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**COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 2019-036**

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

**BY:** By the Committee on Health & Sanitation: Chaired by: Hon. Suzette Marie Hilado-Banno

**SUBJECT:** re: Letter dated October 22, 2019 of Mayor Suzette T. Alquisada addressed to the Sangguniang Bayan thru: Atty. Virgilio T. Teruel, Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer, respectfully requesting for the passing of "Zero Open Defecation (ZOD) Ordinance Of The Municipality Of Tigbauan".

***"Findings:***

1. *Being the Chairman of the Committee on Health and Sanitation, I discussed with our Municipal Health Officer, Dr. Josefa Monserate last October 21, 2019 re the passage of this Ordinance.*
2. *According to her, we were awarded Zero Open Defecation (ZOD) Status (with all households having access to functional toilets with availability of soap and water, all open spaces, drums, and water bodies are bacteria-free, and diapers are disposed safely.) last January 14, 2019 here at the Tigbauan Covered Gym.*
3. *Then I conferred with our meticulous and dependable SB Secretary Marlene Tayo-Nava and according to her, Atty. Raul Tiosayco, Sangguniang Panlalawigan Secretary explained to them that pursuant to RA 7160 otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, there are only three(3) instances wherein a public hearing is required prior to the enactment of an ordinance:*
  - A) *Permanent Road Closure Ordinances (Section 21)*
  - B) *Tax & Revenue Measure Ordinances (Revenue Code) - to raise fees, revenues, & other charges (Section 187)*
  - C) *Ordinances on Reclassification of Lots (Sec.20) - which include simple and complex subdivision approvals by the Sanggunian.*
4. *Since this Ordinance is not included in these 3 categories, we can pass this Ordinance without a public hearing.*
5. *But we have to make sure that we do the required posting and publication sufficiently and with strict compliance.*

***RECOMMENDATIONS:***


*The Committee recommends to calendar this proposed ordinance, "Zero Open Defecation Ordinance of the Municipality of Tigbauan." for second reading during the next regular session.*

*The Committee further recommends for the adoption of this Committee Report."*

Respectfully Submitted:

**October 30, 2019.**

  
**HON. SUZETTE MARIE HILADO-BANNO**  
Chairperson


  
**HON. JULIUS T . LEDESMA**  
Vice Chairman

  
**HON. MARLON R. TERUÑEZ**  
Member

  
**HON. JERRY T. TUÁRES**  
Member

  
**HON. NORBERTO T. TURALBA**  
Member

ATTESTED:

  
**MARLENE TAYO-NAVA**  
S.B. Secretary

**HON. VIRGILIO T. TERUEL, LAWYER**  
Municipal Vice Mayor

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