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**COMMITTEE REPORT NOS. 2019-021 & 2019-022**

**TO:** The Honorable Presiding Officer and the Members of the August Body

**BY:** By the Committee on Rules, Ordinances, Resolutions & Legal Matters, Chaired by: Hon. Vice-Mayor Virgilio T. Teruel

**SUBJECT:** re: Barangay Buyu-an Ordinances:

a. No. 005-2019 -*“An Ordinance To Promote Animal Welfare And Encourage Proper Practices On Responsible Pet Ownership, Pet Handling and Safety”*

- **Re: Barangay Buyu-an Ordinance No. 005-2019 -*“An Ordinance To Promote Animal Welfare And Encourage Proper Practices On Responsible Pet Ownership, Pet Handling and Safety”***

***“FINDINGS AND DISCUSSIONS:***

*The above-mentioned Barangay Ordinance was referred to this Committee for review and recommendation and the Committee has the following findings, to wit:*

*The said ordinance was accordingly presented in a barangay assembly on March 24, 2019 and are consistent with the provisions of Section 391 of the Local Government Code, to wit:*

***SECTION 391. Powers, Duties and Functions. – (a) The sangguniang barangay, as the legislative body of the barangay, shall:***

***(1) Enact ordinances as may be necessary to discharge the responsibilities conferred upon it by law and ordinance and to promote the general welfare of the inhabitants therein;***

***(24) Exercise such other powers and perform such duties and functions as maybe prescribed by law or ordinance;***

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*It is also consistent with SECTION 16 of the LGC which provides that every local government unit shall exercise the powers expressly granted, those necessarily implied there from, as well as powers necessary, appropriate or incidental for its efficient and effective governance, and those which are essential to the promotion of general welfare. Within their respective territorial jurisdictions, local government units shall ensure and support, among other things, the preservation and enrichment of culture, promote health and safety, enhance the right of the people to a balanced ecology, encourage and support the development of appropriate and self-reliant scientific and technological capabilities, improve public morals, enhance economic prosperity and social justice, promote full employment among their residents, maintain peace and order, and preserve the comfort and convenience of their inhabitants.*

*Pursuant to RA 8485 known as “The Animal Welfare Act of the Philippines “ envisions a nation that respects animals, practices, responsible pet ownership and protects wildlife.*

*Likewise pursuant to R.A. 9482 known as “Anti-Rabies Act 2007”, it is the declared policy of the State to protect and promote the right to health of the people. Towards this end, a system for the control, prevention of the spread, and eventual eradication of human and animal Rabies shall be provided and the need for responsible pet ownership established.*

***RECOMMENDATIONS:***

*In view of the foregoing considerations, the Committee hereby recommend that a resolution be passed declaring as **LEGAL** and **VALID** the above-mentioned ordinance of Barangay Buyu-an, Tigbauan.”*

*The Committee further recommends for adoption of the Committee’s findings and recommendations.*

Respectfully Submitted:

June 26, 2019.

  
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Chairman


  
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