing the Katuwang sa Diwa at Gawa para sa Masaganang Ani at Mataas na Kita (KADIWA) ng Pangulo in the Municipality of Calubian, Leyte.**


FLORINDA JILL S. UYVICO
-Secretary to the Sanggunian

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Municipality of Calubian



OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

April 22, 2025

HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.
Provincial Vice Governor, Presiding Officer; and
The Honorable Members of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan
Province of Leyte
New Leyte Provincial Capitol
Palo, Leyte



THRU: **MS. FLORINDA JILL S. UYVICO**
Provincial Government Department Head
Secretary to the Sanggunian
Province of Leyte

Dear Honorable Ladies/ Gentlemen:

Good day!

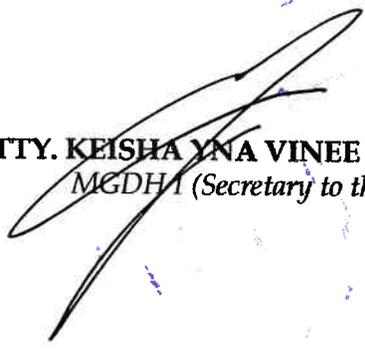
We are respectfully forwarding *fifteen (15) copies* of the following Municipal Ordinances and its supporting attachments for favorable review and approval of the Honorable Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Leyte, to wit:

1. Municipal Ordinance No. No. 2025-007, entitled: "AN ORDINANCE INSTITUTIONALIZING THE KATUWANG SA DIWA AT GAWA PARA SA MASAGANANG ANI AT MATAAS NA KITA (KADIWA) NG PANGULO IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF CALUBIAN, LEYTE"

For your perusal. Please acknowledge receipt hereof.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,


ATTY. KEISHA YNA VINEE V. RAMIREZ
MGDHI (Secretary to the Sanggunian)



OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE ONE HUNDRED NINETEENTH (119TH) REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF CALUBIAN, LEYTE HELD ON March 31, 2025 AT THE SB SESSION HALL, LEGISLATIVE BUILDING.

PRESENT:

- SB Member Noel G. Eamiguel - Member
- SB Member Jullian Marc A. Batiancela - Member
- SB Member Eugenio A. Ching, Jr. - Member
- SB Member Ester P. Lubiano - Member
- SB Member Benjamin A. Calbitaza - Member
- SB Member Julia E. Halichic - Member
- SB Member Lucita A. Palconit - Member



FORCED LEAVE:

- SK Fed. Pres. Carl Ernest D. Ponce - Member
- SB Member Alyza F. Nierras - Member
- Vice Mayor Anna Love Veloso – Laurente - Presiding Officer

OFFICIAL LEAVE:

- Liga ng mga Barangay Pres. Alfredo M. Casas -Member

ORDINANCE NO. 2025-007

AN ORDINANCE INSTITUTIONALIZING THE KATUWANG SA DIWA AT GAWA PARA SA MASAGANANG ANI AT MATAAS NA KITA (KADIWA) NG PANGULO IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF CALUBIAN, LEYTE

INTRODUCED BY: COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTRE

- HON. ESTER P. LUBIANO
- HON. JULIA E. HALICHIC
- HON. EUGENIO A. CHING, JR.
- HON. BENJAMIN A. CALBITAZA

WHEREAS, food security plays a crucial role in bolstering economic stability, driving agricultural productivity, enhancing public health, and fostering social harmony;

WHEREAS, economic growth is driven by increase in investments, productivity, and consumer spending;

WHEREAS, LGUs have a direct impact on the local economy by encouraging business location and incubation, supporting enterprise development, linking local produce to markets, and facilitating job creation and livelihood development leading to sustainable local economic activities;

WHEREAS, the Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG) Memorandum Circular No. 2024-003 enjoins all LGUs to set-up the *KADIWA ng Pangulo* (KNP) in their respective localities in partnership with the Department of Agriculture (DA), Department of Trade and Industry (DTI), Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE), and DILG;

WHEREAS, the KNP is part of the government’s efforts in ensuring stable food supply and affordable products by enabling famers to sell directly to consumers by eliminating market layers;

HON. BENJAMIN A. CALBITAZA

SB Member

HON. NOEL G. EAMIGUEL

SB Member

HON. LUCITA A. PALCONIT

SB Member

HON. EUGENIO A. CHING, JR.

SB Member

HON. JULIA E. HALICHIC

SB Member

HON. ESTER P. LUBIANO

SB Member

WHEREAS, the KNP also ensures value chain development by connecting farmers to markets and ensuring that the value generated by agricultural products is retained within the local economy;

WHEREAS, the advancement of the One Town, One Product (OTOP) initiative boosts growth for local Micro-, Small-, and Medium-scale Enterprises (MSMEs);

WHEREAS, DILG MC No. 2024-003 enjoins LGUs to institutionalize the KNP by enacting an ordinance to that effect;

NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of SB Member Hon. Ester P. Lubiano, duly seconded by Hon. Benjamin A. Calbitaza, and the Majority of all the Sangguniang Bayan members present;

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF CALUBIAN, LEYTE, in a session assembled, THAT:

Section 1. Title. This Ordinance shall be known as the “*KADIWA Ordinance*” of the Municipality of Calubian, Leyte.

Section 2. KADIWA Day Implementation. The KNP shall be conducted at least once a month by the Municipality, preferably every fifteenth (15th) day of every month in an area to be designated by the Local Chief Executive. The day shall be at the discretion of the Local Chief Executive, and should the preferred day fall on a weekend or a holiday, the KNP shall be conducted on any working day preceding such weekend or holiday.

Section 3. Market areas or product clusters. The KNP shall have three (3) market areas or product clusters, as follows:

- a. Agricultural produce such as rice, vegetables, fruits grown by farmers from the various barangays in the municipality;
- b. Processed goods, both food and non-food, the Micro, Small, and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs); and
- c. Ready to eat food for micro-enterprises.

Section 4. Responsibilities of the Local Government Unit (LGU). The LGU, through the Municipal Agriculture Office (MAO) shall have the following responsibilities in the operation of the KNP:

- i. Lead in the overall management and operation of the KADIWA;
- ii. Facilitate the invitation and mobilization of local micro-entrepreneurs, cooperatives, and MSMEs to sell local produce products in the KADIWA;
- iii. Identify and secure a suitable venue for the KADIWA;
- iv. Assign stalls and provide any logistical support to participating sellers;
- v. Promote the KADIWA to the community/ buyers thru information campaign;
- vi. Invite the community/ buyers to participate during the KADIWA Day through information campaign (i.e. posting of tarpaulins or streamers, utilizing the social media, etc.); and
- vii. Coordinate with concerned offices and/ or agencies for guidance in handling, operating and managing the KADIWA, food and market supply, prospective sellers, and other arrangements needed for the maintenance of sanitation, peace, order and public safety every KNP Day.

Section 5. Responsibility of the Barangays. All barangays are encouraged to provide the necessary support in the transport of products and goods of their residents participating in the KNP.

The Punong Barangays are enjoined to promote participation in the KNP among farmers and MSMEs in their respective barangays.

HON. BENJAMIN A. CALBITAZA
SB Member

HON. MOEL G. RAMIGUEL
SB Member

HON. LUCITA A. PALCONIT
SB Member

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SB Member

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SB Member

HON. ESTER P. LUBIANO
SB Member

Section 6. Designation of Focal Person. The Municipal Mayor shall designate a KNP Focal Person who shall come from the MAO and perform the following functions:

1. Take charge in the overall implementation of the KNP;
2. Keep record of data such as member of participants and the amount of revenue generated during such KNP Day, among others and submit the same to the DA and DTI, copy furnished the DILG; and
3. Perform such other duties and functions as may be assigned by the Municipal Mayor.

Section 7. Funding. The funds needed to fully implement this Ordinance shall be allocated in the annual budget of MAO.

Section 8. Repealing Clause. All ordinances, rules, and regulations, other issuances or parts thereof which are inconsistent with this Ordinance is hereby repealed.

Section 9. Separability Clause. If any part of this Ordinance is declared invalid, unconstitutional or unlawful, sections or parts thereof which are not affected shall remain or continue to be in full force and effect.

Section 10. Effectivity. This Ordinance shall take effect after fifteen (15) days from posting, immediately upon approval of the Municipal Mayor, unless otherwise provided by the Honorable Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Leyte.

Approved.

Ordinance No. 2025-007

APPROVED, this 31st day of March, 2025 at Calubian, Leyte.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing Ordinance.

ATTY. KEISHA YNA VINEE V. RAMIREZ
MGDH I (Secretary to the Sanggunian)

ATTESTED BY:

HON. JULIAN MARC A. BATIANCELA
Temporary Presiding Officer

HON. EUGENIO A. CHING, JR.
SB Member

HON. NOEL G. EAMIGUEL
SB Member

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HON. ESTER P. LUBIANO
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HON. LUCITA A. PALCONIT
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HON. BENJAMIN A. CALBITAZA
SB Member

APPROVED:
Date: 16 APR 2025

HON. MARCIANO A. BATIANCELA, JR.
Municipal Mayor



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PROVINCE OF LEYTE
Municipality of Calubian

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
TO THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN
sbsec0813.mgocalubian@gmail.com



CERTIFICATE OF POSTING

TO WHOM THIS MAY CONCERN:

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT the Municipal Ordinance No. 2025-007, entitled: "AN ORDINANCE INSTITUTIONALIZING THE KATUWANG SA DIWA AT GAWA PARA SA MASAGANANG ANI AT MATAAS NA KITA (KADIWA) NG PANGULO IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF CALUBIAN, LEYTE"" was posted on the Bulletin Board of the Sangguniang Bayan on April 21, 2025 and other conspicuous places in the Municipality of Calubian, Leyte, and it will remain posted therein for three (3) consecutive weeks.

THIS CERTIFICATION is issued in compliance with ARTICLE 114 of the Implementing Rules and Regulations of Regulations of Republic Act No. 7160.

ISSUED the 21st day of April, 2025 at the Municipality of Calubian, Leyte.

Very truly yours,


ATTY. KEISHAYNA VINEE V. RAMIREZ
MGDHI (Secretary to the Sanggunian)