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OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN

**EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL SESSION OF THE
SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF THE PROVINCE OF NEGROS OCCIDENTAL
HELD IN THE CITY OF BACOLOD ON THE 25th DAY OF FEBRUARY 2025**

PRESENT:

Hon. Jeffrey P. Ferrer	Vice Governor/Presiding Officer
Hon. Rommel T. Debulgado	Member - 1 st District
Hon. Araceli T. Somosa	Member - 1 st District
Hon. Sixto Teofilo Roxas V. Guanzon, Jr.	Member - 2 nd District
Hon. Samson C. Mirhan	Member - 2 nd District
Hon. Andrew Gerard L. Montelibano	Member - 3 rd District
Hon. Jose Benito A. Alonso	Member - 4 th District
Hon. Rita Angela S. Gatuslao	Member - 5 th District
Hon. Jeffrey T. Tubola	Member - 6 th District
Hon. Valentino Miguel J. Alonso	Member - 6 th District
Hon. Mayvelyn L. Madrid	Member – SKF Rep.

ON OFFICIAL BUSINESS:

Hon. Manuel Frederick O. Ko	Member - 3 rd District
Hon. Andrew Martin Y. Torres	Member - 4 th District
Hon. Anthony Dennis J. Occeño	Member - 5 th District
Hon. Richard Julius L. Sablan	Member – ABC Rep.
Hon. Julius Martin D. Asistio	Member - PCL Rep.

**RESOLUTION NO. 0243
Series of 2025**

RESOLUTION DECLARING CITY ORDINANCE NO. 1, SERIES OF 2025 OF THE CITY OF SILAY INCREASING THE DAILY WAGE RATE OF ALL JOB ORDER / ASSIGNMENT ORDER CASUAL LABORERS ASSIGNED IN THE VARIOUS PROGRAM, PROJECTS AND/OR ACTIVITIES (PPAs) IN THE CITY OF SILAY FROM P350.00 TO P400.00 EFFECTIVE FEBRUARY 16, 2025 AS A VALID ENACTED ORDINANCE

WHEREAS, Section 56 of the Local Government Code of 1991 expresses the reviewing power of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan on Component City and Municipal Ordinances and Resolutions declaring the Ordinance or Resolution valid if it is consistent with the law or invalid in whole or in part if the Sangguniang Panlalawigan finds the Ordinance or Resolution to be beyond the power conferred upon the Sangguniang Panlungsod or Sangguniang Bayan concerned;

WHEREAS, City Ordinance No. 1, series of 2025 of the City of Silay increasing the Daily Wage Rate of all Job Order/Assignment Order Casual Laborers assigned in the various program, projects and/or activities (PPAs) in the City of Silay from P350.00 to P400.00 effective February 16, 2025 was submitted for review by the City of Silay to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Negros Occidental;

WHEREAS, after prompt examination by the Provincial Legal Office, it is the recommendation of the said Office that the subject Ordinance is within the conferred power of the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Silay to enact, thus, the same may be given due course by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan;

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WHEREAS, Section 16 of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, grants local government units (LGUs) the power to exercise those expressly granted, necessarily implied, and essential for effective governance, including measures that promote the general welfare;

WHEREAS, Section 447 of the same law authorizes local legislative bodies to enact ordinances affecting employment policies within their jurisdiction, subject to compliance with applicable laws and regulations;

WHEREAS, Job Order and Assignment Order personnel are not considered regular employees of the local government unit under Civil Service Commission (CSC) regulations and are not entitled to benefits accorded to regular government employees, including standard salary increases under civil service rules. However, their compensation may be determined by the local government unit, subject to budgetary appropriations and auditing regulations.

WHEREAS, the ordinance complies with the six (6) generally accepted principles for a valid ordinance, as adopted by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Negros Occidental under Resolution No. 1206, which are:

1. *It must not contravene the Constitution or any statute.*
2. *It must not be unfair or oppressive.*
3. *It must not be partial or discriminatory.*
4. *It must not prohibit but may regulate trade.*
5. *It must be general and consistent with public policy.*
6. *It must not be unreasonable.*


WHEREAS, the reviewing authority of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan finds no irregularity that follow thereto as a result of the thorough scrutiny of the Provincial Legal Officer;

WHEREAS, in view of the foregoing, the SP Committee on Laws, recommends approval of the same;

NOW THEREFORE, on motion of Hon. Sixto Teofilo Roxas V. Guanzon, Jr., and duly seconded by all the members present,

THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN RESOLVED, as it hereby resolves, to approve this resolution to wit:

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ADOPTED UNANIMOUSLY.

This resolution shall take effect immediately upon approval.

CERTIFIED CORRECT:


HON. JEFFREY P. FERRER
Provincial Vice Governor/Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:


ATTY. MAKI ANGEL O. ASCALON
Provincial Secretary