Republic of the Philippines
Province of Cagayan
TUGUEGARAO CITY

TENTH CITY COUNCIL

COMMITTEE REPORT NO.03-10-2025 July 16, 2025

Submitted by:

COMMITTEE ON GAMES, ENTERTAINMENT AND AMUSEMENT

PRESENT:

HON. TIRSO V. MANGADA - Chairperson
HON. DENNIS RYAN G. AVILA - Member
HON. RONALDO S. ORTIZ - Member

GUEST:

HON. RESTITUTO C. RAMIREZ - Ex-Officio

RESOURCE PERSONS:

ATTY. RODERICK S. IQUIN

MR. FERNANDO T. CALABARAZON III

MS. CLARIBEL BLAQUERA

- City Legal Officer

CLGOO-DILG

BPLO Representative Center

MS. IMELDA BALUBAL - BPLO Representative

MR. SUNNY MANALANG - City Treasury Representative
MR. JOHN RYAN ESQUILLO - Vargas Sports Col. Representative

FOR THE PRESIDING OFFICER:

The committee met and deliberated on the referral:

COMMITTEE REPORT NO.03-2025

SUBJECT:

Indorsement of the City Mayor, Hon. Maila Rosario S. Ting-Que, on Council the request of Mr. John Vargas-Esquillo relative to the holding of special cockfights at the Vargas Sports Coliseum for information and appropriate action.

FINDINGS:

- 1. Hon. Maila Rosario S. Ting-Que indorsed to the Tenth City Council the request of Mr. John Vargas-Esquillo relative to the holding of special cockfights at the Vargas Sports Coliseum for information and appropriate action.
- 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. Section 4, Letter F of the Presidential Decree 449 states that no gambling of any kind shall be permitted on the premises of the cockpit or place of cockfighting during cockfights.
- 4. As manifested by the resource person, the requested special cockfighting is a derby in nature with the purpose of providing a total fixed amount of P10,000.00 cash support to identified 2 to 3 beneficiaries for the following mentioned dates below:
 - a. September 5, 2025- PWDs, Ugac Norte
 - b. September 9, 2025- Dialysis Patients- Pengue-Ruyu
 - c. September 12, 2025- Farmers- Cataggaman Viejo
 - d. September 16, 2025- Stroke Patients- Bagay
 - e. September 19, 2025- Senior Citizens- Annafunan West
 - f. September 23, 2025- Cancer Patients- Centro 03
 - g. September 26, 2025- Lupus SLE Patients- Pengue-Ruyu
 - h. September 30, 2025- Cancer Patients -San Gabriel
- 5. The members of the committee also requested for the detailed copy of the beneficiaries that will serve as an official record to ensure transparency and proper documentation of the charitable support.
- 6. The committee did not consider the requested schedule to hold special cockfights on August 1,5,8,12,15,19,22,26, 29 and September 2, 2025, due to its violation of the provisions of Section 10 Paragraph D of City Ordinance No. 32-08-2019.
- 7. The committee recommends the approval of the requested schedules for the conduct of special cockfights on September 5,9,12,16,19,23,26, and 30, 2025 only, as these dates are found to be in compliance with the provisions of the above ordinance.

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 Vargas Sports Coliseum to hold special cockfights on September 5,9,12,16,19,23,26 and 30, 2025 only, 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 the request to hold special cockfights on August 1,5,8,12,15,19,22,26, 29 and September 2, 2025, as it is in violation of City Ordinance No. 32-08-2019, particularly Section 10, Paragraph D.

Respectfully Submitted:

HON TIRSO V. MANGADA Chairperson

HON. RONALDO S. ORTIZ

Member

HON DENNIS RYAN G. AVILA Member

RESOLUTION NO.

DRAFT RESOLUTION APPROVING THE REQUEST OF VARGAS SPORTS COLISEUM TO HOLD SPECIAL COCKFIGHTS ON SEPTEMBER 5,9,12,16,19,23, 26, and 30, 2025 AND DENYING THE REQUEST OF SCHEDULED PLAYDATES ON AUGUST 1,5,8,12,15,19,22,26, 29 and SEPTEMBER 2, 2025

WHEREAS, the City Mayor, Hon. Maila Rosario S. Ting-Que indorsed to the Tenth City Council the request of Mr. John Vargas-Esquillo relative to the holding of special cockfights at the Vargas Sports Coliseum for information and appropriate action;

WHEREAS, pursuant to 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;

WHEREAS, the holding of special cockfights must adhere to strict compliance of City Ordinance No. 32-08-2019 and failure of the Vargas Sport Coliseum 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 cockfights;

WHEREAS, as manifested by the resource person, the requested special cockfighting is a derby in nature with the purpose of providing a total fixed amount of P10,000.00 cash support to identified 2 to 3 beneficiaries for the following mentioned dates below:

- a. September 5, 2025- PWDs, Ugac Norte
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- h. September 30, 2025- Cancer Patients -San Gabriel

WHEREAS, the committee did not approve the scheduled play dates on August 1,5,8,12,15,19,22,26,29 and September 2, 2025, because it violates Section 10-B of the City Ordinance No. 32-08-2019;

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

September 5;

September 9;

September 12;

September 16;

September 19;

September 23;

September 26; and

September 30, 2025

WHEREAS, by virtue of the Committee Report No. _____ of Committee on Games, Amusement and Entertainment recommends the approval for the conduct of special derbies on September 5,9,12,16,19,23, 26, and 30, 2025 only and was duly adopted during the 4th Regular Session of the Sangguniang Panglungsod held on July 22, 2025;

NOW, THEREFORE, RESOLVE, as it is hereby, **RESOLVED**, to approve the request of Vargas Sports Coliseum to hold special cockfights on September 5,9,12,16,19,23, 26, and 30, 2025 only and denying the request for scheduled playdates on August 1,5,8,12,15,19,22,26,29 and September 2, 2025.

RESOLVED FURTHER, to furnish a copy of this resolution to Vargas Sports Coliseum for information.

August 16, 2026

HON. MAILA TING CUE

Mayor of Tuguegarao City Province of Cagayan

Dear Mayor,

Respectfully submitting our Beneficiaries of our Special Derbies for the month of August 2025.

August 1 and 5 2025- Celebration of Aggao na Payurulun Afi Festival 2025.

(TUG SAYAW COMPETITION)

August 8 and 12, 2025- Celebration of Aggao Na Pavurulun Afi Festival 2025.

(PANCIT BATIL POTUN)

August 15 and 19, 2025 - Celebration of Aggao Na Pavurulun Afi Festival 2025.

(DANCE COMPETITION AND MOTORCROSS)

August 22, 26, and 29 - Celebration of Aggao Na Pavurulun Afi Festival 2025.

(AGGAO NA PAVURULUN FOR LGBTQ AND YOUTH, SENIOR CITIZENS, SOLO PARENTS, PWD'S AND CIVIL SOCIETY. MR. and MRS. TUGUEGARAO PAGEANTS)

Thank you and God Bless.

Truly yours,

JOHN RYAN VARGAS ESQUILLO

Cc:

VICE MAYOR'S OFFICE

August 16, 2025

HON. MAILA TING CUE

Mayor of Tuguegarao City Province of Cagayan

Maam,

Respectfully submitting our Beneficiaries of our Special Derbies for the month of Septemb2025.

September 2, 2025- Cancer Patient (Beneficiaries)

Pengue - Ruyu

September 5, 2025 - PWD (Beneficiaries)

Ugac Norte

September 9, 2025- Dialysis Patient (Beneficiaries)

Pengue-Ruyu

September 12, 2025- Farmers (Beneficiaries)

Catag. Viejo

September 16, 2025 - Stroke Patient (Beneficiaries)

Bagay

September 19, 2025- Senior Citizen (Beneficiaries)

Annafunan West

September 23, 2025- Cancer Patient (Beneficiaries)

Centro 3

September 26, 2025- Lupus SLE (Beneficiaries)

Pengue-Ruyu

September 30, 2025- Cancer Patient (Beneficiaries)

San Gabriel

Thank you and God Bless.

Yours truly,

JOHN RYAN VARGAS ESQUILLO

Cc:

VICE MAYOR'S OFFICE

July 17, 2025

HON, TIRSO V. MANGADA

Chairperson, Committee on Games, Entertainment & Ammusement

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Dear Mayor,

Respectfully submitting our Beneficiaries of our Special Cockfights for the month of September 2025.

September 5, 2025- Mr. Reynaldo Udaundo, senior citizen from Pengue- Ruyu, Tuguegarao City
Diagnosed of Chronic Kidney Desease undergone kidney transplant and undergo 3
times a week dialysis. (P10,000.00)

September 9, 2025-Mr. Danilo Tanguilan from Ugac Norte, Tuguegarao City a Person with Disabily Mr. Randy Cabasag from Cataggaman Viejo, Tuguegarao City a person with disability, (P10,000.00)

September 12, 2025-Mr. Benito Mamauag from Bagay, Tuguegarao City a Stroke patient needs lifetime medication and wheelchair. (P10,000.00)

September 16, 2025- Mrs. Vicenta Tumanguil from Annafunan West, senior citizen was diagnosed of having Diabetes Mellitus and Hypertension needs lifetime medication and wheel wheelchair. (10,000,00)

September 19, 2025-Mrs. Alma Udaundo from Pengue-Ruyu, Tuguegarao City, senior citizen diagnosed Of Breast Cancer Stage 3 and undergo chemotherapy. (10,000.00)

September 23, 2025-Mrs. Lourdes Bueno from Centro 3, Tuguegarao City diagnosed of Endometrial Carcinoma needs to undergo chemotherapy. (10,000.00)

September 26, 2025- Mrs. Jennifer De Austria from Pengue Ruyu diagnosed of Lupus STE needs lifetime medication. (P10,000.00

September 30, 2025-Mrs. Melanie Malana from San Gabriel, Tuguegarao City diagnosed of Cancer Pappiliary Thyroid needs lifetime medication. (10,000.00)

Thank you and God Bless.

JOHN RYAN WARGAS ESQUILLO