



Republic of the Philippines
Province of Iloilo
MUNICIPALITY OF OTON
OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

EXCERPT from the Minutes of Session of the Sangguniang Bayan ng Oton, Iloilo recorded during its Regular Session held at the SB Session Hall on **December 22, 2023** at 9:00 in the morning.

PRESENT:	Vice Mayor Jose Neil Portugalete Olivares Hon. Jimmy Robles Olivares Hon. Ma. Lorna Tumambo Geonigo Hon. Dennis Quillo Geroche Hon. Ernesto Cordova Ticao Hon. Lee Cereneo Alison – Bretaña Hon. Grace Marie Escanlar-Cruz Hon. Rodolfo Zurita Alconga, Jr. Hon. Vanessa Turita Salinas Hon. Paul Mediavilla Buenafe Hon. Hyacinth Celiz Gardose	Vice Mayor and Presiding Officer SB Member SB Member SB Member SB Member SB Member SB Member SB Member SB Member SB Member (LNB Representative) SB Member (PPSK Representative)
ON OFFICIAL BUSINESS:	None.	
ABSENT:	None	



ORDINANCE NO. 2023 – 432

**AN ORDINANCE REVISING MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 1992-11 AND
SECTION 29 OF MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 2007-182 ON THE
REGULATION OF VANDALISM.**

AS PROPOSED by Vice Mayor Jose Neil P. Olivares **ON MOTION** Hon. Jimmy R. Olivares, which was **DULY SECONDED** by Hon. Ma. Lorna T. Geonigo

BE IT ORDAINED by the Sangguniang Bayan ng Oton, that;

SECTION 1. INTRODUCTION – The passage of time necessitates the amendments to the Definition of Terms and Penalty Clause on the Ordinance on Regulation of Vandalism. The definition of Vandalism and the penalties for violation thereof shall be amended to correspond to the needed present policies. Thus, this **AMENDATORY ORDINANCE** is necessary.

SECTION 2. REGULATORY CLAUSE – It shall be unlawful for any person to vandalize public properties, public places and buildings, including schools, historical edifices and sites, important cultural properties, plaza and parks, and natural and man-made landscape that contribute to the cultural aesthetics of the Municipality of Oton, **INCLUDING TRAFFIC SIGNAGES, DIRECTORIES, DIRECTIONAL SIGNAGES, NOTICES TO THE PUBLIC AND OFFICIAL PUBLIC DISCLOSURES, NOTICES RESULTING FROM ENFORCEMENT OF LOCAL ORDINANCES SUCH AS THOSE ERECTED BY THE TASK FORCE KANDADO AND OTHER SIMILAR TASK FORCES.**

SECTION 3. AMENDMENTS:

A. DEFINITION OF TERMS – For purposes of this ordinance, the following terms are defined as:

1. **Vandalism** – a willful act of hostility, destruction or defacement to things or structures prescribed under Section 2 hereof, which includes uprooting of plants or picking of their flowers or removal of articles attached to or placed on buildings, structures or landscape or use of the facilities not intended for its use.

2. **Vandalize** – to subject to, or indulge in the act of vandalism.

SECTION 4. PENALTY CLAUSE

4. A. Any person found violating this ordinance shall be meted a fine of One Thousand Pesos (P1, 000.00) or imprisonment of Two (2) days, aside from repair or restoration of the things/properties vandalized, on the first offense.

4. B For the second and succeeding offenses, the violator shall be meted a fine of Two Thousand Pesos (P2, 000.00) or Imprisonment of four (4) days, or both fine and imprisonment at the discretion of the court.

4. C. If the violator is a Minor, he/she shall be endorsed to the MSWD Office for proper guidance or counseling as provided under RA 9344. Such CICL shall be detained at the CICL building subject to parental presence and seminar. However, the things, properties or structures vandalized by the said minor violator shall be repaired/restored by the respective parent at their expense with the supervision of the concerned LGU Department such as GSO or MEO.

SECTION 5. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. If any provision of this Ordinance is held invalid, the other provisions not affected thereby shall continue in operation.

SECTION 6. REPEALING CLAUSE. All municipal ordinances or parts of any municipal ordinance inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

SECTION 7. EFFECTIVITY. This ordinance shall take effect upon compliance with the mandatory posting and publication requirements prescribed under Section 511, Republic Act 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991.

SECTION 8. COPIES. This Ordinance shall be furnished to the Office of the Mayor, MTO, MBO, Actg. Admin, Legal Officer, Liga ng mga Barangay, 37 barangays, MLGOO, GSO, MDRRMO, MSWDO, MENRO, Tourism Officer, Oton PNP, and the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Iloilo for information, guidance and review respectively.

UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED.

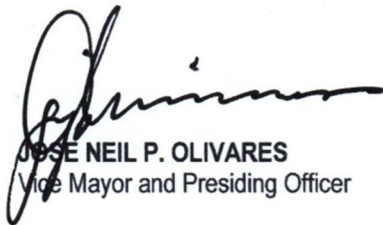
I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing Ordinance.


KERRY ANN T. LACIFICAR
Secretary to the Sanggunian

Concurred:


VANESSA T. SALINAS
Chair - Committee on Rules and Privileges

Attested:


JOSE NEIL P. OLIVARES
Vice Mayor and Presiding Officer

Approved:


SOFRONIO L. FUSIN, JR.
Municipal Mayor

Date Approved: JAN 09 2024

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