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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 20TH DAY OF JANUARY 2026

PRESENT:

Hon. Jose Benito A. Alonso	Vice-Governor/Presiding Officer
Hon. Laurence Marxlen J. de la Cruz	Member - 1 st District
Hon. Araceli T. Somosa	Member - 1 st District
Hon. Sixto Teofilo Roxas V. Guanzon, Jr.	Member - 2 nd District
Hon. Arthur Christopher D. Marañon	Member - 2 nd District
Hon. Atty. Hope Marey B. Depasucat	Member - 3 rd District
Hon. Andrew Gerard L. Montelibano	Member - 3 rd District
Hon. Patricia Paula M. Alonso-Valderrama	Member - 4 th District
Hon. Nicholas M. Yulo	Member - 4 th District
Hon. Hadji P. Trojillo	Member - 5 th District
Hon. Rita Angela S. Gatuslao	Member - 5 th District
Hon. Genaro G. Alvarez, IV	Member - 6 th District
Hon. Jeffrey T. Tubola	Member - 6 th District
Hon. Richard Julius L. Sablan	Member - ABC Rep.
Hon. Mayvelyn L. Madrid	Member - SKF Rep.

ABSENT (O.L.):

Hon. Julius Martin D. Asistio	Member - PCL Rep.
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RESOLUTION NO. 0132
Series of 2026

RESOLUTION APPROVING ORDINANCE NO. 25-24 OF THE CITY OF SAN CARLOS, NEGROS OCCIDENTAL ENTITLED: "AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER III (PERMIT AND REGULATORY FEES) ARTICLE N (PERMIT FEES ON TRICYCLE OPERATION), SECTION 2 (IMPOSITION OF FEES, ITEMS (A) AND (C) OF ORDINANCE NO. 23-21, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE SAN CARLOS CITY REVENUE CODE OF 2023, BY DELETING AND REVISING PHRASES THEREOF, PROVIDING FOR THE REDUCTION OF FEES AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

WHEREAS, thereby presented for appropriate action of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of the Province of Negros Occidental is Ordinance No. 25-24 of the City of San Carlos, Negros Occidental entitled: "AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER III (PERMIT AND REGULATORY FEES) ARTICLE N (PERMIT FEES ON TRICYCLE OPERATION), SECTION 2 (IMPOSITION OF FEES, ITEMS (A) AND (C) OF ORDINANCE NO. 23-21, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE SAN CARLOS CITY REVENUE CODE OF 2023, BY DELETING AND REVISING PHRASES THEREOF, PROVIDING FOR THE REDUCTION OF FEES AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES";

WHEREAS, the same is a valid exercise of the legislative powers of the Sangguniang Panlungsod pursuant to Section 458(b)(3) of RA 7160 and Section 129 of the same Code;



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WHEREAS, the power to amend an existing revenue code, including the adjustment or reduction of regulatory and permit fees, is inherent in the legislative authority of the local sanggunian. In this case, the reduction of tricycle permit fees does not contravene any provision of national law, not does it appear confiscatory, unreasonable, or discriminatory. On the contrary, it is consistent with the principle of local autonomy and the general welfare clause under Section 16 of the Local Government Code, which allows local government units to adopt measures that promote the economic well-being and livelihood of their constituents;

WHEREAS, in view of the foregoing, the SP Committee on Finance, finding the documents to be in order, deemed it best to approve the same;

NOW THEREFORE, on motion of Hon. Araceli T. Somosa, unanimously seconded by all members present;

THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN RESOLVED, as it hereby resolves, to approve Ordinance No. 25-24 of the City of San Carlos, Negros Occidental entitled: "AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER III (PERMIT AND REGULATORY FEES) ARTICLE N (PERMIT FEES ON TRICYCLE OPERATION), SECTION 2 (IMPOSITION OF FEES, ITEMS (A) AND (C) OF ORDINANCE NO. 23-21, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE SAN CARLOS CITY REVENUE CODE OF 2023, BY DELETING AND REVISING PHRASES THEREOF, PROVIDING FOR THE REDUCTION OF FEES AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES".

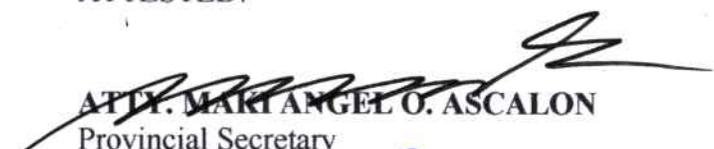
ADOPTED UNANIMOUSLY.

This resolution shall take effect immediately upon approval.

CERTIFIED CORRECT:


HON. JOSE BENITO A. ALONSO
Vice Governor / Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:


ATTY. MARI ANGEL O. ASCALON
Provincial Secretary