



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
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MUNICIPALITY OF TIGBAUAN

1st Indorsement
May 6, 2026



Respectfully forwarded to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan, Province of Iloilo is Municipal Ordinance No. 2026-007, entitled:

“AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER XIX OF THE 2025 REVISED TRANSPORTATION AND TRAFFIC CODE RELATIVE TO FARE RATES OF TRICYCLES AND ALLOWING AN ADDITIONAL FIVE PESOS (P5.00) TO THE APPROVED REGULAR FARE RATE UNTIL REVOKED”

The said Municipal Ordinance was passed by the Sangguniang Bayan on April 29, 2026, for your information and/or appropriate action.

BY AUTHORITY OF THE SB


MARLENE TAYO-NAVA
SB Secretary



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EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE CY 2026 – 17th REGULAR SESSION OF THE HONORABLE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN TIGBAUAN, ILOILO HELD AT THE S.B. SESSION HALL, TIGBAUAN MUNICIPAL BUILDING ON APRIL 29, 2026 AT 10:00 O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING.

PRESENT:

HON. MARLON T. TERUÑEZ,	-	SB Member & Temp. Presiding Officer
HON. ADRIAN S. CAMPOSAGRADO	-	SB Member
HON. JOEL L. SAYSON	-	SB Member
HON. NORA ROSE T. TUBIANO	-	SB Member
HON. REYNALDO E. TUMABOTABO	-	SB Member
HON. NORBERTO T. TURALBA	-	SB Member
HON. LORNA T. DOMINGO	-	Liga President

OFFICIAL BUSINESS:

HON. LUGEN T. ORTILANO,	-	Vice Mayor
(To attend Emergency Meeting at DPWH 1 st Engineering District, Guimbal, Iloilo, April 29, 2026)		

ABSENT/LEAVE:

HON. GENE ROSE C. CANAYA	-	SB Member (Maternity Leave)
HON. PINKY A. JARINA	-	SB Member (Special Privilege Leave)
HON. JULIANA MARIE T. JULATON	-	SKMF President (Sick Leave)

Municipal Ordinance No. 2026-007

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Introduced & Moved by: HON. NORBERTO T. TURALBA

Sponsored by: Committee on Transportation

Chairperson: Hon. Norberto T. Turalba

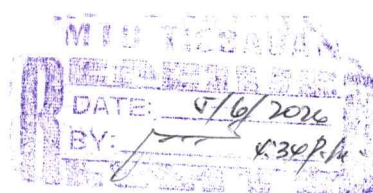
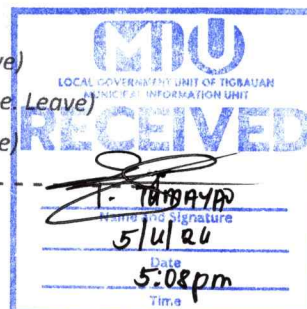
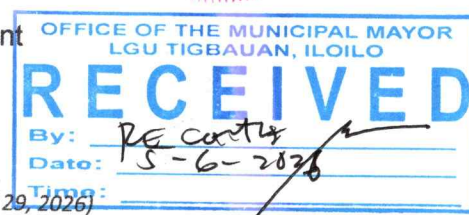
Vice Chairperson: Hon. Marlon R. Teruñez

Members: Hon. Joel L. Sayson, Hon. Reynaldo E. Tumabotabo,
Hon. Lorna T. Domingo

Seconded by: Hon. Adrian S. Camposagrado, Hon. Joel L. Sayson, Hon. Nora Rose Tubiano,
Hon. Reynaldo E. Tumabotabo and Hon. Lorna T. Domingo

EXPLANATORY NOTES

WHEREAS, on December 15, 2025, the Sangguniang Bayan enacted Municipal Ordinance No. 2025-012 entitled: "An Ordinance Enacting the Revised Transportation and Traffic Code of the Municipality of Tigbauan, Province of Iloilo and Providing Penalties and Funds Thereof";



WHEREAS, Chapter XIX, Section 73 (73.1-73.6) of the said Code prescribes and regulates the fare rates for tricycles, pedicabs, and e-trikes for hire operating within the Municipality of Tigbauan;

WHEREAS, Executive Order No. 110, Series of 2026, issued on March 24, 2026, declared a State of National Energy Emergency and authorized a unified package for livelihoods, industry, food, and transport;

WHEREAS, the said issuance cited that ongoing hostilities in the Middle East have significantly disrupted global oil production and supply chains, resulting in volatility and sustained increases in fuel prices;

WHEREAS, on March 23, 2026, the Tigbauan Tricycle Operators and Drivers Association (TODA), through its presidents, formally requested the Municipal Mayor, Atty. Virgilio T. Teruel, through the Committee on Transportation, for a provisional fare increase of Five Pesos (₱5.00);

WHEREAS, records indicate that fuel prices have increased from approximately ₱55.00 per liter in December 2025 to more than ₱90.00 per liter as of April 2026;

WHEREAS, a public hearing was conducted on April 13, 2026, to ensure that all stakeholders were heard and that the proposed increase is reasonable, just, and responsive to current economic conditions;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF TIGBAUAN IN SESSION ASSEMBLED:

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT OF CHAPTER XIX. Chapter XIX, Section 73 (73.1 – 73.5) of the Transportation and Traffic Code of the Municipality of Tigbauan, insofar as it prescribes fare rates for tricycles for hire, is hereby amended to incorporate a conditional fare adjustment mechanism as provided in this Ordinance.

SECTION 2. ADJUSTMENT MECHANISM BASED ON FUEL PRICES. A conditional fare adjustment is hereby established as follows:

- a. When the prevailing **average retail price of gasoline exceeds Seventy Pesos (₱70.00) per liter**, an **additional fare of Five Pesos (₱5.00)** shall be imposed on the approved regular fare rate;
- b. When the prevailing **average retail price of gasoline falls to Seventy Pesos (₱70.00) per liter or below**, the **additional fare shall be automatically withdrawn**, and the regular fare rate shall apply.

The determination of the prevailing average retail price of fuel shall be based on official data from the Department of Energy (DOE) or other competent government agencies.

The implementation or withdrawal of the fare adjustment shall be determined by the Price Monitoring Committee, recommended by the Local Chief Executive and confirmed by the Sangguniang Bayan through an ordinance.

SECTION 3. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. If any provisions of this ordinance be declared null and void, unconstitutional or in conflict with the existing laws, ordinances, other parts not affected thereby shall remain valid and enforceable.

SECTION 4. REPEALING CLAUSE. All ordinances, resolutions, or parts thereof inconsistent with this Ordinance are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

SECTION 5. EFFECTIVITY. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon approval and after compliance with the required publication or posting requirements.

ORDAINED.

CERTIFIED CORRECT:


MARLENE TAYO-NAVA
S.B Secretary

ATTESTED:


MARLON R. TERUÑEZ
SB Member & Temporary Presiding Officer

APPROVED:


ATTY. VIRGILIO T. TERUEL
Municipal Mayor
MAY 06 2026
(Date signed)

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