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SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN

MINUTES OF THE 25<sup>TH</sup> REGULAR SESSION OF THE 12<sup>TH</sup> SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF LEYTE, HELD AT THE SESSION HALL, LEYTE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT COMPLEX, PALO, LEYTE ON 21 JANUARY 2026

PHYSICALLY PRESENT:

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| 1. Hon. Carlo P. Loreto                             | 5 <sup>th</sup> District Board Member<br>Floor Leader |
| 2. Hon. Ronnan Christian M. Reposar                 | 1 <sup>st</sup> District Board Member                 |
| 3. Hon. Wilson S. Uy                                | 1 <sup>st</sup> District Board Member                 |
| 4. Hon. Raissa J. Villasin                          | 2 <sup>nd</sup> District Board Member                 |
| 5. Hon. Mildred Joy P. Que                          | 2 <sup>nd</sup> District Board Member                 |
| 6. Hon. Marie Kathryn V. Kabigting                  | 3 <sup>rd</sup> District Board Member                 |
| 7. Hon. Flaviano C. Centino, Jr.                    | 4 <sup>th</sup> District Board Member                 |
| 8. Hon. Ma. Martina L. Gimenez<br>Ex-Officio Member | Liga ng mga Barangay President                        |

VIRTUALLY PRESENT:

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| 1. Hon. Leonardo M. Javier, Jr.    | Vice-Governor/Presiding Officer              |
| 2. Hon. Alan P. Ang                | 3 <sup>rd</sup> District Board Member        |
| 3. Hon. Michael L. Cari            | 5 <sup>th</sup> District Board Member        |
| 4. Hon. Carmen L. Cari             | PCL President/Ex-Officio Member              |
| 5. Hon. Elmer Frederico N. Codilla | 4 <sup>th</sup> District Board Member        |
| 6. Hon. MJ Luinly D. Lumen         | SK Federation President<br>Ex-Officio Member |

The 25<sup>th</sup> Regular Session opened at 11:30 o'clock in the morning presided over by the Honorable Leonardo M. Javier, Jr., Vice-Governor of Leyte.

Opening Prayer was led by the Honorable Michael L. Cari, 5<sup>th</sup> 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 Raissa J. Villasin, 2<sup>nd</sup> District Board Member and Flaviano C. Centino, Jr., 4<sup>th</sup> District Board Member. Considering that there was no objection, the motion was carried.

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

51 MRS. FLORINDA JILL S. UYVICO: SP SECRETARY

52 The following Members are in attendance:

53 PHYSICALLY PRESENT:

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56 Hon. Carlo P. Loreto - Floor Leader  
57 Hon. Ronnan Christian M. Reposar  
58 Hon. Wilson S. Uy  
59 Hon. Raissa J. Villasin  
60 Hon. Mildred Joy P. Que  
61 Hon. Marie Kathryn V. Kabigting  
62 Hon. Flaviano C. Centino, Jr.  
63 Hon. Ma. Martina L. Gimenez  
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67 Hon. Leonardo M. Javier, Jr. - Presiding Officer  
68 Hon. Alan P. Ang  
69 Hon. Michael L. Cari  
70 Hon. Carmen L. Cari  
71 Hon. Elmer Frederico N. Codilla  
72 Hon. MJ Luinly D. Lumen  
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74 Fourteen (14) Members are present, Mr. Chair, Mr. Floor Leader.

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

76 We have a quorum, Mr. Chair.

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

78 Okay, we have a quorum to do business.

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

80 Thank you, Mr. Chair. We now proceed to the consideration of the minutes of the  
81 previous session of January 13, 2025. I so move.

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

83 Second.

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

85 Second.

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

87 Second.

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

89 It's been seconded.

90 Motion is approved.

91 Approved unanimously.

RES. NO. 2026-651

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

93 Thank you, Mr. Chair. We now proceed to the Business of the Day. Item no. 1, Madam  
94 Secretary, please.

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

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**BUSINESS OF THE DAY:**

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**ITEM NO. 01**

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

122 Mr. Chair, will you please recognize the Honorable Reposar?

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

124 The Honorable Reposar is recognized.

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

126 Thank you very much, Honorable Chair and Honorable Floor Leader.

127 Items no. 1 and 2 have been thoroughly reviewed by the Provincial Legal Office and  
128 having been found to be within the powers under Section 447 of the Local Government Code

129 of 191. With that being said, Mr. Chair, I would like to pass an omnibus resolution declaring  
130 valid Municipal Ordinance No. 24, Series Of 2025 Of The Municipality Of Alangalang, Leyte  
131 and Municipal Ordinance No. 200-13, Series Of 2025 Of The Municipality Of San Miguel,  
132 Leyte. I so move.

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

134 Second.

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

136 Second.

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

138 Duly seconded.

139 Any questions?

140 Hearing none, motion is approved.

141 Approved unanimously.

**RES. NO. 2026-652**

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

143 Thank you, Mr. Chair. We now proceed to the next item. Item no. 3, Madam Secretary,  
144 please.

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

146 **ITEM NO. 03**

147 Presented for consideration is **MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE**  
148 **No. 2025-007, SERIES OF 2025** of the **Municipality of Carigara, Leyte**,  
149 entitled: **"AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE SALE, DISPENSING,**  
150 **DISTRIBUTION, RESELLING OF ANY PHARMACEUTICAL PRODUCTS IN**  
151 **SARI-SARI STORES AND OTHER SIMILAR RETAIL OUTLETS WITHIN THE**  
152 **TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF THE MUNCIPALITY OF CARIGARA AND**  
153 **PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF."** Same is  
154 recommended for the declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial  
155 Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> Indorsement dated December 23, 2025.

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157 **ITEM NO. 04**

158 Presented for consideration is **MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE**  
159 **No. 09, SERIES OF 2025** of the **Municipality of La Paz, Leyte**, entitled:  
160 **"AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE GUIDELINES IN THE PROPOSAL,**  
161 **APPLICATIONS, RECOMMENDATIONS OR REQUESTS FOR THE NAMING**  
162 **AND RENAMING OF PUBLIC STREETS, SCHOOLS, PLAZAS, BUILDINGS**  
163 **AND BRIDGES WITHIN THE MUNICIPALITY OF LA PAZ, LEYTE."** Same is  
164 recommended for the declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial  
165 Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> Indorsement dated December 23, 2025.

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**ITEM NO. 05**

Presented for consideration is **MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE No. 14, SERIES OF 2025** of the **Municipality of Jaro, Leyte**, entitled: **"THE 2025 REVISED ORDINANCE ON GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT (GAD) CODE FOR THE MUNICIPALITY OF JARO, LEYTE."** Same is recommended for the declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> Indorsement dated December 23, 2025.

**ITEM NO. 06**

Presented for consideration is **MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE No. 001-2025, SERIES OF 2025** of the **Municipality of Pastrana, Leyte**, entitled: **"AN ORDINANCE INSTITUTIONALIZING KEY ASSISTANCE FOR DEVELOPING ADOLESCENTS (KADA) IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF PASTRANA, LEYTE."** Same is recommended for the declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> Indorsement dated December 23, 2025.

**ITEM NO. 07**

Presented for consideration is **MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE No. 002-2025, SERIES OF 2025** of the **Municipality of Pastrana, Leyte**, entitled: **"AN ORDINANCE ON PHILHEALTH CAPITATION FUND DISPOSITION AND MANAGEMENT FROM THE PROCEEDS OF KONSULTASYONG SULIT AT TAMA (KONSULTA) PACKAGE IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF PASTRANA, LEYTE."** Same is recommended for the declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> Indorsement dated December 15, 2025.

**ITEM NO. 08**

Presented for consideration is **MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE No. 10, SERIES OF 2025** of the **Municipality of Tunga, Leyte**, entitled: **"AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE ANNUAL CASH ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FOR SENIOR CITIZENS AND PERSONS WITH DISABILITY (PWD) OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF TUNGA, 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 December 15, 2025.

**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. Items no. 3 – 8. Will you please recognize the birthday girl, the Honorable Joy Que?

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

You are recognized Honorable Que. Happy Birthday. Go ahead, please.

**HON. MILDRED JOY P. QUE: 2<sup>ND</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER**

Thank you, Presiding Chair and Honorable Floor Leader.

210 First is the Municipal Ordinance No. 2025-007, Series Of 2025 of The Municipality of  
211 Carigara, Leyte, entitled: "An Ordinance Prohibiting the Sale, Dispensing, Distribution,  
212 Reselling of Any Pharmaceutical Products in Sari-Sari Stores and Other Similar Retail Outlets  
213 Within the Territorial Jurisdiction of The Municipality of Carigara and Providing Penalties for  
214 Violations Thereof."

215 Second is the Municipal Ordinance No. 09, Series Of 2025 of The Municipality Of La  
216 Paz, Leyte, entitled: "An Ordinance Establishing the Guidelines in The Proposal, Applications,  
217 Recommendations or Requests for The Naming and Renaming of Public Streets, Schools,  
218 Plazas, Buildings and Bridges Within the Municipality Of La Paz, Leyte."

219 Third is Municipal Ordinance No. 14, Series Of 2025 of The Municipality of Jaro, Leyte,  
220 Entitled: "The 2025 Revised Ordinance on Gender and Development (Gad) Code for The  
221 Municipality of Jaro, Leyte."

222 Fourth is Municipal Ordinance No. 001-2025, Series Of 2025 of The Municipality of  
223 Pastrana, Leyte, entitled: "An Ordinance Institutionalizing Key Assistance for Developing  
224 Adolescents (Kada) In the Municipality of Pastrana, Leyte."

225 Next is the Municipal Ordinance No. 002-2025, Series Of 2025 of The Municipality of  
226 Pastrana, Leyte, Entitled: "An Ordinance on Philhealth Capitation Fund Disposition and  
227 Management from The Proceeds of Konsultasyong Sulit at Tama (KONSULTA) Package in  
228 The Municipality of Pastrana, Leyte."

229 And lastly is Municipal Ordinance No. 10, Series Of 2025 of The Municipality of Tunga,  
230 Leyte, entitled: "An Ordinance Establishing the Annual Cash Assistance Program for Senior  
231 Citizens and Persons with Disability (PWD) Of the Municipality of Tunga, Leyte, Appropriating  
232 Funds Therefor, And for Other Purposes."

233 All six items from the 2<sup>nd</sup> District have been thoroughly reviewed by our Provincial Legal  
234 Office and hereby declared valid, I so move that the same be approved by the Sangguniang  
235 Panlalawigan.

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

237 Second.

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

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

242 Second.

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

244 Duly seconded.

245 Any questions?

246 Hearing none, motion is approved.

247 Approved unanimously.

**RES. NO. 2026-653**

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

249 Thank you, Mr. Chair. We now proceed to the next item. Item no. 09, Madam Secretary,  
250 please.

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

252 **ITEM NO. 09**

253 Presented for consideration is **MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE**  
254 **No. 2025-014, SERIES OF 2025** of the **Municipality of Calubian, Leyte**,  
255 entitled: "**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER III, ARTICLE E ON FEES**  
256 **ON IMPOUNDING OF ASTRAY ANIMALS; CHAPTER III, ARTICLE I ON**  
257 **REGISTRATION AND TRANSFER FEES ON LARGE CATTLE; AND CHAPTER**  
258 **IV, ARTICLE F ON DOG VACCINATION FEE, OF MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE**  
259 **NO. 2023-01 OTHERWISE KNOWN AS "AN ORDINANCE REVISING THE**  
260 **MUNICIPAL REVENUE CODE."** Same is recommended for the  
261 declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup>  
262 Indorsement dated December 15, 2025.  
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264 **ITEM NO. 10**

265 Presented for consideration is **MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE**  
266 **No. 2025-015**, of the **Municipality of Calubian, Leyte**, entitled: "**AN**  
267 **ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER III ON PERMIT AND REGULATORY**  
268 **FEES AS TO FINES AND PENALTIES, TEMPORARY OR PERMANENT**  
269 **CLOSURES, AND CLEAR ENFORCEMENT MECHANISM AND GRACE**  
270 **PERIOD FOR COMPLIANCE, OF MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 2023-01**  
271 **OTHERWISE KNOWN AS "AN ORDINANCE REVISING THE MUNICIPAL**  
272 **REVENUE CODE."** Same is recommended for the declaration of its  
273 **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> Indorsement dated  
274 December 23, 2025.  
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**ITEM NO. 11**

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Presented for consideration is **MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE No. 2025-016**, of the **Municipality of Calubian, Leyte**, entitled: **“AN ORDINANCE GRANTING AUTHORITY TO HONORABLE ANNA LOVE VELOSO LAURENTE, MUNICIPAL VICE MAYOR OF CALUBIAN, LEYTE, TO SIGN AND ENTER INTO CONTRACT OF SERVICE WITH JOB ORDER (JO) SERVICE PROVIDERS AND CASUAL EMPLOYEES IN THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN (SB) TO BE HIRED IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF PROJECTS, PROGRAMS, ACTIVITIES AND HAVE THEM PERFORM TASKS IN THEIR AREAS OF CONCERN IN THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT OF CALUBIAN, LEYTE AND TO PROVIDE FUNDS THEREOF.”** Same is recommended for the declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> Indorsement dated December 23, 2025.

**ITEM NO. 12**

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Presented for consideration is **MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE No. 2025-018, SERIES OF 2025** of the **Municipality of Calubian, Leyte**, entitled: **“AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A SYSTEM OF PARTNERSHIP FOR PARTICIPATORY GOVERNANCE BETWEEN THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT OF CALUBIAN, LEYTE AND THE PEOPLE OF CALUBIAN, LEYTE.”** Same is recommended for the declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> Indorsement dated December 23, 2025.

**ITEM NO. 13**

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Presented for consideration is **MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE No. 179, SERIES OF 2025** of the **Municipality of San Isidro, Leyte**, entitled: **“AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE NEW SIDRRMC LOGO OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF SAN ISIDRO, LEYTE PRESCRIBING ITS USE, AND IMPOSING PENALTIES FOR UNAUTHORIZED USE THEREOF.”** Same is recommended for the declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> Indorsement dated December 23, 2025.

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

312 Mr. Chair, there are several items from the 3<sup>rd</sup> District. Will you please recognize the  
313 Honorable Kabigting?

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

You are recognized Honorable Kabigting.

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

Thank you, Mr. Chair and Honorable Floor Leader.

We have 5 Ordinances coming from the 3<sup>rd</sup> District of Leyte.

Municipal Ordinance No. 2025-014, Series Of 2025 of The Municipality of Calubian,  
320 Leyte is under agenda no. 9, Municipal Ordinance No. 2025-015 Of The Municipality Of

321 Calubian, Leyte under agenda no. 10, Municipal Ordinance No. 2025-016 Of The Municipality  
322 Of Calubian, Leyte under agenda no. 11, Municipal Ordinance No. 2025-018 Series Of 2025  
323 Of The Municipality Of Calubian, Leyte under agenda no. 12 and Municipal Ordinance No. 179,  
324 Series Of 2025 Of The Municipality Of San Isidro, Leyte under agenda no. 13.

325 All these five ordinances have been thoroughly reviewed by the Provincial Legal Office  
326 and have been recommended for the declaration of its validity based on various sections of  
327 the Local Government Code. If my motion is in order, I would like to move for an omnibus  
328 motion for the approval of agenda items no. 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13. I so move.

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

330 Second.

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

332 Second.

333 HON. ALAN P. ANG: 3<sup>RD</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

334 Second.

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

336 Duly seconded.

337 Hearing none, motion is approved.

338 Approved unanimously.

**RES. NO. 2026-654**

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

340 Thank you, Mr. Chair. We now proceed to the next item. Item no. 14, Madam Secretary,  
341 please.

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

343 **ITEM NO. 14**

344 Presented for consideration is **MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE**  
345 **No. 24L.25-008, SERIES OF 2025** of the **Municipality of Kananga, Leyte**,  
346 entitled: "**AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE BANTAY ASF SA BARANGAY**  
347 **OR THE BABAY ASF PROGRAM IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF KANANGA**  
348 **LEYTE PROVIDING FOR THE CREATION OF THE MUNICIPAL ASF TASK**  
349 **FORCE AND PRESCRIBING THE FUNCTIONS AND PROVIDING FUNDS**  
350 **THEREOF.**" Same is recommended for the declaration of its **VALIDITY**  
351 by the Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> Indorsement dated December  
352 23, 2025.  
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**ITEM NO. 15**

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Presented for consideration is **MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE No. 213** of the **Municipality of Matag-ob, Leyte**, entitled: **"AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING ANY ILLEGAL STRUCTURES AND OBSTRUCTIONS ON PUBLIC ROADS AND OTHER SIMILAR PUBLIC PLACES WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF MATAG-OB, LEYTE."** Same is recommended for the declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> Indorsement dated December 3, 2025.

**ITEM NO. 16**

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Presented for consideration is **MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE No. 216** of the **Municipality of Matag-ob, Leyte**, entitled: **"AN ORDINANCE SETTING STANDARD MENUS FOR CATERERS PROVIDING SERVICES IN THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT (LGU) OF MATAG-OB, LEYTE DURING SPONSORED OCCASIONS AND OTHER EVENTS."** Same is recommended for the declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> Indorsement dated December 23, 2025.

**ITEM NO. 17**

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Presented for consideration is **MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE No. 217** of the **Municipality of Matag-ob, Leyte**, entitled: **"AN ORDINANCE LOCALIZING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 11313, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE "SAFE SPACES ACT," TO ADDRESS GENDER-BASED SEXUAL HARRASMENT IN STREETS, PUBLIC SPACES, WORKPLACES, EDUCATIONAL AND TRAINING INSTITUTIONS, AND ONLINE PLATFORMS IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF MATAG-OB, LEYTE."** Same is recommended for the declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> Indorsement dated December 23, 2025.

**ITEM NO. 18**

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Presented for consideration is **MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE No. 227, SERIES OF 2025** of the **Municipality of Matag-ob, Leyte**, entitled: **"AN ORDINANCE ENCOURAGING THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT OF MATAG-OB, LEYTE TO ALLOCATE EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES FOR QUALIFIED SENIOR CITIZENS AND ENCOURAGING PRIVATE COMPANIES, ESTABLISHMENTS, AND COOPERATIVES WITHIN THE MUNICIPALITY TO HIRE SENIOR CITIZENS WHO ARE STILL CAPABLE OF WORKING, PROVIDING MECHANISMS FOR IMPLEMENTATION, 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 December 4, 2025.

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

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Mr. Chair, there are several items from the 4<sup>th</sup> District of Leyte. These are items no. 1 to 18. Will you please recognize the Honorable Centino?

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

402 Honorable Centino, please.

403 HON. FLAVIANO C. CENTINO, JR.: 4<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

404 Good morning, Honorable Presiding Chair and Mr. Floor Leader.

405 Before anything else, Mr. Chair, I just would like to congratulate my partner, Honorable  
406 Codilla. His wife just gave birth to their baby last night. It's going to be a sleepless night, partner.  
407 Congratulations.

408 HON. ELMER FREDERICO N. CODILLA: 4<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

409 Thank you so much my partner, Honorable Centino.

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

411 Congratulations, Honorable Rico.

412 HON. ELMER FREDERICO N. CODILLA: 4<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

413 Thank you, Vice Gov.

414 HON. FLAVIANO C. CENTINO, JR.: 4<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

415 Mr. Chair, item no. 14 is Municipal Ordinance No. 241.25-008, Series Of 2025 of The  
416 Municipality of Kananga, Leyte, entitled: "An Ordinance Adopting the Bantay ASF Sa Barangay  
417 or The Babay ASF Program in The Municipality of Kananga Leyte Providing for The Creation  
418 of The Municipal ASF Task Force and Prescribing the Functions and Providing Funds Thereof."

419 Mr. Chair, I move for the approval of item no. 14 since it was declared valid by the  
420 Provincial Legal Office and was endorsed dated December 23, 2025. I so move.

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

422 Second.

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

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425 HON. ELMER FREDERICO N. CODILLA: 4<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

426 Second.

427 HON. FLAVIANO C. CENTINO, JR.: 4<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

428 Mr. Chair, item no. 15, 16, 17 and 18 are all coming from Municipality of Matag-ob. I  
429 move for an omnibus motion for the approval of Item no 15, the Municipal Ordinance No. 213

430 Of the Municipality of Matag-Ob, Leyte, entitled: "An Ordinance Prohibiting Any Illegal  
431 Structures and Obstructions on Public Roads and Other Similar Public Places Within the  
432 Territorial Jurisdiction of The Municipality of Matag-Ob, Leyte.", Item no. 16, the Municipal  
433 Ordinance No. 216 Of the Municipality of Matag-Ob, Leyte, entitled: "An Ordinance Setting  
434 Standard Menus for Caterers Providing Services in The Local Government Unit (Lgu) Of  
435 Matag-Ob, Leyte During Sponsored Occasions and Other Events.", Item no.17, the Municipal  
436 Ordinance No. 217 Of the Municipality of Matag-Ob, Leyte, entitled: "An Ordinance Localizing  
437 the Implementation of Republic Act No. 11313, Otherwise Known as Tthe "Safe Spaces Act,"  
438 To Address Gender-Based Sexual Harassment in Streets, Public Spaces, Workplaces,  
439 Educational and Training Institutions, And Online Platforms in The Municipality of Matag-Ob,  
440 Leyte.", and Item no. 18, the Municipal Ordinance No. 227, Series Of 2025 Of the Municipality  
441 of Matag-Ob, Leyte, entitled: "An Ordinance Encouraging the Local Government of Matag-Ob,  
442 Leyte to Allocate Employment Opportunities for Qualified Senior Citizens and Encouraging  
443 Private Companies, Establishments, And Cooperatives Within the Municipality to Hire Senior  
444 Citizens Who Are Still Capable of Working, Providing Mechanisms for Implementation, And for  
445 Other Purposes."

446 I therefor move for the approval of Items no. 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18. I so move.

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

448 Second.

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

450 Second.

451 HON. ELMER FREDERICO N. CODILLA: 4<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

452 Second.

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

454 Duly seconded.

455 Any questions?

456 Hearing none, motion is approved.

457 Approved unanimously.

**RES. NO. 2026-655**

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

460 Thank you, Mr. Chair. We now proceed to the next item. Item no. 19, Madam Secretary,  
461 please.

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

463 **ITEM NO. 19**

464 Presented for consideration is **MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE**  
465 **No. 2025-05**, of the **Municipality of Hindang, Leyte**, entitled: "**AN**  
466 **ORDINANCE DECLARING EVERY FRIDAY AS "NO PLASTIC DAY" IN THE**  
467 **MUNICIPALITY OF HINDANG, PROHIBITING THE USE OF SINGLE-USE**  
468 **PLASTIC MATERIALS, PROMOTING THE USE OF ECO-FRIENDLY**  
469 **ALTERNATIVES AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF."**  
470 Same is recommended for the declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the  
471 Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup> Indorsement dated December 3, 2025.  
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473 **ITEM NO. 20**

474 Presented for consideration is **MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE**  
475 **No. 2025-06**, of the **Municipality of Hindang, Leyte**, entitled: "**AN**  
476 **ORDINANCE STRENGTHENING THE IMPLEMENTATION AND**  
477 **MONITORING OF RA 8172, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS AN ACT**  
478 **PROMOTING SALT IODIZATION NATIONWIDE (ASIN) ORGANIZING THE**  
479 **BANTAY ASIN TASK FORCE (BATF) AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES IN THE**  
480 **MUNICIPALITY OF HINDANG, LEYTE."** Same is recommended for the  
481 declaration of its **VALIDITY** by the Provincial Legal Office per 2<sup>nd</sup>  
482 Indorsement dated December 3, 2025.  
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484 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

485 If I may, Mr. Chair.

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

487 Go ahead, please.

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

489 Mr. Chair, there are two Items from the Municipality of Hindang. They have been  
490 thoroughly reviewed by the Provincial Legal Office. I move that we declare the same as valid.

491 I so move.

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

493 Second.

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

495 Any objections?

496 Hearing none, the motion is carried and approved.

499 Approved unanimously.

RES. NO. 2026-656

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

501 Thank you, Mr. Chair. We now proceed to the next item. Item no. 19, Madam Secretary,  
502 please.

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

504 **ITEM NO. 21**

505 Presented for consideration is **General Fund**  
506 **Supplemental Budget No. 06 FY 2025** of the **Municipality of Albuera,**  
507 **Leyte,** amounting to **Php657,000.00** under **Appropriation Ordinance**  
508 **No. 2025-07.** Same is recommended for **APPROVAL** with **CONDITIONS**  
509 by the Local Finance Committee per review dated January 12, 2026.

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511 **ITEM NO. 22**

512 Presented for consideration is **General Fund Annual**  
513 **Budget FY 2026** of the **Municipality of Burauen, Leyte,** amounting to  
514 **Php488,000,000.00** under **Appropriation Ordinance No. 25-91, Series**  
515 **of 2025** together with CY 2026 AIP in the amount of  
516 **Php2,692,520,667.00.** Same is recommended for **APPROVAL** with  
517 **CONDITIONS** by the Local Finance Committee per review dated  
518 January 13, 2026.

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520 **ITEM NO. 23**

521 Presented for consideration is **General Fund Annual**  
522 **Budget FY 2026** of the **Municipality of Hilongos, Leyte,** amounting to  
523 **Php392,236,747.00** under **Appropriation Ordinance No. 2025-21**  
524 together with the Annual Investment Program for CY 2026 amounting  
525 to **Php3,337,620,000.00.** Same is recommended for **APPROVAL** with  
526 **CONDITIONS** by the Local Finance Committee per review dated  
527 January 13, 2026.

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529 **ITEM NO. 24**

530 Presented for consideration is **General Fund**  
531 **Supplemental Budget No. 03 FY 2025** of the **Municipality of Javier,**  
532 **Leyte,** amounting to **Php2,294,109.93** under **Appropriation Ordinance**  
533 **No. 2025-16.** Same is recommended for **APPROVAL** with **CONDITIONS**  
534 by the Local Finance Committee per review dated January 13, 2026.

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536 **ITEM NO. 25**

537 Presented for consideration is **General Fund**  
538 **Supplemental Budget No. 04 FY 2025** of the **Municipality of Javier,**  
539 **Leyte,** amounting to **Php1,225,000.00** under **Appropriation Ordinance**  
540 **No. 2025-17.** Same is recommended for **APPROVAL** with **CONDITIONS**  
541 by the Local Finance Committee per review dated January 13, 2026.  
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**ITEM NO. 26**

Presented for consideration is **General Fund Annual Budget FY 2026** of the **Municipality of Babatngon, Leyte**, amounting to **Php212,493,104.00** under **Appropriation Ordinance No. 509 Series of 2025** together with Annual Investment Program (AIP) CY 2026 amounting to **Php26,965,312,660.00**. Same is recommended for **APPROVAL** with **CONDITIONS** by the Local Finance Committee per review dated January 15, 2026.

**ITEM NO. 27**

Presented for consideration is **General Fund Supplemental Budget No. 01 FY 2025** of the **Municipality of Tabontabon, Leyte**, amounting to **Php4,859,056.80** under **Appropriation Ordinance No. 01 Series of 2025**. Same is recommended for **APPROVAL** with **CONDITIONS** by the Local Finance Committee per review dated January 19, 2026.

**ITEM NO. 28**

Presented for consideration is **General Fund Supplemental Budget No. 04 FY 2025** of the **Municipality of Leyte, Leyte**, amounting to **Php13,176,182.91** under **Appropriation Ordinance No. 005-25**. Same is recommended for **APPROVAL** with **CONDITIONS** by the Local Finance Committee per review dated January 15, 2026, together with Supplemental Investment Program (SIP) in the amount of **Php10,881,000.00**.

**ITEM NO. 29**

Presented for consideration is **General Fund Supplemental Budget No. 05 FY 2025** of the **Municipality of Palompon, Leyte**, amounting to **Php21,273,430.65** under **Appropriation Ordinance No. 517-151225**. Same is recommended for **APPROVAL** with **CONDITIONS** by the Local Finance Committee per review dated January 15, 2026, together with Supplemental Investment Program (SIP) of the same amount.

**ITEM NO. 30**

Presented for consideration is **General Fund Supplemental Budget No. 04 FY 2025** of the **Municipality of Inopacan, Leyte**, amounting to **Php5,240,000.00** under **Appropriation Ordinance No. 25-04** together with Supplemental Investment Program (SIP) in the amount of **Php20,180,000.00**. Same is recommended for **APPROVAL** with **CONDITIONS** by the Local Finance Committee per review dated January 19, 2026.

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**ITEM NO. 31**

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Presented for consideration is **General Fund Supplemental Budget No. 05 FY 2025** of the **Municipality of Inopacan, Leyte**, amounting to **Php405,000.00** under **Appropriation Ordinance No. 25-06**. Same is recommended for **APPROVAL** with **CONDITIONS** by the Local Finance Committee per review dated January 19, 2026.

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

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Mr. Chair, there are several Supplemental Budgets and Annual Budgets in our agenda. Will you please recognize the distinguished Chairman of the Committee on Budget and Management?

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

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Go ahead please.

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

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

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For Item No. 21 to Item No. 31, these are all Supplemental Budgets and Annual Budgets coming from the different LGUs in the Province of Leyte.

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Item No. 21, is General Fund Supplemental Budget No. 06 for Fiscal Year 2025 of the Municipality of Albuera, Leyte.

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Item No. 22, is General Fund Annual Budget for Fiscal Year 2026 of the Municipality of Burauen, Leyte together with Annual Investment Program (AIP) Calendar Year 2026.

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Item No. 23, is General Fund Annual Budget for Fiscal Year 2026 of the Municipality of Hilongos, Leyte together with Annual Investment Program (AIP) for Calendar Year 2026.

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Item No. 24, is General Fund Supplemental Budget No. 03 for Fiscal Year 2025 of the Municipality of Javier, Leyte.

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Item No. 25, is General Fund Supplemental Budget No. 04 for Fiscal Year 2025 of the Municipality of Javier, Leyte.

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Item No. 26, is General Fund Annual Budget for Fiscal Year 2026 of the Municipality of Babatngon, Leyte together with Annual Investment Program (AIP) for Calendar Year 2026.

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621 Item No. 27, is General Fund Supplemental Budget No. 01 for Fiscal Year 2025 of the  
622 Municipality of Tabontabon, Leyte.

623 Item No. 28, is General Fund Supplemental Budget No. 04 for Fiscal Year 2025 of the  
624 Municipality of Leyte, Leyte together with Supplemental Investment Program (SIP).

625 Item No. 29, is General Fund Supplemental Budget No. 05 for Fiscal Year 2025 of the  
626 Municipality of Palompon, Leyte together with Supplemental Investment Program (SIP) for  
627 Calendar Year 2025.

628 Item No. 30, is General Fund Supplemental Budget No. 04 for Fiscal Year 2025 of the  
629 Municipality of Inopacan, Leyte together with Supplemental Investment Program (SIP) for  
630 Calendar Year 2025.

631 Lastly, Item No. 31, is General Fund Supplemental Budget No. 05 for Fiscal Year 2025  
632 of the Municipality of Inopacan, Leyte.

633 Mr. Chair, my esteemed colleagues, all the Supplemental Budgets and Annual Budgets  
634 presented were all reviewed by the Local Finance Committee and were recommended for  
635 approval with some conditions set forth by the Local Finance Committee.

636 If my motion is in order, I move that we approve all the General Fund Supplemental  
637 Budgets and the Annual Budgets mentioned, from Item Nos. 21 to 31. I so move, Mr. Chair.

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

639 Second.

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

641 Second.

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

643 Second.

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

645 Any objections?

646 I hear none, so the motion is carried and approved.

647 Approved unanimously.

**RES. NO. 2026-657**

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

651 Thank you, Mr. Chair. We now proceed to the next item. Item no. 32, Madam Secretary,  
652 please.

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

654 **ITEM NO. 32**

655 Presented for consideration is a letter from Hon. Raissa  
656 Villasin endorsing the letter of **Mr. Ronald E. Flores**, MD, DPPS, MMHOA,  
657 Provincial Health Officer II, Province of Leyte requesting for a  
658 resolution expressing the support of the Provincial Government of  
659 Leyte for the Proposed Health System Resilience Project and  
660 committing to certain undertaking necessary for its implementation  
661 and sustainability.

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

664 Mr. Chair, I had the distinct privilege of talking to Dr. Flores earlier at the 5<sup>th</sup> Floor. The  
665 department heads were there. And, I asked him about this, apparently, this refers to the HSRP  
666 project of the Department of Health. This is a loan of the national government through the  
667 DOH-allocated funds for the construction of facilities, 90 million in the Leyte Provincial Hospital.  
668 In Ormoc District Hospital – 60 million; in Baybay – 60 million; in BDH – 60 million; NWLDH –  
669 60 million; MVDH – 60 million. Mr. Chair, this is one of the requirements by the World Bank.

670 So, on that note, Mr. Chair, will you please recognize the crusading Chairperson of the  
671 Committee on Health, Honorable Villasin?

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

673 Honorable Villasin, please go ahead.

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

675 As what just the Honorable Floor Leader has mentioned, these projects covered the  
676 rehabilitation and upgrading of the following provincial and district hospitals: Leyte Provincial  
677 Hospital, Burauen District Hospital, Ormoc District Hospital, Dr. Manuel Veloso Memorial  
678 Hospital in Palompon, and the Northwestern Leyte District Hospital. These facilities serve as  
679 vital components to the province's health care delivery network, providing essential medical  
680 services to a significant portion of the population including geographically isolated and  
681 disadvantage communities. In support of the initiative, the Provincial Government of Leyte

682 commits to undertake all necessary actions to ensure the implementation and long-term  
683 sustainability of the project.

684 All of those undertakings are mentioned in the said Resolution, one of which notably is  
685 the confirmation of the availability of fund.

686 So, if my motion is in order, I move to pass a Resolution expressing the support of the  
687 Provincial Government of Leyte the proposed Health System Resilience Project, and  
688 committing to certain undertakings, necessary for its implementation and sustainability. I so  
689 move.

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

691 Second.

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

693 Second.

694 HON. MJ LUINLY D. LUMEN: EX-OFFICIO MEMBER, SK PRESIDENT

695 Second.

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

697 Second.

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

699 Any objections?

700 I hear none, so the motion is carried and approved.

701 Approved unanimously.

**RES. NO. 2026-658**

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

703 Corollary to that, Mr. Chair, a Memorandum of Agreement will be entered into by the  
704 Provincial Government and Department of Health (DOH) for the counterpart of the Province of  
705 Leyte. I move that we authorize the Governor to sign the MOA subject to the ratification by the  
706 Sangguniang Panlalawigan. I so move.

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

708 Second.

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

710 Any objections?

711 I hear none, so the motion is carried and approved.

712 Approved unanimously.

RES. NO. 2026-658-A

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

714 Thank you, Mr. Chair. We now proceed to the next item. Item no. 33, Madam Secretary,  
715 please.

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

717 **ITEM NO. 33**

718 Presented for consideration is a letter addressed to the  
719 Sangguniang Panlalawigan dated January 19, 2026 from **Ms. Ruth Y.**  
720 **Surpia**, Provincial Treasurer, Province of Leyte requesting for a  
721 **RESOLUTION** authorizing **Hon. Carlos Jericho L. Petilla**, Provincial  
722 Governor, to sign and enter into, for and in behalf of the Provincial  
723 Government of Leyte, a payroll servicing agreement with the  
724 Development Bank of the Philippines (DBP), Tacloban Branch,  
725 Tacloban City.

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

727 Mr. Chair, will you please recognize the Honorable Uy, Mr. Chair.

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

729 Honorable Uy, please.

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

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

732 Mr. Chair, we have here two related Items, Item No. 33 and Item No. 34. These are  
733 letters coming from our Provincial Treasurer's Office, Ms. Ruth Y. Surpia, requesting two (2)  
734 Resolutions authorizing our good Governor, to sign and enter into in behalf of the Provincial  
735 Government of Leyte. One is the payroll servicing agreement with the Development Bank of  
736 the Philippines (DBP), Tacloban Branch, Tacloban City, and the other Resolution is a  
737 Memorandum of Agreement with the Development Bank of the Philippines (DBP), Tacloban  
738 Branch, Tacloban City in connection with the installation of Automated Teller Machines  
739 (ATM) here in the province.

740 So, if my motion is in order, Mr. Chair, I move that we pass a Resolution authorizing  
741 Honorable Governor Carlos Jericho L. Petila, to sign and enter into for and in behalf of the

742 Provincial Government of Leyte, a payroll servicing agreement with the Development Bank of  
743 the Philippines, Tacloban Branch, Tacloban City. I so move, Mr. Chair.

744 HON. FLAVIANO C. CENTINO, JR.: 4<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

745 Second.

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

747 Second.

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

749 Any objections?

750 I hear none, so the motion is carried and approved.

751 Approved unanimously.

**RES. NO. 2026-659**

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

753 Thank you, Mr. Chair. We now proceed to the next item. Item no. 33, Madam Secretary,  
754 please.

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

756 **ITEM NO. 34**

757 Presented for consideration is a letter addressed to  
758 the Sangguniang Panlalawigan dated January 19, 2026 from **Ms.**  
759 **Ruth Y. Surpia**, Provincial Treasurer, Province of Leyte requesting for a  
760 **RESOLUTION** authorizing **Hon. Carlos Jericho L. Petilla**, Provincial  
761 Governor, to sign and enter into, for and in behalf of the Provincial  
762 Government of Leyte, a Memorandum of Agreement with the  
763 Development Bank of the Philippines (DBP), Tacloban Branch,  
764 Tacloban City in connection with the installation of Automated  
765 Telling Machines (ATM).  
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767 HON. CARLO P. LORETO: FLOOR LEADER/5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

768 Mr. Chair, will you please recognize again the Honorable Uy, Mr. Chair.

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

770 Honorable Uy, please.

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

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

773 Another Resolution, Mr. Chair. This is a Resolution authorizing the Honorable Carlos  
774 Jerico L. Petilla, Provincial Governor, to enter into for and behalf of the Provincial Government

775 of Leyte, a Memorandum of Agreement with the Development Bank of the Philippines,  
776 Tacloban Branch, Tacloban City, in connection with the installation of Automated Telling  
777 Machines (ATM). I so move, Mr. Chair.

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

779 Second.

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

781 Second.

782 HON. FLAVIANO C. CENTINO, JR.: 4<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

783 Second.

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

785 Second.

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

787 Any objections?

788 I hear none, so the motion is carried and approved.

789 Approved unanimously.

**RES. NO. 2026-660**

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

791 Mr. Chair, there are no more items in the agenda, so, we proceed to other matters.

792 As mentioned by the Honorable Centino earlier, Honorable Codilla is a new father, Mr.

793 Chair. I move that we pass a Resolution congratulating Honorable Codilla.

794 HON. MILDRED JOY P. QUE: 2<sup>ND</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

795 Second.

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

797 Any objections?

798 I hear none, so the motion is carried and approved.

799 Approved unanimously.

**RES. NO. 2026-660-A**

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

801 Also, Vice-Mayor Adam Fuentes is also a new father, 'no, so Congratulations gihapon

802 seguro. In a world that's very angry and in chaos, Mr. Chair, it's a very welcome news to have

803 hope born for the world again, Mr. Chair.

804 Also, Mr. Chair, it's the birthday today of Honorable Atty. Joy Que. May we ask  
805 Honorable Reposar to lead the singing of Happy Birthday song for Atty. Joy?

806 *(Everybody sang a Happy Birthday song led by Honorable Reposar)*

807 HON. MILDRED JOY P. QUE: 2<sup>ND</sup> DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER

808 Thank you so much, Mr. Chair.

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

810 Mr. Chair, will you please recognize the Honorable Lumen?

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

812 Honorable Lumen, please go ahead.

813 HON. MJ LUNLY D. LUMEN: EX-OFFICIO MEMBER, SK PRESIDENT

814 If there are no other matters, I move to adjourn.

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

816 Second.

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

818 Second.

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

820 The session is now adjourned.

821 (The regular session was adjourned at 12:05 o'clock in the afternoon. A Closing Prayer  
822 was led by the Honorable Gimenez.)

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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  
1<sup>ST</sup> District Board Member

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