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**Municipality of Los Baños**  
*Special Science and Nature City*

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**EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE TENTH (10<sup>TH</sup>) REGULAR SESSION OF THE 12TH SANGGUNIANG BAYAN HELD ON SEPTEMBER 29, 2025 AT THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN SESSION HALL, NATIONAL HIGHWAY, BRGY. TIMUGAN, LOS BAÑOS, LAGUNA.**

**PRESENT:**

Hon. Marlo PJ A. Alipon	Municipal Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer
Hon. Miko C. Pelegrina	S.B. Member
Hon. Aldous Amiel B. Perez	S.B. Member
Hon. Muriel Laisa B. Dizon	S.B. Member
Hon. Leren Mae M. Bautista	S.B. Member
Hon. Benedicto S. Alborida	S.B. Member
Hon. Rand Edouard R. De Jesus	S.B. Member
Hon. Myla E. Alinsunurin	S.B. Member
Hon. Jay G. Rolusta	S.B. Member
Hon. Gaudencio P. Macatangay	Ex-Officio Member/Liga President
Hon. Samantha Nicole A. Banasihan-Ortega	Ex-Officio Member/SK Federation President

**ABSENT:**

None

**RESOLUTION NO. 2025-147**

**A RESOLUTION HUMBLY REQUESTING THE LOCAL CHIEF EXECUTIVE, HONORABLE MAYOR NEIL ANDREW N. NOCON TO REORGANIZE AND REACTIVATE THE LOS BAÑOS COUNCIL FOR CULTURE AND THE ARTS (LBCCA) IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF LOS BAÑOS, PURSUANT TO ORDINANCE NO. 2015-1415**

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**Author : Councilor Miko C. Pelegrina**  
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**WHEREAS**, Section 16 of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, provides that every local government unit shall exercise the powers expressly granted, implied, and necessary for efficient and effective governance and the promotion of the general welfare;

**WHEREAS**, Section 447 (a)(5)(i) of the same Code empowers the Sangguniang Bayan to enact measures to protect the culture, heritage, and traditions of the municipality and its people;

**WHEREAS**, Republic Act No. 7356, otherwise known as the "Law Creating the National Commission for Culture and the Arts (NCCA)," mandates the preservation, enrichment, and dynamic evolution of a Filipino national culture, and encourages local government units to establish councils for culture and the arts;

**WHEREAS**, the Municipality of Los Baños is widely recognized as a center of education, science, and culture, being host to various academic and research institutions, and thus has the responsibility to further promote cultural development, preserve heritage, and support the arts;

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**WHEREAS**, Ordinance No. 2015-1415 dated February 16, 2015 provides for the creation of the Los Baños Council for Culture and the Arts (LBCCA), defining its composition, powers, and functions, and appropriating funds for its operations;

**WHEREAS**, Section 3 of the said Ordinance states that *"There shall be created a Los Baños Council for Culture and the Arts (LBCCA) which shall be responsible for the formulation of policies and implementation of local culture and arts programs, projects and activities in coordination with various government and non-government organizations"*;

**WHEREAS**, the reorganization and reactivation of the LBCCA will strengthen the municipality's efforts in promoting cultural awareness, safeguarding heritage, and nurturing local artists and cultural workers;

**WHEREAS**, it is deemed proper and fitting for this august body to humbly request the Local Chief Executive, Honorable Mayor Neil Andrew N. Nocon, to reorganize and reactivate the LBCCA for the benefit of the Municipality and its constituents;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, on motion of Councilor Miko C. Pelegrina, duly seconded by Councilor Muriel Laisa B. Dizon, and unanimously approved by the members present:

**RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED**, to humbly request the Local Chief Executive, Honorable Mayor Neil Andrew N. Nocon, to reorganize and reactivate the Los Baños Council for Culture and the Arts (LBCCA) in the Municipality of Los Baños;

**RESOLVED FURTHER**, that a copy of Ordinance No. 2015-1415 shall be attached to and form part of this Resolution for the Office of the Mayor's perusal and reference on the composition, powers, and functions of the LBCCA.

**UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED** : September 29, 2025

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I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the above-quoted Resolution.

  
**DONA T. ALBORIDA - DIZON**  
Secretary to the Sangguniang Bayan

CERTIFIED ADOPTED:

  
**HON. MARLO PJ A. ALIPON, MPA, REE, RMP**  
Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer