ORDINANCE NO. 01-2019
(Introduced by the Hon. Grace M. Gabuyo
Sponsored by the Committee on Environmental Protection, Health,
and Social Welfare)

AN ORDINANCE CREATING THE ENVIRONMENTAL AND NATURAL RESOURCES COUNCIL OF DELFIN ALBANO, ISABELA.

BE IT ORDAINED AS IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF DELFIN ALBANO, ISABELA, BY VIRTUE OF THE POWERS VESTED IN IT BY LAW, IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, THAT:

Section 1. Title. This ordinance shall be known as “Delfin Albano Environment and Natural Resources Council Ordinance of 2019”.

Section 2. Composition. The Council shall be composed of the following:

(2.1) The Mayor as Honorary Chairman;
(2.2) Chairman of the SB Committee on Environmental Protection, Health, and Social Welfare as Chairman;
(2.3) The Municipal Environment and Natural Resources Officer as Vice Chairman;
(2.4) The Municipal Agricultural Services Officer as Member;
(2.5) The Municipal Planning and Development Officer as Member;
(2.6) The Municipal Tourism Officer as Member;
(2.7) All Pulong Barangays as Members;
(2.8) Sangguniang Barangay Chairmen on Environment as Members;
(2.9) The DepEd Officer-in-Charge of the District as Member; and
(2.10) Three (3) Representatives from the Private Sector, preferably those accredited by the Sangguniang Bayan, to be appointed by the Municipal Mayor as Members.
Section 3. Tenure of Office. The tenure of office of the members of the Council shall be co-terminus with the term of the elected officials of the municipality.

Section 4. Definition of Terms. Terms used in this Ordinance are defined as follows:

(4.1) Cadastral Survey - refers to all surveys made of extensive areas consisting of several lots for cadastral registration proceedings, agricultural development, or for any purpose pursuant to the provision of pertinent land laws.

(4.2) Cease and Desist Order - refers to an Order issued by the Pollution Adjudication Board requiring respondents to refrain from further operating their establishment, machines, equipment or other facilities generating or causing pollution.

(4.3) Communal Forest - refers to a tract of forest land set aside by the Secretary of the DENR for the use of the residents of a municipality from which said residents may cut, collect, and remove forest products for their personal use in accordance with existing laws and regulations.

(4.4) Community Environment and Natural Resources Office (CENRO) - refers to the DENR office headed by a Community Environment and Natural Resources Officer which is responsible for the implementation of DENR policies/regulations, programs, projects and activities in the community level.

(4.5) Community-Based Forestry Project - refers to DENR developmental projects involving local communities which include the Integrated Social Forestry Project, family and community contract reforestation, Forest Land Management Agreement (FLMA), Community Forestry Program and other similar projects.

(4.6) Community Forestry Program (CFP) - refers to the DENR projects launched through DENR Administrative Order No. 123, Series of 1989, that are geared towards the protection and sustainable management of forest lands predominantly consisting for residual forests by training and organizing upland communities for their participation in said activities for their benefits.

(4.7) Contract Reforestation - the implementation of reforestation activities, including establishment, maintenance and protection of forest plantations and nursery preparations, through written agreements with the private sector such as families, communities and corporations and/or with the public sector like local government units (LGUs) and other government agencies. It shall also include contracts for surveying, mapping and planning, comprehensive site development and monitoring and evaluation and other activities connected with or related to reforestation.
(4.8) Environment and Natural Resources Officer (ENRO) — refers to the LGU official who may be appointed by the Local Chief Executive and who shall be directly responsible for the planning and implementation of the devolved DENR functions to the LGU pursuant to Section 484 of the Code.

(4.9) Environmental Compliance Certificate (ECC) — refers to license/permit/authorization which DENR issued in favor of proponents, projects of which have been reviewed, evaluated and finally approved by DENR pursuant to PD 1586 as well as proclamation 2146 otherwise known as Environmental Impact Assessment System.

(4.10) Lot Survey — refers to the survey of specific lots particularly private lands.

Section 5. Functions.

(5.1) To formulate, or update, as the case maybe, the Environment Code of the Municipality and submit the same to the Sangguniang Bayan for approval.

(5.2) It shall endeavor to establish, protect, and maintain tree parks, green belts, mangroves, similar forest developmental projects and other tourist attractions.

(5.3) It shall recommend to the Sangguniang Bayan to legislate the imposition of appropriate penalties for acts which endanger the environment.

(5.4) It shall recommend to the Sangguniang Bayan to legislate measures for the enhancement and protection of Local Water Supply.

(5.5) To recommend the enforcement of pollution control and environmental protection laws, rules, and regulations.

(5.6) To recommend the implementation of a solid waste disposal and other environment management system and service related to general hygiene and sanitation such as a sewerage and household waste disposal.

(5.7) To recommend rules and regulations for the abatement of noise and other forms of nuisance as defined by law.

(5.8) To recommend the enforcement of mining laws, subject to the policies, standards and guidelines of the DENR.

(5.9) To recommend the conduct of cadastral and lot surveys.

(5.10) To recommend the cancellation of Mayor’s Permit to any establishment that habitually violates environmental laws, rules, regulations, and policies of the local government.

(5.11) To recommend the formation of a Pollution and Adjudication Board to be chaired by the Mayor, with a DENR Officer, and a lawyer as members.

(5.12) To recommend the implementation of a cease and desist order issued by the Pollution and Adjudication Board.

(5.13) To recommend to the Sangguniang Bayan the enactment of ordinances on all matters relative to the protection, conservation, maximum utilization, appreciation of appropriate technology enhancement and other matters related to the environment and natural resources.
(5.14) To solicit funding from multi-lateral non-governmental organizations, foundations and other agencies to augment its finances for its operation.

Section 6. Funding. An initial amount of One Hundred Thousand Pesos (PhP 100,000.00) from the General Fund shall be appropriated for the full operationalization of the Council and shall be regularly appropriated every year thereafter with increments as the budget may allow.

Section 7. Line of Authority. All programs, policies, rules and regulations approved by the Council shall be subject to the approval of the Local Chief Executive and in concurrence by the Sangguniang Bayan.

Section 8. Separability. If for any reason, any provision, section or part of this ordinance is declared not valid by a Court of competent jurisdiction, suspended, or revoked by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan, such judgment shall not affect or impair the remaining provisions, sections, or parts thereof, which shall remain or continue to be in full force and effect.

Section 9. Repealing Clause. All ordinances, rules and regulations or parts thereof which are inconsistent or in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed, amended or modified accordingly.

Section 10. Effectivity Clause. This ordinance shall take effect thirty (30) days after its posting in at least three (3) conspicuous places in the Municipality.

ENACTED:

ATTESTED:

[Signature]
Atty. RUBEN M. DUMLAO
Sangguniang Bayan Secretary

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

[Signature]
THOMAS A. PUA JR.
Municipal Vice Mayor and Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

[Signature]
ARNOLD EDWARD P. CO
Municipal Mayor

1-17-19
Republic of the Philippines  
Province of Isabela  
MUNICIPALITY OF DELFIN ALBANO  

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN  

Excerpts from the Minutes of the Mobile Regular Session of the Sangguniang Bayan of Delfin Albano, Isabela held at the Covered Court, Barangay San Isidro, Delfin Albano, Isabela on January 14, 2019.

Present:  Hon. Thomas A. Pua Jr. . . . . . . . Municipal Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer  
Hon. Ruben P. Furigay . . . . . . . SB Member  
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Hon. Darwin D. Agas . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . SK Federation President  

On Leave:  Hon. Alex I. Macarilay Sr. . . . . SB Member  
Hon. Michael C. Taccad . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . SB Member

ORDINANCE NO. 02-2019

(Sponsored by the Committee on Rules, Privileges, Ordinances, and Legal Matters)

AN ORDINANCE NAMING THE WHOLE STRETCH OF ROAD BEGINNING FROM THE BOUNDARY POINT THAT SEPARATES BARANGAY SAN ISIDRO FROM BARANGAY CONCEPCION AND ENDING IMMEDIATELY BEFORE THE POINT WHERE THE ROAD BRANCHES TO BARANGAY MAUI ON THE LEFT SIDE AND BARANGAY SAN ISIDRO PROPER ON THE RIGHT SIDE "MAHOGANY DRIVE".

WHEREAS, Municipal Governments are empowered under Section 13 of RA 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, to name municipal and barangay roads, avenues, boulevards, thoroughfares, and bridges;

WHEREAS, naming of roads, avenues, boulevards, thoroughfares, and bridges is a good governance practice, because more than the need for postal identification, these structures connect people to the communities they live in;

WHEREFORE, this Sanggunian deems it imperative to name and grant identities to roads, avenues, boulevards, thoroughfares, and bridges within the territorial jurisdiction of the Municipality.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, AS IT IS HEREBY ENACTED BY THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF DELFIN ALBANO, ISABELA, BY VIRTUE OF THE POWERS VESTED IN IT BY LAW, IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, THAT:

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AN ORDINANCE NAMING THE WHOLE STRETCH OF ROAD BEGINNING FROM THE BOUNDARY POINT THAT SEPARATES BARANGAY SAN ISIDRO FROM BARANGAY CONCEPCION AND ENDING IMMEDIATELY BEFORE THE POINT WHERE THE ROAD BRANCHES TO BARANGAY MAUI ON THE LEFT SIDE AND BARANGAY SAN ISIDRO PROPER ON THE RIGHT SIDE "MAHOGANY DRIVE".

Section 1. Naming of the Road. The whole stretch of the road beginning from the boundary point that separates Barangay San Isidro from Barangay Concepcion and ending immediately before the point where the road branches to Barangay Maui on the left side and Barangay San Isidro proper on the right side is hereby named as "Mahogany Drive".

Section 2. Effectivity - This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval.

ENACTED:

ATTESTED:

ATTY. RUBEN M. DUMLAO
Sangguniang Bayan Secretary

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

THOMAS A. PUA JR.
Municipal Vice Mayor and Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

ARNOLD EDWARD P. CO
Municipal Mayor

Date: 1-17-19
ORDINANCE NO. 03-2019

(Sponsored by the Committee on Education and Culture)

AN ORDINANCE PRESERVING THE MAHOGANY TREES LINING THE STRETCH OF ROAD WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF BARANGAY SAN ISIDRO, DECLARING THE SAME AS PROTECTED LOCAL TREASURES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the protection of the natural resources within the territorial jurisdiction of the Municipality and their values necessitates the implementation of regulations that seek their preservation and protection;

WHEREAS, the presence of trees helps transform the carbon dioxide of ever increasing, harmful vehicular and industrial emissions into oxygen, further addressing the problem on air quality degradation;

WHEREAS, trees function to the benefit of the local populace and are, by concept of urban planning science, a part of public infrastructures as much as streets and other public utilities;

WHEREAS, trees provide benefits to all the citizens of the community with respect to air quality, water quality, temperature amelioration, community aesthetics, and general quality of life;

WHEREFORE, this Sanggunian finds that it is in the best interest of the public to declare the preservation and protection of the Mahogany Trees lining the road within the territorial jurisdiction of Barangay San Isidro for the purpose of making the community a more attractive and healthier living environment. 

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, AS IT IS HEREBY ENACTED BY THE
SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF DELFIN ALEBANO, ISabela, BY VIRTUE OF THE POWERS
VESTED IN IT BY LAW, IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, THAT:

Section 1. Declaration. The Mahogany Trees lining the stretch
of the road within the territorial jurisdiction of Barangay San
Isidro are hereby ordained to be preserved and declared as protected
local treasures.

Section 2. Protection and Care of the Mahogany Trees.

(2.1) The Barangay Government of San Isidro is hereby mandated
to take a prime role in the protection and care of the
Mahogany Trees subject of this Ordinance.

(2.2) The Barangay Government is also hereby mandated to
undertake the planting of the sides of the road named as
Mahogany Drive by virtue of Ordinance No. 02-2019 with
Mahogany seedlings, to fully populate the whole stretch
of said road with such trees.

Section 3. Prohibited Acts.

(3.1) Except as hereinafter provided, no person except a public
utility at the employ of either the Municipal Government
or Barangay Government shall cut, prune, injure, or
remove any Mahogany Tree; or cut or disturb or interfere
in any way with the roots of said trees; or spray with
any chemical insecticide or herbicide or other oils or
paints or whitewash any of said trees; or injure, misuse,
or remove any device placed to protect said trees.

(3.2) No person shall dump, pour, or spill any oil, herbicide,
insecticide, or other deleterious matter upon any of the
Mahogany Trees or keep within six (6) feet of any said
tree any receptacle from which oil or herbicide,
pesticide, or other deleterious matter leaks or drips.

(3.3) No person shall decorate any of the Mahogany Trees or
place advertising matters, posters, or political placards
on said trees.

Section 4. Emergency Action. It may become necessary, from time
to time for emergency and utility crews to prune or to remove trees,
especially those trees posing hazards to public safety; such action
may be conducted without permit so as to allow immediate action to
prevent damage or correct a condition which may pose a hazard to
life or property; provided that the Municipal Government, through
the Office of the Municipal Mayor, shall be notified of any such
action within 24 hours of the action being initiated by the entity
taking such action.
Section 5. Violations and Penalties.

(5.1) Any person who shall injure, damage, or destroy any of the Mahogany Trees subject of this Ordinance shall, within such reasonable time, repair or replace the damaged/destroyed tree to the satisfaction of the Barangay Government to whose care the preservation and protection of the trees are entrusted by virtue of this Ordinance.

(5.2) Should the person fail or refuse to repair or replace the damaged or destroyed trees within such reasonable time, the Barangay Government to whose care the preservation and protection of the trees is entrusted by virtue of this Ordinance shall do or cause to be done the necessary repairing or replacement; provided that the cost of such work shall be recovered by action of law from the person responsible for the damage or destruction; provided further that such damage or destruction shall be penalized with a fine of no less or no more than One Thousand Five Hundred Pesos (PhP 1,500.00);

(5.3) Any such other violation of this Ordinance, specifically for the acts described in Section 3 hereof, shall be penalized with a fine of no less or no more than One Thousand Five Hundred Pesos (PhP 1,500.00).

Section 6. Proceeds of Fines Collected. The Barangay Government of San Isidro shall be entitled to receive half of the amount of the collected fines which will accrue to the General Fund of the Barangay.

Section 7. Collection and Payment of Costs of Repair or Replacement and of Fines. The Barangay Government of San Isidro is empowered by virtue of this Ordinance to collect the costs of repair and replacement of damaged or destroyed trees and the collection of fines as stipulated in Section 05; provided that said local government shall remit to the Municipal Treasury Office the fines so collected less the amount the barangay is entitled to receive under this Ordinance.

Section 8. Separability Clause. If, for any reason, any part of this Municipal Ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional or invalid, the other parts or provisions hereof which are not affected thereby shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 9. Effectivity - This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval and proper publication.

ENACTED:
ORDINANCE NO. 03-2019

AN ORDINANCE PRESERVING THE MAHOGANY TREES LINING THE STRETCH OF ROAD WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF BARANGAY SAN ISIDRO, DECLARING THE SAME AS PROTECTED LOCAL TREASURES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

ATTESTED:

Atty. ROBEN M. Dumlao
Sangguniang Bayan Secretary

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

THOMAS A. PUA JR.
Municipal Vice Mayor and Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

ARNOLD EDWARD P. CO
Municipal Mayor

1-17-19

Date
ORDINANCE NO. 04-2019

(Sponsored by the Committee on Cooperatives and Agriculture)

AN ORDINANCE INSTITUTING POLICIES FOR RESPONSIBLE RICE PRODUCTION, CONSUMPTION, AND CONSERVATION IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF DELFIN ALBANO, ISABELA.

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Delfin Albano is predominantly an agricultural locality with rice production as one of its major agricultural produce;

WHEREAS, as an agricultural locality, there is a need for the Municipality to institutionalize policies that seek to boost farmers’ morale, motivate them to adopt newer technologies that further improve farm productivity and to encourage the public to be responsible rice consumers;

WHEREAS, all of these strategies are meant to complement the government’s efforts to achieve rice security and sufficiency.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, AS IT IS HEREBY ENACTED BY THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF DELFIN ALBANO, ISABELA, BY VIRTUE OF THE POWERS VESTED IN IT BY LAW, IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, that:

Section 1. Title. This Ordinance shall be known as the “Rice Sufficiency Ordinance of 2019”.

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Section 2. Declaration of Policies. The Municipality of Delfin Albano shall adopt measures which shall ensure responsible rice production, consumption, and conservation and shall educate the consuming public to not waste rice and to eat brown rice and/or mixed rice as a healthier alternative—all of which are done to help attain rice sufficiency.

Section 3. Definition of Terms. For purposes of this Ordinance, terms used shall be defined as follows:

(3.1) Brown Rice. Refers to unpolished rice.
(3.2) Mixed Rice. Refers to either white or brown rice mixed with root crops such as cassava and other crops such as sweet corn, corn, or banana.
(3.3) One-Half Cup of Rice. Refers to one-half cup or one-half of the regular serving of rice in any food establishment.
(3.4) IEC Materials. Refer to printed tarpaulins, posters, flyers which propound about the benefits of eating brown rice and mixed rice.
(3.5) Responsible Rice Consumers. Refer to rice consumers who prefer brown rice or mixed rice over white rice and those who order one-half of the usual rice servings.
(3.6) Official Functions. Refer to activities spearheaded by concerned government offices such as but not limited to trainings, seminars, orientation, and other similar activities that necessitate the serving of meals.

Section 4. Mandate and Coverage. In implementing this Ordinance, the following practices are to be strictly adhered to:

(4.1) Recitation of Panatang Makapalay During the Flag Raising Activities in all Government Institutions. All government institutions including but not limited to government offices, schools, and barangay units shall include during their regular flag raising activities the recitation of "Panatang Makapalay" to instill in the minds of the participant the importance of being responsible rice consumers.

(4.2) Display of Information and Education Campaign Materials. Information and Education Materials on the "Benefits of Brown Rice" shall be displayed in conspicuous places in the Municipality, especially in restaurants and carinderias in the Municipality.

(4.3) Serving of Brown Rice, Mixed Rice and/or Half-Cup Rice in the Different Establishments. Food establishments in the Municipality are enjoined to adopt the practice of serving brown rice and/or mixed rice at least once a week to ensure its consumption. Serving half-cup rice to minimize rice wastage is further enjoined. Food establishments are also required to mount posters and/or distribute leaflets or flyers or establish a sound and effective information and education campaign about this Ordinance to encourage patrons and customers to conserve rice and to eat brown and/or mixed rice.
(4.4) Serving of Brown Rice and/or Mixed Rice During Official Functions. The Municipal Mayor shall issue an Executive Order directing all Section and Department Heads of the Municipal Government and enjoining all other government entities and private institutions to serve brown rice or mixed rice during all official functions that necessitate the serving of meals.

(4.5) Production of Chemical-Free and Nutritious Rice. The George Monteljavan Foundation found that the complete milling and polishing process that convert brown rice to white rice destroys 67% of the Vitamin B3, 80% of Vitamin B1, 90% of Vitamin B6, half of manganese, half of phosphorous, 60% of iron, and all the dietary fibre and essential fatty acids. Thus, the rice farmers in the Municipality shall be encouraged to produce chemical-free rice because the milling process that produces the brown rice removes only the hull of the rice kernel and it is least damaging to its nutritional value.

Section 5. Penalties. Any violation of this Ordinance, specifically for prescriptions provided in the foregoing section hereof, shall be penalized with a fine of no less or no more than One Thousand Five Hundred Pesos (PhP 1,500.00).

Section 6. Separability Clause. If, for any reason, any part of this Municipal Ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional or invalid, the other parts or provisions hereof which are not affected thereby shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 7. Effectivity - This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval and proper publication.

ENACTED:

ATTESTED:
Atty. RUBEN M. DUMLAO
Sangguniang Bayan Secretary

CERTIFIED CORRECT:
THOMAS A. PUA JR.
Municipal Vice Mayor and Presiding Officer

APPROVED:
ARNOLD EDWARD P. CO
Municipal Mayor

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Excerpts from the Minutes of the Mobile Regular Session of the Sangguniang Bayan of Delfin Albano, Isabela held at the Covered Court, Barangay Sto. Rosario, Delfin Albano, Isabela on January 28, 2019.

Present:  
Hon. Thomas A. Pua Jr. ........ Municipal Vice Mayor  
& Presiding Officer  
Hon. Ruben P. Furigay .......... SB Member  
Hon. Francisco A. Cristobal Jr. .. SB Member  
Hon. Clemente S. Dumlao Jr. .... SB Member  
Hon. Juanito C. Ranchez ........ SB Member  
Hon. Alex I. Macarilay Jr. ...... SB Member  
Hon. Elma M. Galope ........... SB Member  
Hon. Grace M. Gabuyo ........... SB Member  
Hon. Michael C. Taccad .......... SB Member  
Hon. Jay B. Caliguiran .......... LNB President  
Hon. Darwin D. Agas .......... SK Federation President

Absent:  
NONE

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ORDINANCE NO. 05-2019  
(Introduced by the Hon. Grace M. Gabuyo  
Sponsored by the Committee on Rules, Privileges, Ordinances, and Legal Matters)

AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING THE PLANTING OF MALUNGGAY TREES IN EVERY HOME AND IN ALL SCHOOLS IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF DELFIN ALBANO, ISABELA, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, local governments in the Philippines are tasked towards eradication of malnutrition cases in their respective jurisdiction and are empowered by law to adopt strategies towards said purpose;

WHEREAS, eating vegetables, especially Malunggay, under conditions of well-balanced diet, is the most effective way to combat malnutrition;

WHEREAS, the Malunggay, scientifically known as Moringa oleifera, has been used in traditional medicine for thousands of years;

WHEREAS, research results show that all parts of the Malunggay tree - from the leaves, pods, fruits, flowers, roots, and bark - can be utilized and found effective against significant number of health and medicinal concerns;

WHEREAS, the National Institute of Health tags the Malunggay as a pack of a hundred nutrients able to provide all of the 20 amino acids used in the human body and which can help the body overcome more than 300 kinds of diseases;
WHEREAS, studies also show that malunggay may lead to modest reductions in blood sugar and cholesterol and have antioxidant and anti-inflammatory effects;

WHEREFORE, this Sanggunian deems it imperative to require the planting of malunggay trees in every home and in all schools within the territorial jurisdiction of the Municipality of Delfin Albano for purposes and reasons as above mentioned.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, AS IT IS HEREBY ENACTED BY THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF DELFIN ALBANO, ISabela, BY VIRTUE OF THE POWERS VESTED IN IT BY LAW, IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, THAT:

Section 1. Title. This Ordinance shall be known as the "Malunggay Ordinance of 2019."

Section 2. Declaration of Policy. It is hereby declared the policy of the Municipality to promote the essential health benefits of Malunggay and its planting in every home and in all schools as an effective mechanism to address the nutritional and health needs of its constituents and as one means to attain food security.

Section 3. Operative Principles. The Municipality envisions a locality which is an exemplifier of a focused approach towards promoting and sustaining health and nutrition programs and in recognizing the proven nutritional and medicinal value of the malunggay plant, it hereby adopts the following principles:

(3.1) the sustained use of Malunggay as part of the daily food of its constituents would lead to the improvement in the health of the populace; and

(3.2) the production of Malunggay can help attain food security and can be a feasible source of livelihood and income generation opportunity for local farmers.

Section 4. Mandatory Provisions. In order to effectively implement this Ordinance:

(4.1) Every household is hereby required to plant at least a Malunggay tree. In case of inavailability of ground for this purpose, a tree planted on a suitable pot of any material suffices as adherence to the intent of this Ordinance.

(4.2) All barangays in the Municipality are hereby required to promote the planting and growing of Malunggay in every household within their jurisdiction through an information drive conducted in coordination with barangay health workers and the Municipal Agricultural Services Office.

(4.3) All barangays should likewise plant and grow malunggay trees in their nurseries/herbal gardens, or when available, eco-parks.
(4.4) All schools, both elementary and secondary levels, private or public, are likewise hereby required to promote the planting and growing of Malunggay trees to their pupils/students and their respective Parents-Teachers Associations.

(4.5) All schools, should also have, within their respective premises, Malunggay trees planted and maintained by their students.

(4.6) Where feasible, individuals or groups residing or engaging in business within the territorial jurisdiction of the Municipality, should be encouraged to develop products generated or derived from any of the usable parts of the Malunggay.

(4.7) Subject to availability of funds, such individuals or groups having developed products generated or derived from any of the usable parts of the Malunggay shall be duly rewarded with cash incentives and/or subsidy for products still to be developed.

(4.7) A 100% percent compliance to this Ordinance at the barangay level should be made part of the criteria in the Annual Search for the Cleanest and Greenest Barangay.

Section 5. Implementation, Monitoring, and Evaluation. The Municipal Agricultural Services Office is hereby authorized to:

(5.1) coordinate and supervise the planting of Malunggay trees in every barangay and in every school within the territorial jurisdiction of the Municipality;

(5.2) coordinate with local DepEd Officials in designating teachers to help the Office supervise their elementary and secondary pupils/students in planting and maintaining their Malunggay trees;

(5.3) coordinate with the Skills Training Center of the Municipality, and where possible, with other government agencies, for provision of technical support to individuals or groups developing Malunggay by-products;

(5.4) invite nutritional experts during information and education campaign drive to propound on the nutritional/health and medicinal values of the Malunggay;

(5.5) recommend sanctions or fines to any household, barangay official, or DepEd teacher who fails or refuses in implementing the provisions as set forth in Section 4, hereof;

(5.5) submit an annual report to the Office of the Municipal Mayor on the result of monitoring and evaluation, including the status and progress of implementation and outcome of the program;
Section 6. Issuance of Implementing Rules and Regulations. The Office of the Mayor shall accordingly issue Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) relative to the purposes and intents of this Ordinance.

Section 7. Penalty Clause. Failure to strictly comply with the mandatory requirements set forth in Section 4, hereof shall merit the following sanctions:

(7.1) First Offense: written reprimand by the Punong Barangay having jurisdiction of the person violating this Ordinance;

(7.2) Second Offense: one (1) day community service and mandatory attendance in a seminar regarding the benefits of Malunggay to be scheduled by the Municipal Agricultural Services Office; and

(7.3) Third Offense: payment of fine amounting to Five Hundred Pesos (Php 500.00) or equivalent of three (3) days community service.

Section 8. Separability Clause. If, for any reason, any part of this Municipal Ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional or invalid, the other parts or provisions hereof which are not affected thereby shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 9. Effectivity. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval and proper publication.

ENACTED:

ATTESTED:

ATHY. RUBEN M. DUMLAO
Sangguniang Bayan Secretary

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

THOMAS A. PUA JR.
Municipal Vice Mayor and Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

ARNOLD EDWARD P. CO
Municipal Mayor

1-29-19
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Hon. Jay B. Caliguiran . . . . . . LNB President
Hon. Darwin D. Agas . . . . . . SK Federation President

Absent: None

ORDINANCE NO. 06-2019
(Introduced by the Hon. Clemente S. Dumlao Jr.
Sponsored by the Committee on Rules, Privileges, Ordinances, and Legal Matters)

AN ORDINANCE INSTITUTIONALIZING AND MANDATING FAMILY BACKYARD GARDENING IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF DELFIN ALBANO, ISABELA, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Explanatory Note

Local Government Units (LGUs) are at the forefront in the battle against hunger and malnutrition at the community level. As agents of the government, the LGUs are empowered by law to undertake programs, projects, and activities which they deem relevant, attainable, and responsive to the local situations and circumstances of hunger and malnutrition issues in their respective localities.

In the hierarchy of human needs, food remains to be at the topmost level. And government agencies and apparatuses are most effective in their mandates and responsibilities if issues related to food production, availability, and sufficiency are addressed.

In the United States and elsewhere in the Western World, a growing concern on the quality of food sold at supermarkets and groceries have driven a number of individuals to taking up the responsibility of growing their own food. In the Philippines, we are no strangers to growing our own food. In the past, backyard gardening is at its high when practically all households have their own respective vegetable patches and gardens.
However, with the passing of time, vegetables now grown by only a few are made destined to the markets where they are bought by the ever growing number of consuming public. A shift from being producers to becoming consumers have virtually obliterated the practice of backyard gardening.

Perhaps, it is time that we bring back the good practice that is backyard gardening, especially with the growing problem on hunger and malnutrition. With this end in mind; hence, this Ordinance.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, AS IT IS HEREBY ENACTED BY THE SANGGUNITANG BAYAN OF DELFIN ALBANO, ISABELA, BY VIRTUE OF THE POWERS VESTED IN IT BY LAW, IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, THAT:

Section 1. Title. This Ordinance shall be known as the "Backyard Gardening Ordinance of 2019."

Section 2. Declaration of Policy.

(2.1) It shall be the policy of the Municipality to reduce incidence of hunger and malnutrition through sustainable backyard gardening at the family level.

(2.2) It shall likewise be the policy of the Municipality to promote ecological well-being through the promotion and adoption of organic gardening among its constituents.

Section 3. Definition of Terms. Terms used in this Ordinance are to be defined as follows:

(3.1) Family Home – shall be synonymous with the word household; shall refer to the house where a family resides.

(3.2) Food Garden – shall refer to the growing of any kind of plants that produce edible leaves, fruits, or tubers actually consumed by the concerned family; may also include medicinal herbs and plants and exclude fruit trees and coconut trees.

(3.3) Backyard – shall be used in its broadest concept to include any vacant land in any part of the home lot.

(3.4) Urban Gardening – shall refer to the gardening techniques in small spaces which include the use of pots, bottles, and others.

Section 4. Mandatory Backyard Garden.

(4.1) Each family residing within the territorial jurisdiction of the Municipality of Delfin Albano is hereby required to establish their own backyard garden consisting of at least five (5) varieties of vegetables.
(4.2) Within six (6) months from the effectivity of this Ordinance, all family homes must have a visible backyard food garden.

Section 5. Administrative Provisions.

(5.1) Multiple or extended families living under one roof shall be required to maintain one (1) food garden only.

(5.2) Households without any available ground to be turned into food gardens shall be required to maintain urban gardens.

(5.3) Training and mentoring programs and activities on current technology and techniques for sustainable backyard and/or urban gardening such as but not limited to self-watering bottle gardening, backyard plot gardening, and others shall be implemented through the Municipal Agricultural Services Office.

(5.4) Only Organic fertilizers and pesticide are allowed to be used in the food gardens.

(5.5) Food gardens shall have at least five (5) varieties of vegetables.

(5.6) Barangay Officials are hereby deputized as lead implementers and enforcers of this Ordinance.

(5.6) Fines collected for violation of this Ordinance shall accrue to the General Fund of the Barangay making the collection.

Section 6. Penalty Clause. Failure to comply with the mandatory requirements shall be meted with the following sanctions:

(6.1) First Offense: written reprimand by the Punong Barangay having jurisdiction of the person violating this Ordinance;

(6.2) Second Offense: two (2) days community service; and

(6.3) Third Offense: payment of fine amounting to Five Hundred Pesos (PhP 500.00) or equivalent of three (3) days community service.

Section 5. Conduct of Orientation Seminars and Trainings. Within ninety (90) calendar days from the effectivity of this Ordinance, and periodically thereafter, the Municipal Agricultural Services Office shall develop and conduct a series of orientation seminars and trainings at the barangay level for the development and sustainability of organic food gardens.
Section 6. Separability Clause. If, for any reason, any part of this Municipal Ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional or invalid, the other parts or provisions hereof which are not affected thereby shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 7. Effectivity. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval and proper publication.

ENACTED:

ATTESTED:  
Atty. RUBEN M. DOMLAO  
Sangguniang Bayan Secretary

CERTIFIED CORRECT:  
THOMAS A. PUA JR.  
Municipal Vice Mayor and Presiding Officer

APPROVED:  
ARNOLD EDWARD P. CO  
Municipal Mayor  
1-29-19
ORDINANCE NO. 07-2019

(Sponsored by the Committee on Public Works, Housing, and Land Utilization)

AN ORDINANCE CLOSING TO ONE-WAY TRAFFIC THE INTERIOR ROAD ACCESSING THE INNERMOST PART OF BARANGAY SAN ANTONIO, SPECIFICALLY FOR VEHICULAR TRAFFIC FROM TUMAUINI IN THE EAST AND THE CITY OF ILAGAN IN THE SOUTH FROM 6:00 IN THE MORNING TO 6:00 IN THE EVENING.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Paragraph (a) Section 21 of RA 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, a local government unit may order the permanent or temporary closure or opening of any local road, alley, park, or square falling within its jurisdiction;

WHEREAS, the interior road accessing the innermost part of Barangay San Antonio along the riverside is a two-lane municipal road with ingress exiting the National Highway right before the then Headquarters of the 1st Maneuver Platoon;

WHEREAS, while it is a two-lane road, the shoulders on both sides, however, are narrow, with most parts on the right side, upon ingress, constructed with drainage canal;

WHEREAS, allowing heavy two-way traffic in the area may prove counterproductive as the soft ground and the drainage canal running the side of said road may cause vehicular accidents;

WHEREFORE, this Sanggunian deems it imperative to close to one-way traffic said road, specifically for vehicular traffic from Tumauini in the East and the City of Ilogan in the South from 6:00 in the morning to 6:00 in the evening.
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, AS IT IS HEREBY ENACTED BY THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF DELFIN ALBANO, ISABELA, BY VIRTUE OF THE POWERS VESTED IN IT BY LAW, IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, THAT:

Section 1. Mandatory Provision. The Municipal Interior Road accessing the innermost part of Barangay San Antonio along the riverside with ingress exiting the National Highway right before the then Headquarters of the 1st Maneuver Platoon is hereby ordered closed to one-way traffic, specifically for vehicular traffic from Tumauini in the East and the City of Ilagan in the South from 6:00 in the morning to 6:00 in the evening.


(2.1) The Office of the Mayor, in coordination with the Delfin Albano Police Station (DAPS), shall undertake the putting up of necessary signage declaring the closure of said road.

(2.2) The signages to be put-up shall contain in visible print the time the closure is mandated and the penalties provided in this Ordinance to be meted for violation of the same.

(2.3) The ingress exiting the National Highway of the road subject of this Ordinance shall, from time to time, be duly manned by personnel of the DAPS, or the Barangay Police hereby deputized as enforcers of this Ordinance.

(2.4) At no time shall a vehicle, private or public utility, be allowed to enter said road for the period the road is ordered close, even for vehicles driven or loaded with passengers with homes near said ingress.

Section 3. Penalty Clause. Failure to strictly comply with this Ordinance shall merit the following sanctions:

(3.1) First Offense: Payment of fine amounting to Five Hundred Pesos (PhP 500.00), or its equivalent of one (1) day community service;

(3.2) Second Offense: Payment of fine amounting to One Thousand Pesos (PhP 1,000.00), or its equivalent of two (2) days community service; and

(3.3) Third Offense: Payment of fine amounting to Two Thousand Pesos (PhP 2,000.00) or its equivalent of three (3) days community service.
AN ORDINANCE CLOSING TO ONE-WAY TRAFFIC THE INTERIOR ROAD ACCESSING THE INNERMOST PART OF BARANGAY SAN ANTONIO, SPECIFICALLY FOR VEHICULAR TRAFFIC FROM TUMAUINI IN THE EAST AND THE CITY OF ILAGAN IN THE SOUTH FROM 6:00 IN THE MORNING TO 6:00 IN THE EVENING.

Section 4. Separability Clause. If, for any reason, any part of this Municipal Ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional or invalid, the other parts or provisions hereof which are not affected thereby shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 5. Effectivity. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval and proper publication.

ENACTED:

ATTESTED:

[Signature]

ATTY. RUBEN M. DUMLAO
Sangguniang Bayan Secretary

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

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THOMAS A. PUA JR.
Municipal Vice Mayor and Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

[Signature]

ARNOLD EDWARD P. CO
Municipal Mayor

1-29-19

Date
ORDINANCE NO. 08-2019

(Sponsored by the Committee on Culture and Education)

AN ORDINANCE DECLARING THE ORGANICALLY AND TRADITIONALLY-GROWN RICE VARIETY "WAGWAG" AS LOCAL AGRICULTURAL TREASURE OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF DELFIN ALBANO, ISABELA, ESTABLISHING SYSTEMS AND MECHANISMS FOR THE VARIETY’S PROTECTION, PRESERVATION, AND PROMOTION, AND PROVIDING MECHANISMS OF IMPLEMENTATION, AND FOR OTHER RELATED PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, Delfin Albano since time immemorial is known for Wag-wag production in Region 02, with the buying public preferring this variety grown in the Municipality over those grown in other localities;

WHEREAS, Wagwag, classified as Oryza Wagwag, is a rice variety native to the Philippines grown organically and is less susceptible against pest and rice diseases;

WHEREAS, this variety has pearly white medium grain, bibulous and spongy, sweet and tender when cooked;

WHEREAS, this rice variety is photoperiod sensitive which can only be productive during the wet season and in areas with abundant irrigation, and of the type which is very late maturing, which makes it less preferable for farmers to plant;

WHEREAS, traditionally, immature Wagwag grains are pounded and roasted into pinipig which are often sprinkled on top of hot native chocolate drinks;

WHEREAS, this variety is dying and slowly being eradicated by more commercially available and profitable varieties; hence, the need for its protection, preservation, and promotion;
WHEREFORE, this Sanggunian deems it imperative to declare Wagwag as a local agricultural treasure and to mandate its protection, preservation, and promotion.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, AS IT IS HEREBY ENACTED BY THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF DELFIN ALBANO, ISABELA, BY VIRTUE OF THE POWERS VESTED IN IT BY LAW, IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, THAT:

Section 1. Title. This Ordinance shall be known as the "Wagwag Ordinance of 2019."

Section 2. Declaration of Policy.

(2.1) It shall be the policy of the Municipality to declare the Organically and Traditionally-grown Wagwag Rice Variety as the locality's agricultural treasure.

(2.2) It shall likewise be the policy of the Municipality to protect, preserve, and promote the cultivation of said variety and to support undertakings in this wise.

Section 3. Declaration. The organically and traditionally-grown Wagwag Rice is hereby declared as the Municipality's local agricultural treasure.

Section 4. Protection, Preservation, and Promotion. In line with this Ordinance, the Municipal Government shall:

(4.1) adopt a general policy as articulated hereof, aimed at promoting the cultivation of Wagwag rice and at integrating the variety's protection and preservation into planning programs of the Municipal Government;

(4.2) designate or establish a competent multi-sectoral and inter-agency body, as ordained hereof, to be tasked with the protection, preservation, promotion of the local treasure;

(4.3) foster, as far as practicable, scientific and technical studies as well as research methodologies, with a few to further improve the variety in terms of sustenance, maintenance, and yield capacity;

(4.4) adopt appropriate legal framework, technical, administrative, financial measures aimed at:

(4.4.1) fostering the creation or strengthening of institutions for training in the management of Wagwag Rice as a local treasure and the promotion and transmission of such;

(4.4.2) procuring farm lots, at least two (2) hectares in actual area, intended for farm demonstrations, for scientific studies and research as specified in Paragraph (4.3), hereof;
(4.4.3) document all processes involved in the protection, preservation, and promotion of said local treasure;

(4.4.3) ensure recognition of and appreciation of the local treasure through educational, awareness-raising and information programs, educational and training programs, and capacity-building activities; and

(4.5) appropriate and reserve funds to be used for incentives or subsidy of farmers working towards the protection, preservation, and promotion of organically and traditionally-grown Wagwag rice.

Section 5. Implementation. The Municipal Planning and Development Office (MPDO) jointly with the Municipal Agricultural Services Office (MASO) are hereby authorized by virtue of this Ordinance to:

(5.1) provide coordinative, secretariat, clerical, custodial, and other logistical services in furtherance of the intent and full implementation of this Ordinance;

(5.2) draw up plans, programs, and activities, including proposed budget, for the protection, preservation, and promotion of the local treasure;

Section 6. Funding. There shall be appropriated the amount of PhP 200,000.00 annually to be taken from the General Fund Annual Budget for use in the implementation of this Ordinance. Such budget may be increased or augmented as necessary.

Section 7. Grant of Authority. In furtherance of the purpose and intent hereof, the Local Chief Executive is hereby granted authority to enter into and sign an agreement with any government or non-government agencies and organizations in relation to financing of programs, projects, and activities pertaining to the protection, preservation, and promotion of the local treasure subject of this Ordinance.

Section 8. Separability Clause. If, for any reason, any part of this Municipal Ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional or invalid, the other parts or provisions hereof which are not affected thereby shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 9. Effectivity - This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval and proper publication.

ENACTED:
ORDINANCE NO. 08-2019

AN ORDINANCE DECLARING THE ORGANICALLY AND TRADITIONALLY-GROWN RICE VARIETY "WAGWAG" AS LOCAL AGRICULTURAL TREASURE OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF DELFIN ALBANO, ISABELA, ESTABLISHING SYSTEMS AND MECHANISMS FOR THE VARIETY'S PROTECTION, PRESERVATION, AND PROMOTION, AND PROVIDING MECHANISMS OF IMPLEMENTATION, AND FOR OTHER RELATED PURPOSES.

ATTESTED:

ACY. RUBEN M. DUMIAO
Sangguniang Bayan Secretary

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

THOMAS A. PUA JR.
Municipal Vice Mayor and Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

ARNOLD EDWARD P. CO
Municipal Mayor

1-29-19
Date
ORDINANCE NO. 09-2019
(Sponsored by the Committee on Environmental Protection, Health, and Social Welfare)

AN ORDINANCE INSTITUTIONALIZING BACKYARD COMPOSTING IN ALL HOUSEHOLDS AND IN ALL SCHOOLS AND INSTITUTIONS WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF DELFIN ALBANO, ISabela.

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 9003, otherwise known as the Philippine Ecological Solid Waste Management Act of 2000, makes it the policy of the state to adopt a systematic, comprehensive, and ecological solid waste management program;

WHEREAS, RA 9003 likewise encourages the composting of biodegradable materials and their recycle into usable form such as but not limited to soil enhancers, fertilizers, and others;

WHEREAS, food scraps and yard and biodegradable household waste together currently make up about 30 percent of what is thrown away, composting of which keeps these materials out of landfills where they take up space and release methane, a potent greenhouse gas;

WHEREAS, household composting is most ideal since the root of the waste problem originates from each and every home composing the local communities;

WHEREAS, composting is also beneficial as the end-products of which may be used to enrich garden soil, help retain moisture and suppress plant diseases and pests, reduce the need for chemical fertilizers, and encourage the production of beneficial bacteria and fungi that break down organic matter to create humus, a rich nutrient-filled material;
AN ORDINANCE INSTITUTIONALIZING BACKYARD COMPOSTING IN ALL HOUSEHOLDS AND IN ALL SCHOOLS AND INSTITUTIONS WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF DELFIN ALBANO, ISABELA.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, AS IT IS HEREBY ENACTED BY THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF DELFIN ALBANO, ISABELA, BY VIRTUE OF THE POWERS VESTED IN IT BY LAW, IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, THAT:

Section 1. Title. This Ordinance shall be known as the “Composting Ordinance of 2019”.

Section 2. Purposes. This Ordinance is enacted for the following purposes:

(2.1) to protect environmental and public health, safety, comfort, convenience, and the general welfare of the constituents of the Municipality of Delfin Albano;

(2.2) to establish powers, duties, rules, regulations, and standards for the location and operation of backyard and small compost sites at residential, commercial, institutional, and public properties.

(2.3) to promote a program of waste reduction through source separation of organic materials from mixed municipal solid waste.

(2.4) to provide for the administration and enforcement of this Ordinance.

Section 3. Coverage. This Ordinance applies to all households, schools, and other business and non-business institutions within the territorial jurisdiction of the Municipality.

Section 4. Definition of Terms. For purposes of this Ordinance, the following terms are hereby defined:

(4.1) **Backyard Composting.** Refers to a container/receptacle/pit no greater than three (3) cubic meters located at each household used to compost food scraps, garden wastes, weeds, lawn cuttings, leaves, and prunings from a single family or household with the intention of using compost produced on site.

(4.2) **Composting.** Refers to the controlled microbial degradation of source separated as compostable materials to yield a humus-like product or mulch to be used as soil enhancers.

(4.3) **Non-Recyclable Paper.** Refers to paper products that are food-soiled or contain fibers too short for recycling, examples include but are not limited to: paper plates, towels and napkins, facial tissue and tissue paper.

(4.4) **Poultry Litter.** Refers to bedding material, such as wood shavings, sawdust, or straw, that has been used in a chicken coop or broiler house floor and consists mostly of the bedding material, poultry manure, feathers, and spilled feed.

(4.5) **Food Scraps.** Refers to organic waste material resulting from the handling, preparation, cooking, and consumption of food.

(4.6) **Mixed Municipal Solid Waste.** Refers to garbage, refuse and other solid waste from residential, commercial, and community activities that the generator of the waste aggregates for collection.
(4.7) **Organic Material.** Refers to yard waste, food scraps and compostable material, it also includes community available compost ingredients.

(4.8) **Source Separated Organics.** Refers to organic material that is separated from mixed municipal solid waste at the source by the waste generators for the purpose of composting.

(4.9) **Yard Waste.** Refers to garden wastes, leaves, lawn cuttings, shrub and tree waste, prunings and twigs.

**Section 5. Prohibition on Disposal.**

(5.1) No person shall knowingly rake or deposit, organic materials or mixed municipal solid waste on or into public or private streets, sewers, drainage ditches, water retention basin, streams or lakes.

(5.2) Yard waste may not be deposited into mixed municipal solid waste and must only be retained by each household, each school, each institution within the territorial jurisdiction of the Municipality as material for composting.

(5.3) Prohibition on the burning of the same as mandated under Ordinance No. 16-2017 is hereby retained and made enforceable under this Ordinance.

**Section 6. Backyard Compost Site.**

(6.1) **Location for backyard compost sites.**

(6.1.1) Composting containers/receptacles/pits shall be located and designed so that seepage from the compost will not run off into public or private streets, storm sewers, drainage ditches, water retention basins, streams or lakes.

(6.1.2) No compost container/receptacle/pit may be located closer than five (5) feet to any rear or side property line, or closer than twenty (20) feet to any residential dwellings, except the dwelling on the property at which the compost container is located.

(6.1.3) No compost container/receptacle/pit may be placed within twenty (20) feet of any body of water.

(6.2) **Acceptable materials for a backyard compost site.** Composting materials at a backyard compost site include: food scraps, garden wastes, weeds, lawn cuttings, leaves, and prunings from a single family or household.

(6.3) **Prohibited materials for a backyard compost site.** Uncooked meat, fats, oils, grease, bones, whole eggs, milk or other liquid dairy products, human or pet wastes, pesticides, herbicides, noxious weeds and any other mixed municipal solid waste that may cause a public health risk or create nuisance conditions shall not be placed in a composting container/receptacle/pit.
(6.4) Composting container for a backyard compost site. All composting must occur in a container/receptacle constructed out of wood, wire mesh, galvanized iron, or concrete block, or a combination thereof, or in a commercially available compost bin designed for composting organic materials, or in a pit dug for purposes of containing the compost materials into a particular area.

(6.5) Volume of a backyard compost site. Backyard compost sites shall not exceed a total of four cubic yards in volume. The maximum height of the composting container shall be five (5) feet.

(6.6) Maintenance. Compost materials shall be layered, aerated, moistened, turned and managed to promote effective decomposition of the materials in a safe, secure, and sanitary manner. Backyard compost sites must be maintained to minimize nuisance conditions.

(6.7) Compost Use. When the composting process is finished and the compost resembles a soil-like humus or mulch material, it shall be used as a soil enhancer. Finished or unfinished compost shall not be used in a manner causing a nuisance.

(6.8) Households without any available or limited ground or spaces for composting may be allowed exemption as to their preferred container/receptacle.

Section 7. Educational Materials. The Municipal Government shall prepare and distribute informational materials to assist persons wishing to conduct source separated organic composting in an efficient manner that minimizes public nuisance conditions and shall offer technical assistance to those persons on the proper operation and maintenance of a composting operation. Materials are to contain examples of acceptable composting containers and practices for backyard compost sites.

Section 8. Nuisance.

(8.1) A backyard compost site must not be established or maintained in a manner such that it creates an odorous or other nuisance and any composting shall be suspended or terminated if at any time the local authority determines a nuisance exists or that conditions exist constituting a fire hazard or health hazard, or if there is a threat to surface or groundwater from run-off.

(8.2) The local authority may require individuals whose compost site and/or materials are not in compliance with this section to attend a master composter or similar educational program as a condition of continuing to compost on subject property.

Section 9. Violation. It is unlawful to conduct composting operations in violation of the requirements of this ordinance.

Section 10. Penalty Provisions. Violation of any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be penalized as follows:
(10.1) First Offense: written reprimand by the Punong Barangay having jurisdiction of the person violating this Ordinance;
(10.2) Second Offense: two (2) days community service; and
(10.3) Third Offense: payment of fine amounting to Five Hundred Pesos (PhP 500.00) or equivalent of three (3) days community service.

Section 11. Separability Clause. If this Ordinance or any provision hereof shall be declared unconstitutional or invalid, other parts or provisions hereof which are not affected shall continue to be in full force and effect.

Section 12. Effectivity. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval and posting in at least three (3) conspicuous places.

ENACTED:

ATTESTED:

Atty. RUBEN M. DUMLAO
Sangguniang Bayan Secretary

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

THOMAS A. PUA JR.
Municipal Vice Mayor and Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

ARNOLD EDWARD P. CO
Municipal Mayor

Date 2-13-19
ORDINANCE NO. 10-2019
(Introduced by the Hon. Ruben P. Furigay
Sponsored by the Committee on Rules, Privileges, Ordinances, and Legal Matters)


WHEREAS, Municipal Governments are empowered under Section 13 of RA 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, to name municipal and barangay roads, avenues, boulevards, thoroughfares, and bridges;

WHEREAS, naming of roads, avenues, boulevards, thoroughfares, and bridges is a good governance practice, because more than the need for postal identification, these structures connect people to the communities they live in;

WHEREAS, this Ordinance is in consonance with Ordinance No. 01-2018, otherwise known as the Ybanag Ordinance of 2018, which mandated the preservation, valuing and articulation of the Ybanag Dialect as the cultural identify of Delfin Albano, thereby further mandating the naming of government offices and buildings, schools, streets, roads, parks, celebrations, etc. in Ybanag;

WHEREFORE, this Sanggunian deems it imperative to name and grant identities to roads, avenues, boulevards, thoroughfares, and bridges within the territorial jurisdiction of the Municipality.
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, AS IT IS HEREBY ENACTED BY THE
SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF DELFIN ALBANO, ISABELA, BY VIRTUE OF THE POWERS
VESTED IN IT BY LAW, IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, THAT:

Section 1. Naming of the Road. The whole stretch of the road
located at Barangay Ragan Sur (Poblacion), this Municipality,
begining from the point where said road exits the National Highway
immediately before and on the left side of the area where the offices
of the national government agencies are located and ending to the
point where said road enters the National Highway immediately after
and on the right side of the area where the Delfin Albano Police
Station (DAPS) is located is hereby named as "Dal an na Maguili".

Section 2. Use of the Name. The use of the name of the road in
official communications and in postal addresses is also hereby
mandated by this Ordinance.

Section 3. Signage. The Office of the Mayor, through the Offices
of the Municipal Engineer and the Municipal Planning and Development
Coordinator, shall undertake the putting-up of necessary signages
containing the following text:

"DALAN NA MAGUILI"
(Daan ng Bayan)

As per Ordinance No. 10-2019

Section 4. Effectivity. This Ordinance shall take effect upon
its approval.

ENACTED:

ATTESTED:
Atty. ROBERT M. DUMLAO
Sangguniang Bayan Secretary

CERTIFIED CORRECT:
THOMAS A. PAU JR.
Municipal Vice Mayor and Presiding Officer

APPROVED:
ARNOLD EDWARD B. CO
Municipal Mayor
2-13-19 Date
Excerpts from the Minutes of the Mobile Regular Session of the Sangguniang Bayan of Delfin Albano, Isabela held at the Covered Court, Barangay Capitol, Delfin Albano, Isabela on February 11, 2019.

Present: Hon. Thomas A. Pua Jr. . . . . . . . Municipal Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer
Hon. Ruben P. Furgay . . . . . . . SB Member
Hon. Francisco A. Cristobal Jr. . . . SB Member
Hon. Clemente S. Dumlao Jr. . . . SB Member
Hon. Juanito C. Ranchez . . . . SB Member
Hon. Alex I. Macarilay Sr. . . . SB Member
Hon. Elma M. Galope . . . . . . . SB Member
Hon. Grace M. Gabuyo . . . . . . . SB Member
Hon. Michael C. Taccad . . . . . . . SB Member
Hon. Darwin D. Agas . . . . . . . SK Federation President
On Travel: Hon. Jay B. Caliguiran . . . . . . . LNB President

ORDINANCE NO. 12-2019
(Introduced by the Hon. Jay B. Caliguiran and Hon. Darwin A. Agas
Sponsored by the Committee on Rules, Privileges, Ordinances, and
Legal Matters)

AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING ALL AIR-GUN AND AIR-SOFT GUN OWNERS OF ALL TYPE, CALIBER, AND MAKE WITHIN THE MUNICIPALITY OF DELFIN ALBANO, ISABELA TO REGISTER THE SAME TO THE DELFIN ALBANO POLICE STATION FOR MONITORING PURPOSES, AND PROVIDING PENALTY FOR VIOLATION THEREOF.

WHEREAS, there is a growing interest on shooting hobby and sport among the youth and adult alike, specifically the use of air-guns and air-soft guns for hunting and recreational or simulation games;

WHEREAS, while air-guns and air-soft guns are not as powerful as other guns, these implements can still hurt or even kill people;

WHEREAS, in scientific studies undertaken abroad, it was concluded that the critical velocity for penetration of human skin by an air gun pellet is between 38 and 70 m/sec (125-230 ft/sec), but most modern air weapons exceed this velocity;

WHEREAS, in a number of medical literature, modern air guns have been noted to have caused fatal wounds among the shooting victims;

WHEREFORE, this Sanggunian deems it imperative to require the registration of said air-guns/air-soft guns with the Delfin Albano Police Station (DAPS) for monitoring purposes.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, AS IT IS HEREBY ENACTED BY THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF DELFIN ALBANO, ISABELA, BY VIRTUE OF THE POWERS VESTED IN IT BY LAW, IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, THAT:
Section 1. Title. This Ordinance shall be known as the "Air-gun/Air-soft Gun Ordinance of 2019".

Section 2. Definition of Terms. For purposes of this Ordinance, the following terms shall be defined as follows:

(2.1) **Air-gun.** Refers to any type of projectile weapon that propels its ammunition by means of compressed air or other gas (Co2), in contrast to a firearm which uses an explosive charge.

(2.2) **Air-soft Gun.** Refers to any special type of very low-power smoothbore air-gun designed to shoot non-metallic projectiles.

(2.3) **Air-gun/Air-soft Owners.** Refers to any person who owns or a holder of any type or caliber of air-gun or air-soft gun.

Section 3. Registration Provision.

(3.1) Air-gun/air-soft gun owners are hereby required to register his/her gun with the Delfin Albano Police Station (DAPS).

(3.2) Registration is on a year-to-year basis and shall expire on the anniversary of the registration.

(3.3) A Registration Fee of One Hundred Pesos (PhP 100.00), duly receipted, shall be collected by the DAPS.

(3.4) Late registration shall be fined with Fifty Pesos (PhP 50.00) penalty, collectible by the DAPS.

(3.5) An Inventory Sticker, containing the type of gun, caliber, make, serial number, the serialized inventory number, and the date of registration, shall be issued to each gun registered.

(3.5) The DAPS shall maintain a Log Book of each registrant containing all the information as required in Paragraph (3.4).

Section 4. Penalty. Violation of this Ordinance shall be penalized with a fine of Two Thousand Pesos (PhP 500.00) payable to the Municipal Treasury Office.

Section 5. Separability Clause. If, for any reason, any part of this Municipal Ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional or invalid, the other parts or provisions hereof which are not affected thereby shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 6. Effectivity. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval and proper publication.

ENACTED:
AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING ALL AIR-GUN AND AIR-SOFT GUN OWNERS OF ALL TYPE, CALIBER, AND MAKE WITHIN THE MUNICIPALITY OF DELFIN ALBANO, ISABELA TO REGISTER THE SAME TO THE DELFIN ALBANO POLICE STATION FOR MONITORING PURPOSES, AND PROVIDING PENALTY FOR VIOLATION THEREOF.

ATTESTED:

Atty. RUBEN M. DUMERAO
Sangguniang Bayan Secretary

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

THOMAS A. PUA JR.
Municipal Vice Mayor and Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

ARNOLD EDWARD P. CO
Municipal Mayor

2-13-19
Date
Republic of the Philippines  
Province of Isabela  
MUNICIPALITY OF DELFIN ALBANO  

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN  

Excerpts from the Minutes of the Mobile Regular Session of the  
Sangguniang Bayan of Delfin Albano, Isabela held at the Covered  
Court, Barangay Capitol, Delfin Albano, Isabela on February 11, 2019.  

Present:  
Hon. Thomas A. Pua Jr. . . . . . . Municipal Vice Mayor  
& Presiding Officer  
Hon. Ruben P. Purigay . . . . . . SB Member  
Hon. Francisco A. Cristobal Jr. . . SB Member  
Hon. Clemente S. Dumiao Jr. . . . SB Member  
Hon. Juanito C. Ranchez . . . . . SB Member  
Hon. Alex I. Macarilay Sr. . . . . . SB Member  
Hon. Elma M. Galope . . . . . . SB Member  
Hon. Grace M. Gabuyo . . . . . . SB Member  
Hon. Michael C. Taccad . . . . . . SB Member  
Hon. Darwin D. Agas . . . . . . SK Federation President  
On Travel: Hon. Jay B. Caliguiran . . . . . LNB President  

ORDINANCE NO. 13-2019  
(Introduced by the Hon. Francisco A. Cristobal Jr. and  
Hon. Alex I. Macarilay Sr.  
Sponsored by the Committee on Rules, Privileges, Ordinances, and  
Legal Matters)  

AN ORDINANCE MANDATING ALL INSTITUTIONS, PRIVATE OR PUBLIC,  
OPERATING WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF DELFIN  
ALBANO TO INSTITUTE A MESSAGING SCHEME TO RELIGIOUSLY INFORM THEIR  
EMPLOYEES AND STAKEHOLDERS ABOUT THE LATEST WEATHER UPDATE.  

WHEREAS, keeping people safe is a constitutional mandate,  
specifically with reference to the rights to life, health, safety,  
and property;  

WHEREAS, the promotion of the general welfare of the people,  
especially during disasters and calamities, is also a mandate  
enshrined in the Constitution;  

WHEREAS, local governments are mandated under Section 458  
(a)(1)(iv) of RA 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code  
of 1991, to “adopt measures to protect their inhabitants from harmful  
effect of man-made or natural disasters and calamities, and to  
provide relief services and assistance for victims during and in the  
aftermath of said disasters or calamities and in their return to  
productive livelihood following said events”;  

WHEREFORE, this Sanggunian, in keeping with the laws of the  
nation, deems it proper to ensure and support, among other things,  
the promotion of safety, enhance the right of the people to a  
balanced ecology, and preserve the comfort and convenience of its  
constituents;  

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, AS IT IS HEREBY ENACTED BY THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF DELFIN ALBANO, ISabela, BY VIRTUE OF THE POWERS VESTED IN IT BY LAW, IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, THAT:

Section 1. Title. This Ordinance shall be known as the "Weather Update Ordinance".

Section 2. Coverage. This Ordinance shall apply to all institutions, private or public, operating within the territorial jurisdiction of the Municipality.

Purpose 3. Purpose. This Ordinance seeks to uphold the right to life and property by providing a system where employees and other stakeholders are given updates on weather, water (flood), climate data, forecasts, and warnings, thereby creating a Weather-Ready Community.

Section 4. Definition of Terms. For purposes of this Ordinance, the following terms are to be defined as follows:

(4.1) Institutions. Refer to all government or non-government organizations, schools, whether private or public, business establishments, and other entities operating within the jurisdiction of the Municipality.

(4.2) Messaging Scheme. Shall be construed to mean Short Messaging System (SMS), more colloquially known as Text Messaging.

(4.3) Stakeholders. Shall be construed to mean to include employees in any private of government offices, parents of students in schools, members of other organizations operating in the Municipality.

Section 5. Subscription.

(5.1) The Municipal Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council, through the Operation Center, may be subscribed to as source of these weather update information.

(5.2) Subscription to different forecasting organizations or agencies shall be availed of by institutions operating within the territorial jurisdiction of the Municipality in accordance to the subscription terms and conditions of these organizations or agencies.

Section 6. Record of Contact Numbers. All institutions must keep and maintain records of the contact information of their employees and other stakeholders.

Section 7. Update and Information through SMS. The contact numbers mentioned by the preceding Section shall be used to update and inform the employees and other stakeholders about weather conditions and updates during the occurrence of calamities or disasters.
Section 8. Implementing Rules and Regulations. Ninety (90) days after the approval of this Ordinance, the Municipal Disaster Reduction and Management Council is mandated to formulate the necessary rules and regulations for its effective implementation.

Section 9. Penalty. Institutions found in violation of this Ordinance shall be penalized as follows:

- **(9.1) First Offense** - A fine of One Thousand Pesos (PhP 1,000.00)
- **(9.2) Second Offense** - A fine of One Thousand Five Hundred Pesos (PhP 1,500.00) and one-month suspension of business permit, for business establishments.
- **(9.3) Third Offense** - A fine of Two Thousand Pesos (PhP 2,000.00) and cancellation of Business Permit, without prejudice to the right of the owner to register said business for the next Fiscal Year.

Section 10. Separability Clause. If, for any reason, any part of this Municipal Ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional or invalid, the other parts or provisions hereof which are not affected thereby shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 11. Effectivity. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval and proper publication.

ENACTED:

ATTESTED:

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

APPROVED:

Date
ORDINANCE NO. 14-2019
(Introduced by the Hon. Clemente S. Dumlao Jr.
Sponsored by the Committee on Rules, Privileges, Ordinances, and Legal Matters)

AN ORDINANCE PROMOTING THE PRODUCTION AND CONSUMPTION OF ORGANICALLY-PRODUCED FRUITS AND VEGETABLES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, in 10 February 2010, both the Houses of the Senate and of the Representatives enacted into law RA 10068, otherwise known as the Organic Agricultural Act of 2010;

WHEREAS, the Act provides for the implementation of a National Agriculture Program in pursuance of Memorandum Circular No. 02 dated January 2013, issued jointly by the Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG) and the Department of Agriculture (DA), propounded, specifically mandating Local Governments for the full implementation of the intents and provisions of said Act;

WHEREAS, the Act provides for the promotion, propagation, and development of organic agriculture in the country, in the hope that such "will cumulatively condition and enrich the fertility of the soil, increase farm productivity, reduce pollution and destruction of the environment, prevent the depletion of natural resources, further protect the health of farmers, consumers, and the general public, and save on imported farm inputs";

WHEREAS, the Act also calls for the adoption of a "comprehensive program for the promotion of community-based organic agriculture systems which include, among others, farmer-produced purely organic fertilizers such as compost, pesticides, and other farm inputs, together with a nationwide educational and promotional campaign for their use and processing as well as adoption of organic agriculture system as a viable alternative";
WHEREAS, the Act likewise encourages the production of organic vegetables, grains, and fruits for consumption of the public;

WHEREAS, research has affirmed that organic foods have direct health benefits and provide considerably greater amounts of essential nutrients and offers a number of indirect but just as important positive effects on both human health and the environment;

WHEREAS, this Ordinance is formulated in consonance with Ordinance No. 12-2017;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, AS IT IS HEREBY ENACTED BY THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF DELFIN ALBANO, ISABELA, BY VIRTUE OF THE POWERS VESTED IN IT BY LAW, IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, THAT:

Section 1. Declaration of Policy. It is hereby declared the policy of the Municipal Government to promote the production and consumption of organically-produced fruits and vegetables among the local communities within its territorial jurisdiction.

Section 2. Purpose. This Ordinance is in keeping with the mandate and provisions of RA 10068 which thereby institutionalizes the production and consumption of healthy foods in the Municipality.

Section 3. Definition of Terms. For purposes of this Ordinance, the following terms shall be defined as follows:

(3.1) Consumption of Fruits and Vegetables. Refers to eating fruits and vegetables traditionally or organically grown and cultivated.

(3.2) Organic Production of Fruits and Vegetables. Includes all agricultural systems that promote the ecologically-sound, socially-acceptable, economically-viable and technically-feasible production of food, as provided for and defined under Section 3 (b) of RA 10068.

Section 4. Municipal Organic Foods Technical Committee. There is hereby created a Municipal Organic Foods Technical Committee composed of the following:

(4.1) Chair: Municipal Mayor
(4.2) Co-Chair: SB Chair of the Committee on Health
SB Chair of the Committee on Agriculture
Liga ng Mga Barangay Federation President
Municipal Agriculturist
Municipal Planning and Development Coordinator
Municipal Health Officer
Municipal Nutrition Officer
District Supervisor
2 Representatives of Civil Society Organizations operating within the Municipality
Section 5. Secretariat. The personnel and staff of the Municipal Agricultural Services Office shall serve as Secretariat of the Technical Committee.

Section 6. Duties and Responsibilities. The Technical Committee shall have the following duties and responsibilities:

6.1 Establish linkages with other agencies, government or private, and NGOs to promote the consumption and organic production of fruits and vegetables in the Municipality.

6.2 Recommend doable measures to develop and promote consumption and production of fruits and vegetables.

6.3 Formulate research and development agenda for organic plantation of fruits and vegetables and promote the consumption of the same within the Municipality.

6.4 Prepare booklets/brochures of vegetable and fruit-based meals, snacks, and drinks that shall be distributed to as wider an audience as possible for full appreciation and consideration of the intents and purposes of this Ordinance.

6.5 Encourage the serving of these meals, snacks, and drinks at all school canteens and in all events sponsored or spearheaded by the Municipal Government.

6.6 Disseminate information on the benefits of producing and consuming organic fruits and vegetables.

6.7 Hold regular meeting at least once a month to discuss and deliberate on concerns affecting the implementation of this Ordinance and of the programs embodied and stipulated herein.

6.8 Formulate policies, plans, programs, and projects to develop and promote organic fruits and vegetable production, processing, and consumption in the Municipality.

6.9 Perform such other functions as may be necessary for the implementation of this Ordinance.

Section 7. Supplementary Provision. This Ordinance supplements the provisions and stipulations of Ordinance No. 12-2017 and Ordinance No. 07-2019.

Section 8. Repealing Clause. All ordinances, rules, and regulations or parts thereof which are inconsistent or in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed, amended or modified accordingly.

Section 9. Separability Clause. If, for any reason, any part of this Municipal Ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional or invalid, the other parts or provisions hereof which are not affected thereby shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 10. Effectivity. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval and posting in at least three (3) conspicuous places.

ENACTED:
AN ORDINANCE PROMOTING THE PRODUCTION AND CONSUMPTION OF ORGANICALLY-PRODUCED FRUITS AND VEGETABLES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

ATTESTED:

Atty. RUBEN M. DUMLAO
Sangguniang Bayan Secretary

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

THOMAS A. PUA JR.
Municipal Vice Mayor and Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

ARNOLD EDWARD P. CO
Municipal Mayor

2-20-19
Date
ORDINANCE NO. 15-2019
(Introduced by the Hon. Juanito C. Ranchez
Sponsored by the Committee on Rules, Privileges, Ordinances, and Legal Matters)

AN ORDINANCE MANDATING THE HOLDING OF A FLAG RAISING CEREMONY EVERY MONDAY, AT 8:00 IN THE MORNING, AND A FLAG LOWERING (RETREAT) CEREMONY EVERY FRIDAY, AT 5:00 IN THE AFTERNOON, IN FRONT OF THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT HALL, THIS MUNICIPALITY.

WHEREAS, THE Philippine National Flag is a symbolic representation of the Filipino nation, our rich national history, and our struggle for independence from colonial rule and freedom;

WHEREAS, the Flag reminds us of how our heroes fought for our independence, and calls on all of us to uphold the values they fought for and to continue their legacy;

WHEREAS, Republic Act 8491, otherwise known as the Republic and Heraldic Code of the Philippines, commands respect to the Philippine Flag by prescribing rules and guidelines on the proper way of displaying and hoisting the same;

WHEREAS, the Act likewise mandates the observance of a Flag Raising Ceremony every Monday morning and a Flag Lowering Ceremony every Friday afternoon;

WHEREAS, this mandate is reiterated by Civil Service Commission (CSC) Memorandum Circular No. 19, s. 2012;

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 11-2019 enacted by this Sangguniang Bayan adopted said rules and called on the strict adherence of the Rules as provided by said Act;
WHEREFORE, this Sanggunian deems it imperative to require the holding of a Flag Raising Ceremony every Monday morning and a Flag Lowering Ceremony every Friday afternoon in front of the Municipal Government Hall, this Municipality, in adherence to RA 8491, CSC MC No. 19, s. 2012, and in the spirit of Ordinance No. 11-2019.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, AS IT IS HEREBY ENACTED BY THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF DELFIN ALBANO, ISABELA, BY VIRTUE OF THE POWERS VESTED IN IT BY LAW, IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, THAT:

Section 1. Mandatory Provisions.

(1.1) A Flag Raising Ceremony is hereby ordained to be held every Monday, at 8:00 in the morning.
(1.2) Should Monday be declared a holiday, the Flag Raising Ceremony shall be held the next working day of the week.
(1.3) A Flag Lowering Ceremony is likewise ordained to be held every Friday, at 5:00 in the afternoon.
(1.4) Should Friday be declared a holiday, the Flag Lowering Ceremony shall be held the last working day of the week.
(1.5) All municipal officials and employees are required to join and participate during the flag raising ceremony.
(1.6) All employees are required to join and participate during the flag lowering ceremony.
(1.7) All passersby shall be required to stop and join in observance of the flag raising and lowering ceremonies.
(1.8) All vehicles shall be required to stop and all passengers therein shall be required to alight from said vehicles to join the observance of the flag raising and lowering ceremonies.

Section 2. Lead Implementing Agency. The Philippine National Police shall be the lead implementer of this Ordinance.

Section 3. Signage. The Office of the Mayor, through the Offices of the Municipal Engineer and the Municipal Planning and Development Coordinator, shall undertake the putting-up of movable signage/s which may be displayed only during the flag raising and lowering ceremonies, and containing the following text:

"Please Stop and Alight from Your Vehicles and Join in the Singing of the Philippine National Anthem"

(Maaring Huminto at Bumaba sa Inyong mga Sasakyan at Makilahok sa Pagkanta ng Pambansang Awit)

As per Ordinance No.15-2019

Section 4. Separability Clause. If, for any reason, any part of this Municipal Ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional or invalid, the other parts or provisions hereof which are not affected thereby shall remain in full force and effect.
AN ORDINANCE MANDATING THE HOLDING OF A FLAG RAISING CEREMONY EVERY MONDAY, AT 8:00 IN THE MORNING, AND A FLAG LOWERING (RETREAT) CEREMONY EVERY FRIDAY, AT 5:00 IN THE AFTERNOON, IN FRONT OF THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT HALL, THIS MUNICIPALITY.

Section 5. Effectivity. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval.

ENACTED:

ATTESTED:

Atty. RUBEN M. Dumlao
Sangguniang Bayan Secretary

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

THOMAS A. PUA JR.
Municipal Vice Mayor and Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

ARNOLD EDWARD P. CO
Municipal Mayor

2-20-19
Date
ORDINANCE NO. 16-2019

(Introduced by the Hon. Elma M. Galope and Hon. Michael C. Taccad
Sponsored by the Committee on Rules, Privileges, Ordinances, and
Legal Matters)

AN ORDINANCE MANDATING UNIFORM COLOR OF ALL BARANGAY HALLS, MULTI-
PURPOSE BUILDINGS, CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTERS, AND HEALTH CENTERS IN
THE MUNICIPALITY OF DELFIN ALBAN, ISabela.

In keeping with the laws of the nation, and in accordance with
the power and authority accorded to this Local Government by virtue
of RA 7160 in the promotion of the general welfare, this Sanggunian
deems it proper to prescribe uniform color for all barangay halls,
multi-purpose buildings, child development centers, and health
centers; hence, this Ordinance.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, AS IT IS HEREBY ENACTED BY THE
SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF DELFIN ALBANO, ISabela, BY VIRTUE OF THE POWERS
VESTED IN IT BY LAW, IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, THAT:

Section 1. Purpose. This Ordinance seeks to

(1.1) Promote coordination among its offices and agencies as well as to show uniformity among all its constituents.

(1.2) For Delfin Albano to be properly and duly identified as to a Unitarian color, thereby manifesting unity and oneness of purpose.

(1.3) To prevent use of any political color in all offices and agencies of the municipal Government.

Section 2. Coverage. This Ordinance shall apply to all barangay halls, multi-purpose buildings, child development centers, and health centers situated within the jurisdiction of the Municipality.
Section 3. Prescribed Colors. The prescribed colors for said structures as identified in the preceding Section shall be:

(3.1) Tile Red for the Roof;
(3.2) Kitten White for the Body;
(3.3) Ashton Grey for the Border Accents; and
(3.4) Pure Ivory for the Body Accents

Section 4. Implementation. The provisions of this Ordinance shall be adopted by all Barangay Governments

(4.1) Newly painted structures shall adopt these colors on their next scheduled repainting.
(4.2) Structures to be repainted shall adopt these colors immediately.
(4.3) Newly established and about-to-be-established structures shall adopt these colors for their painting.

Section 5. Enforcement. This Ordinance shall form part of the Building Maintenance Protocols of the Municipal Government.

Section 6. Separability Clause. If, for any reason, any part of this Municipal Ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional or invalid, the other parts or provisions hereof which are not affected thereby shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 7. Effectivity. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval and proper publication.

ENACTED:

ATTESTED:

ATTY. RUBEN M. DUMLAO
Sangguniang Bayan Secretary

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

THOMAS A. PUA JR.
Municipal Vice Mayor and Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

ARNOLD EDWARD F. CO
Municipal Mayor

Dated 2-26-19
ORDINANCE NO. 17-2019

(Introduced by the Hon. Grace M. Gabuyo
Sponsored by the Committee on Rules, Privileges, Ordinances, and Legal Matters)

AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING THE SEGREGATION AT SOURCE OF ALL HOUSEHOLD, INSTITUTIONAL, INDUSTRIAL, AND COMMERCIAL WASTES AND/OR GARBAGE INTO WET OR BIODEGRADABLE AND DRY OR NON-BIODEGRADABLE WASTES, PURSUANT TO RA 9003.

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 9003, otherwise known as the Philippine Ecological Solid Waste Management Act of 2000, makes it the policy of the state to adopt a systematic, comprehensive, and ecological solid waste management program;

WHEREAS, RA 9003 likewise seeks to create the necessary institutional mechanisms and incentives, and declares certain acts prohibited and provides for penalties and appropriates fund therefor;

WHEREAS, Section 10 of the above-cited Republic Act provides that, "Pursuant to the relevant provisions of RA 7160, otherwise known as the local Government Code, the LGUs shall be primarily responsible for the implementation and enforcement of the provisions of this Act within their respective jurisdictions;"

WHEREAS, Section 21 of RA 9003 has likewise provided that, "LGUs shall evaluate alternative roles for the public and private sectors in providing collection services, type of collection system, or combination of systems, that best meet their needs. Provided, that segregation of wastes shall primarily be conducted at the source," and Section 22 of the same Act has likewise called for the "standards and requirements for the segregation and storage of solid wastes;"
AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING THE SEGREGATION AT SOURCE OF ALL HOUSEHOLD, INSTITUTIONAL, INDUSTRIAL, AND COMMERCIAL WASTES AND/OR GARBAGE INTO WET OR BIODEGRADABLE AND DRY OR NON-BIODEGRADABLE WASTES, PURSUANT TO RA 9003.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, AS IT IS HEREBY ENACTED BY THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF DELFIN ALBANO, ISABELA, BY VIRTUE OF THE POWERS VESTED IN IT BY LAW, IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, THAT:

Section 1. Title. This Ordinance shall be known as "Waste Segregation Ordinance of 2019".

Section 2. Mandatory Provision. The segregation at the source of all institutional, industrial, and commercial wastes and/or garbage into wet or biodegradable and dry or non-biodegradable, pursuant to Republic Act No. 9003 is hereby ordained.

Section 3. Definition of Terms. For purposes of this Ordinance, the following terms are hereby defined as follows:

(3.1) Dry or Non-Biodegradable Waste. Shall be understood to mean all post-consumer materials which could be transformed into a new product or to another usable material, or processed and used as raw materials in the manufacture of a recycled product.

(3.2) Household, Institutional, Industrial, and Commercial Waste. Shall be understood to mean all discarded wet or dry waste in households, business establishments, commercial waste, non-hazardous institutional and industrial waste, construction debris, and other non-hazardous/non-toxic solid waste.

(3.3) Segregation. Shall be understood to mean the separation of the different materials found in solid waste in order to promote recycling and re-use of resources and to reduce waste for collection and disposal.

(3.4) Segregation at Source. Shall be understood to mean the separation, at the point of origin, of different materials found in solid waste.

(3.5) Wet or Biodegradable Waste. Shall be understood to mean all post-consumer materials which would undergo decomposition and/or can be transformed into some other forms of raw material of beneficial use, such as soil fertilizer.

Section 4. Coverage.

(4.1) All households in the Municipality and all institutional, industrial, or commercial establishments operating within the territorial jurisdiction thereof are covered by this Ordinance.

(4.2) The stakeholders as mentioned above shall segregate garbage or waste and shall dispose of them in separate receptacles or containers properly marked, i.e. one for the wet or biodegradable and one for the dry or non-biodegradable, secured and protected from insects and pests.

Section 5. Administrative Provisions.

(5.1) The Municipal Mayor shall form and convene a "Basura Task Force" manned by pertinent officials and personnel, with the Municipal Mayor as the Chair and the Municipal Planning and Development Coordinator (MPDC), and the Municipal Environment and Natural Resources Officer (MENRO) as Co-Chairs.
(5.2) Three (3) representatives from the Civil Society and/or People’s Organization shall likewise be named members of the Task Force.

(5.3) The Basura Task Force shall be empowered by a duly promulgated Executive Order, the foremost function of which is to oversee the system of segregation and collection of waste in the Municipality.

(5.4) The Basura Task Force is given the authority to enforce this Ordinance, including the apprehension of those found in violation of this Ordinance and the issuance of a citation ticket for said purpose.

(5.5) The officers and personnel of the Delfin Albano Police Station, the Chief of Police of which is an automatic regular member of the Task Force, is also given the authority to enforce this Ordinance, including the apprehension of those found in violation of this Ordinance and the issuance of a citation ticket for said purpose.

(5.6) A well-sustained program for a “Municipal Basura Patrol” shall likewise be devised and duly implemented by the Office of the Mayor.

(5.7) The Basura Patrol of the Municipality shall be responsible in collecting the dry and non-biodegradable waste disposed of and deposited at the Material Recovery Facilities (MRFs) in each barangay.

(5.8) The Basura Task Force shall come up with appropriate plan for the recycling and re-use of the collected dry and non-biodegradable waste.

(5.9) All barangays in the Municipality shall replicate the Municipal Basura Task Force with appropriate Executive Orders issued for such purpose and the institution of a well-sustained Basura Patrol within their respective jurisdiction.

(5.10) The Basura Task Force at the barangay level shall be chaired by the Punong Barangay and Co-Chaired by the Sangguniang Barangay Chairman of the Committee on Environment.

(5.11) A representative from any Civil Society and/or People’s Organization in the barangay shall likewise be named a member of the Task Force, including the automatic regular membership of the Barangay Chief Tanod.

(5.12) Other members may include all Barangay Officials, elected or appointed, youth representative, and one (1) or two (2) representatives from any household in the barangay.

(5.13) The Basura Patrol in the Barangay shall be responsible in collecting and depositing in their respective MRFs duly segregated dry and non-biodegradable waste.

(5.14) The Basura Task Force at the Barangay level, including all barangay officials, is likewise given the authority to enforce this Ordinance, including the apprehension of those found in violation of this Ordinance and the issuance of a citation ticket for said purpose.
(5.15) The wet and biodegradable waste shall be used by each household or institution as materials for composting as mandated in the Composting Ordinance of 2019.

Section 6. Penalty Clause. Violation of this Ordinance, specifically Section 4, hereof, shall be penalized as follows:

(6.1) First Offense: Issue a citation ticket and a fine of Five Hundred Pesos (PhP 500.00).

(6.2) Second Offense: Issue a citation ticket and a Fine of One Thousand Pesos (PhP 1,000.00), or imprisonment of not less than ten (10) days nor more than twenty (20) days or both, at the discretion of the Court, and suspension of Business Permit for Business Owners.

(6.3) Third/Subsequent Offenses: Issue a citation ticket and a Fine of One Thousand Five Hundred Pesos (PhP 1,500.00) or imprisonment of not less than twenty (20) days nor more than thirty (30) days or both, at the discretion of the Court, and cancellation of Business Permit, without prejudice to the right of the owner to register said business for the next Fiscal Year.

(6.4) The Administrative Fine shall be paid to the Office of the Municipal Treasurer for apprehensions made by the Municipal Task Force and other apprehending officers at the Municipal level, and the Office of the Barangay Treasurer for apprehensions made by the Barangay Task Force and other apprehending officers at the Barangay level within one (1) week from date of apprehension, otherwise, the Violator shall be prosecuted in court and imposed a maximum penalty of Two Thousand Five Pesos (PhP 2,500.00) and imprisonment of not less than one (1) month nor more than six (6) months or both, at the discretion of the Court.

(6.5) In addition to the fines and penalties, the Municipal Mayor may order community service as a penalty.

(6.6) The imposition of Community Service shall be under the supervision of the Municipal Planning and Development Coordinator or his authorized representative.

Section 7. Joint Liability. Households, institutions, or establishment owners shall also be jointly liable for acts prohibited in Sections 4, hereof, committed by their household help, employees, crew or staff.

Section 8. Citation Ticket. For violating the provisions of this Ordinance, the Apprehending Officer shall issue a Citation Ticket. Such citation ticket shall be in duplicate copies, the original of which shall be retained by the person issuing the ticket, and the duplicate shall be given to the violator who shall pay the fines therein reflected immediately upon the date of issuance of said ticket. The citation ticket shall contain the following information:
(a) a checklist of the violation under this Ordinance;
(b) the fines associated with each violation;
(c) due date for compliance with the obligations imposed by the ticket

Section 9. Treatment of Fines.

(9.1) For the purpose of imposing the administrative fines set forth for violation of the provisions hereof, the Barangay Treasurer of the barangay concerned where the violation was actually committed and apprehended is hereby deputized to receive and/or collect the fine of fees for the Municipal Government of Delfin Albano and to issue proper receipt for said purpose.

(9.2) For the administrative fine imposed and actually collected by the barangay, 40% thereof shall be retained and shall accrue in favor of the barangay funds. The 60% shall accrue in favor of the Municipal Government of Delfin Albano.

(9.3) For apprehensions made by the Officers of the local Police Station, 40% of the fine shall accrue in favor of the office of the deputized apprehending officer and the remaining 60% thereof shall accrue to the Municipal funds.

(9.4) Fines accruing to the Municipal funds shall be placed in a special fund which shall be expended exclusively for clean and green programs or projects.

Section 10. Separability Clause. If this Ordinance or any provision hereof shall be declared unconstitutional or invalid, other part or provision hereof which are not affected shall continue to be in full force and effect.

Section 11. Repealing Clause. All local ordinances, executive orders and administrative regulations, or part or parts thereof, which are inconsistent with any of the provision of this Ordinance are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

Section 12. Effectivity. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval and posting in at least three (3) conspicuous places.

ENACTED:

ATTESTED:

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Atty. RUBEN M. DUMIAO
Sangguniang Bayan Secretary

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

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Municipal Vice Mayor and Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

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ARNOLD EDWARD P. CO
Municipal Mayor

Date 2-28-19
ORDINANCE NO. 18-2019

AN ORDINANCE DECLARING ROSELLE CULTIVATION AND PRODUCTION IN THE MUNICIPALITY A PROTECTED LOCAL INDUSTRY.

WHEREAS, the Roselle plant, scientifically known as *Hibiscus sabdariffa*, is a perennial herb or woody-based subshrub, growing to 2.5 m (8 ft) tall;

WHEREAS, the plant is traditionally held to be native of India and Malaysia, and is now grown throughout the tropics, mainly for its leaves and edible calyces (flowers);

WHEREAS, the plant species currently cultivated in the Municipality was brought to the country from Malaysia;

WHEREAS, the calyces of said plant are harvested and processed into products like wine, jam, jelly, and juice concentrate;

WHEREAS, said products are now registered as One-Town-One-Product (OTOP) of the Municipality of Delfin Albano;

WHEREFORE, this Sanggunian deems it imperative to declare Roselle cultivation and production a local industry and to mandate its protection, preservation, and promotion as such.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, AS IT IS HEREBY ENACTED BY THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF DELFIN ALBANO, ISabela, BY VIRTUE OF THE POWERS VESTED IN IT BY LAW, IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, THAT:

Section 1. Title. This Ordinance shall be known as the "Roselle Industry Ordinance of 2019."
Section 2. Declaration of Policy.

(2.1) It shall be the policy of the Municipality to declare Roselle cultivation and production as the locality's protected local industry.

(2.2) It shall likewise be the policy of the Municipality to preserve and promote the processing of said plant into other usable by-products, to brand the same as OTOP of the locality, and to support undertakings in this wise.

Section 3. Declaration. The cultivation and production of Roselle is hereby declared as the Municipality's protected local industry.

Section 4. Mandatory Provision.

(4.1) The Community Training and Employment Coordinator (CTEC) shall maintain a registry book of all local industries in the Municipality, containing information of the names of persons involved, raw materials used, the products developed, and other necessary information.

(4.2) The CTEC shall cause the registration in the registry book the cultivation and processing of the Roselle plant in the Municipality.

(4.3) No other person shall be allowed to cultivate in commercial quantity the Roselle plant and for commercial purposes similar to the industry or industries recorded in the registry book of the CTEC.

(4.4) Industry or industries shall mean the processing of parts of the Roselle plant and turning the same into usable and useful by-products.

(4.5) Cultivation in commercial quantity shall be understood to mean the planting and cultivation of a number of shrubs of the Roselle Plant with the intent to use any of its part for commercial purposes.

(4.6) Cultivation of said plant in commercial quantity for ornamental purposes or for other commercial purposes not included in any of the industries listed in the registry book shall be allowed.

Section 5. Protection, Preservation, and Promotion. In consonance with the intents and spirit of this Ordinance, the Municipality shall:

(5.1) adopt a general policy as articulated hereof, aimed at integrating the plant's protection and preservation into planning programs of the Municipal Government;

(5.2) foster, as far as practical, scientific and technical studies as well as research methodologies, with a view to further improve the plant in terms of sustenance, maintenance, and yield capacity;

(5.3) adopt appropriate legal framework, technical, administrative, financial measures aimed at:
(5.3.1) document all processes involved in the protection, preservation, and promotion of said local industry; and

(5.3.2) ensure recognition of and appreciation of the local industry through educational, awareness-raising and information programs, educational and training programs, and capacity-building activities.

Section 6. Implementation. The CTEC, jointly and in coordination with the Municipal Planning and Development Office (MPDO) and the Municipal Agricultural Services Office (MASO) are hereby authorized by, virtue of this Ordinance to:

(6.1) providing coordinative, secretariat, clerical, custodial, and other logistical services in furtherance of the intent and full implementation of this Ordinance;

(6.2) draw up plans, programs, and activities, including proposed budget, for the protection, preservation, and promotion of the local treasure.

Section 7. Funding. There shall be appropriated the amount of PhP 50,000.00 annually to be taken from the General Fund Annual Budget for use in the implementation of this Ordinance. Such budget may be increased or augmented as necessary.

Section 8. Grant of Authority. In furtherance of the purpose and intent hereof, the Local Chief Executive is hereby granted authority to enter into and sign an agreement with any government or non-government agencies and organizations in relation to financing of programs, projects, and activities pertaining to the protection, preservation, and promotion of the local industry subject of this Ordinance.

Section 9. Penalty Clause. Violation of Paragraph (4.3) of Section 4 of this Ordinance shall be penalized as follows:

(9.1) First Offense: Payment of fine amounting to Five Hundred Pesos (PhP 500.00), or its equivalent of one day community service, and confiscation and destruction of the plant species;

(9.2) Second Offense: Payment of fine amounting to One Thousand Pesos (PhP 1,000.00), or its equivalent of two (2) days community service and confiscation and destruction of the plant species; and payment of fine amounting to Two Thousand Pesos (PhP 2,000.00) or its equivalent of three (3) days community service and confiscation and destruction of the plant species;
Section 10. Effectivity - This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval and requisite posting in at least three (3) conspicuous places in the Municipality.

ENACTED:

ATTESTED:

Atty. RUBEN M. DUMLAO
Sangguniang Bayan Secretary

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

THOMAS A. PUA JR.
Municipal Vice Mayor and Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

ARNOLD EDWARD P. CO
Municipal Mayor

3-14-19
Date
Republic of the Philippines  
Province of Isabela  
MUNICIPALITY OF DELFIN ALBANO

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

Excerpts from the Minutes of the Mobile Regular Session of the Sangguniang Bayan of Delfin Albano, Isabela held at the Covered Court, Calacan Multi-Grade School, Barangay Calacan, Delfin Albano, Isabela on March 11, 2019.

Present:  
Hon. Thomas A. Pua Jr. . . . . Municipal Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer  
Hon. Ruben P. Furigay . . . . SB Member  
Hon. Francisco A. Cristobal Jr. . . SB Member  
Hon. Clemente S. Dumiao Jr. . . SB Member  
Hon. Juanito C. Ranches . . . . SB Member  
Hon. Alex I. Macarilay Sr. . . . SB Member  
Hon. Elma M. Galope . . . . SB Member  
Hon. Grace M. Gabuyo . . . . SB Member  
Hon. Michael C. Taccad . . . . SB Member  
Hon. Jay B. Caliguiran. . . . LNB President  
Hon. Darwin D. Agas . . . . SK Federation President  

Absent:  
NONE

ORDINANCE NO. 19-2019  
(Introduced by the Hon. Michael C. Taccad and  
Hon. Jay B. Caliguiran  
Sponsored by the Rules, Privileges, Ordinances, and Legal Matters)

AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE PROVISIONS OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10666, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE CHILDREN’S SAFETY ON MOTORCYCLE ACT OF 2015, AND MANDATING STRICT COMPLIANCE THERETO BY ALL IN ALL ROADS AND STREETS IN THE MUNICIPALITY.

WHEREAS, while motorcycles are the vehicle of choice of most of the constituents of the Municipality, its mechanism as a two-wheeled vehicle is however prone to on-road and off-road accidents and deaths;

WHEREAS, motorcycles, while reliable, have been shown by official data nationwide as the primary and foremost vehicle that almost always figure in accidents;

WHEREAS, in a study made by Safe Kids Philippines, it was found out that at least 35,000 Filipino children are victims of road accidents each year;

WHEREAS, there is a need arrest this growing statistics by discouraging and/or prohibiting children from back riding motorcycles, which is a proactive measure and a preventive approach to ensuring the safety of our children;

WHEREAS, RA 10666, otherwise known as the Children’s Safety on Motorcycle Act of 2015, expressly prohibits children, as defined in this Ordinance, from back riding motorcycles;

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WHEREAS, enforcement of the law is within the power and authority of the Land Transportation Office (LTO);

WHEREAS, in the absence of LTO personnel in the area regularly operating in relation to the enforcement of said law as well as in the absence of duly deputized law enforcers to that effect; hence this resolution;

WHEREFORE, premises considered, this Sanggunian deems it imperative to regulate the transport of children in motorcycles to prevent the occurrence of road accidents involving them.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, AS IT IS HEREBY ENACTED BY THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF DELFIN ALBANO, ISABELA, BY VIRTUE OF THE POWERS VESTED IN IT BY LAW, IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, THAT:

Section 1. Title. This Ordinance shall be known as “Child Back Rider Ordinance of 2019”.

Section 2. Mandatory Provisions. It shall be unlawful for any person to operate a motorcycle in any road or street in the Municipality with child/children back riders.

Section 3. Coverage.

(3.1) This Ordinance applies to all children as defined in Section 4, hereof, and all persons operating motorcycles in any road or street in the Municipality;

(3.2) This Ordinance also applies to children subject of this Ordinance either riding in front of or at the back of the driver.

Section 4. Children, Defined. The children, subject of this Ordinance are those:

(4.1) whose feet cannot yet comfortably reach the footrests of the motorcycles;
(4.2) whose arms cannot yet reach around the waist of the motorcycle driver; and
(4.3) who is not yet mentally capable of appreciating the reasons or the need to hold onto the driver while riding a motorcycle.

Section 5. Exemption. A person may operate a motorcycle in any road or street in the Municipality with child/children back rider/s who are not covered by the definitions as stipulated in the preceding Section and who are:

(5.1) wearing fit and standard protective helmets as required by RA 10054, otherwise known as the Motorcycle Helmet Act of 2009; and
(5.2) in dire need of medical attention as in cases of emergency.
Section 6. Penalty. Violation of this Ordinance shall be penalized as follows:

(6.1) First Offense: Payment of fine amounting to Five Hundred Pesos (PhP 500.00), or its equivalent of one day community service;

(6.2) Second Offense: Payment of fine amounting to One Thousand Pesos (PhP 1,000.00), or its equivalent of two (2) days community service; and

(6.3) Third Offense: Payment of fine amounting to Two Thousand Pesos (PhP 2,000.00) or its equivalent of three (3) days community service.

Section 7. Separability Clause. If, for any reason, any part of this Municipal Ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional or invalid, the other parts or provisions hereof which are not affected thereby shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 8. Effectivity. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval and requisite posting in at least three (3) conspicuous places in the Municipality.

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ATTESTED:

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Atty. RUBEN M. Dumlao
Sangguniang Bayan Secretary

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Municipal Vice Mayor and Presiding Officer

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ARNOLD EDWARD P. CO
Municipal Mayor

3-14-19
Date
ORDINANCE NO. 20-2019

(Introduced by the Hon. Clemente S. Dumiao Jr.
Sponsored by the Rules, Privileges, Ordinances, and Legal Matters)

AN ORDINANCE MANDATING ALL BARANGAY GOVERNMENTS AND SCHOOLS IN DELFIN ALBANO, ISABELA TO INCLUDE IN THEIR RESPECTIVE ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAMS AND PROJECTS THE PLANTING OF NATIVE TREES IN THEIR RESPECTIVE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTIONS AND CAMPUSES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, trees and other woody vegetation serve as social amenities and provide various environmental and economic benefits;

WHEREAS, presence of such improves air and water quality, reduce noise pollution as these serve as natural barriers of sound wave, prevents flood and soil erosion, and help temper heat;

WHEREAS, native tree species are significant and preferable to exotic trees because they are better suited to the Philippine climate and landscape, the planting of which lessens the threat of the proliferation of invasive plants and trees;

WHEREAS, Executive Order (EO) No. 26 issued by then President Benigno S. Aquino III made the National Greening Program a priority program to reduce poverty, promote food security, attain environmental stability, conserve biodiversity, and enhance climate change mitigation and adaptation;

WHEREAS, the same EO mandates all government agencies, institutions, including local governments to provide full support to the program in terms of conducting tree planting activities, production of quality tree seedlings, and mobilization of government employees and students from Grade 5 to college level to plant at least 10 seedlings each annually;
WHEREFORE, this Sanggunian deems it imperative to advocate an ecological revolution which shall ensure a holistic view in the rehabilitation and development of all open spaces, idle lands, private lands, and other suitable areas by planting native trees.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, AS IT IS HEREBY ENACTED BY THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF DELFIN ALBANO, ISABELA, BY VIRTUE OF THE POWERS VESTED IN IT BY LAW, IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, THAT:

Section 1. Title. This Ordinance shall be known as the "Re-Greening Ordinance of 2019".

Section 2. Declaration of Policy. It is hereby declared the policy of the Municipal Government to plant native trees in all open spaces, idle lands, private lands, and other suitable areas in the Municipality.

Section 3. Native Trees, Defined.

(3.1) These are trees endemic and/or growing naturally in the Philippines, to include but not limited to tree such as apitong, gujo, kamagong, red and white lauan, molave, tindalo, and yakal.

(3.2) Such trees also include all fruit-bearing trees endemic or native to the country.

Section 4. Coverage.

(4.1) The planting of native trees shall cover all vacant spaces, idle lands, highways, municipal roads, river banks, open spaces, and school campuses in accordance with the provisions of P.D. No. 953.

(4.2) Private land owners may also apply their properties for this re-greening program with the Barangay Government having jurisdiction over said properties.

(4.3) Planting of native trees on registered private lands shall be done by volunteers, supervised by the Office of the designated Municipal Environment and Natural Resources in cooperation with the land owners.

Section 5. Enforcement.

(5.1) All barangay officials and school heads or administrators are hereby directed and deputized to monitor the planting of native trees in their respective areas of responsibility.

(5.2) The designated MENRO shall have over-all supervision of this program.

Section 6. Information and Education Campaign. Upon enactment of this Ordinance, a grace period of six (6) months shall be applied for the conduct of massive information and educational campaign, after which planting of native trees shall be enforced.
Section 7. Implementing Rules and Regulations. For purposes of effective implementation and proper compliance thereto, an Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) for this purpose shall be formulated by the implementing office in consultation and coordination with all stakeholders two (2) months after the enactment of this Ordinance.

Section 8. Applicability Clause. All matters relating to the impositions of this Ordinance shall be governed by pertinent provisions of existing laws and ordinances.

Section 9. Separability Clause. If, for any reason, any part of this Municipal Ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional or invalid, the other parts or provisions hereof which are not affected thereby shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 10. Effectivity. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval and requisite posting in at least three (3) conspicuous places in the Municipality.

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ATTY. RUBEN M. DUMLAO
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ARNOLD EDWARD P. CO
Municipal Mayor

3-14-19
Date
ORDINANCE NO. 21-2019

(Introduced by the Hon. Juanito C. Sanchez
Sponsored by the Rules, Privileges, Ordinances, and Legal Matters)

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE MUNICIPALITY’S OBSERVANCE OF THE BULLYING PREVENTION AND AWARENESS MONTH ON THE MONTH OF OCTOBER EVERY YEAR.

WHEREAS, the enactment into law of RA 10627, the Anti-Bullying Law, significantly aims to put an end to the problem of bullying among pupils and students;

WHEREAS, it is necessary to increase community awareness about the impact and harmful effects of bullying among children;

WHEREAS, the Municipal Government plays a vital role in spearheading programs and projects in protecting the rights of every child, thus allowing them the opportunity to become productive members of the community;

WHEREAS, the Municipal Government should give importance to the needs of the school-going youth through information dissemination and massive campaign in creating an environment where bullying is not tolerated;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, AS IT IS HEREBY ENACTED BY THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF DELFIN ALBANO, ISABELA, BY VIRTUE OF THE POWERS VESTED IN IT BY LAW, IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, THAT:

Section 1. Declaration. The month of October every year shall be known as the “Bullying Prevention and Awareness Month” of Delfin Albano.
Section 2. Administrative Provision.

(2.1) The Municipal Government, through the Local School Board, in coordination with all public and private elementary and secondary schools, shall plan and design an annual campaign and activity to raise awareness among pupils and students against bullying.

(2.2) The Municipal Social Welfare and Development Office, jointly with the Municipal Planning and Development Office, shall exercise over-all supervision in the execution of this campaign and activity.

Section 3. Activities. The observance of the Bullying Prevention and Awareness Month may include, but not limited to, the following activities:

(3.1) Psychological Services

(3.1.1) One-on-one Counseling;
(3.1.2) Peer Group Counseling;
(3.1.3) Family Counseling;
(3.1.4) Organization of Pupils/Students against Bullying; and

(3.2) Legal Services

(3.2.1) Awareness on Relevant Laws and Legal Matters.

(3.3) Other Activities

(3.3.1) Municipal-wide Slogan and Poster Making Activities; and
(3.3.2) Municipal-wide Fora

Section 4. Effectivity. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval and requisite posting in at least three (3) conspicuous places in the Municipality.

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