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OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN

**EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE
SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF THE PROVINCE OF NEGROS OCCIDENTAL
HELD IN THE CITY OF BACOLOD ON THE 18th DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2025**

PRESENT:

Hon. Genaro G. Alvarez IV
Hon. Araceli T. Somosa
Hon. Laurence Marxlen J. de la Cruz
Hon. Sixto Teofilo Roxas V. Guanzon, Jr.
Hon. Arthur Christopher D. Marañon
Hon. Andrew Gerard L. Montelibano
Hon. Hope Marey B. Depasucat
Hon. Nicholas M. Yulo
Hon. Patricia Paula M. Alonso-Valderrama
Hon. Rita Angela S. Gatuslao
Hon. Hadji P. Trojillo
Hon. Jeffrey T. Tubola
Hon. Richard Julius L. Sablan
Hon. Julius Martin D. Asistio
Hon. Mayvelyn L. Madrid

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Member - 4th District
Member - 4th District
Member - 5th District
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Member - 6th District
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Member - PCL Rep.
Member - SK Rep.

OFFICIAL BUSINESS:

Hon. Jose Benito A. Alonso

Vice Governor

**RESOLUTION NO. 1236
Series of 2025**

**RESOLUTION APPROVING CITY ORDINANCE NO. 752, SERIES OF 2025 OF THE
CITY OF TALISAY DESIGNATING SPECIFIC PLACES IN THE CITY OF TALISAY,
NEGROS OCCIDENTAL AS "GUN FREE ZONE," PROHIBITING THE CARRYING OF
FIREARMS THEREAT AND PROVIDING ADMINISTRATIVE PENALTIES THEREOF**

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. 752, series of 2025 of City of Talisay designating specific places in the City of Talisay, Negros Occidental as "Gun Free Zone," prohibiting the carrying of firearms thereat and providing administrative penalties thereof, was submitted for review by the City of Talisay to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Negros Occidental;

WHEREAS, the subject ordinance is aligned with national laws and primarily finds legal grounding from the Local Government Code, specifically, under Section 16 of the Code which provides that:

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"Section 16. General Welfare. - Every local government unit shall exercise the powers expressly granted, those necessarily implied therefrom, as well as powers necessary, appropriate, or incidental for its efficient and effective governance, and those which are essential to the promotion of the general welfare. Within their respective territorial jurisdictions, local government units shall ensure and support, among other things, the preservation and enrichment of culture, promote health and safety, enhance the right of the people to a balanced ecology, encourage and support the development of appropriate and self-reliant scientific and technological capabilities, improve public morals, enhance economic prosperity and social justice, promote full employment among their residents, maintain peace and order, and preserve the comfort and convenience of their inhabitants."

WHEREAS, in view of the foregoing, the SP Committee on Peace and Order, recommends approval of the same;

NOW THEREFORE, on motion of Hon. Richard Julius L. Sablan, and duly seconded by all the members present,

THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN RESOLVED, as it hereby resolves, to approve City Ordinance No. 752, series of 2025 of City of Talisay designating specific places in the City of Talisay, Negros Occidental as "Gun Free Zone," prohibiting the carrying of firearms thereat and providing administrative penalties thereof.

ADOPTED UNANIMOUSLY.

This resolution shall take effect immediately upon approval.

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

HON. GENARO G. ALVAREZ, IV
Presiding Officer Pro-Tempore

ATTESTED:

ATTY. MAKI ANGEL O. ASCALON
Provincial Secretary