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HON. PROSPERO E. ESTABILLO JR.



***Not once, not twice, but four times***

## **VG Oyo Uy conducts four 'Araw Ng Pasasalamat' on March**

By: Jan Fhore Andrey L. Cagalitan

ORIGINALLY conducted as a monthly event, Vice Governor De Carlo "Oyo" Uy went beyond as his office conducted four "Araw ng Pasasalamat" for March 2023 in different municipalities of Davao del Norte. Vice Governor Oyo Uy personally joined in rendering free social services to the constituents of Davao del Norte, especially those from far-flung areas.

The Araw ng Pasasalamat is a whole-day event in partnership with different government agencies and personalities, offering the following free services: 1. Tambag Legal (in partnership with Integrated Bar of the Philippines Davao del Norte-Davao de Oro Chapter and St. Thomas More College of Law); 2. Medical Mission (in partnership with Tagum City Health Office and Asuncion Health Office); 3. Handog Titulo (in partnership with DENR, Provincial

DENR, Land Registration Authority, Registry of Deeds, and Provincial Assessor's Office); 4. Libreng Gupit (Hon. Bong Aala, former Ex-Officio SP Member-PCL President); and 5. Libreng Lugaw (Hon. Tete So, 1st District Board Member).

On March 14, 2023, three hundred nineteen (319) event participants from Brgy. Kipalili, San Isidro benefited from the above-mentioned services. The event was held at the Barangay Hall of Kipalili. On March 22, 2023, the same event was conducted by the Vice Governor's Office and was attended by three hundred twenty-five (325) participants/residents of Brgy. Del Pilar, New Corella at their barangay gym. Meanwhile, one hundred forty-five (145) event participants from Brgy. Katipunan, Kapalong availed free social services last March 31, 2023.

In celebration of 2023 Women's Month, a special run of Araw ng

Pasasalamat was conducted on March 24, 2022, in partnership with the Asuncion Municipal Council of Women. Formally titled "2023 Women's Health Congress," the event highlighted the importance of addressing the needs of women. Along with Tambag Legal, Medical Mission, Handog Titulo, Libreng Gupit, and Libreng Lugaw, the following services were rendered during the event: a) Libreng Pap Smear/Cervical Cleaning; b) Breast Cancer Screening; c) Sim Card Registration; and a raffle draw to those in attendance. The celebration is enjoined by women from the different barangays of Asuncion.

Vice Governor Oyo Uy once more expressed his gratitude to his staff, partner agencies and personalities, and the barangay health workers and functionaries who provided support in conducting the four events. 🙏



# BM Bona Jumamil leads DavNor Councilors in the 2023 PCL National Convention & Election of National and Island Officers

By: Dr. Leo L. Igona, DPA

The members of the Philippine Councilors League Davao del Norte Chapter, headed by Hon. Atty. Devona H. Jumamil, PCL Provincial Federation President and Ex-Officio Board Member, vigorously joined in the conduct of 2023 PCL National Convention at World Trade Center, Pasay City, Metro Manila, on March 9-11, 2023. Through this assembly, all elected councilors nationwide gathered together to download the League's plans and programs for 2023, driven by the theme: "Commencing Digital Information and Communications Technology for Nationwide Policy Development."

One of the highlights of this assembly was the successful conduct of PCL Election of New Set of National and Island Officers that will navigate the group towards the fruitful carrying out of its plans this year and beyond. Hon. Atty. Raul R. Corro was elected as PCL National Chairman and Hon. Benjie Abalos as Vice Chairman. Hon. Handy T. Lao was elected as PCL National President and Hon. Congcong Salceda as Vice President.

For Island Officers, Hon. Vandolf Quizon of Parañaque City was elected as Vice Chairman for Luzon Island and Hon. Joan Crystal Aguas of Angeles City as Vice President; Hon. Jocelyn Pesquera of Cebu

City as Vice Chairman for Visayas Island and Hon. Gloria Gementiza of Bohol as Vice President; and Hon. Myrna Dalodo-Ortiz of Davao City as Vice Chairperson for Mindanao Island and Hon. Samuel Huertas of Iligan City as Vice President.

The 2023 PCL National Convention proper has started with an impressive welcoming aura for the newly elected national and island officials, for the invited guests of honours, as well as all the participant councilors from all over the country. Lectures on Digital Technology by the Corporate Partners has immediately begun early in the morning of the first day to orient them of the significance of initiating the usage of latest and advanced technological machinery in crafting legislative measures and policies beneficial to every local government unit. The said lecture was followed by Messages from National Agencies and guests, like DILG Secretary Benhur Abalos, DICT Secretary Ivan John Uy, Senator Imee Marcos, Rep. Sandro Marcos, and LMP President Emeritus Chavit Singson. In the Opening Ceremony on the evening of the same day, the PCL members listened to the Opening Statements of the Interim National Chairman Hon. Vandolf Quizon and elected National President Hon. Handy Lao.

Then finally, they welcomed and hear the brilliant words of the Guest of Honor, His Excellency President Ferdinand Marcos, Jr.

In the succeeding days of the convention, Hon. Bona Jumamil joined her chapter members as they listened to Atty. Oliver Owen Garcia, PCL Legal Counsel, in her Presentation and Introduction of PCL Partners. They also participated in the Partners Forum with the Department of Agriculture, Department of Trade and Industry, National Housing Authority, DICT, DAP, LGA, CocoFinance, UAP, SSS, BSP, DAR and other government and non-government agencies, and later that same day, they attended the PCL Legislative Academy Technical Sessions. During the Fellowship Dinner and Closing Ceremony, they joined in welcoming another Guest of Honor in the person of Vice President Sara Duterte-Carpio, with other guests, such as Senate President Juan Miguel Zubiri and House Speaker Ferdinand Martin Romualdez.

BM Bona Jumamil and the DavNor PCL were delightful in participating this momentous national event as they believed that this is really part of the league's continuous effort in making all councilors become more efficient local legislators. 🙌



# Ang Latagaw nga Kabaw sa probinsya: Board Member Popo Estabillo Jr.

By: Jaypee "Zeus Jepoy" M. Larubes

Si Davao del Norte 1st District Board Member, nailhan nga si BM Puppy o BM Popo, anak nila ni Prospero Estabillo Sr., kanhi Mayor sa Munisipyo sa Tagum, ug ni Madam Eva Estrada Estabillo, nag-alagad niining atong probinsya sa iyang ikaduhang termino ug nga sukad pa kaniadto hangtud kasamtangan giila sa tawag nga "Kabaw."

Isip bana ni Rochel Corporal Estabillo, empleyado sa City Government of Tagum, si BM Popo na-grasyahan ug duha ka maanyag nga anak-babae, sila si Kryztal and Khyla. Human sa Kursong Bachelor of Arts Major in Economics sa St. Mary's College, ug pagka-membro sa nagkadaiyang organisasyon ug brotherhood societies, sama sa Mason Brotherhood, Thetans, Guardians, Eagles ug ubanpa, si BM Popo misulod sa natad sa politika niadtong tuig 1997 dihang napili siya nga Barangay Kagawad sa Magugpo Poblacion, Siyudad sa Tagum, ug nag-alagad sulod sa tulo (3) ka termino. Niadtong tuig 2010, siya napili nga Punong Barangay sa susamang barangay ug nag-madaugon pag-usab niadtong tuig 2013 nga naghatag kaniya ug kahigayonan nga mamahimong Association of Barangay Councils (ABC) President sa maong syudad. Niadtong tuig 2018, midaug siya sa iyang ika-tulong (3) termino sa pagka-kapitan sa Barangay Poblacion nga naghatag kaniya ug dugang kahigayonan sa pagserbisyo isip ABC President sa Siyudad sa Tagum. Ug tungod sa kabubut-on sa Ginoo ug sa iyang igong katakos, nagpapili ug nahimong mananaug isip Board Member sa Unang Distrito ning Probinsya sa Davao del Norte niadtong 2019 midterm election.

Kabaw, mao kani ang tawag kang BM Popo Estabillo sa probinsya sa Davao del Norte. Sama sa kabaw ang iyang pag-daro sa hawanan sa probinsya, sa una niya nga termino ni panday og ni daro siya og upat ka mga balaodnon o Provincial Ordinances. He **authored Provincial Ordinance No. 2020-001**- Institutionalizing the Davao del Norte Tabo Festival, prescribing guidelines and providing funds thereof, and **Provincial Ordinance No. 2021-001**- Creating the Davao del Norte Barangay Agricultural Worker to be known as "DAVNOR BAW," prescribing functions and providing funds thereof. He co-authored **PROVINCIAL ORDINANCE NO. 2021-010**- Strengthening the Implementation of BANTAY ASF SA BARANGAY or "BABay ASF" Program in the Province of Davao del Norte, and **Sponsored Provincial Ordinance No. 2020-003**- An Ordinance Institutionalizing the KAAGAPAY PROGRAM of the Province of Davao del Norte, appropriating funds thereof and for other purposes.

Ang iyang panglantaw sa probinsya ilabi na sa Agrikultura ang iyahang gi-tagaan ug pagtagad sa una niya nga termino isip chairman sa Komitiba sa Agrikultura. Kini nga mga ordinansa napanday tungod sa iyang paglibot-libot sa mga ka-barangayan sa probinsya. Nagpahitabo siya og mga konsultasyon sa mga mag-uuma og mga lumilihok sa agrikultura. Wala damha naka panday siya og mga balaod mga sa pagkakarong dako nga tabang sa mga mag-uuma dili lang sa unang distrito, kundi lakip na ang kinatibukan sa probinsya. Dili gyud maluya ang atong Latagaw nga Kabaw nga mo daro ug mo tuyok sa probinsya ug atimanon ang mga mulo o problema sa ka-barangayan. Gitagaan pud niya nga dako kayo og matabang ang dayong hilabi na sa mga hilit nga ka-purokan sa probinsya. Pinaagi sa pagpanghatag og mga gamit sama sa kaldiro, kawa, bangko, trapal og uban pang mga kinahanglan nga mga gamit sa dayong. Sa kasamtangan adunay Seventy-Seven (77) ka Dayong ang nakadawat ug ayuda gikan sa atong buotan ug matinabangon nga Kabaw.

Sa iyang ika-duha nga termino iyahang natagaan og pagtagad ang bag-o niya nga komitiba, ang Committee on Labor and Employment, tungod kay gi-kinahanglan nga pakusgan ang mga kabarangayan pinaagi sa pagpahigayon og mga Job Hiring or Job Fair kauban ang oipisina sa PESO. Nagkinahanglan ug dugang nga trabaho ang atong mga kaiguon sa probinsya labi na nga bag-o pa kayo kita nakalingkawas sa pandemya sa Covid. Ang unang Ordinansa nga iyahang ipasa sa hawanan sa Sangguniang Panlalawigan mao ang pagmugna ug Opisina sa BEDO kun Barangay Employment Desk Officer. Pakusgan ang pag-implementar niini sa matag barangay kay dako kini nga tabang sa mga mangita og trabaho, nga dili na kinahanglan nga moadto pa ang aplikante sa munisipyo aron lang nga makasayod sa mga bag-ong trabaho nga puedeng ma-aplayan. Niini nga programa, ang mga aplikante pwede na sa Barangay Hall mo-apply o mopasa sa ilang application letter ug matabangan sila sa pag-comply sa mga rekesito sa pagpanabaho. Ang BEDO na ang mo-plastar sa ilang mga aplikasyon sa ilang ma-uyonan nga tarabaho. Gipasiguro ni BM Popo nga iyang buhaton ang tanan niyang mabuhat para matabangan ang mga nanginahanglan, kauban ang buhatan ug liderato ni Kuya Gob Edwin Jubahib.



## Ang pangutana

### UNSAY PASABOT SA KABAW?

- K** - UGIHAN
- A** - NDAM MO ALAGAD
- B** - UOTAN
- A** - BTIK MO TABANG
- W** - ALAY GIPILI NGA SERBISYOHAN



# APPROVED RESOLUTIONS & ORDINANCES CY 2022-2025

HON. DE CARLO L. UY, MBA - The Regular Presiding Officer

MARCH 27, 2023  
RESOLUTION NO. 371

APPROVING CITY ORDINANCE NO. 06-2023 OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD OF PANABO, THIS PROVINCE, "ADOPTING THE ADOLESCENT HEALTH & DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM (AHDP) AND INSTITUTING AN ADOLESCENT-FRIENDLY FACILITY IN ALL SCHOOL LEVELS AND BARANGAYS, AND ESTABLISHING AN ADOLESCENT HEALTH & DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL AND PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR"

SPONSORS: Lu, Catalan, Amir, Tanong-Maboloc, Pamisaran, Aala, Jumamil, Silutan

MARCH 27, 2023  
RESOLUTION NO. 372

APPROVING CITY ORDINANCE NO. 07-2023 OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD OF PANABO, THIS PROVINCE, "AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING ELECTRONIC TRANSACTIONS OF THE CITY GOVERNMENT OF PANABO AS ANOTHER RECOGNIZED MODE IN THE FACILITATION OF GOVERNMENT BUSINESS TRANSACTIONS AND SERVICES, PROMULGATING GUIDELINES GOVERNING ELECTRONIC TRANSACTIONS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

SPONSORS: So, Catalan, Amit, Lu, Pamisaran, Parangan, Jumamil

MARCH 27, 2023  
RESOLUTION NO. 373

APPROVING MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 2023-007 OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF SANTO TOMAS, THIS PROVINCE, "INSTITUTIONALIZING THE GRANT OF CASH INCENTIVES TO STUDENTS WHO ARE BONAFIDE RESIDENT OF SANTO TOMAS, DAVAO DEL NORTE WHO OBTAINED A GRADE TANTAMOUNT TO LATIN HONORS IN HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS (HEI) IN BOTH PUBLIC AND PRIVATE COLLEGES IN THE PHILIPPINES", SUBJECT TO THE RECOMMENDATION HEREIN STATED

SPONSORS: Pamisaran, Aala, Amit, So, Catalan, Suaybaguio, Silutan

MARCH 27, 2023  
RESOLUTION NO. 374

APPROVING MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO.

2023-005 OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF SANTO TOMAS, THIS PROVINCE, "REGULATING, MONITORING AND EVALUATING THE WATER REFILLING STATIONS (WRS) IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF SANTO TOMAS, PROVINCE OF DAVAO DEL NORTE AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF"

SPONSORS: Silutan, Aala, Catalan, Lu, Amit, Tanong-Maboloc, Suaybaguio, Pamisaran, Jumamil

MARCH 27, 2023  
RESOLUTION NO. 380

STRONGLY SUPPORTING THE PASSAGE INTO LAW OF HOUSE BILL NO. 5226, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE "BURIAL ASSISTANCE ACT", AUTHORED BY DAVAO DEL NORTE SECOND DISTRICT REPRESENTATIVE, HON. ALAN R. "ALDU" DUJALI

AUTHOR: Catalan  
SPONSORS: Amit, Pamisaran

APRIL 03, 2023  
RESOLUTION NO. 388

APPROVING BY OPERATIONS OF LAW IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 56(D) OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7160, MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 2023-001 OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF SANTO TOMAS, THIS PROVINCE, "REGULATING THE USE OF SINGLE USE PLASTICS AND POLYSTYRENE (STYROPOR/ STYROFOAM) IN ALL BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENTS, PUBLIC MARKET, FOOD OUTLETS AND RETAIL STORES IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF SANTO TOMAS, PROVINCE OF DAVAO DEL NORTE AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR ANY VIOLATION THEREOF"

SPONSORS: Amit, Suaybaguio, Pamisaran, Jumamil

APRIL 03, 2023  
RESOLUTION NO. 393

AUTHORIZING HONORABLE EDWIN I. JUBAHIB, GOVERNOR, THIS PROVINCE, TO SIGN THE MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT ENTERED INTO BY AND BETWEEN THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT OF DAVAO DEL NORTE, GOVERNMENT CENTER, MANKILAM, TAGUM CITY, DAVAO DEL NORTE, REPRESENTED HEREIN BY THE HONORABLE GOVERNOR, HEREINAFTER

REFERRED TO AS THE "PROVINCE" AND THE PHILIPPINE RED CROSS DAVAO DEL NORTE CHAPTER, PROVINCIAL CAPITOL COMPOUND, MANKILAM, TAGUM CITY, REPRESENTED HEREIN BY ITS CHAIRMAN, BOD-PRC DAVAO DEL NORTE, DR. JOSEPH NILO F. PARREÑAS, HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AS THE "PRC", RELATIVE TO THE ANNUAL FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE ALLOCATED BY THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT TO THE PRC AMOUNTING TO SIX HUNDRED THOUSAND PESOS (P600,00.00) WHICH WILL BE USED BY THE LATTER TO DELIVER BASIC SERVICES ESPECIALLY IN TERMS OF THE PROVISION OF AFFORDABLE AND RELIABLE SOURCES OF BLOOD

SPONSORS: Amit, Pamisaran, Aala, Jumamil

APRIL 03, 2023  
RESOLUTION NO. 395

APPROVING RESOLUTION NO. 2023-20 OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF SAN ISIDRO, THIS PROVINCE, "APPROVING THE MUNICIPAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT (MDRRM) PLAN FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2023, THIS MUNICIPALITY", SUBJECT TO THE RECOMMENDATIONS HEREIN STATED

SPONSORS: Jumamil, Aala, Remitar, Suaybaguio

APRIL 03, 2023  
PROVINCIAL ORDINANCE NO. 2023-001

ADOPTING IN PART DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION (DEPED) ORDER NO. 41, SERIES OF 2012 IN MAY 24, 2012 ISSUED BY THEN SECRETARY BR. ARMIN A. LUISTRO FSC, ENTITLED: "REVISED GUIDELINES ON THE OPENING OF CLASSES", THEREBY ENJOINING ALL PARENTS-TEACHERS ASSOCIATIONS (PTAS), SCHOOLS DIVISIONS IN THE PROVINCE OF DAVAO DEL NORTE AND OTHER STAKEHOLDERS TO ADHERE TO PROVISIONS STIPULATED THEREIN PARTICULARLY POLICY 4 (A AND B) RELATIVE TO THE IMPLEMENTING GUIDELINES ON THE WEARING OF STUDENT UNIFORM AND IDENTIFICATION (ID) CARDS

AUTHOR: Aala  
CO-AUTHOR: Pamisaran  
SPONSORS: Suaybaguio

**APPROVED RESOLUTIONS & ORDINANCES CY 2022-2025**

HON. DE CARLO L. UY, MBA - The Regular Presiding Officer

APRIL 11, 2023  
RESOLUTION NO. 405

APPROVING CITY ORDINANCE NO. 408, SERIES OF 2023 OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD OF THE ISLAND GARDEN CITY OF SAMAL, THIS PROVINCE, "AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE SAMAL ISLAND ASPHALT BATCHING PLANT AND DECLARING THE SAME AS AN ECONOMIC ENTERPRISE AND CREATING A MARKETING AND ADVISORY COMMITTEE, DEFINING ITS FUNCTIONS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"

SPONSORS: Lu, Estabillo, Parangan

APRIL 11, 2023  
RESOLUTION NO. 406

AUTHORIZING HONORABLE EDWIN I. JUBAHIB, GOVERNOR, THIS PROVINCE, TO SIGN THE MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING ENTERED INTO BY AND BETWEEN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION REGIONAL OFFICE XI, JACINTO EXTENSION, CORNER F. TORRES ST., BAJADA, DAVAO CITY, REPRESENTED HEREIN BY ITS REGIONAL DIRECTOR, DIR. ALLANG F. FARNAZO, CESO IV, HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AS "DEPED RO XI" AND THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT OF DAVAO DEL NORTE, GOVERNMENT CENTER, MANKILAM, TAGUM CITY, DAVAO DEL NORTE, REPRESENTED HEREIN BY THE HONORABLE GOVERNOR, HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AS "PGDDN", RELATIVE TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT OF DAVAO DEL NORTE AND THE NEW CORELLA NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL FOR THE CONTINUED EDUCATION AND WELFARE OF THE CHILDREN IN CONFLICT WITH THE LAW (CICL) RESIDENTS OF BAHAY PAG-ASA DAVAO DEL NORTE THROUGH THE SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL ALTERNATIVE LEARNING SYSTEM PROGRAM

SPONSORS: Catalan, Aala, Amit, Pamisaran, Suaybaguio, So

APRIL 11, 2023  
RESOLUTION NO. 407

APPROVING BY OPERATIONS OF LAW IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 56(D)

OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7160, MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 315-S-2023 OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF CARMEN, THIS PROVINCE, "ADOPTING THE GUIDELINES IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF I-CARE RESETTLEMENT PROJECT OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF CARMEN, DAVAO DEL NORTE"

SPONSORS: Remitar, Catalan, Amit, Pamisaran, Aala

APRIL 17, 2023  
RESOLUTION NO. 442

APPROVING CITY ORDINANCE NO. 09-2023 OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD OF PANABO, THIS PROVINCE, "ESTBALISHING THE ADMINISTRATIVE RULES GOVERNING THE SETTLEMENT OF BOUNDARY DISPUTES OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD OF PANABO CITY, AS AMENDED", SUBJECT TO THE RECOMMENDATION HEREIN STATED

SPONSORS: Parangan, Tanong-Maboloc, Suaybaguio, Remitar

APRIL 17, 2023  
RESOLUTION NO. 443

APPROVING MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 350 OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF NEW CORELLA, THIS PROVINCE, "AMENDING SECTION 5 AND SECTION 6 OF THE MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 204 RE: ESTABLISHING A BIRTHING HOME (PAANAKAN) IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF NEW CORELLA, DAVAO DEL NORTE AND PRESCRIBING THE RULES AND REGULATIONS THEREOF"

SPONSORS: Lu, Catalan, Amit, Tanong-Maboloc, Jumamil

APRIL 17, 2023  
RESOLUTION NO. 444

APPROVING RESOLUTION NO. 2023-17 OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF BRAULIO E. DUJALI, THIS PROVINCE, "ADOPTING THE THREE (3) YEAR NUTRITION IN EMERGENCY PLAN FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2023-2025 OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF BRAULIO E. DUJALI, DAVAO DEL NORTE"

SPONSORS: Jumamil, Lu, Remitar, Catalan, Tanong-Maboloc, Aala

APRIL 17, 2023  
RESOLUTION NO. 445

APPROVING RESOLUTION NO. 2023-07 OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF NEW CORELLA, THIS PROVINCE, "ADOPTING THE INTEGRATED WATER, SANITATION, AND HYGIENE (IWASH) PLAN CY 2021-2030 OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF NEW CORELLA, DAVAO DEL NORTE", SUBJECT TO THE RECOMMENDATIONS HEREIN STATED

SPONSORS: Jumamil, Lu, Remitar, Catalan, Tanong-Maboloc, Aala

APRIL 24, 2023  
RESOLUTION NO. 457

APPROVING MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 1271, SERIES OF 2023 OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF KAPALONG, THIS PROVINCE, "AN ORDINANCE REVISING THE CHILDREN'S CODE OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF KAPALONG, DAVAO DEL NORTE"

SPONSORS: Tanong-Maboloc, Aala, Catalan, Lu, So

APRIL 24, 2023  
RESOLUTION NO. 463

APPROVING CITY ORDINANCE NO. 410, SERIES 2023 OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD OF THE ISLAND GARDEN CITY OF SAMAL, THIS PROVINCE, "AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE RATES OF THE ECONOMIC ENTERPRISE OF THE CITY GOVERNMENT OF THE ISLAND GARDEN CITY OF SAMAL, NAMELY: 1) PUBLIC MARKET, 2) SPACE RENTAL, 3) DROPPING ZONE, 4) TABO SA BANAY, 5) TERMINAL, 6) CEMETERY, 7) MEMORIAL PARK, 8) SAMAL CULTURAL CENTER, GYM, PARKS AND PLAZA, FACILITIES, EQUIPMENTS AND LOGISTICS, 9) PUBLIC COMFORT ROOMS, 10) PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS, AND OTHER MATTERS RELATIVE THERETO"

SPONSORS: Catalan, So, Lu, Tanong-Maboloc  
BY: Mary Conn Lirazan

# Consultative Meeting kabahin sa mga programa sa Social Services sa probinsya gipahigayon ni Senior Board Member Popop Catalan

By: Maria Riza Maboloc-Ocampo

Usa ka Consultative Meeting ang gipahitabo ni Senior Board Member Flopone Royle "Popop" Catalan sa Sangguniang Panlalawigan Conference Room niadtong Abril 4, 2023. Ang maong panagtigum gilangkoban sa mga personahe sa Provincial Social Welfare and Development Office (PSWDO) pinangulohan ni Ms. Rosalinda Rapista, kauban ang mga focal persons nga representante sa nagkadaiyang dibisyon ug seksyon ning nahisgutang opisina, sama sa Senior Citizens, Persons with Disability (PWD), ug Children in Conflict with the Law. Mitambong usab ang personahe sa Balay Silangan Reformation Center, usa ka Drug Reformation Center nga gidumala sa Provincial Government of Davao del Norte. Sumala pa sa "Batan-ong Masaligan," Popop Catalan, "Sukad pa kaniadtong usa pa ako ka Brgy Kagawad nga nahimong Konsehal sa Syudad sa Panabo, hangtud nga nahimo akong Board Member ning atong probinsya, naga pahigayon gyud kita ug

konsultasyon sa matag opisina kay kita naga too nga walay "monopoly of knowledge" sa atong pagpanerbisyo. Kinahanglan kita nga magtinabangay kay walay departamento nga makabarug nga mag inusara, kini nagkinahanglan sa kooperasyon sa matag-usa, sama sa Executive and Legislative Departments.

Nahisgutan atol sa maong konsultasyon ang mga nagkadaiyang concerns sa matag sektor aron masuta kung unsa ang mga balaudnon o polisiya ang angay pagahimoon aron mas mapalambo pa ang paghatag ug serbisyo sa katawhan sa Davao del Norte, hilabi na kadtong mga underprivileged ug vulnerable nga mga sektor sa atong Probinsiya.

Nahuman ang maong pakigpulong nga hapsay ug mabungahon ug gitapos kini sa batan-ong Senior Board Member sa pagpasalamat sa kooperasyon sa buhatan sa Provincial Social Welfare and Development Office.



# DavNor SP mourns for Hon. Jose R. Caballero, approves Res. No. 401

By: Rogelio B. Jadulco Jr.

The Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Davao del Norte mourns with deep sorrow and pain in the demise of former Vice Governor of this province and former Governor of Compostela Valley (now Davao de Oro) Jose Rufo Caballero last March 31, 2023. "JoeCab," as fondly called by friends and colleagues, peacefully rest in the hands of the creator at the age of seventy-three (73).

Before breaking a ground in public service, Atty. Jose R. Caballero, who hails from Pantukan, Davao de Oro, actively practiced his profession as a lawyer and also joined the academic sector as Colleges and Law Professor at the universities in Davao and Tagum Cities. JoeCab was also active in the organizational affairs of the Integrated Bar of the Philippines (IBP) and the Concerned Lawyers Union, Mindanao Chapters. He started his political career as a public servant when he became an Officer-In-Charge (OIC) Member of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Davao del Norte that co-authored and pushed for the passage of landmark legislations for the betterment

of the constituents in the province, a performance that resulted in his election to the vice-governorship of the then undivided Davao del Norte in 1988 and later became Governor of the Province of Compostela Valley (now Davao de Oro) in the year 1998.

Having this personal background in mind, Hon. Orly A. Amit and Hon. Shirley Belen R. Aala authored and passed Resolution No. 401 which was approved by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan during its 14th Regular Session, presided over by Acting Vice Governor Hon. Flopone Royle A. Catalan, on April 3, 2023, entitled: "Extending deepest condolences and sympathy to the bereaved family of the late Jose Rufo Caballero, former Governor of the Province of Compostela Valley (now Province of Davao de Oro) and former Vice Governor of the Province of Davao del Norte, who peacefully joined his creator on March 31, 2023." The said resolution was sponsored by Board Members Jannet N. Tanong-Maboloc, Nicandro T. Suaybaguio, Jr., UAP, Prospero E. Estabillo, Jr., Denise Marianne A. Lu, MD, Manuel G. Pamisaran, Francisco C. Remitar,

MDMG, Dindo C. Parangan and Atty. Devona H. Jumamil.

With the legacy Atty. Jose R. Caballero had established during his lifetime that shall be remembered and treasured by the people of both Davao del Norte and Davao de Oro, it is an undeniable fact that his passing is a great loss not only to his wife, Ms. Mildred F. Taytayan, and his children, Kristine, Katrina, Kirsna and Jose Karlo III, to his relatives and friends, but to everyone for being a responsible and dedicated man and faithful public servant. Thus, with expression of deepest sympathy and condolences, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Davao del Norte and its entire officialdom, joins the bereaved family in imploring the Almighty God to grant his soul eternal rest and peace in His kingdom. His remains lie at Cosmopolitan Memorial Chapel-Camu, Davao City. A copy of Res. No. 401 was given to the bereaved family on the day of his internment on April 5, 2023, 10:00am, at Forest Lake, Maa, after a Funeral Mass, 9:00am, at St. Paul Parish, Matina, both of Davao City.





# Hon. Shirley Belen Aala scores two high grade legislations

By: Felix U. Sayon, Jr.

Being the current Chairperson of the Committee on Education & Culture of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Davao del Norte, believing in the maxim—"The only thing inherited from a parent to a child that no one can steal is education," veteran 1st District Board Member Hon. Shirley Belen R. Aala, a responsible mother and a former seasoned teacher, has again shown her tireless support in the field of education. When she received a copy of Municipal Ordinance No. 2023-007 of the Municipality of Santo Tomas, this province, granting cash incentives to students who obtained a grade tantamount to Latin Honors on Higher Education Institutions (HEI) in both public and private colleges in the Philippines, BM Aala immediately called a Joint Committee Meeting of the Committee on Education & Culture and the Committee on Finance, Budget & Appropriation to discuss on the merits of the said municipal ordinance before passing it for approval by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan.

Subsequently, upon knowing the legalities, good intention and purpose, and the favorable credits of the said ordinance for the students from the Municipality of Santo Tomas,

the committees decided to come up with a measure for its approval in the plenary. Indeed, BM Shirley Aala authored Resolution No. 373, series of 2023, co-authored by BM Orly Amit, entitled "approving Municipal Ordinance No. 2023-007 of the Sangguniang Bayan of Sto. Tomas, this province, institutionalizing the grant of cash incentives to students who are bonifide resident of Santo Tomas, Davao del Norte, who obtained a grade tantamount to Latin Honors in Higher Education Institutions (HEI) in both public and private colleges in the Philippines." She is also planning to craft the same tenor of legislation that can be applied province-wide. Research and consultation as of this writing are on-going.

Another piece of legislation was pushed by Hon. Shirley Belen Aala through the same committee. She passed Provincial Ordinance No. 2023-001, entitled "Adopting in part DepEd Memorandum Order No. 41, Series of 2012 in relation to Student Uniform and ID Cards." Through this measure, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan Members of Davao del Norte have shown their support for the said Order No. 41, s. 2012, dated May 24, 2012, as affirmed by

DepEd Secretary Honorable Vice President Sara Duterte-Carpio. The precept of this ordinance shall enjoin Parent-Teachers Associations (PTAs), all Schools Divisions, and other stakeholders, to comply said DepEd Order, specifically Section 4 (a) stating that "The wearing of a school uniform shall not be required in Public Schools. Students with existing uniforms may continue using these uniforms, if they so desire, in order to avoid incurring additional costs for new attire; and (b) stating that "ID Cards shall be provided to students at no cost on their part. The school head/principals shall fund these ID Cards from its Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses (MOOE)."

Through the joint efforts of the Committee on Education and Culture chaired by BM Aala, with BM Pamisanan as Vice-Chair, and the Committee of Finance, Budget and Appropriation chaired by BM Amit, with BM So as Vice Chair, and with BMs Silutan, Suaybaguio Jr., and Catalan as members, the aforementioned resolution and ordinance were passed and approved by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan during the 13th Regular Session held on March 27, 2023. 📌



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