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Respectfully forwarded to Hon. Leonardo M. Javier, Jr., Vice Governor/Presiding Officer, Sangguniang Panlalawigan ng Leyte, Provincial Government Complex, Palo, Leyte, the herein attached copy of Municipal Resolution No. 2026-201, entitled, *"Expressing Full Support To Sangguniang Panlalawigan Resolution No. 2026-885, Urging Primewater Leyte Metro (PRIMEWATER) And The Leyte Metropolitan Water District (LMWD) To Immediately Resolve The Low To No Water Supply Crisis In The Affected Communities Within The 1st And 2nd Distict In The Province Of Leyte"*, of the Sangguniang Bayan, Palo, Leyte, dated October 26, 2026, which is self-explanatory.

BRIAN VALENTE P. ELORCHA
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EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 69TH REGULAR SESSION OF THE 12TH SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF PALO, PROVINCE OF LEYTE, HELD ON OCTOBER 26, 2026, AT THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN SESSION HALL.

Present:

Hon. Felipe T. Ygrubay, Jr.	Temporary Presiding Officer
Hon. Chiqui Ruth C. Uy	SB Member
Hon. Andres Ian R. Sevilla	SB Member
Hon. Casimero B. Parado II	SB Member
Hon. Antonino C. Hernit	SB Member
Hon. Casimero P. Villas, Jr.	SB Member
Hon. Panchito M. Cortez	SB Member
Hon. Aaron H. Roca	SB Member
Hon. Gregorio Papoose V. Lantajo, Jr.	President, Liga ng mga Barangay
Hon. Mary Dwell S. Agner	President, PPSK

Absent:

Hon. Jonathan P. Chiquillo	Vice-Mayor – on Official Leave

MUNICIPAL RESOLUTION NO. 2026-201

EXPRESSING FULL SUPPORT TO SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN RESOLUTION NO. 2026-885, URGING PRIMEWATER LEYTE METRO (PRIMEWATER) AND THE LEYTE METROPOLITAN WATER DISTRICT (LMWD) TO IMMEDIATELY RESOLVE THE LOW TO NO WATER SUPPLY CRISIS IN THE AFFECTED COMMUNITIES WITHIN THE 1ST AND 2ND DISTICT IN THE PROVINCE OF LEYTE.

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Bayan of Palo received a copy of Sangguniang Panlalawigan Resolution No. 2026-885, entitled: *"A Resolution Directing Prime Water and the Leyte Metropolitan Water District (LMWD) To Immediately Address the Issue of Low to No Water Supply in Affected Communities within the 1st and 2nd District in the Province of Leyte"*;

WHEREAS, a number of Barangays within the Municipality of Palo, located within the First District of Leyte, are among the heavily affected areas experiencing persistent low to completely absent water supply, severely disrupting daily households, local businesses, and public health;

WHEREAS, access to safe and continuous potable water is a fundamental right, and the ongoing service inefficiencies by PrimeWater and LMWD demand immediate, concrete operational interventions;

NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of Hon. Chiqui Ruth C. Uy and duly seconded by all Sangguniang Bayan Members present, be it

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RESOLVED, that the Sangguniang Bayan of Palo express, as it hereby expresses full support to Sangguniang Panlalawigan Resolution No. 2026-885, urging PrimeWater Leyte Metro (PrimeWater) and the Leyte Metropolitan Water District (LMWD) to immediately resolve the low to no water supply crisis in the affected communities within the 1st and 2nd Distict in the Province of Leyte;

RESOLVED FINALLY, that copies of this resolution be furnished to Hon. Leonardo M. Javier, Jr., Vice Governor/Presiding Officer, Sangguniang Panlalawigan ng Leyte, Provincial Government Complex, Palo, Leyte; Branch Manager, PrimeWater Leyte Metro, A. Mabini St., Tacloban City; General Manager, Leyte Metropolitan Water District, Barangay 74, Nulatula, Tacloban City; and all others concerned for their information and appropriate action.

APPROVED.

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

BRIAN VALENTE P. ELORCHA
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

FELIPE T. YGRUBAY, JR.
SB Member
Temporary Presiding Officer

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EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 43rd REGULAR SESSION OF THE 12TH SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF LEYTE CONDUCTED AT THE SESSION HALL, LEYTE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT COMPLEX, PALO, LEYTE, ON JUNE 02, 2026.

RESOLUTION NO. 2026-885

A RESOLUTION DIRECTING PRIME WATER AND THE LEYTE METROPOLITAN WATER DISTRICT (LMWD) TO IMMEDIATELY ADDRESS THE ISSUE OF *LOW TO NO WATER SUPPLY* IN AFFECTED COMMUNITIES WITHIN THE 1ST AND SECOND DISTRICT IN THE PROVINCE OF LEYTE.

WHEREAS, access to clean and sufficient water is a fundamental right and essential to public health, sanitation, and daily living;

WHEREAS, numerous residents across various barangays in Palo, Pastrana, Dagami and Tacloban have consistently reported *low to no water supply*, causing undue hardship and compromising their well-being;

WHEREAS, Prime Water and LMWD, as service providers, are duty-bound to ensure continuous and adequate water distribution to all consumers within their jurisdiction;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan in Session duly assembled, to strongly urge Prime Water and LMWD to:

1. Conduct immediate technical assessments to identify the root causes of water service interruptions;
2. Implement short-term remedial measures to restore adequate supply while long-term solutions are being developed;
3. Provide regular public updates to affected communities regarding timelines and actions taken;
4. Establish a grievance mechanism to ensure residents' complaints are properly documented and addressed;

RESOLVED, as it is hereby be it resolved, that copies of this Resolution be furnished to Prime Water, LMWD, and other concerned agencies for their information and appropriation action.

Approved unanimously.

I **HEREBY CERTIFY** to the correctness of the foregoing resolution.

FLORINDA JILL S. UYVICO
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

LEONARDO M. JAVIER, JR.
Vice Governor/Presiding Officer

Copy furnished:

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Leyte Metropolitan Water District
Daang Maharlika, Brgy. 74, Lower Nulatula
Tacloban City.

Local Water Utilities Administration (LWUA)
MWSS Complex, Katipunan Avenue
Balara, Quezon City

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