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Assisted by:

APTY. KHALID A. ATEGA, JR.  
Sangguniang Panlungsod Secretary

Certified by:

HON. CATHERINE SARRINO-EMARISTO  
City Vice Mayor / Presiding Officer

Approved by:

HON. LANI MERCADO - REVILLA  
City Mayor

CITY ORDINANCE NO. CO 13-2018  
SERIES OF 2018

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. CO 46-2015 (ALSO KNOWN AS THE "ANTI MENDICANCY ORDINANCE") REGULATING THE HOLDING OF VARIOUS SOCIO-CIVIC CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES WITHIN THE CITY OF BACoor, CAVITE AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS HEREOF.**

*Sponsored by: Hon. Apolonio I. Advincula, Jr., Hon. Miguel N. Bautista, Hon. Venus D. De Castro, Hon. Edwin G. Gawaran, Hon. Victorio L. Guerrero, Jr., Hon. Hernando C. Gutierrez, Hon. Alejandro F. Gutierrez, Hon. Roberto R. Javier, Hon. Leandro A. De Leon, Hon. Gaudencio P. Nolasco, Hon. Reynaldo D. Palabrica and Hon. Michael E. Solis.*

**WHEREAS**, the Sangguniang Panlungsod passed City Ordinance No. CO 46-2015 (also known as the "Anti Mendicancy Ordinance") to regulate the holding of various socio-civic charitable activities that are being used by unscrupulous individuals to commit mendicancy or other criminal activities.

**WHEREAS**, despite the approval of the Anti Mendicancy Ordinance, mendicants still litter busy intersections and other public places during rush hours, posing a threat to themselves and to the general public.

**WHEREAS**, due to the foregoing, there is a need to amend the Anti Mendicancy Ordinance to make it more effective in curbing mendicancy and other illegal activities related to the holding of socio-civic activities.

**NOW THEREFORE**, upon motion of Hon. Miguel N. Bautista and seconded by Hon. Venus D. De Castro in regular session duly assembled, **BE IT ORDAINED** by the Sangguniang Panlungsod that:

**Section 1.** Section 2 of City Ordinance No. CO 46-2015 is hereby amended and shall henceforth read as follows:

"Section 2. The following activities shall be prohibited in the City of Bacoor:

2.1. Begging in public places including government offices, streets, roads, sidewalks, and alleys;

2.2. Soliciting for financial assistance from government offices and government officials without prior written





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clearance from the City Social Welfare and Development Office (CSWDO) of the City of Bacoor;

2.3. Conducting fund raising activities for any religious, charitable, or social cause/s without prior written approval of the City Social Welfare and Development Officer of the City of Bacoor;

2.4. Holding any medical, optical, or dental mission or any combination of the said activities without prior written clearance from the City Health Officer of the City of Bacoor;

2.5. Forcing others to beg in public; or

2.6. Giving alms to mendicants or financial assistance to various groups, associations, or individuals while the latter are engaged or about to engage in socio-civic activities in the City of Bacoor that does not comply with the pertinent provisions hereof."

**Section 2.** Section 5.2 of City Ordinance No. CO 46-2015 is hereby amended and shall henceforth read as follows:

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"5.2. Persons found violating Section 2.2, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5, and 2.6 of this Ordinance shall be meted with the following penalties:

First Offense	Fine of One Thousand Pesos (P1,000.00)
Second Offense	Fine of Two Thousand Pesos (P2,000.00)
Third Offense	Fine of Three Thousand Pesos (P3,000.00) plus imprisonment of thirty (30) to sixty (60) days."

**Section 3.** Any provision of this Ordinance declared by a competent court of law as unconstitutional or void shall not affect the validity and enforceability of the remaining provisions of this Ordinance.

**Section 4.** This Ordinance shall take effect immediately after a copy of this Ordinance has been published once in a newspaper of general circulation within the City of Bacoor.



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**Section 5.** Let various government agencies concerned be furnished with copies of this Ordinance.

**UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED** this 7<sup>th</sup> day of May 2018 at the City of Bacoor, Cavite.

*I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance is true and correct and that it was duly approved in accordance with law.*

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HON. CATHERINE SARINO-EVARISTO  
City Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer

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**MAY 30 2018**

(Date of Approval)