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EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE NINTH (9TH) REGULAR SESSION OF THE 12TH SANGGUNIANG BAYAN HELD ON SEPTEMBER 15, 2025 AT THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN SESSION HALL, NATIONAL HIGHWAY, BRGY. TIMUGAN, LOS BAÑOS, LAGUNA.

PRESENT:

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| 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. Samantha Nicole A. Banasihan-Ortega | Ex-Officio Member/SK Federation President |

ABSENT:

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| Hon. Gaudencio P. Macatangay | Ex-Officio Member/Liga President-(O.B.) |
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RESOLUTION NO. 2025-127

A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE MAAHAS WOMEN VOLUNTEERS WITH OFFICE ADDRESS AT BARANGAY MAAHAS, LOS BAÑOS, LAGUNA FOR THEIR PRESENCE AND CONTINUED CONTRIBUTION TO COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT IN THE MUNICIPALITY.

Author : Councilor Jay G. Rolusta

WHEREAS, Section 34, Chapter VI of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, mandates the promotion of the establishment and operation of people's and non-governmental organizations to become active partners in the pursuit of local autonomy;

WHEREAS, the Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG) issued Memorandum Circular No. 2025-060, entitled "*Guidelines on the Accreditation of Civil Society Organizations and Selection of Representatives to the Local Special Bodies*," which aims to strengthen CSO participation in local governance by ensuring an open, inclusive, and rules-based accreditation process;

WHEREAS, the Samahan ng Maahas Women Volunteers with Office Address at Barangay Maahas, Los Baños, Laguna, has been actively engaging in programs and initiatives that promote community welfare, empowerment, and participation;

WHEREAS, while the organization has yet to complete the formal accreditation process with the Sangguniang Bayan, its ongoing activities and voluntary contributions have significantly supported local development efforts and strengthened community ties;

NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of Councilor Jay G. Rolusta, duly seconded by Councilor Miko C. Pelegrina and approved by all the other councilors present;

RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved, to recognize the Maahas Women Volunteers for their intent and willingness to engage in participatory governance in the Municipality of Los Baños;

RESOLVED FURTHER, that such recognition shall not constitute or imply accreditation under DILG Memorandum Circular No. 2025-060, nor shall it entitle the recognized CSOs to formal representation in the Local Special Bodies until all required documents have been duly submitted and validated;

RESOLVED FINALLY, that the Sangguniang Bayan, through the Office of the Secretary to the Sanggunian, may issue a Certificate of Recognition to the aforementioned CSOs to acknowledge their engagement and encourage their continued participation in local governance, subject to the completion of accreditation requirements.

UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED : September 15, 2025

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


MIRASOL P. MOJICA
Local Legislative Staff Officer II

CERTIFIED ADOPTED:


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