



**EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE SECOND (2ND) REGULAR SESSION OF
THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN HELD ON JANUARY 16, 2023 AT THE
SANGGUNIANG BAYAN SESSION HALL, NATIONAL HIGHWAY, BRGY.
TIMUGAN, LOS BAÑOS, LAGUNA.**

Present : Vice Mayor Josephine Sumangil – Evangelista, Presiding Officer
S.B. Member Leren Mae M. Bautista
S.B. Member Marlo PJ A. Alipon
S.B. Member Jonathan Bryan S. Siytiap
S.B. Member Miko C. Pelegrina
S.B. Member Mark Lester B. Dizon
S.B. Member Julius A. Molinawe
S.B. Member Benedicto S. Alborida
S.B. Member Mike Dexter A. Concio
S.B. Member Gaudencio P. Macatangay, Liga President
S.B. Member Jozlyn N. Manansala, SK Federation President
Ms. Mirasol P. Mojica, LLSO II / OIC- Secretary to the Sangguniang Bayan
Ms. Felomina I. Lincallo, LLSO I

Absent : None

Visitor : None

RESOLUTION NO. 2023-20

**RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LOCAL CHIEF EXECUTIVE, HONORABLE
MAYOR ANTHONY F. GENUINO TO HOLD IN ABEYANCE THE ISSUANCE OF
SANITARY PERMIT OF ALL FUNERAL PARLORS AND OTHER BUSINESS
ESTABLISHMENTS UNTIL CONFIRMATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE
SEPTAGE MANAGEMENT ORDINANCE OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF LOS
BAÑOS.**

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WHEREAS, the Philippine Clean Water Act (CWA) of 2004 (Republic Act 9275) aims to protect the country's water bodies from pollution from land-based sources (industries and commercial establishments, agriculture and community/household activities);

WHEREAS, the Clean Water Act provides for the abatement and control of pollution from land-based sources and lays down water quality standards and regulations;

WHEREAS, the Local Government Units (LGU) are mandated by the Clean Water Act of 2004 and other existing laws to share with Local Water Utilities in the management and improvement of water quality within their territorial jurisdictions;

WHEREAS, the protection, conservation and maintenance of the ecosystem from degradation and pollution vis-à-vis the protection of public health are the primordial concern of the Local Government Unit of Los Baños;

WHEREAS, it is the responsibility of the local government units to ensure the delivery of better health and sanitation services to its constituents;

WHEREAS, the Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG) issued Memorandum Circular No. 2019-62 dated April 22, 2019 wherein LGUs should ensure that all residential, private and public establishments in their areas have proper sewage treatment and septage management system;

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 2019-1919, also known as the “Sewage Treatment and Septage Management Ordinance (SSMO) of the Municipality of Los Baños Laguna” was enacted by the Sangguniang Bayan on November 29, 2019, adopting the provisions of the sample SSMO attached to DILG Memorandum Circular No. 2019-62 to ensure full compliance, subject only to minimal deviation taking into consideration some peculiarities and situation existing in the municipality;

WHEREAS, amendments to the SSMO was enacted on February 22, 2021 through the passage of Ordinance No. 2021-2114;

WHEREAS, Section 8 of the same Ordinance provides for the mandatory desludging of septic tanks once every five (5) years and that actual desludging must be done only by the water utility or a private desludging company duly accredited by the Department of Health and/or the Department of Environment and Natural Resources/Environmental Management Bureau;

WHEREAS, in view of the foregoing, the Sangguniang Bayan respectfully requests the Hon. Mayor Anthony F. Genuino to hold in abeyance the issuance of sanitary permit of all funeral parlors and other business establishments until confirmation of compliance with the Septage Management Ordinance and other related Ordinances in the Municipality;

NOW THEREFORE, on motion of Councilor Marlo PJ A. Alipon, duly seconded by Councilor Mark Lester B. Dizon and approved by the councilors present;

RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, a Resolution requesting the Local Chief Executive, Honorable Mayor Anthony F. Genuino to hold in abeyance the issuance of sanitary permit of all funeral parlors and other business establishments until confirmation of compliance with the septage management ordinance of the Municipality of Los Baños.

UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED : January 16, 2023

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


MIRASOL P. MOJICA
LLSO II / OIC- Secretary to the Sangguniang Bayan

CERTIFIED ADOPTED:


HON. JOSEPHINE H. SUMANGIL - EVANGELISTA
Vice Mayor / Presiding Officer