

PUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
MUNICIPAL BOARD
ORMOC CITY
Office of the Secretary

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF
THE MUNICIPAL BOARD OF ORMOC CITY, PHILIPPINES, HELD
IN ITS SESSION HALL ON MAY 26, 1956

PRESENT:

His Honor, Potenciano Larrazabal...	Acting City Mayor
	Presiding Officer
Hon. Iñaki Larrazabal	City Councilor
" Emilio C. Penserga	" "
" Cesar Samson	" "
" Guillermo T. Parrilla	" "
" Jorge P. Tan, Jr.	" "
" Alvaro I. Gutierrez	" "
" Teotimo P. Ocubillo	" "

ABSENT:

Hon. Rafael M. Mejia	Acting Vice Mayor
" Esteban C. Conejos	City Councilor

RESOLUTION NO. 102-A

"WHEREAS, the City Health Officer in his communication to this Body dated March 14, 1956, recommended for the passage of an Ordinance regulating the ownership and upkeep of dogs, the fact that quite a number of people have died of Rabies in this city for a period of about three years;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board, on motion of Councilor Emilio C. Penserga, seconded by Councilor Teotimo P. Ocubillo;

"BE IT RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved, to adopt:

ORDINANCE NO. VIII
AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE OWNERSHIP AND UPKEEP
OF DOGS AND PRESCRIBING PENALTIES FOR ITS
VIOLATION

BE IT ORDAINED by the Municipal Board of Ormoc City, That:

SECTION 1. Every person who keeps or maintains dogs within the city limits shall register said dogs in the Office of the City Treasurer, Ormoc City, 30 days after it is born or ten days after it has come to his possession, but only once during its lifetime; PROVIDED, however, that dogs already registered in any government entity shall be exempt from such registration;

SECTION 2. The owner or possessor shall pay a registration fee of two pesos (₱2.00) for each dog registered in the Office of the City Treasurer, Ormoc City;

SECTION 3. Upon payment of the registration fee, the dog shall be given immunization against rabies, free of charge, to be administered by the City Health Officer, and a registration tag bearing its identification number and other data of the dog shall be issued by the City Treasurer.

SECTION 4. The registration tag shall always be attached to the collar of the dog. A lost identification tag shall be reported to the Office of the City Treasurer and a new one to be replaced upon payment of the amount of One Peso (P1.00). In no case shall a registration tag of one dog be used for another. A registered ~~xx~~ dog that dies or is reported missing shall be reported within 3 days to the Office of the City Treasurer for cancellation.

SECTION 5. All dogs, registered or not, shall be impounded within the premises of the owner or possessor, and if brought outside the owner's or possessor's premises, shall be muzzled to prevent it from biting or causing injury to other persons;

SECTION 6. Astray dogs when caught and impounded in the City compound may be redeemed by the owner or possessor upon payment of P0.50 to the City Treasurer for each day or fraction thereof, from the date it is caught.

SECTION 7. If the dog is not registered, the owner or possessor shall cause such dog to be registered, in the manner provided for in this ordinance; Dogs impounded in the City compound not redeemed within 5 days after they are caught, shall be disposed of by the City Government in a manner it deems proper;

SECTION 8. The owners or possessors of dog/s, whether such dog/s is registered or not, that bites or causes injury to other persons shall be liable for the necessary medical expenses in the treatment of such injuries.

Anti-rabies vaccine for the immunization of dogs will be purchased with part of the amount collected for registration of dogs direct from the Biological Laboratory, Dept. of Health, San Lazaro Compound, Manila.

SECTION 9. Any owner or possessor of dogs violating this ordinance or part thereof, shall, upon conviction by the competent court, pay a fine of not more than fifty pesos (P50.00) for each conviction or an imprisonment of not more than 30 days, or both fine and imprisonment, at the discretion of the court.

SECTION 10. Any resolution, ordinance or part thereof inconsistent with this ordinance or part hereof, is hereby repealed.

SECTION 11. This Ordinance takes effect 30 days after its approval by the City Mayor of Ormoc.


Enacted, May 26, 1956.

Approved, June 21, 1956


"RESOLVED FINALLY, to furnish copies of this Resolution-Ordinance, each to the Honorable Executive Secretary, Malacañang, Manila; the Honorable City Mayor, the City Treasurer, the City Auditor, the City Attorney, the Municipal Judge, the Chief of Police, and the City Health Officer, all of Ormoc City.

"CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY."

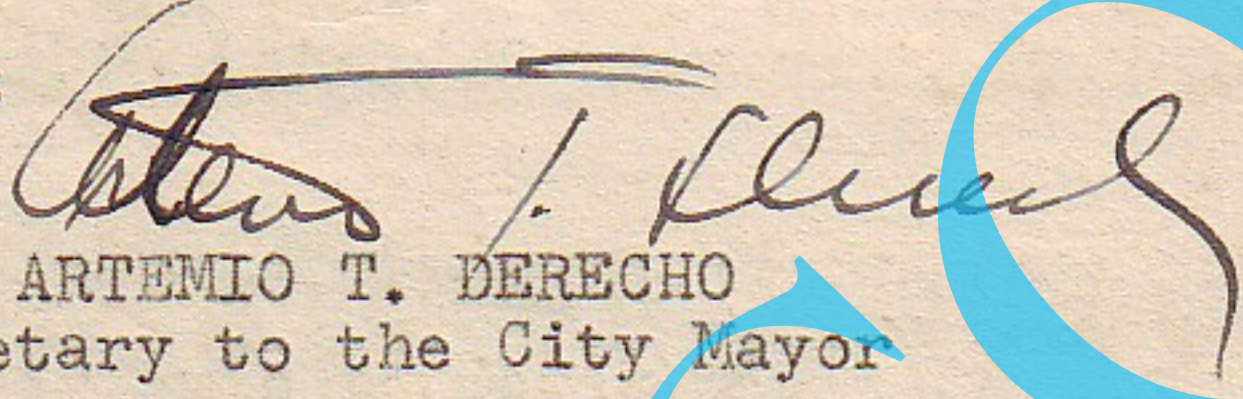
I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing Resolution-Ordinance.


RAMON BANTASAN
Secretary

APPROVED:


POTENCIANO LARRAZABAL
Acting City Mayor
Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:


ARTEMIO T. DERECHO
Secretary to the City Mayor

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Copies furnished:

The Honorable Executive Secretary, Malacañang, Manila.
The Honorable City Mayor, Ormoc City
The City Treasurer, Ormoc City
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