

Republic of the Philippines
Province of Cagayan
TUGUEGARAO CITY

NINTH CITY COUNCIL

COMMITTEE REPORT

January 24, 2025

Submitted by:

COMMITTEE ON GAMES, ENTERTAINMENT AND AMUSEMENT (LEAD)
COMMITTEE ON RULES, LAWS AND ETHICS

PRESENT:

HON. JUDE T. BAYONA	- Vice Chairperson (Games & Rules)
HON. ARNEL T. ARUGAY	- Member (Games & Rules)
HON. GRACE B. ARAGO	- Member (via zoom) (Games & Rules)
HON. MARC ALDOUS C. BACCAY	- Chairman (Rules)

RESOURCE PERSONS:

MR. BUENAVENTURA F. LAGUNDI	- City Treasury Office Head
ATTY. RODERICK S. IQUIN	- City Legal Officer
MR. JOEL C. BARIUAN	- OIC-BPLO
MS. ELIZABETH DUPAYA	- Dupaya Owner
ATTY. GLENN MACABABBAD	- Dupaya Representative
MR. SAMUEL JUDE TULIAO	- Dupaya Manager

FOR THE PRESIDING OFFICER:

The committee met and deliberated on the referral:

COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 27-2025 .

SUBJECT:

Indorsement of the City Mayor, Hon. Maila Rosario S. Ting-Que, on the request of the Dupaya Recreation Center to hold hack fights (Ulutan) for the month of March 2025.

FINDINGS:

1. Hon. Maila Rosario S. Ting-Que indorsed to the Ninth City Council the request of the Dupaya Recreation Center to hold hack fights (Ulutan) for the month of March 2025.
2. Section 10 Paragraph D of the City Ordinance No. 32-08-2019 states that the City Mayor may issue permits for special cockfights, cock or stag derbies including cockfights via satellite participated in by cockers and breeders through invitations upon application duly approved by the Sangguniang Panlungsod through resolution **30-working days** before the scheduled playdate and the City Ordinance also states that the authority to hold special cockfights or derbies and Barangay sponsored cockfights should always be covered by a Resolution of the Sangguniang Panlungsod and the Mayor's Permit.

3. The committee did not consider the requested schedule to hold special cockfights on March 3, 5, 10 and 12, 2025 considering of its violation on the above provision of the Ordinance.
4. The committee recommends the approval of the requested schedules of special cockfights on March 17, 19, 24, 26 and 31, 2025

RECOMMENDATIONS:

After a thorough discussion and finding the request to be advantageous to the Tuguegarao City Government, the committee recommends for the approval of the request of Dupaya Recreation Center to hold special cockfights on March 17, 19, 24, 26 and 31, 2025, subject to the strict compliance to City Ordinance No. 32-08-2019 in the conduct of special cockfighting and that their failure to secure special permit from the office of the City Mayor in the conduct of special cockfights shall cause the recall of the resolution approving the conduct of such special cockfights.

The committee further recommends the denial of their request to hold special cockfights on March 3, 5, 10 and 12, 2025 since it violates City Ordinance No. 32-08-2019 particularly Section 10 Paragraph D.

Respectfully Submitted:



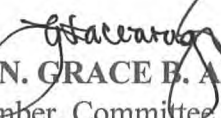
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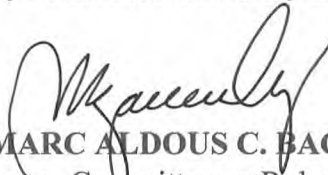
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**RESOLUTION APPROVING THE REQUEST OF DUPAYA RECREATION CENTER, INC.
TO HOLD SPECIAL COCKFIGHTS ON MARCH 17, 19, 24, 26 AND 31, 2025 ONLY AND
DENYING THE REQUEST OF SCHEDULED PLAYDATE ON MARCH 3, 5, 10, AND 12, 2025**

WHEREAS, the City Mayor, Hon. Maila Rosario S. Ting-Que, indorsed to the Ninth City Council the request of the Dupaya Recreation Center, Inc. to hold special cockfights on various dates for the month of March 2025;

WHEREAS, Section 10(D) of City Ordinance No. 32-08-2019 states that the City Mayor may issue permits for special cockfights, cock or stag derbies including cockfights via satellite participated in by cockers and breeders through invitations upon application duly approved by the Sangguniang Panlungsod through resolution of 30-working days before the scheduled playdate;

WHEREAS, the Committee did not approve the scheduled playdate on March 3, 5, 10 and 12, 2025, because it violates Section 10-B of City Ordinance No. 32-08-2019;

WHEREAS, after the discussion of the said request, the committee approved the following scheduled playdates only:

March 17, 2025
March 19, 2025
March 24, 2025
March 26, 2025
March 31, 2025

WHEREAS, Committee Report No. 27-2024 of the Committee on Games, Entertainment and Amusement recommending the approval of the request of the Dupaya Recreation Center, Inc. to hold special cockfights on March 17, 19, 24, 26 and 31, 2025 only was adopted during the 123rd Regular Session of the Sangguniang Panlungsod.

NOW, THEREFORE, RESOLVE, as it is hereby **RESOLVED**, to approve the request of the Dupaya Recreation Center, Inc. to hold special cockfights on March 17, 19, 24, 26 and 31, 2025 only.

RESOLVED FURTHER, to furnish a copy of this resolution to Dupaya Recreation Center, Inc. for information.