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**2<sup>nd</sup> INDORSEMENT**  
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Respectfully returned to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Leyte, through the SP Secretary, the attached Ordinance No. 2025-04 of the Sangguniang Bayan of Hindang, Leyte.

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

- Ordinance No. 2025-04 entitled: **“An Ordinance regulating and standardizing the sale and trade of junk materials within the Municipality of Hindang, Leyte.”**

**REVIEW/RECOMMENDATION/LEGAL OPINION:**

This office is of the opinion that the subject Ordinance is generally in accordance with its power under Section 447(3)(ii)<sup>1</sup> of the Local Government Code of 1991 (R.A 7160). 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* 

*(ii) Regulate any business, occupation, or practice of profession or calling which does not require government examination within the municipality and the conditions under which the license for said business or practice of profession may be issued or revoked;*

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1<sup>ST</sup> INDORSEMENT  
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The Provincial Legal Office is respectfully requested to review and submit recommendations on the herein enclosed **Ordinance No. 2025-04** of the **Municipality of Hindang, Leyte**, entitled: **An Ordinance regulating and standardizing the sale and trade of junk materials within the Municipality of Hindang, Leyte and providing penalties and violations thereof.**

*[Signature]*  
**FLORINDA JUL S. UYVICO**  
Secretary to the Sanggunian



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10 February, 2026

**HON. LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.**  
Vice Governor/Presiding Officer  
Sangguniang Panlalawigan  
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**THRU: FLORINDA JILL S. UYVICO**  
Secretary to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan  
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Sir:

I am submitting herewith to your office Fifteen (15) sets of each Municipal Ordinance of the Sangguniang Bayan, Hindang, Leyte, as herein below specified, for review and approval, as follows:

- **2026-03 RE:** "An Ordinance extending the deadline for the renewal of business permits, fees, and licenses from January 20, 2026 to February 20, 2026, without imposition of penalties or surcharges, in the municipality of Hindang, Province of Leyte";
- **2026-04 RE:** "An Ordinance regulating and standardizing the sale and trade of junk materials within the municipality of Hindang, Leyte and providing penalties and violations thereof".

Hoping for consideration on this matter.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,



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EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF  
HINDANG, LEYTE, IN ITS REGULAR SESSION HELD ON JANUARY 13, 2026  
AT THE SB SESSION HALL

ORDINANCE NO. 2026-04

**AN ORDINANCE REGULATING AND STANDARDIZING THE SALE AND TRADE  
OF JUNK MATERIALS WITHIN THE MUNICIPALITY OF HINDANG, LEYTE AND  
PROVIDING PENALTIES AND VIOLATIONS THEREOF**

*Author: Hon. Soriano B. Delalamon*  
*Co-Author: Hon. Teodulo A. Clavejo*

**RATIONALE:**

Aside from the prohibition of minor to deal into buying of scrap iron and the like, this Ordinance prohibits any person of legal age to enter into business involving crimes of anti-fencing law which could be happened in the days to come. Specifically, when no standard regulatory measures could be passed an ordinance within the municipal jurisdiction in relation to Presidential Decree No.1612 on crimes Anti-fencing Law.

**SECTION 1. TITLE.** This measure shall be known as "*An Ordinance regulating and standardizing the sale and trade of junk materials within the Municipality of Hindang, Leyte and providing penalties and violations thereof*"

**SECTION II. Definition of Terms.**

1. **Local Scrap, Junk Buyer and Operators.** These are under cooperative; single proprietorship association on other group of scrap buyer, who had established, workplace/ station storage facilities with Environmental Clearance, Business Permit and Mayor's Permit doing trading and buying scrap iron within the municipal jurisdiction.

2. **Ambulant Scrap; Junk Material Buyer with Service Vehicle.** Those with Mayor's Permit and other form of documents which allow them to canvas, seek, penetrate buy scrap or junk material within the municipal jurisdiction.

Any individual or buyer of junk or scrap materials operating within the barangay jurisdiction must first report to the Barangay Hall during office hours as a courtesy call. They must present their intent to conduct business and submit a valid authorization issued by a licensed junk shop owner operating within the municipal jurisdiction.

All junk material buyers must carry a valid authorization from a junk shop owner with an approved business permit within the municipal jurisdiction. The authorization must be in legal form, valid and accompanied by a copy of the junk shop's business permit.

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*[Vertical signatures and stamps on the right margin, including a date stamp 'MAR 05 2026' and various handwritten signatures.]*



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Third Offense – Penalty of One Thousand Five Hundred Pesos (Php1,500.00) with banning to secure scrap buyer permit

The Legal References:

- 1987 Constitution Article X, General Provision, Section 1 and Section 5
- PD No. 1612 Anti – Fencing Law, an act of ongoing, receiving possessing or dealing with stolen goods.
- Local Government Code 1991 Section 16 and Section 391 for the General Welfare of the public.

**SECTION V. Repealing Clause.** All ordinances rules and regulation on issuance or part thereof which are inconsistent with this ordinance is hereby repealed.

**SECTION VI. Separability Clause.** If any part of the ordinance is declared invalid constitutional or unlawful section or parts thereof which are not affected shall remain or continues to be in full force and effect.

**SECTION VII. EFFECTIVITY.** This ordinance shall take effect after posting for 3 consecutive weeks of publication of posting at the Municipal Building bulletin board and in at least in Two (2) conspicuous places within the Municipality of Hindang, Leyte.

**APPROVED UNANIMOUSLY.**

**ENACTED** this 13th day of January, 2026 by this Sanggunian in its regular session held for the purpose at the SB Session Hall, this Municipality, with the following votes:

Yes (10)

No (0)

Abstain (0)



CLOTILDE A. GUINOCOR  
SB Member



TEODULO A. CLAVEJO  
SB Member



SALVADOR E. BANEZ, JR.  
SB Member



LEONIDA A. CAVITE  
SB Member



JOSE NAPOLEON D. MONTERO  
SB Member



SORIANO B. DELALAMON  
SB Member




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MIKHAEL ANNE GELO D. ABOYME  
SB Member

  
SEAN RYAN MARK C. CABAL  
SB Member

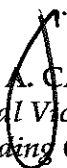
  
RODULFO C. DARGANTES  
Ex-Officio Member- LNB Pres.

  
ADRIAN PAUL G. ASTORGA  
Ex-Officio Member-SK Fed. Pres.

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

  
ANNABEL A. MABALE  
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED TO BE DULY ADOPTED:

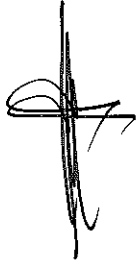
  
JUN A. CABAL  
Municipal Vice Mayor  
Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

  
ELPIDIO B. CABAL, JR.  
Municipal Mayor

JAN 27 2026













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## CERTIFICATION

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

THIS IS TO CERTIFY *that* ORDINANCE NO. 2026-04 of the Sangguniang Bayan, Hindang, Leyte, *"An Ordinance regulating and standardizing the sale and trade of junk materials within the municipality of Hindang, Leyte and providing penalties and violations thereof"*, had been correspondingly posted in Municipal Hall and two (2) conspicuous places of the municipality as prescribed under the Local Government Code of 1991 otherwise known as Republic Act 7160.

GIVEN *this 3rd day of February, 2026 at Hindang, Leyte, Philippines.*

  
ANNABEL A. MABALE  
*Secretary to the Sanggunian*



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CERTIFICATION

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

**THIS IS TO CERTIFY** that a **PUBLIC HEARING** was actually conducted last December 16, 2025 relative to **ORDINANCE NO. 2026 -04** of the Sangguniang Bayan, this municipality, RE: *“An Ordinance regulating and standardizing the sale and trade of junk materials within the municipality of Hindang, Leyte and providing penalties and violations thereof”*, as prescribed under the Local Government Code of 1991.

**THIS CERTIFICATION** is issued in compliance with the requirements as provided for under Republic Act 7160.

**GIVEN this 3rd day of February, 2026 at Hindang, Leyte, Philippines.**

  
**ANNABEL A. MABALE**  
*Secretary to the Sanggunian*

### ATTENDANCE SHEET

**PUBLIC HEARING** on the proposed ordinance, RE: "An Ordinance Prohibiting and Regulating the Standard and Control of Scrap Junk Materials to Include Junk Iron Materials, Scrap Iron, Aluminum and All Other Similar Material for Sale and Trade Within Municipal Jurisdiction of Hindang, Leyte and Providing Penalties & Violation thereof, by Hon. Soriano B. Delalamon

December 16, 2025, 8:00 am @ the SB Conference Hall

No.	Name	Barangay	Gender		Signature
			M	F	
1	CLOTILDE A. GUINOCIN			✓	
2	TEODORO A. CRAVEJO	Pob 1	✓		
3	SORIANO B. DELALAMON	(SBM) MARASIN	✓		
4	MICHAEL ANNE GEDD ABUYME		✓		
5	CELTAN W/AN MARIC C. CABAL	SBM	✓		
6	Asrian Paul G. Astorga	SKFP Pob 2	✓		
7	CHARITA BACCAY	DOOS DEL SUR	✓		
8	FLORENCIO TALANLAUGH	BRISY. TAGTUBID	✓		
9	FELFREDO V. SARSONS JR	POB-2	✓		
10	NESTOR O. ARCADETE	POB. 2	✓		
11	LOWIE R. APRANTES	DDS	✓		
12	ESTERLITA A. SORAGUANG	Pob 2		✓	
13	Imelda S. Amerison	Pob. 2		✓	
14	Berlie M. Caballera	Pob 2		✓	
15	JUSTINO V. BAYO	MATHILUM		✓	
16	Capitalin I. Abadilla	Morin/Generika		✓	
17	Benito S. Jaleda	POB 11 - HEG	✓		
18	Emelina O. Bardiola	POB. 1		✓	
19	marimar M. Panganiban	Talok		✓	
20	EFILIN K. CALIXTA	TALOK	✓		
21	JUN CONCEPCION	ODN	✓		
22	John Rose, Matin-Go	Talok	✓		
23	EDILBERTO Y. PACOMO	POB 2	✓		
24	GIL VENEDICK C. ZAMORA	POB. 2	✓		
25	JOSE NARAYAN D. MONTENEGRO	DDS	✓		
26	WENIDA A. CALITE	DDS		✓	
27	Arduff C. Pangasinan	Cutra-agon	✓		
28	FE ANNABOR GORON	ODK		✓	
29	MAR MELVIN BORDENOS	TADOK	✓		
30	SALVADOR E. BAÑEZ Jr.	Pob	✓		
31	VINCENT M. KILBANKS	OBUS. OFFICE	✓		
32	Meredith Consular	TALOK		✓	
33	Norma Calda	DOOS DEL SUR		✓	
34	JAN A. CABAL	ODN	✓		
35	Evelyn D. Garcia	Cutra-agon		✓	
36	Mary Jane R. Araojo	Pob. 1		✓	
37	Arnulfo P. Roames	DDN	✓		