



Republic of the Philippines
Province of Ilocos Norte
MUNICIPALITY OF SAN NICOLAS

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE THIRD REGULAR SESSION OF THE 9TH SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF SAN NICOLAS, ILOCOS NORTE HELD AT THE MUNICIPAL SESSION HALL ON THE 16TH DAY OF MARCH, 2015 AT 11:00 O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING.

PRESENT:

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| Hon. Alfredo P. Valdez, Jr. , | Vice-Mayor/Presiding Officer; |
| Hon. Aladine T. Santos, | Member; |
| Hon. Norberto S. Dadiz, Jr., | Member; |
| Hon. Orlando B. Badua, | Member; |
| Hon. Oscar V. Domingo, | Member; |
| Hon. Reynaldo A. Corpuz, | Member; |
| Hon. Efren C. Butay, | Member; |
| Hon. Linda E. Badua, | Member/Liga ng mga Barangay President. |

ON-LEAVE:

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| Hon. Domingo C. Ambrocio, Jr., | Member. |
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ABSENT:

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| Hon. Ariel B. Villa, | Member. |
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“MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 2015-07

AN ORDINANCE DECLARING THE LAST FRIDAY OF SEPTEMBER OF EACH YEAR AS TEACHERS’ DAY IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF SAN NICOLAS, AWARDED OUTSTANDING TEACHERS AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

The Local Government Code of 1991 recognizes the indispensable role of teachers in the improvement and development of each local government particularly in the addressing the educational needs and values formation of young children and all generations yet to come.

It must be emphasized that in the international sphere, the UNESCO General Conference in 1995 approved the recommendations of Education International to designate World Teachers’ Day to be observe as a momentous event to mark the invaluable role of each teachers in rearing of the younger generations. In the national sphere, no less than the President issued Proclamation No. 242 declaring the celebration of National Teachers Month from September 5 to October 5 every year with the theme “My Teacher, My Hero”.

Thus, it is just fitting that the Municipal Government shall accord due respect and recognition of the role of dedicated, devoted and committed teachers of the Municipality to whom the educational growth and development of our children depends. And more fitting and proper to complement such a celebration in the local sphere by adopting a desired program that befits due honor and courtesy to all our teachers, both in the public and private institutions.

Hence, the passage of this Ordinance will at least share in such world-wide recognition.

“Be it enacted by the Sangguniang Bayan in session duly assembled:

SECTION 1. Statement of Objectives. The Municipality recognizes the indispensable role of every teacher in the promotion of educational growth and values formation of children and young generations. Toward this end, there is a need to continuously encourage each and every teacher to effectively perform their holistic role in all areas of community-building. The Municipality, in order to instill greater inspiration and motivation for exemplary practices and efficiency among teachers, both in the public and private institutions, within its territorial jurisdiction, it is best to adopt a policy that grant awards to appreciation and citations of commendation to the outstanding performances of teachers in line with the yearly celebration of Teachers’ Day.

Specifically, this Ordinance aims: (a) to provide an effective tool for teachers for team building and networking; (b) to propagate the spirit and value of volunteerism among the teachers of this Municipality, particularly in the maintenance of peace and order, protection of children, preservation and conservation of environment and natural resources within the municipality; and (c) to stimulate inspiration among the young professionals to emulate the role of teachers they are playing as a vital cog of community-building;

SECTION 2. *Municipal Teachers’ Day Celebration.* It is hereby declared that the last Friday of September of each year shall be “Teachers’ Day” in the Municipality of San Nicolas, Ilocos Norte. As used herein, “teachers” shall mean all teaching personnel in the field of their expertise whether in private or public school or educational institution, which would include those teaching in pre-elementary, elementary, high school or college (if there shall be) as well as those considered by law as early childhood care providers or day care workers.

SECTION 3. *Creation of Teachers’ Day Core Committee and Conferment of Awards.* Under the supervision of the Local Government Unit thru the Municipal Mayor, a committee composed of teachers with the employees from the Local Government of San Nicolas shall be created every year to design each year’s activities, which shall include the selection of Most Outstanding Teacher/s on several categories, e.g., pre-elementary, elementary and high school or grade levels. Other than that, there shall be a variety of activities such as but not limited to teachers’ forum, presentation, games and any other activity which will make them feel important for the role they played in the molding of students to become a responsible citizen of this community.

SECTION 4. *Nature of Awards and Citations.* - The Municipality shall vest awards or citations on the following as may be recommended by the appropriate Selection Committee (SC) –

- a. Most Outstanding Teacher for Pre-elementary Education “*Damili award of excellence*”;
- b. Most Outstanding Teacher for Elementary Education “*Damili award of excellence*”;
- c. Most Outstanding Teacher for High School Education “*Damili award of excellence*”;

The aforesaid awardees shall be given a trophy and a Sangguniang Bayan Resolution of Conferment of Appreciation or Citation of Commendation which shall be given during the Municipal Teachers’ Day Affair.

SECTION 5. *Creation of Selection Committee.* - There is hereby created a Selection Committee (SC) which shall be composed of the following:

- a. The Municipal Local Chief Executive (LCE) as the Chairman;
- b. The DepEd District Supervisor;
- c. All Principals of schools within the Municipality, both public and private;
- d. The Chairman of the Committee on Education of the Sangguniang Bayan as Member;
- e. The ABC President of the Liga Ng Mga Barangay;
- f. The Secretary of the Sangguniang Bayan;
- g. A representative from the retirees from the education sector;
- h. A representative from an accredited socio-civic educational groups;
- i. A representative of the business sector; and
- j. A representative from the retired government employees;

The aforesaid Selection Committee shall have no compensation or honorarium whatsoever.

The Selection Committee shall determine and recommend the conferment of the awards or citations to the nominees or recommendees, to the Sangguniang Bayan for the enactment of pertinent Resolution as required in Section 4 hereof.

The Selection Committee shall be constituted by the Local Chief Executive not later than sixty (60) days from the effectivity of this Ordinance, and shall be called to a meeting whenever necessary to carry out their herein stated function.

SECTION 6. Eligibility Criteria. The persons to be qualified, shall have rendered at least three (3) years as teacher either in the public or private school within the Municipality of San Nicolas, regardless of the fact that they are promoted from any other position either Teacher I, II, III or Head Teacher I, II, III they still be qualified so long as they have remaining subjects within the three (3) year span of time and the winners or the awardees for the year shall not be eligible for the next three (3) years as a candidate for the said award.

SECTION 7. Delegation of Authority for the Adoption of Criteria in the Selection of Awardees and its Implementing Rules. – The Selection Committee is hereby authorized to adopt the criteria for the conferment of said awards or citations based on existing policies, guidelines and regulations set by the Department of Education in the selection of analogous awards with due regard to efficiency, competency, innovative values, exemplary performances, dedication, and other sound teaching practices.

In addition, the Selection Committee shall adopt and promulgate pertinent rules and regulations for the implementation of this Ordinance within the framework of the purposes and objectives herein set forth.

Within fifteen (15) days from its adoption, the criteria and related rules and regulations shall be furnished all school institutions of the Municipality for their guidance and information.

SECTION 8. Funding Requirements. The Municipality shall appropriate the necessary funds for the implementation of this Ordinance aside from voluntary sponsors, solicitations and donations that may be obtained by the Teacher’s Day Celebration Committee.

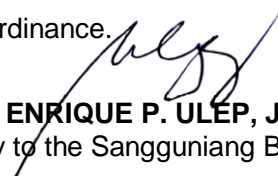
SECTION 9. Effectivity. This ordinance shall take effect thirty (30) days after its approval.

UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED.”


Voting on the foregoing ordinance was as follows:

- AYES : Members Santos, Dadiz, Jr., Badua, O., Domingo, Corpuz,, Butay & Badua, L.
- NAYS : None.
- ABSTAINED : None.

I hereby certify to the correctness of the foregoing ordinance.


ENRIQUE P. ULEP, JR.
 Secretary to the Sangguniang Bayan I

ATTESTED:


ALFREDO P. VALDEZ, JR., M.D.z
 Vice-Mayor/Presiding Officer

APPROVED:


MELANIE GRACE P. VALDEZ, M.D.
 Municipal Mayor

Approved on: March 19, 2015