



EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE CY  $2024-31^{\rm st}$  REGULAR SESSION OF THE HONORABLE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN TIGBAUAN, ILOILO HELD AT THE S.B. SESSION HALL, TIGBAUAN MUNICIPAL BUILDING ON JULY 24, 2024 AT 10:00 O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING

## PRESENT:

HON. ADRIAN S. CAMPOSAGRADO - SB Member & Temp. Pres. Officer

HON. NERI T. CAMIÑA SB Member HON. REYNALDO E. TUMABOTABO SB Member HON. JULIUS T. LEDESMA SB Member SB Member HON. NORBERTO T. TURALBA HON. JERRY T. TUARES SB Member HON. JOEL L. SAYSON SB Member HON. ANA ROWENA A. PERERA SB Member HON. GAYLORD T. TRASPORTO Liga President SKMF President HON. FLORENCE JOY V. CABALONGA

**OFFICIAL BUSINESS:** (To attend the emergency meeting w/ Cong. Janette Garin to finalize 2025 projects for the Mun. of Tigbauan.)

HON. LUGEN T. ORTILANO, - Vice Mayor

**ABSENT: NONE** 

## Municipal Ordinance No. 2024-020

AN ORDINANCE CONVERTING BARANGAY ROADS INTO MUNICIPAL ROADS SITUATED WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF TIGBAUAN, PROVINCE OF ILOILO AND PRESCRIBING GUIDELINES THEREOF

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Introduced by: HON. GAYLORD T. TRASPORTO (Movant)

Sponsored by: Committee on Barangay Affairs

Chairperson: Hon. Gaylord T. Trasporto
Vice Chairman: Hon. Florence Joy V. Cabalonga

Members: Hon. Jerry T. Tuares, Hon. Ana Rowena A. Perera & Hon. Joel L. Sayson

Seconded by: Hon. Neri T. Camiña, Hon. Reynaldo E. Tumabotabo, Hon. Julius T. Ledesma, Hon. Norberto T.

Turalba, Hon. Jerry T. Tuares, Hon. Joel L. Sayson, Hon. Ana Rowena A. Perera, and Hon. Florence

Joy V. Cabalonga

## **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

**WHEREAS,** Department Order No. 133, S. of 2018 issued on August 30, 2018 by the Department of Public Works and Highways regarding "Criteria and Guidelines for Road Conversion from Local to National Roads and Vice Versa;"

**WHEREAS,** the road conversion relates to funding or ownership of the road or which organization is responsible for managing and maintaining an individual road. Generally, national roads are managed by the National Government and Local (Provincial, City, and Municipal) roads are managed by the Local Government Units;

**WHEREAS,** majority of the roads within the Municipality of Tigbauan are classified as barangay roads despite the fact that the volume of vehicular traffic on the said throughways have greatly increased in recent years;

**WHEREAS**, there is a need to convert the barangay roads into municipal roads in order for the municipal government to allocate funds for the concreting, improvement and maintenance of the said roads;

**NOW THEREFORE,** the Sangguniang Bayan of the Municipality of Tigbauan, Province of Iloilo hereby ordains that:

**SECTION 1. Short Title.** Conversion of Barangay Roads situated in the Municipality of Tigbauan as Municipal Road also known as "Conversion of Barangay Roads Ordinance" for short.

**SECTION 2. Definition of Terms.** For the purpose of this Ordinance the following terms shall be construed in its functional definition, to wit:

- 2.1. Primary Roads A contiguous length of significant road sections extending linearly without any breaks or forks that connect major cities comprising the main trunk line or the backbone of the National Road System.
- 2.2. Secondary Roads Roads under these situations:
  - 2.2.1. Directly connect cities to national primary roads, except in metropolitan areas
  - 2.2.2. Directly connect major ports and major ferry terminals to national primary roads
  - 2.2.3. Directly connect major airports to national primary roads.
  - 2.2.4. Directly connect tourist service centers to national primary roads.
  - 2.2.5. Directly connect cities [not included in the category of major cities].
  - 2.2.6. Directly connect provincial capitals within the same region.
  - 2.2.7. Directly connect major national government infrastructure to national primary roads.
- 2.3. Tertiary Roads Other existing roads under the Department of Public Works and Highway [DPWH] which perform local function.
- 2.4. Provincial Roads Road under these situations:
  - 2.4.1. Connect cities and municipalities without traversing National Roads.
  - 2.4.2. Connect National Roads to barangays through rural areas.
  - 2.4.3. Connect to major provincial government infrastructure.
- 2.5. Municipal/ City Roads Roads under these situations:
  - 2.5.1. Roads within the poblacion.
  - 2.5.2. Roads that connect to provincial and national roads.
  - 2.5.3. Roads that provide inter-barangay connections to major municipal and city infrastructure without traversing provincial roads.
- 2.6. Barangay Roads Roads under these situations:
  - 2.6.1. Other public roads [officially turned over] within the barangay and not covered in the above definitions.

**SECTION 3. Guidelines for Conversion.** The conversion of the barangay road into a Municipal Road shall be evaluated based on the following quidelines:

- 3.1. The Local Road shall comply with at least one of the DPWH Road Functional Classification Criteria for a Municipal Road for it to be meritorious for conversion.
- 3.2. The request/ proposal for conversion of local road shall be submitted to the DPWH Regional Director supported by the following documents:
  - 3.2.1. Resolution Requesting the conversion of Barangay Road into Municipal Road from the Sangguniang Barangay.
  - 3.2.2. Endorsement from the Sangguniang Bayan to the DPWH District Office for evaluation.
    - 3.2.3. Map showing the location of the road indicating its start and end limits, network connectivity and importance.
  - 3.3. The Municipal Engineering Office is hereby directed to coordinate with the Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH) and with other government agencies on the proper implementation of this Ordinance.

**SECTION 4. Funding.** Portions of the 20% National Tax Allotment (NTA) development fund of the Municipality of Tigbauan was apportioned to the concreting and improvement of the municipal roads. The National Government can also augment in the concreting and improvement of roads when needed.

**SECTION 5. Repealing Clause.** All ordinances, rules and regulations or parts thereof in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

**SECTION 6. Separability Clause.** If any provision or part hereof is held invalid or declared unconstitutional, the other provisions which are not affected thereby shall continue to be in full force and effect.

SECTION 7. Effectivity Clause. This Ordinance shall take effect fifteen (15) days following its posting in at least three (3) conspicuous places in the municipality and likewise in the official social media platforms and website of LGU of Tigbauan.

APPROVED.

**CERTIFIED CORRECT** 

S.B. Secretary

ATTESTED:

ADRIAN S. CAMPOSAGRADO

SB Member & Temporary Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

ATTY. VIRĞILIO T. TERUEL Municipal Mayor

(Date signed)

HON. LUGEN T. ORTILANO Municipal Vice Mayor

Sangguniang Bayan Members:

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