



## COUNCILOR PHILIP JEISON JAVIER CRUZ

### DRAFT RESOLUTION NO. 1911-101

**A RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING RIZAL FIRST DISTRICT REPRESENTATIVE, HONORABLE CONGRESSMAN MICHAEL JOHN R. DUAVIT, TO AUTHOR A BILL DECLARING EVERY 3<sup>RD</sup> MONDAY OF FEBRUARY AS A SPECIAL NON-WORKING HOLIDAY FOR THE WHOLE MUNICIPALITY OF TAYTAY, RIZAL**

**WHEREAS**, the whole Municipality of Taytay traditionally celebrates the Araw ng Pasasalamat every third week of February to give thanks for the bountiful harvest for the past year and celebrate the week long HAMAKA Festival derived from the word HAMMOCK or duyan that even our National hero, Dr. Jose Rizal would ride alongside his mother Teodora, from Taytay to Antipolo; the Festival promotes products and culture of Taytay; HA for Hamba, MA for Makina and KA for Kasuotan which made the Municipality earn the moniker as the Garments and Woodworks Capital of the Philippines;

**WHEREAS**, in 2018 Resolution No. 275 s. 2018 and Resolution No. 356 s. 2018 were adopted by the Sangguniang Bayan that paved the way for the issuance of Presidential Proclamation No. 419 dated February 7, 2018 and Presidential Proclamation No. 666 dated February 6, 2019 respectively by his Excellency President Rodrigo Roa Duterte thru Executive Secretary Salvador C. Medialdea declaring a special holiday for the whole Municipality of Taytay on February 19, 2018 and February 18, 2019;

**WHEREAS**, the Presidential Proclamation is only valid within the specific date stipulated in the declaration, wherefore, in order to have the aforementioned date perpetually declared as a Special Holiday for this Municipality, a Republic Act is imperative;

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED**, by the 11<sup>th</sup> Sangguniang Bayan of Taytay, Rizal, in a session duly assembled hereby **RESPECTFULLY REQUESTS RIZAL FIRST DISTRICT REPRESENTATIVE, HONORABLE CONGRESSMAN MICHAEL JOHN R. DUAVIT, TO AUTHOR A BILL DECLARING EVERY 3<sup>RD</sup> MONDAY OF FEBRUARY AS A SPECIAL NON-WORKING HOLIDAY FOR THE WHOLE MUNICIPALITY OF TAYTAY, RIZAL**

**RESOLVED FURTHER**, that copies of Resolution No. 275 s. 2018 and Resolution No. 356 s. 2018 and Presidential Proclamation No. 419 and Presidential Proclamation No. 666 and the correspondence between the Sangguniang Bayan, Office of the President and National Historical Commission form part as an attachment of this Resolution;

**RESOLVED FURTHERMORE**, that copies be furnished to the Office of Honorable Congressman Michael John R. Duavit for his perusal and be forwarded to all concerned for their information and appropriate action.

**ADOPTED**, this \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2019 at the Sangguniang Bayan Session Hall, Municipality of Taytay, Province of Rizal.

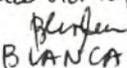


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COUNCILOR PHILIP JEISON J. CRUZ

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BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES

PROCLAMATION NO. 666

DECLARING MONDAY, 18 FEBRUARY 2019, A SPECIAL (NON-WORKING) DAY  
IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF TAYTAY, PROVINCE OF RIZAL

**WHEREAS**, on 18 February 2019, Monday, the Municipality of Taytay, Province of Rizal, will mark the celebration of the *Araw ng Pasasalamat. HAMAKA* Festival, and

**WHEREAS**, it is but fitting and proper that the people of the Municipality of Taytay, be given full opportunity to celebrate and participate in the occasion with appropriate ceremonies,

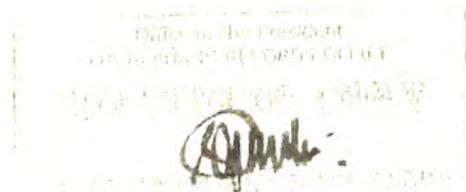
**NOW, THEREFORE, I, SALVADOR C. MEDIALDEA**, Executive Secretary, by authority of the President, **RODRIGO ROA DUTERTE**, do hereby declare Monday, 18 February 2019, a special (non-working) day in the Municipality of Taytay, Province of Rizal.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Republic of the Philippines to be affixed.

Done in the City of Manila, this **6th** day of **February**, in the year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Nineteen.

By authority of the President

  
**SALVADOR C. MEDIALDEA**  
Executive Secretary



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BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES

PROCLAMATION NO. 419

DECLARING MONDAY, 19 FEBRUARY 2018, AS A SPECIAL (NON-WORKING)  
DAY IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF TAYTAY, PROVINCE OF RIZAL

**WHEREAS**, the Municipality of Taytay, Rizal, will be celebrating the *Araw ng Pasasalamat: HAMAKA Festival* on 19 February 2018,

**WHEREAS**, the *HAMAKA Festival* promotes the woodworks and garments industry of Taytay, and

**WHEREAS**, it is but fitting and proper that the people of the Municipality of Taytay, Rizal, be given full opportunity to celebrate and participate in the occasion with appropriate ceremonies;

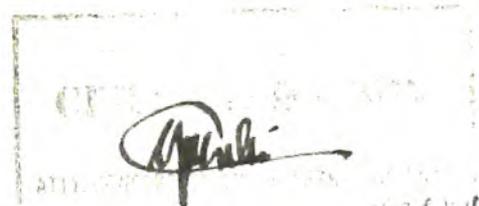
**NOW, THEREFORE, I, SALVADOR C. MEDIALDEA**, Executive Secretary, by authority of the President, **RODRIGO ROA DUTERTE**, do hereby declare Monday, 19 February 2018, as a special (non-working) day in the Municipality of Taytay, Rizal

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Republic of the Philippines to be affixed.

Done in the City of Manila, this 7<sup>th</sup> day of February, in the year of Our Lord Two Thousand and Eighteen.

By authority of the President

  
**SALVADOR C. MEDIALDEA**  
Executive Secretary





## Pamahalaang Bayan ng Taytay TANGGAPAN NG SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 71<sup>st</sup> REGULAR SESSION OF THE 10<sup>th</sup>  
SANGGUNIANG BAYAN HELD ON JANUARY 25, 2018 AT THE SESSION HALL OF  
THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING, TAYTAY, RIZAL

**PRESENT:**

Hon. Carlito G. Gonzaga	-	Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer
Hon. Jan Victor B. Cabitac	-	Councilor
Hon. Sharon DL. Macabebe	-	"
Hon. Archie L. Calderon	-	"
Hon. Michell B. Bermundo	-	"
Hon. Ceferino R. Resurreccion, Jr.	-	"
Hon. Philip Jeison J. Cruz	-	"
Hon. Ma. Jeca B. Villanueva	-	"
Hon. Joseph Z. Valera	-	LnB President

**ABSENT:**

Hon. Sophia Priscilla L. Cabral	-	Councilor
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Authored & Sponsored by: Coun. Philip Jeison J. Cruz  
Co-Sponsored by: Vice Mayor Carlito G. Gonzaga  
Coun. Jan Victor B. Cabitac  
Coun. Sophia Priscilla L. Cabral  
Coun. Sharon DL. Macabebe  
Coun. Archie L. Calderon  
Coun. Michell B. Bermundo  
Coun. Ceferino R. Resurreccion, Jr.  
Coun. Ma. Jeca B. Villanueva  
LnB President Joseph Z. Valera  
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**RESOLUTION NO. 275 s. 2018**

**A RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING PRESIDENT RODRIGO ROA  
DUTERTE TO DECLARE, BY VIRTUE OF A PRESIDENTIAL PROCLAMATION,  
FEBRUARY 19, 2018 AS A SPECIAL NON-WORKING HOLIDAY FOR THE  
MUNICIPALITY OF TAYTAY, RIZAL IN CELEBRATION OF ITS ARAW NG  
PASASALAMAT: HAMAKA FESTIVAL**

WHEREAS, the whole Municipality of Taytay traditionally celebrates the Araw ng Pasasalamat every third week of February to give thanks for the bountiful harvest for the past year and celebrate the week long HAMAKA Festival derived from the word HAMMOCK or duyan, that according to narratives, even our National hero, Dr. Jose Rizal would ride alongside his mother Teodora, from Taytay to Antipolo; the Festival promotes the products and culture of Taytay; HA for Hamba, Ma for Makina and KA for Kasuotan which made the Municipality earn the moniker as the Garments and Woodworks Capital of the Philippines;

WHEREAS, Historically, the third week of February has been commemorated by the people of Taytay, Rizal as reflected in several Sanggunian Resolutions dating back to 1945; when the 23<sup>rd</sup> of February was designated as the Town Fiesta; In 1950, the 20<sup>th</sup> of February was declared as the day of the Fiesta and in 1952, the celebration was set on the February 22<sup>nd</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> of February;

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WHEREAS, On January 10, 1960 the Alkalde Municipal and the "Poder ng Barrios" conveyed to the Concejo Municipal their prayer to adopt a resolution declaring the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of February of every year as the celebration of the Town Fiesta or Pista ng Bayan and that the Monday preceding the town Fiesta was declared as a holiday in the Municipality;

WHEREAS, On January 14, 1975, a resolution was adopted in determining the date of the Town Fiesta and the manner of its celebration to be in consonance with the policy of the National Government to refrain from lavish spending on Fiestas and instead promote culture and agro industrial fair; and uphold the previous resolutions of the past council setting the date of the town Fiesta every third Sunday of February as Thanksgiving Day for the Liberation of the town from the Japanese occupation;

WHEREAS, the National Historical Commission, in its letter dated 21 Feb 2016 signed by Commissioner and OIC-Chairman Rene R. Escalante Ph.D states that the Araw ng Pasasalamat "HAMAKA FESTIVAL was organized for the purpose of preserving and promoting the woodworks and garments industry of Taytay" and that "considering that the proposed declaration is based on cultural practice", they "do not object to its declaration as a special non-working holiday in Taytay, Rizal";

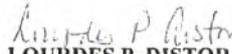
WHEREAS, declaring February 19, 2018 as a Non-Working Holiday in the whole Municipality will give all the Taytayeños the opportunity to celebrate and participate fully in the festivities and Thanksgiving especially the students, teachers, Government and Non-Government employees working in Taytay, Rizal;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, by the 10<sup>th</sup> Sangguniang Bayan of Taytay, Rizal, in a session duly assembled hereby RESPECTFULLY REQUESTS PRESIDENT RODRIGO ROA DUTERTE TO DECLARE, BY VIRTUE OF A PRESIDENTIAL PROCLAMATION, FEBRUARY 19, 2018 AS A SPECIAL NON-WORKING HOLIDAY FOR THE MUNICIPALITY OF TAYTAY, RIZAL IN CELEBRATION OF ITS ARAW NG PASASALAMAT: HAMAKA FESTIVAL

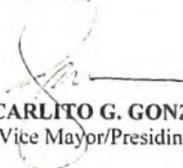
RESOLVED FURTHER that copies of this resolution be furnished to the Office of the President and all concerned for their perusal.

ADOPTED, this 25<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2018 at the Sangguniang Bayan Session Hall, Municipality of Taytay, Province of Rizal.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, to the correctness of the foregoing Resolution which was duly adopted by the 10<sup>th</sup> Sangguniang Bayan of Taytay during the 71<sup>st</sup> Regular Session held on 25<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2018.

  
**LOURDES P. DISTOR**  
Sec. to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED AND CERTIFIED TO BE DULY  
ADOPTED BY HIS HONOR

  
**HON. CARLITO G. GONZAGA**  
Municipal Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer



## **Pamahalaang Bayan ng Taytay** **TANGGAPAN NG SANGGUNIANG BAYAN**

**EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 5<sup>th</sup> SPECIAL SESSION OF THE 10<sup>th</sup>  
SANGGUNIANG BAYAN HELD ON NOVEMBER 5, 2018 AT THE SESSION  
HALL OF THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING, TAYTAY, RIZAL**

**PRESENT:**

Hon. Jan Victor B. Cabitac	- Municipal Councilor
Hon. Sophia Priscilla L. Cabral	- "
Hon. Sharon DL. Macebebe	- "
Hon. Archie L. Calderon	- "
Hon. Michell B. Bermundo	- "/Temp.Presiding Officer
Hon. Ceferino R. Resurreccion, Jr.	- "
Hon. Ma. Jeca B. Villanueva	- "
Hon. Vivian R. Yupangco	- LnB President
Hon. Raymond Emmanuel Arcadius C. Manning	- SK President

**ABSENT:**

Hon. Carlito G. Gonzaga	-Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer(onleave)
Hon. Philip Jeison J. Cruz	- Municipal Councilor

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Authored by: Coun. Philip Jeison J. Cruz  
Sponsored by: Coun. Sharon DL. Macabebe  
Coun. Jan Victor B. Cabitac

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**RESOLUTION NO. 356 series of 2018**

**A RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING PRESIDENT RODRIGO ROA  
DUTERTE TO DECLARE, BY VIRTUE OF A PRESIDENTIAL PROCLAMATION,  
FEBRUARY 18, 2019 AS A SPECIAL NON-WORKING HOLIDAY FOR THE  
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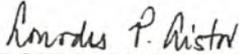
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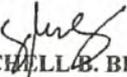
RESOLVED FURTHER, that copies of this resolution be furnished to the Office of the President and all concerned for their perusal.

ADOPTED, this 5<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2018 at the Session Hall of the Municipal Building of Taytay, Rizal.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, to the correctness of the foregoing Resolution which was duly adopted by Sangguniang Bayan of Taytay on second reading on November 5, 2018 and was passed on Third and Final Reading on November 5, 2018 during the 5<sup>th</sup> Special Session held on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2018.

  
**LOURDES P. DISTOR**  
Sec. to the Sanggunian

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ENACTED BY HER HONOR

  
**HON. MICHELLE B. BERMUNDO**  
Municipal Councilor/Temp.Presiding Officer