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**CITY ORDINANCE NO. 371-2024  
Series of 2024**

**AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATIONS AND BARANGAY OFFICIALS TO REQUIRE MOTORCYCLE RIDERS AND BACK RIDERS TO TEMPORARILY REMOVE THEIR HELMETS BEFORE ENTERING A GATED COMMUNITY OR BARANGAY CHECKPOINT WITHIN THE CITY OF BACOOR, CAVITE FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS HEREOF.**

Sponsored by:

**Hon. Alejandro F. Gutierrez**

Co-Sponsored by:

Hon. Roberto L. Advincula, Hon. Simplicio G. Dominguez, Hon. Reynaldo M. Fabian, Hon. Randy C. Francisco, Hon. Adrielito G. Gawaran, Hon. Catherine Sarino-Evaristo, Hon. Alejandro F. Gutierrez, Hon. Rogelio M. Nolasco, Hon. Alde Joselito F. Pagulayan, Hon. Reynaldo D. Palabrica, Hon. Michael E. Solis and Hon. Levy M. Tela.

**WHEREAS**, the City Government is mandated by Republic Act No. 10160 (the "Charter of the City of Bacoor, Cavite") and by Republic Act No. 7160 (the "Local Government Code of 1991") to enforce all laws within the territorial jurisdiction of the City of Bacoor, Cavite.

**WHEREAS**, one of the laws that the City Government is mandated to implement is Republic Act No. 10054 (the "Motorcycle Helmet Act of 2009"), Section 3 of which explicitly provides:

**"Section 3. Mandatory Use of Motorcycle Helmets. - All motorcycle riders, including drivers and back riders, shall at all times wear standard protective motorcycle helmets while driving, whether long or short drives, in any type of road and highway."**



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(Emphasis and underscoring supplied)

**WHEREAS**, the Bacoor City Police and various barangay officials have reported that a number of crimes within the City were perpetrated by motorcycle-riding criminals.

**WHEREAS**, efforts to apprehend the culprits behind the said crimes proved futile because of the near impossibility of identifying the said individuals resulting from their wearing of safety helmets while committing the said offenses.

**WHEREAS**, the Sangguniang Panlungsod believes that there is a way of promoting public safety and effectively combating criminality while strenuously implementing the Motorcycle Helmet Act of 2009.

**NOW THEREFORE**, upon motion of Hon. Alejandro F. Gutierrez, duly seconded by Hon. Catherine Sarino Evaristo and Hon. Alde Joselito F. Pagulayan, be it **ORDAINED** by the 5<sup>th</sup> Sangguniang Panlungsod of the City of Bacoor, Cavite **THAT**:

**Section 1. Title.** This Ordinance shall be known as the "**Motorcycle Rider Identification Ordinance of the City of Bacoor**".

**Section 2. Implementation.** This Ordinance shall be implemented by all homeowners associations, the security guards/personnel under the employ of the said homeowners associations, barangay officials of the City of Bacoor, Cavite, and by the Bacoor City Police on all gated communities and barangay checkpoints within the City of Bacoor, Cavite.

**Section 3. Mandatory Identification of Motorcycle Riders.** While a motorcycle is at a stop, and before entering a gated community or a checkpoint manned by barangay officials of the City of Bacoor, the driver and passenger/s of the said vehicle shall be required to remove their helmets, write their names and addresses on a logbook maintained by the said HOA or barangay, and indicate therein their destination within the said gated community or barangay. The said driver and his/her passenger/s shall also be required to stare for a few seconds at the nearest closed circuit television (CCTV) camera or other image recording device so that their face can be recorded. Thereafter, the motorcycle driver and his/her passenger shall be required to resume



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driver and his/her passenger shall be required to resume wearing their helmets while driving within the said gated community or barangay.

Any motorcycle driver and/or his/her passenger who refuse to comply with the said directive shall be barred from entering the said gated community or from passing through the said checkpoint.

**Section 4. Mandatory Maintenance of Cameras/Recording Devices.** The officers of all homeowners associations operating within the City and all barangay officials of the City of Bacoor are hereby mandated to ensure that the CCTV cameras or other recording devices to be used in the implementation of this Ordinance shall always be in good working condition.

**Section 5. Sharing of Records with the Police.** All homeowners associations operating within the City and all barangay officials of the City of Bacoor are mandated to share all records related to their implementation of this Ordinance with the Bacoor City Police in relation to any investigation related to the commission of a crime.

**Section 6. Deletion of Image; Confidentiality of Personal Information.** The pictures taken by the homeowners associations and by its security guard/s or security personnel operating within the City and all barangay officials of the City of Bacoor who shall implement this Ordinance shall be deleted not later than ten (10) calendar days after the same were taken. The said persons are also prohibited from sharing, publishing, selling, or in any manner disclosing the personal information of motorcycle drivers and their passengers except with the Bacoor City Police for the purpose stated in Section 5 of this Ordinance pursuant to the relevant provisions of the "Data Privacy Act of 2012".

**Section 7. Penalty.** Any (1) motorcycle rider or motorcycle passenger, (2) homeowners association official or security guards/personnel, or (3) barangay official or barangay personnel who violates any of the foregoing provisions shall be apprehended and shall, upon conviction by a court of law, be required to pay a fine of P5,000.00 or render community service as mandated by law if he/she cannot afford to pay the said fine.



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**Section 8. Implementing Guidelines.** The Office of the City Legal Service, after consulting with the Commission on Human Rights, the Philippine National Police, the Liga ng mga Barangay, and the officials of the various homeowners associations in the City of Bacoor, shall submit the implementing guidelines of this Ordinance for the review and approval of the City Mayor not later than sixty (60) days after the effectivity date hereof.

**Section 9. Automatic Review.** The Sangguniang Panlungsod shall review this Ordinance at least once each year to address any concern with regard its implementation.

**Section 10. Separability Clause.** In case any provision of this Ordinance is declared void or contrary to law, the remaining provisions hereof not affected by the said declaration shall remain valid.

**Section 11. Repeal Clause.** All ordinances inconsistent with this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

**Section 12. Effectivity.** This Ordinance shall become effective immediately after it has been published at least once in a newspaper of general circulation in the City of Bacoor, Cavite and after a copy thereof has been posted in at three (3) conspicuous places within the City.

**ENACTED** this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of April 2024 at the City of Bacoor, Cavite by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of the said City.

*I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was duly approved in accordance with law.*

Certified by:  
HON. ROWENA BAUTISTA-MENDIOLA  
City Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer



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