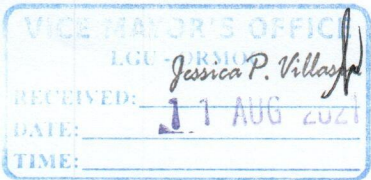
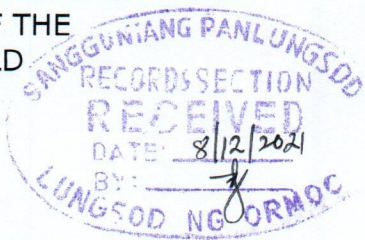


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EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE
FIFTEENTH SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD NG ORMOC HELD
AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL,
ORMOC CITY HALL BUILDING
ON AUGUST 10, 2021



PRESENT:

Leo Carmelo L. Locsin, Jr.	City Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer
Benjamin S. Pongos, Jr.,	SP Member, Majority Floor Leader
Roiland H. Villasencio,	SP Member, 1 st Asst. Majority Floor Leader
Tomas R. Serafica,	SP Member, Presiding Officer "Pro-Tempore"
Eusebio Gerardo S. Penserga,	SP Member
Jasper M. Lucero,	SP Member
Vincent L. Rama,	SP Member
Gregorio G. Yrastorza III,	SP Member
Lalaine A. Marcos,	SP Member
Joan Marbie C. Simbajon,	Ex-Officio SP Member, Chapter President,
Panlungsod na Pederasyon ng mga Sangguniang Kabataan ng Ormoc	

ON OFFICIAL BUSINESS:

Nolito M. Quilang,	SP Member, 2nd Asst. Majority Floor Leader
Peter M. Rodriguez,	SP Member
Esteban V. Laurente,	Ex-Officio SP Member, Chapter President,
	Ligan ng mga Barangay ng Ormoc

RESOLUTION 2020-226

**AN OMNIBUS RESOLUTION DECLARING THAT THE THREE
(3) BARANGAY ORDINANCES, ALL ENTITLED:
"BARANGAY ANTI-RABIES AND STRAY ANIMAL
CONTROL ORDINANCE" UNDER REVIEW HAVE BEEN
FOUND TO BE IN CONFORMITY WITH EXISTING
LAWS AND ORDINANCES, AND INTERPOSING NO
OBJECTION TO ITS IMPLEMENTATION, TO WIT:**

<u>NAME OF BARANGAYS</u>	<u>BRGY. ORDINANCE NO.</u>
1) BRGY. ALTA VISTA	BRGY. ORD. NO. 02, S. 2021
2) BRGY. COGON	BRGY. ORD. NO. 001, S. 2021
3) BRGY. GAAS	BRGY. ORD. NO. 01, S. 2021

WHEREAS, the Fifteenth Sangguniang Panlungsod ng Ormoc received copies of Ordinances from the above enumerated Barangays, all entitled: "Barangay Anti-Rabies and Stray Animal Control Ordinance". The copies of the Ordinances together with its attachments are hereto attached and made an integral part hereof;"

WHEREAS, the ordinances were submitted to this Sanggunian pursuant to its review powers over enacted ordinances of all barangays within its territory as provided for in Section 57 and 458 of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the "Local Government Code of 1991" (LGC) in order to find out whether the subject Ordinances approved by the respective Sangguniang Barangays are within the scope of its prescribed powers and also whether the same are in conformity with law and city ordinances;

WHEREAS, Under Section 7 of RA 9482 otherwise known as the Anti-Rabies Act of 2007 states that LGUs, in their respective localities, shall enact ordinance that will support the National Rabies Prevention and Control Program;

WHEREAS, rabies infection and vehicular accidents caused by stray animals still remain to be a serious public health risk;

WHEREAS, to address the issue, measures are implemented to reduce injuries and deaths caused by the same;

WHEREAS, this Sanggunian, finally finds that the Ordinances, subject to the recommendations of the Committee, are valid and lawful and within the scope and authority of the Barangays, and therefore, manifests herein no objections to its implementation, and even urges that they be implemented immediately in order to speedily further the noble ends they seek for welfare of the Barangays;

WHEREFORE, on joint motion of SP Member Benjamin S. Pongos, Jr., Chairman, Committee on Laws and Ordinances and SP Member Tomas R. Serafica, Chairman, Committee on Agriculture, Fisheries and Agrarian Reform, severally seconded by SP Members Roiland H. Villasencio, Jasper M. Lucero, Vincent L. Rama, Lalaine A. Marcos, Joan Marbie C. Simbajon and Eusebio Gerardo S. Penserga; be it

RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to pass an OMNIBUS RESOLUTION DECLARING THAT THE (3) BARANGAY ORDINANCES, ALL ENTITLED: "BARANGAY ANTI-RABIES AND STRAY ANIMAL CONTROL ORDINANCE" UNDER REVIEW HAVE BEEN FOUND TO BE IN CONFORMITY WITH EXISTING LAWS AND ORDINANCES, AND INTERPOSING NO OBJECTION TO ITS IMPLEMENTATION, TO WIT:

NAME OF BARANGAYS

- 1) BRGY. ALTA VISTA
- 2) BRGY. COGON
- 3) BRGY. GAAS

BRGY. ORDINANCE NO.

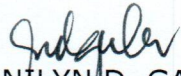
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ADOPTED, August 10, 2021.


RESOLVED FURTHER, to furnish copies of this resolution each to the City Mayor of Ormoc Richard I. Gomez; the City Administrator, Vincent L. Emnas; the City Legal Officer, Atty. Josephine Mejia-Romero; the Office of the Liga ng mga Barangay ng Ormoc; the respective Sangguniang Barangays concerned, the City Local Government Operations Officer-DILG; and other offices for their information and guidance;

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing resolution.


NONILYN D. GALANO
(OIC - SP Secretary)
Supervising Administrative Officer

ATTESTED:


LEO CARMELO L. LOCSIN, JR.
City Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer

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Barangay Alta Vista
Ormoc City

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EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR COUNCIL SESSION PF BARANGAY ALTA VISTA, ORMOG CITY, HELD AT THE BARANGAY SESSION HALL ON JANUARY 3, 2021 AT 9:00 O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING.

PRESENT:

DENNIS L. LAURENTE
MYRNA R. MANGLE
EDISA O. BATION
LUISITO B. SACAY
ALTER R. LLAMAS
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JOSE ALLAN A. ROSAL
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BARANGAY ORDINANCE NO. 02
SERIES OF 2021

PREFATORY STATEMENT

WHEREAS, Section 7 of R.A. 9482 states that LGUs, in their respective localities, shall enact additional ordinances that will support the National Rabies Prevention and Control Program;

Whereas, a number of vehicular accidents occurring within the jurisdiction of Brgy. ALTA VISTA has been reported to have been caused by stray animals;

WHEREAS, this Ordinance shall promote discipline to animal owners on how they treat and take care of their pets, as well as imposing to those pet owners their responsibilities and liabilities;

WHEREAS, on motion of SBM MYRNA R. MANGLE and duly seconded by SBM LUISITO B. SACAY, be it ORDAINED, by the Sangguniang Barangay of AQLTA VISTA in session assembled that:

Section 1. TITLE. This Ordinance shall be known as the "Barangay Anti-Rabies and Stray Animal Control Ordinance".

Section 2. DEFINITION OF TERMS. As used in this Ordinance the following terms shall mean:

- (a) *Animal owner* refers to any person keeping, harbouring or having charge, care or control of an animal including his/her representative and allows any such animal to remain about his premises for a period of not less than seven (7) days.
- (b) *Animal Registry* refers to a log where the identity of the animal and its owner are registered.
- (c) *Animal Welfare* the avoidance of exploitation of animals by maintaining appropriate standards of accommodation, feeding and general care, the prevention and treatment of disease and the assurance of freedom from harassment and unnecessary discomfort and pain.
- (d) *Bitten* refers to an act by which a Dog seizes, cuts or grips with its teeth so that the skin of a person has been wounded, pierced and scratched.
- (e) *Concerned Officials* refers to barangay officials, health workers, police officers or government veterinarians.
- (f) *Dog* refers to a common quadruped domestic animal belonging to the Carnivora (male or female), scientifically known as *Canis Familiaris*.
- (g) *Dog Catcher* shall refer to the person authorized to perform the actual catching of stray dogs and other stray animals.
- (h) *Dog impounding/Animal Impounding* shall mean to seize and hold in the custody of the law any stray dog/s or stray animals.

- (i) *Enclosed Premises* means the owner's house, or fenced yard, where other people have no reason to enter except to conduct business or visit with the members of the household.
- (j) *Euthanasia* mercy killing; putting an end to the life of the animal by humane means in accordance with Republic Act 8485.
- (k) *Neutering* refers to the surgical removal under anaesthesia of the ovaries and uterus in the female and testicles for the male animals, performed by a licensed veterinarian.
- (l) *Other Animals* refers to an animal other than dogs and cats which are kept or cared for by persons as pets.
- (m) *Rabies* refers to a highly fatal disease caused by a lyssa virus, transmitted mainly through the bite of an infected animal and is characterized by muscle paralysis, hydrophobia and aerophobia and other neurological manifestations.
- (n) *Restrained* means tethered, leashed or caged or within enclosed premises.
- (o) *Stray Animal* means any unregistered or registered animal leaving its owner's place or enclosed premises and found loose anywhere in the Barangay. Also an animal tied outside its owner's premises without or is not under its owner's control.
- (p) *Vaccination* means inoculation of a dog/cat with standard rabies vaccine by a licensed veterinarian or private licensed veterinarian or trained individual under the supervision of a licensed veterinarian.

Section 3. ANTI-RABIES COMMITTEE. The Barangay Rabies Control Committee is hereby organized and composed of the following:

Chairman	Punong Barangay
Vice – Chairman	Chairman, Committee on Health
Members	Sangguniang Barangay Members
	Barangay Tanods
	Barangay Health Workers
	Representative from DepEd
	Representative from People's Organization in the Barangay (if any)

The said Committee is vested with the authority of implementing this ordinance and other Anti-Rabies and Stray Animal control related measures. The Punong Barangay with the assistance of the Barangay Tanods are hereby authorized to impound dogs/stray animals and apprehend any violator to see to it that the ordinance shall be observed.

Section 4. MANDATORY REGISTRATION AND VACCINATION. It is hereby required that all dogs, cats and other animals which could be carriers of rabies virus be registered in the Barangay Animal Registry. The rabies control committee will be responsible in the monitoring of their constituents for compliance. Otherwise, confiscation of the animal/s will be done by the Barangay upon the recommendation and assistance of the City Veterinary Office. All existing animal owners are required to register their animals which are subject of this Ordinance within sixty days from the effectivity of this Ordinance. Owners of newly acquired, and/or born animals shall register said animal/s within sixty days from having acquired the same.

Section 5. All dogs two (2) months of age and above should be submitted by the owner for vaccination against rabies and thereafter as determined by the veterinarian.

Section 6. Unvaccinated dogs/cats not vaccinated within one (1) year, known to have been bitten or exposed to a rabid animal shall be euthanized. Dogs/cats vaccinated within one (1) year and known to have been bitten by a rabid animal shall be revaccinated immediately and confined for ninety (90) days.

Section 7. ANIMAL OWNER'S DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES. Animal owners shall have the following duties and responsibilities. Failure to perform any of these will be penalized under the Penal Provisions of this Ordinance.

- (a) Submit their pets, either dogs or cats and other animals which could be carriers of rabies virus, for mandatory registration.

- (b) Have their dogs, cats and other animals regularly vaccinated against rabies and maintain a registration card which shall contain all vaccinations conducted on their dog for accurate record purposes.
- (c) Take care and provide for the needs of their animals such as proper grooming, adequate food and clean shelter and to prevent any form of cruelty to their animals in accordance with Republic Act 8485, otherwise known as the Animal Welfare Act of 1998.
- (d) Should keep the animals within their enclosed premises. Also, owners should not tie or leash their animals in any public place/property such as but not limited to sidewalks or streets.
- (e) To keep his/her animal, particularly dog, under control or physical restraint as to prevent such animal from becoming a danger to persons or property or from trespassing upon the property of the other.
- (f) Prevent his/her animal, particularly dog, to run loose in public places, and must not allow it to roam the streets or any public place without a leash. The length of the leash shall not be more than 1.5 meters or five (5) feet, aggressive dogs shall be muzzled in public place.
- (g) Must not allow the animal to defecate on another person's property, on any street lane, boulevard, and pathway or on any public place. If unavoidable, the animal defecates on said places, the owner is responsible for the proper collection and disposal of the excreta/feces.
- (h) Be liable or responsible to clean the mess made by their dog on garbage that was kept clean on garbage collection areas.
- (i) Owners must not allow his/her dog/s to bark indiscriminately or cats to make noises frequently so as not to disturb the peace and quietness of the neighbourhood.
- (j) May keep other animals provided that they are confined in owner's enclosed premises.
- (k) Assist the motorist/motorcycle rider when the cause of the road accident is due to his/her stray dog and shoulder the medical expenses incurred and other damages to persons and properties.
- (l) Should be liable for any damage to property and/or injury to person, including medical expenses and other incidental expenses, caused by their animal while outside their enclosed premises or within their premises with the owner's permission.
- (m) Within 24 hours, immediately report any dog biting incident to the concerned officials for investigation or for any appropriate action and the dog should be placed under observation by a government or private Veterinarian. Sudden death of any animal should also be reported immediately, in case the dog dies for unknown reason. Surrender the dog immediately to the City Veterinarian Office for further laboratory examination.

Section 8. IMPOUNDMENT OF STRAY ANIMALS. It shall be the duty of the barangay to impound any animal/s stray or running at large within the barangay. Animals impounded shall be released to its owner after paying fines imposed under this ordinance. Besides payment of penalty, owners of impounded dogs should present the following before redeeming their dogs:

1. Pet's identification/vaccination card

An animal shall be deemed "at large" when off the owner's premises and/or either not on leash and controlled by its owner or other person, or on leash but tied stationary on public place or property and/or pollutes, damages property or vegetation belonging to someone other than the owner, or by any means whatsoever injuring or damaging the property of one other than its owner or members of his/her household except in defense of the owner, his family or property, and this shall be true whether under control or not.

Section 9. STRAY DOGS CONTROL.

1. Stray dogs shall be removed from the community streets.
2. The City Veterinary Office or trained dog catchers of the Barangay shall direct and supervise daily rounds for picking-up of stray dogs/animals. Dogs caught in the Barangay will be turned over to the City Veterinary Office.
3. Stray dogs shall be impounded for at least (3) days to give owners enough time to claim them and to determine if the dog has bitten an individual. In case nobody claims the animal after three (3) days from the date of impoundment, the same shall be offered for adoption for petting purposes, donated to institution for medical/scientific study purposes and or disposed of by means of euthanasia.

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4. Apprehended vicious stray dogs may be euthanized at the discretion of the City Veterinary Office.
5. Dogs suspected to be suffering from either of the two types of rabies shall be disposed of immediately and head samples be sent to the laboratory for further examinations.
6. Owners of stray dogs shall be subjected to penal provision of this ordinance.
7. The dog catchers/team shall not be held liable if the dog dies or is injured during the process of catching, transporting and impounding them.

SECTION 10. QUARANTINE. A dog/cat which is known to have bitten or injured any person so as to cause an abrasion on the skin, or a dog/cat which in the opinion of any licensed veterinarian to be rabies suspects, shall be closely confined by its owner in accordance with the direction of the City Veterinary Office or the Barangay Anti-Rabies Committee.

If the owner of the dog/s referred above cannot be determined or located, then the City Veterinary Office or the Barangay Anti-Rabies Committee shall order the confinement of the dog at the City Pound for a period of not less than fourteen (14) days. If the dog is determined to be suffering from rabies, or the symptoms thereof, it shall be euthanized forthwith and the head sample be submitted to the laboratory for confirmation. All dogs known to be exposed to a rabid dog shall also be confiscated and impounded or disposed of properly. Owners who refuse to surrender their dogs will have to sign a waiver stating he/she is well informed and warned of the consequence of such action.

It is unlawful for any person knowing or suspecting a dog has rabies shall allow such dog to be taken off his premises or beyond barangay limits without the written permission of the City Veterinary Office. Every owner or other person, upon ascertaining a dog/cat is rabid shall immediately notify the barangay/City Veterinary Office which shall either confine the dog to the pound or summarily dispose it.

SECTION 11. PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION OF ORDINANCE. Any dog owner who violates any provision of this Ordinance shall be penalized as follows:

For violation of any of the provisions of Section 7 (a) (b) (c) (d) (e) (f) (g) (h) (i) (j) (m)

First offense	300 fine and registration and submit the animal for neutering
Second offense	500 fine and neutering
Third offense	1000 fine and confiscation of the animal

However, the violator may opt to pay an administrative fine in the amount of half of the imposable penalty for the offense committed, for the above mentioned violations except for the additional penalties thereof.

For Violation of Section 7 (k) (l)

Subject to liabilities imposed under existing National Laws

All fines collectible in violations hereof shall be paid to the Barangay Treasurer who shall issue an Official Receipt and to be kept under his/her custody to form part of the General fund of the barangay.

Section 12. ESTABLISHMENT OF ANIMAL REGISTRY. It is hereby established the Barangay Animal Registry. The Sangguniang Barangay member for Health and Nutrition committee is hereby designated as Barangay Registrar.

Section 13. BARANGAY ANIMAL REGISTRY. The Barangay Registrar shall be charged with the duty of registering animals, particularly dogs and cats within the barangay. The list of registered animals shall be forwarded to the City Veterinarian Office, together with all requirements before the end of each quarter.

The Barangay Registrar shall also submit a yearly report of the entire animal registered in their barangay to the City Veterinary Office.

Section 14. REPEALING CLAUSE. All existing ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed repealed and/or modified accordingly.


Section 15. EFFECTIVITY. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon approval and after compliance with the requirements set forth under Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991.

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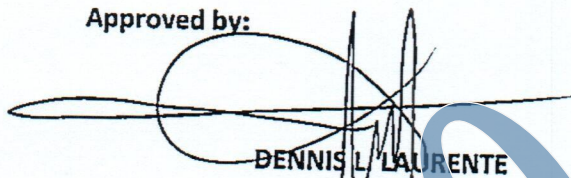
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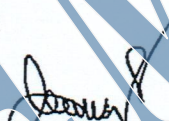
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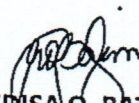

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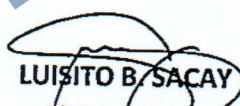
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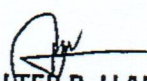

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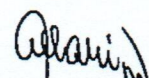
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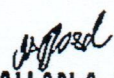

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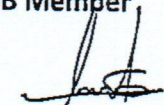

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

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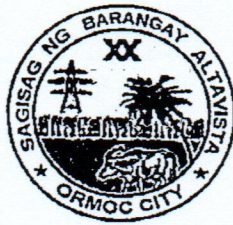

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**MINUTES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND PUBLIC HEARING ON
BARANGAY ORDINANCE NO. 02, SERIES OF 2021, "BARANGAY ANTI-
RABIES AND STRAY ANIMAL CONTROL ORDINANCE".**

Present:

Hon. Dennis I. Laurente	Punong Brgy.-Presiding Officer
Hon. Myrna R. Mangle	SB Member
Hon. Edisa O. Bation	SB Member
Hon. Luisito B. Sacay	SB Member
Hon. Alter R. Llamas	SB Member
Hon. Dinah G. Larino	SB Member
Hon. Jose Allan Rosal	SB Member
Hon. Mardonio A. Noynay	SB Member
Hon. Jeremie L. Serato	SB Member
Divina Sagales	Brgy. Secretary
Felipe Calbonero	Brgy. Treasurer

(Attendance of the participants is hereby attached)

The meeting was started with the prayer led by SBM Mardonio A. Noynay followed by the singing of the Philippine National Anthem led by the Barangay Secretary.

The Punong Barangay extend his New Year's greetings to that participants of the "General Assembly and Public Hearing on the said Barangay Ordinance No. 2, Series of 2021. It has been a long complaint of motorcycle owners/drivers that stray dogs in the streets are causes of so many accidents and that dog owners are not properly responding to the barangay information that households who have dogs must tie their dogs in order also to avoid from causing the dogs to bite passers especially children;

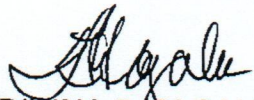
It was unanimously approved by the body, the attendees on the of the Public Hearing agreed and approved on the said ordinance since all will be free from any danger like animal bites and road accident;

The posting of the said ordinance be done after it has been reviewed by the City Legal officer for correction and finally be submitted to the Sangguninag Panlungsod for its approval.

The General Assembly and Public hearing was adjourned at 4:30 in the afternoon.

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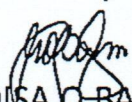
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

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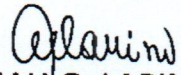
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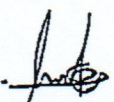

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

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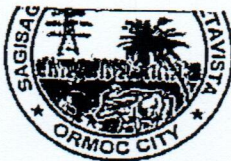

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ATTENDANCE OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND PUBLIC HEARING ON
BARANGAY ORDINANCE NO. 02, SERIES OF 2021, "BARANGAY ANTI-
RABIES AND STRAY ANIMAL CONTROL ORDINANCE" HELD AT BARANGAY
COVERED COURT ON JANUARY 3, 2021 AT 2:00PM.

NAME	PUROK	AGE	DESIGNATION	SIGNATURE
1. <i>Barbara M. Batten</i>	4	54	<i>Barbara M. Batten</i>	<i>[Signature]</i>
2. <i>Luisito P. P. P.</i>	4	51	SBM	<i>[Signature]</i>
3. <i>MYRNA MANGLE</i>	2	64	SBM	<i>[Signature]</i>
4. <i>Dennis Laurente</i>	2	40	PB	<i>[Signature]</i>
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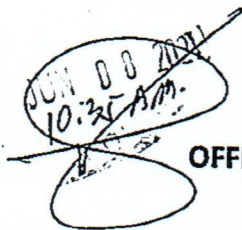
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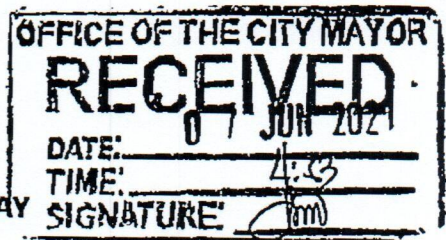
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GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND PUBLIC HEARING ON
BRGY. ORDINANCE NO. 02, SERIES OF 2021





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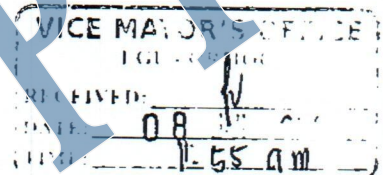


EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG BARANGAY OF BARANGAY COGON, ORMOC CITY HELD AT THE BARANGAY SESSION HALL, BARANGAY COGON, ORMOC CITY ON JUNE 02, 2021, 3:00 P.M.

PRESENT:

HON. MA. CASSANDRA T. CODILLA
HON. PEDRO GODIARDO P. EBCAS
HON. MARVEN U. PICAL
HON. ROMEO S. MATUGUINA
HON. ANTONIO M. CODILLA
HON. SALDO P. SOLIS
HON. NELIA S. ARELLANO
HON. MARIO ANGELO C. DAGLE

- Punong Barangay/ Presiding Officer *[Signature]*
- Sangguniang Barangay (SB) Member *[Signature]*
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- SB Member *[Signature]*
- SB Member *[Signature]*
- SK Chairperson *[Signature]*



OTHERS PRESENT:

MACARIO O. LAURO, JR.
ODETTE O. LIRUM

- Barangay Treasurer
- Barangay Secretary

PREFATORY STATEMENT

WHEREAS, the presence of stray animals remains to be a common problem to the LGU of Barangay Cogon in its pursuit to promote peace and order, public safety and its health and sanitation programs;

WHEREAS, Section 7 of R.A. 9482 or the Anti-Rabies Act of 2007 states that LGUs, in their respective localities, shall enact additional ordinances that will support the National Rabies Prevention and Control Program;

WHEREAS, in 2017, R.A. 9482 has been adopted and implemented by the City Government of Ormoc, the Local Government Unit where the LGU of Barangay Cogon is one of its component barangays, through the enactment of City Ordinance No. 034 Series of 2017 otherwise known as "An Ordinance Amending Certain Provisions of Ordinance No. 57 Series of 1996, otherwise Known as "Anti-Rabies Ordinance" and Incorporating therein Certain New Provisions";

WHEREAS, R.A. 9482 and City Ordinance No. 034 Series of 2017 shall be adopted and implemented by the LGU of Barangay Cogon in support of the program of the national and local government;

WHEREAS, the LGU of Barangay Cogon manifests this support through the enactment of an Anti-Rabies and Animal Welfare Ordinance that provides guidelines for the prevention and control of rabies in the barangay and aims to control the number of stray animals and formulate various measures in reducing the risk of damage to property and risk to public welfare, deterioration of environmental sanitation, vehicular accidents and, ultimately, deaths resulting from rabies;

WHEREAS, in 2008, the LGU of Barangay Cogon enacted Barangay Ordinance No. 003 – 2008 entitled, "An Ordinance Prohibiting Owners of Domestic Animals such as Cattles, Goats, Horses, Pigs, Dogs, and Fowls such as Ducks, Turkeys, Geese, and Other Similar Animals and Fowls, from Causing them to Go Astray Along the Road, Streets, River Sidewalk, Public or Private Lots, and Providing Penalties in

Violation Thereof" that provides guidelines for the control of stray animals and penalties for violations thereof;

WHEREAS, this August Body deems it timely and proper to repeal Barangay Ordinance No. 003-2008 and the enactment of a new ordinance is in order to implement measures more relevant and consistent with the policies declared in R.A. 9482 and City Ordinance No. 034 Series of 2017;

WHEREAS, during the Barangay Assembly Day for the First Semester of Calendar Year (CY) 2021 held at the Barangay Cogon Covered Court last March 28, 2021, a proposition for the enactment of an Anti-Rabies and Animal Welfare Ordinance together with the repeal of Ordinance No. 003-2008 was presented to the public by SB Member Saldo P. Solis, Chairperson of the Committee on Health and Sanitation, and no objection was raised;

NOW THEREFORE, FOREGOING PREMISES CONSIDERED, on motion of SB Member Saldo P. Solis, Chairperson, Committee on Health & Sanitation, and seconded by all present; be it

RESOLVED, to enact:

**ORDINANCE NO. 001
(Series of 2021)**

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE CONTROL AND ELIMINATION OF STRAY ANIMALS, REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 003-2008, PRESCRIBING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF, AND PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Sangguniang Barangay in its session duly assembled, that:

SECTION 1. TITLE – This Ordinance shall be known as "The Barangay Anti-Rabies and Animal Welfare Ordinance."

SECTION 2. DEFINITION OF TERMS. As used in this Ordinance the following terms shall mean and be defined as follows:

- A. **ANIMAL/PET OWNER** – refers to any person, including his representative or members of his household, keeping, harboring or having charge, care or control of an animal and allows such animal to remain about his premises for a period of not less than seven (7) days.
- B. **ANIMAL REGISTRY** – refers to a log where the identities of the animal and its owner are registered.
- C. **ANIMAL WELFARE** – pertains to the physical and psychological well-being of animals. It includes, but not limited to, the avoidance of abuse, maltreatment, cruelty and exploitation of animals by humans by maintaining appropriate standards of accommodation, feeding and general care, the prevention and treatment of disease and the assurance of freedom from fear, distress, harassment and unnecessary discomfort and pain, and allowing animals to express normal behavior.
- D. **DOG** – refers to a common quadruped domestic animal belonging to the Carnivora (male or female), scientifically known as Canis familiaris.
- E. **DOG CATCHER** – shall refer to the person authorized to perform the actual catching of stray dogs and other stray animals.
- F. **DOG IMPOUNDING/ANIMAL IMPOUNDING** – shall mean to seize and hold in the custody of the law any stray dog/s or stray animal/s.
- G. **ENCLOSED PREMISES** – means the owner's house, or fenced yard, where other persons have no reason to enter except to conduct business or visit with the member/s of the household.
- H. **BITTEN** – refers to an act by which an animal seized, cut, or gripped with its teeth so that the skin of a person has been wounded, pierced or scratched.
- I. **NEUTERING** – refers to the surgical removal under anesthesia of the ovaries and uterus in the female and testicles for the male animals, performed by a licensed veterinarian.

- J. **OTHER ANIMALS** – refers to an animal other than dogs and cats which are kept or cared for by persons as pets.
- K. **POUND** – refers to a public enclosure for stray animals.
- L. **PUBLIC PLACE** – refers to any place open to the public like parks, malls, markets, streets, sidewalks, etc.
- M. **RABIES** – refers to a highly fatal disease caused by a lyssa virus, transmitted mainly through the bite of an infected animal and is characterized by muscle paralysis, hydrophobia and aerophobia and other neurological manifestations.
- N. **RESTRAINED** – means tethered, leashed or caged or within enclosed premises.
- O. **STRAY ANIMAL** – refers to any animal, registered or unregistered, leaving its owner's place or enclosed premises and found loose anywhere in the Barangay. Also refers to any animal tied outside its owner's premises without its owner or is not under its owner's control.
- P. **VACCINATION** – refers to the inoculation of a dog/cat with standard rabies vaccine by a licensed government veterinarian or private licensed veterinarian or by a trained individual under the supervision of a licensed veterinarian."

SECTION 3. ORGANIZATION AND COMPOSITION. The Barangay Rabies Control Committee to be called as Bantay Rabies sa Barangay (BRB) is hereby organized and composed of the following:

CHAIRPERSON	– Punong Barangay
VICE CHAIRPERSON	– Chairperson, Committee on Health and Sanitation
MEMBERS	– All Sangguniang Barangay Members
	– Sangguniang Kabataan Chairperson
	– Barangay Tanods
	– Barangay Health Workers
	– Barangay Purok Officers, one from every Purok
	– Representative from Cogon Central Elementary School

The BRB Committee is vested with the authority of implementing this ordinance and other Animal Welfare and Anti-Rabies and Stray Animal Control related measures and shall coordinate with the Office of the City Veterinarian for any technical assistance deemed necessary in implementing the same. The BRB Committee, with the assistance of the Barangay Tanods, is hereby authorized to apprehend any violators and see to it that the ordinance shall be observed by all.

SECTION 4. MANDATORY REGISTRATION AND VACCINATION. It is hereby required that all dogs, cats and other animals, which can be carriers of the rabies virus, be registered in the Barangay Animal Registry. The Rabies Control Committee will be responsible in the monitoring of their constituents for compliance. Otherwise, confiscation of the animal/s will be done by the Barangay upon the recommendation and assistance of the City Veterinary office.

All dogs and cats two (2) months of age and above shall be submitted by the owner for vaccination against rabies and thereafter as determined by a licensed veterinarian.

SECTION 5. RESPONSIBILITIES OF ANIMAL OWNERS. Animal owners shall have the following duties and responsibilities:

- (a) Submit their animal/s, particularly dogs and/or cats, for mandatory registration.
- (b) Have their dogs/cats regularly vaccinated against rabies and maintain a registration card which shall contain all vaccinations conducted on their dog/cat for accurate record purposes.
- (c) Take care and provide for the needs of their animals such as proper grooming, adequate food and clean shelter and to prevent any form of cruelty to their animals in accordance with Republic Act 10631, otherwise known as The Animal Welfare Act of 1998 as Amended.
- (d) Keep the animals within their enclosed premises. Also, owners should not leave their animals tied or leashed on any property in public places.
- (e) Keep his animal under control or physical restraint as to prevent such animal from becoming a danger to persons or property or from trespassing upon the property of the other.
- (f) Adopt and ensure measures to prevent his animal, particularly dog, from running loose in public places and must not allow it to roam the streets or on any public place without a leash. The length

of the leash shall not be more than 1.5 meters or five (5) feet. Aggressive dogs shall be muzzled in public places.

- (g) Prevent his animal from defecating on another person's property and/or in public places. If unavoidable and the animal defecates on said places, the owner is responsible for the proper collection and disposal of the excreta/feces.
- (h) Be liable or responsible for cleaning the mess caused by their pet, particularly dog/s, on garbage that were kept clean in garbage collection areas.
- (i) Keep their dog/s under control from barking indiscriminately or from making frequent noises so as not to disturb the peace and quiet in the neighborhood.
- (j) May keep any other animals provided that they are confined in the owner's enclosed premises.
- (k) May surrender their dog/s and/or other pets to the Barangay or to the City Veterinary Office.
- (l) Shall be of complete assistance and entirely liable for all incurred medical expenses and any other resulting damages to person/s and properties due to vehicular accident caused by his stray animal.
- (m) Shall be liable for any damage to property and/or injury to person, including medical expenses, caused by their animal while outside their enclosed premises or within their premises but with the owner's permission of entry.
- (n) Within 24 hours, shall immediately report any dog biting incident to the Barangay or to the City Veterinary Office and the dog shall be placed under observation by a government or private Veterinarian or, upon the owner's written request or signed waiver and the approval of the City Veterinary Office, in his own premises subject to close coordination with concerned government entities. Sudden death of any animal or symptoms of rabies infection shall also be reported immediately. In case the dog dies for unknown reasons or is observed to show symptoms of rabies infection, it shall be surrendered immediately to the City Veterinary Office for further laboratory examination.

SECTION 6. IMPOUNDMENT OF STRAY ANIMALS.

- A. It shall be the duty of the Barangay for the impoundment of any animal, stray or running at large, within its territorial jurisdiction. Any resident, of legal age, may refer or surrender to the Barangay any stray animal found or caught by them within the Barangay's territorial limits. An animal shall be deemed "at large" when:
 - a. It is off the owner's premises.
 - b. It is not on leash or controlled by its owner/s.
 - c. It is on leash but tied stationary in a public place or property.
 - d. It pollutes/damages property or vegetation belonging to someone other than the owner, or
 - e. It causes, by any means, injury or damage to a person other than its owner/s, except in defense of the owner, his family or property, and this shall be true whether it is under control or not.
- B. **NOTICE** – Upon receipt of the animal impounded, the Barangay shall cause a notice at the Barangay Hall or on any available forms of advertisement for, at most, twenty-four (24) hours stating the following:
 - 1. Color, breed and other description of the impounded animal;
 - 2. The date time and place the animal was caught;
 - 3. A notice of option to redeem the impounded animal in accordance with Section 6(C) of this Ordinance.
- C. **REDEMPTION PERIOD AT THE BARANGAY** – Owners of animal/s impounded at the Barangay are given twenty-four (24) hours or before three (3) o'clock in the afternoon on the day immediately succeeding the date of capture, whichever is earlier, to redeem their animal/s at the Barangay. The animal shall be transported and turned over to the City Veterinary Office should there be no claim manifested to and received by the Barangay within the redemption period. However, the redemption period shall be dispensed with if the following conditions are present:
 - a. The animal was voluntary surrendered by its owner to the Barangay; or
 - b. The animal is suspected or observed to be suffering from either of the two types of rabies or to have bitten or injured any person; or
 - c. The animal is observed to be vicious.

- D. **RELEASE OF CLAIMED ANIMALS** - In accordance with Section 6(C), animals impounded shall be immediately released to its owner/s after paying fines imposed under Section 9 of this ordinance. Besides payment of penalty, owners of impounded animals shall present their pet's identification/vaccination card or, if the animal is unregistered, shall register the same with the Barangay before redeeming.

SECTION 7. DISPOSITION.

1. Stray animals, particularly dogs, shall be removed from the community streets.
2. The City Veterinary Office or the trained dog catchers of the Barangay shall direct and supervise regular rounds for seizing stray animals, particularly dogs.
3. All animals caught by the Barangay will be turned over to the City Veterinary Office. Owner's of caught animals are given twenty-four (24) hours or before three (3) o'clock in the afternoon on the day immediately succeeding the date of capture, whichever comes first, to redeem their animal/s at the Barangay. However, the redemption period shall be dispensed with if the following conditions are present:
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 - c. The animal is observed to be vicious.
4. Owners of stray animals shall be subjected to the penal provisions of this ordinance.
5. The stray animal catcher team shall not be held liable if the caught animal dies or is injured during the process of catching, transporting, and impounding them.

SECTION 8. QUARANTINE. A dog/cat that is known to have bitten or injured any person so as to cause an abrasion on the skin, or is exposed to or bitten by a rabid animal, or is, in the opinion of any licensed veterinarian, rabies suspect, shall be subject to Section 5(n) or Section 6 and Section 7(3) of this Ordinance, whichever is applicable;

It is unlawful for any person knowing or suspecting a dog/cat that has rabies to allow such animal to be taken off his premises or beyond barangay limits without the written permission of the City Veterinary Office. Every owner or other person, upon suspecting that a dog/cat is rabid, shall immediately notify the Barangay or the City Veterinary Office.

SECTION 9. PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION OF ORDINANCE. Any animal owner who violates any provision of this Ordinance shall be penalized as follows:

- (a) Violation of any of the provisions of Section 5 (a) (b) (c) (d) (e) (f) (g) (h) (i) (j) (n)
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| First
Offense | Registration of the animal and pay a fine not exceeding Four Hundred Pesos (P 400.00), at the discretion of the court, but the offender may opt to pay a no contest administrative fine of Two Hundred Pesos (P 200.00). |
| Second
Offense | Neutering of the animal and pay a fine not exceeding Seven Hundred Pesos (P 700.00), at the discretion of the court, but the offender may opt to pay a no contest administrative fine of Four Hundred Pesos (P 400.00). |
| Third and
Succeeding
Offense | Confiscation of the animal and pay a fine not exceeding One Thousand Pesos (P 1,000.00), at the discretion of the court, but the offender may opt to pay a no contest administrative fine of Eight Hundred Pesos (P 800.00). |

- (b) Violation of Section 5 (l) (m)
Subject to the penalties of existing National Laws

All fines collectible in violations hereof, shall be paid to the Barangay Treasurer who shall issue an Official Receipt and to be kept under his custody to form part of the General Fund of the Barangay.

SECTION 10. CREATION AND ESTABLISHMENT OF THE BARANGAY ANIMAL REGISTRY (BAR). It is hereby established the Barangay Animal Registry. The Sangguniang Barangay Member for Health and Nutrition Committee is hereby designated as the Barangay Animal Registrar. The BRB Committee shall provide for technical assistance and planning in the establishment and maintenance of the same.

SECTION 11. BARANGAY ANIMAL REGISTRY. The Barangay Registrar shall be charged with the duty of registering animals, particularly dogs and cats within the barangay.

A list of registered animals, together with all requirements, shall be forwarded to the City Veterinary Office regularly. The Barangay Registrar shall also submit an annual report of all the animals registered in their barangay to the City Veterinary Office.

SECTION 12. APPROPRIATION. The necessary expenditures to effectively carry out the provisions of this Ordinance shall be taken from the current year's appropriation for the Barangay Environmental / Clean and Green Program, and every year thereafter.

SECTION 13. REPEALING CLAUSE. All existing ordinances, rules and regulations or parts thereof, whose provisions are in conflict or inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed repealed, amended, and modified accordingly.

SECTION 14. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. If, for any reason, any portion of this Ordinance is declared to be unconstitutional or invalid, all other provisions hereof, which are not affected thereby, shall continue to be in full force and effect.

SECTION 15. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE. This Ordinance shall take effect fifteen (15) days from publication, copies thereof shall be posted at the Barangay Hall and other public places for three consecutive weeks.


Enacted, June 02, 2021.

RESOLVED, FURTHER, to furnish copies of this Ordinance to the City Veterinary Office, Office of the Barangay Affairs, DILG-Ormoc and others concerned in Ormoc City;

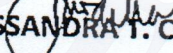
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I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing ordinance.

I CERTIFY FURTHER that a Public Hearing for the enactment of this ordinance was conducted by this Council during the Barangay Assembly Day for the First Semester of Calendar Year (CY) 2021 held at the Barangay Cogon Covered Court last March 28, 2021.


ODETTE O. LIRUM
Barangay Secretary

ATTESTED AND APPROVED:

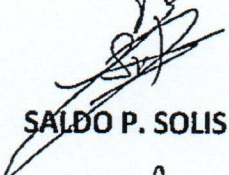

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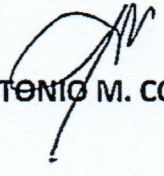

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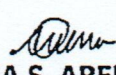

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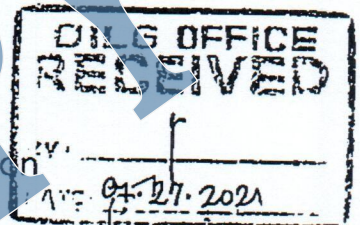
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EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG BARANGAY OF BARANGAY GAAS, ORMOC CITY, HELD AT THE BARANGAY HALL ON JANUARY 2, 2021 AT 9:00 O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING.

PRESENTS: HON. JOEL G. CAPIYAN
HON. JUANITO L. GONZALES
HON. ROSALIA P. MAGNO
HON. FERNANDO C. MORIMONTE
HON. LOU P. SUSUSCO
HON. SERGIO R. PELICANO, JR.
HON. RAMIL S. VILLOS
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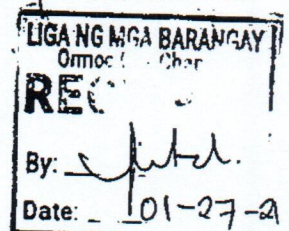
Punong Barangay
SB Member
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SB Member
SK Chairperson



OTHERS PRESENTS:

VIRGINIA P. MONTESCLAROS
RICHEL A. MERCED

Brgy. Treasurer
Brgy. Secretary



PREFATORY STATEMENT

WHEREAS, Section 7 of R.A. 9482 states that LGUs, in their respective localities, shall enact additional ordinances that will support the National Rabies Prevention and Control Program;

WHEREAS, the Barangay Gaas manifested this support through the enactment of an Anti-Rabies Ordinance, which provides guidelines for the prevention and control of rabies in the barangay and aims to control the number of stray animals and formulate various measures in reducing the public's risks and deaths resulting rabies.

WHEREAS, this Ordinance shall promote discipline to animal owners on how they treat and take care of their pets, as well as imposing to those pet owners their responsibilities and liabilities;

WHEREAS, ON MOTION OF SBM Lou P. Sususco and duly seconded by SBM Juanito L. Gonzales, be it ORDAINED, by the Sangguniang barangay of Barangay Gaas in session assembled that:

BARANGAY ORDINANCE NO. 01
Series of 2021

THE BARANGAY GAAS ANTI-RABIES AND STRAY ANIMAL CONTROL ORDINANCE AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF

Section 1. TITLE. This Ordinance shall be known as the "Barangay Anti-Rabies and Stray Animal Control Ordinance".

Section 2. DEFINITION OF TERMS. As used in this Ordinance the following terms shall mean:

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- (f) Dog refers to a common quadruped domestic animal belonging to the Carnivora (male or female), scientifically known as *Canis familiaris*.
- (g) Dog Catcher shall refer to the person authorized to perform the actual catching of stray dogs and other stray animals.
- (h) Dog impounding/Animal impounding shall mean to seize and hold in the custody of the law any stray animals.
- (i) Enclosed Premises means the owner's house, or fenced yard, where other people have no reason to enter except to conduct business or visit with the members of the household.
- (j) Euthanasia mercy killing; putting an end to the life of the animal by humane means in accordance with Republic Act 8485.
- (k) Neutering refers to the surgical removal under anaesthesia of the ovaries and uterus in the female and testicles for the male animals, performed by a licensed veterinarian.
- (l) Other Animals refers to an animal other than dogs and cats which are kept or cared for by persons as pets.
- (m) Rabies refers to a highly fatal disease caused by a lyssa virus transmitted mainly through the bite of an infected animal and is characterized by muscle paralysis, hydrophobia and aerophobia and other neurological manifestations.
- (n) Restrained means tethered, leashed or caged or within enclosed premises.
- (o) Stray Animal means any unregistered or registered animal leaving its owner's place or its owner's premises without or is not under its owner's control.
- (p) Vaccination means inoculation of a dog/cat with standard rabies vaccine by a licensed veterinarian or private licensed veterinarian or trained individual under the supervision of a licensed veterinarian.

Section 3. ANTI-RABIES COMMITTEE. The Barangay Rabies Committee is hereby organized or composed of the following:

Chairman: Hon. Joel G. Capuyan
Vice-Chairman: Hon. Fernando C. Morimonte
Members:

SB Members

Hon. Juanito L. Gonzales
Hon. Rosalia P. Magno
Hon. Lou P. Sususco
Hon. Sergio R. Pelicano, Jr.
Hon. Ramil S. Villos
Hon. Timoteo B. Montesclaros

Barangay Tanods

Ma. Morena G. Padilla	Louie C. Adora
Lesilda R. Constantino	Ricardo T. Tinaya
Angelin M. Cagoyong	Dionisio B. Catapon
Jessica A. Parrilla	Roberto M. Montezon
Austerliza B. Adora	Ricardo M. Montesclaros
Claudia D. Sombilon	Diosdado L. Pagalan
Samuel M. Custodio	Ronnie P. Peras
Romulo L. Villaren	Antonio C. Parrilla

Barangay Health Workers

Melca U. Domanillo	Letecia Merin
Myline M. Aya-ay	Rebecca M. Torino
Ms. Leah C. Capuyan	Public Sch. Teacher
Ms. Ayecil D. Sususco	Representative, GAHWA

The said Committee is vested with the authority of implementing this ordinance and other Anti-Rabies and Stray Animal control related measures. The Punong Barangay with the assistance of the Barangay Tanods are hereby authorized to impound dogs/stray animals and apprehend any violators to see to it that the ordinance shall be observed.

Section 4. MANDATORY REGISTRATION AND VACCINATION. It is hereby required that all dogs/cats and other animals which could be carries of rabies virus be registered in the Barangay Animal Registry. The rabies control committee will be responsible in the monitoring of their constituents for compliance. Otherwise, confiscation of the animal/s will be done by the Barangay upon the recommendation and assistance of the City Veterinary Office.

Section 5. All dogs two (2) months of age and above should be submitted by the owner for vaccination against rabies and thereafter as determined by the veterinarian.

Section 6. Unvaccinated dogs/cats not vaccinated within one (1) year, known to have been bitten or exposed to a rabid animal shall be euthanized. Dogs/cats

vaccinated within one (1) year and known to have been bitten by a rabid animal shall be revaccinated immediately and confined for ninety (90) days of this Ordinance.

Section 7. ANIMAL OWNER'S DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES. Animal owners shall have the following duties and responsibilities. Failure to perform any of these will be penalized under the Penal Provisions of this Ordinance.

- a) Submit their pets, either dogs or cats and other animals which could be carriers of rabies virus, for mandatory registration.
- b) Have their dogs, cats and other animals regularly vaccinated conducted on their dog for accurate record purposes.
- c) Take care and provide for the needs of their animals such as proper grooming, adequate food and clean shelter and to prevent any form of cruelty to their animals in accordance with the Republic Act 8485, otherwise known as the Animal Welfare Act of 1998.
- d) Should keep the animals within their enclosed premises. Also, owners should not tie or leash their animals in any public place/property such as but not limited to sidewalks or streets.
- e) To keep his/her animal, particularly dog, under control or physical restraint as to prevent such animal from becoming a danger to persons or property or from trespassing upon the property of the other.
- f) Prevent his/her animal, particularly dog, to run loose in public places, and must not allow it to roam the streets or any public place without a leash. The length of the leash shall not be more than 1.5 meters or five (5) feet, aggressive dogs shall be muzzled in public place.
- g) Must not allow the animal to defecate on another person's property, on any street lane, boulevard, and pathway or on any public place. If unavoidable, the animal defecates on said places, the owner is responsible for the proper collection and disposal of the excreta/feces.
- h) Be liable or responsible to clean the mess done by their dog on garbage that was kept clean on garbage collection areas.
- i) Owners must not allow his/her dog/s to bark indiscriminately or cats to make noises frequently so as not to disturbed the peace and quietness of the neighbourhood.
- j) May keep other animals provided that they are confined in owner's close premises.
- k) Assist the motorist/s motorcycle rider when the cause of the road accident is due to his/her stray dog and shoulder the medical expenses incurred and other damages to persons and properties.
- l) Should be liable for any damage to property and/or injury to person, including medical expenses and other incidental expenses, caused by their animal while outside their enclosed premises or within their premises with the owner's permission.
- m) Within 24 hours, immediately report dog biting incident to the concerned officials for investigation or for any appropriate action and the dog should be placed under observation by a government or private Veterinarian. Sudden death of any animal should also be reported immediately. In case the dog dies for unknown reason, surrender the dog immediately to the City Veterinarian Office for further laboratory examination.

Section 8. IMPOUNDMENT OF STRAY ANIMALS. It shall be the duty of the barangay to impound any animal/s stray running at large within the barangay. Animals impounded shall be released to its owner after paying fines imposed under this ordinance. Besides payment of penalty, owners of impounded dogs should present the following before redeeming their dogs.

1. Pet's identification/vaccination card

An animal shall be deemed "at large" when off the owner's premises and/or either not on leash and controlled by its owner or other person, or on leash but tied stationary on public place or property and/or pollutes, damages property or vegetation belonging to someone other than the owner, or by any means whatsoever injuring or damaging the property of one another than its owner or members of his/her household except in defense of the owner, his family or property, and this shall be true whether under control or not.

Section 9. STRAY DOGS CONTROL.

1. Stray dogs shall be removed from the community streets.
2. The City Veterinary Office or trained dog catchers of the Barangay shall direct and supervise daily rounds for picking-up of stray dogs/animals. Dogs caught in the barangay will be turned over to the City Veterinary Office.
3. Stray dogs shall be impounded for at least (3) days to give owners enough time to reclaim them and to determine if the dog has bitten an individual. In case nobody claims the animal after three (3) days from the date of impoundment, the same shall be offered for adoption for petting purposes, donated to institution for medical/scientific study purposes and or disposed of by means of euthanasia.
4. Apprehended vicious stray dogs may be euthanized at the discretion of the City Veterinary Office.
5. Dogs suspected to be suffering from either of the two types of rabies shall be disposed of immediately and head samples be sent to the laboratory for further examinations.
6. Owners of stray dogs shall be subjected to penal provision of this ordinance.
7. The dog catchers/team shall not be held liable if the dog dies or is injured during the process of catching, transporting and impounding them.

Section 10. QUARANTINE. A dog/cat which is known to have bitten or injured any person so as to cause an abrasion on the skin, or a dog/cat which in the opinion of any licensed veterinarian to be rabies suspects, shall be closely confined by its owner in accordance with the direction of the City Veterinary Office or the Barangay Anti-Rabies Committee.

If the owner of the dog/s referred above cannot be determined or located, then the City Veterinary Office of the Barangay Anti-Rabies Committee shall order the confinement of the dog at the City Pound for a period of not less than fourteen (14) days. If the dog is determined to be suffering from rabies, or symptoms

thereof, it shall be euthanized forthwith and the head sample be submitted to the laboratory for confirmation. All dogs known to be exposed to a rabid dog shall also be confiscated and impounded or disposed of properly. Owners who refuse to surrender their dogs will have to sign a waiver stating he/she is well informed and warned of the consequence of such action.

It is unlawful for any person knowing or suspecting a dog has rabies shall allow such dog to be taken off his premises or beyond barangay limits without the written permission of the City Veterinary Office. Every owner or other person, upon ascertaining a dog/cat is rabid shall immediately notify the barangay/City Veterinary Office which shall either confine the dog to the pound or summarily dispose it.

Section 11. PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION OF ORDINANCE. Any dog owner violates any provision of this Ordinance shall be penalized as follows:

For violation of any of the provision of Section 7 (s) (b) (c) (d) (e) (f) (g) (h) (i) (j) (m)

First offense	300 fine and registration and submit the animal neutering
Second offense	500 fine and neutering
Third offense	1,000 fine and confiscation of the animal

However, the violator may opt to pay an administrative fine of two hundred (Php 200.00) for the above mentioned violators except for the addition penalties thereof.

For violation of Section (k) (l)

Subject to liabilities imposed under existing National Laws

All fines collectible in violation hereof shall be paid to the Barangay Treasurer who shall issue an Official Receipt and to be kept under his/her custody to form part of the General fund of the barangay.


Section 12. ESTABLISHMENT OF ANIMAL REGISTRY. It is hereby established the Barangay Animal Registry. The Sangguniang Barangay Member for Health and Nutrition committee is hereby designated as Barangay Registrar.

Section 13. BARANGAY ANIMAL REGISTRY. The Barangay Registrar shall be charged with the duty of registering animals, particularly dogs and cats within the barangay. The list of registered animals shall be forwarded to the City Veterinarian Office, together with all requirements before the end of each quarter.

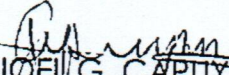
The Barangay Registrar shall also submit a yearly report of the entire animal registered in their barangay to the City Veterinary Office.

Section 14. REPEALING CLAUSE. All existing ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed repealed and/or modified accordingly.

Section 15. EFFECTIVITY. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon approval and after compliance with the requirements set forth under Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991.


RICHEL A. MERCED
Barangay Secretary

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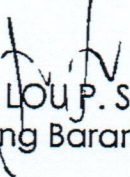

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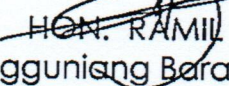

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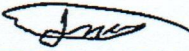

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