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Approved by
HON. STRINE E. REVILLA
City Mayor



CITY RESOLUTION NO. 2025-731 Series of 2025

A RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE HONORABLE REPRESENTATIVE LANI MERCADO-REVILLA TO SPONSOR AND ADVANCE THE ENACTMENT OF A MEASURE AMENDING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10160, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF BACOR, CAVITE, SO AS TO ENDOW THE CITY GOVERNMENT WITH THE REQUISITE POWERS, PREROGATIVES, AND INSTRUMENTS NECESSARY TO PROMOTE GOOD GOVERNANCE AND SAFEGUARD THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

Sponsored by:

Hon. Roberto L. Advincula, Hon. Ramon N. Bautista, Hon. Palm Angel S. Buncio, Hon. Simplicio G. Dominguez, Hon. Catherine Sarino-Evaristo, Hon. Reynaldo M. Fabian, Hon. Randy C. Francisco, Hon. Adrielito G. Gawaran, 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, Republic Act No. 10160, enacted on 24 June 2012 and overwhelmingly ratified by Bacooreños in a plebiscite, conferred upon the former Municipality of Bacoor, Cavite the status of a component city, thereby charging its leaders and inhabitants with duties and privileges attendant upon a new era of local autonomy.

WHEREAS, by virtue of a plebiscite conducted on 29 July 2023 under the auspices of the Commission on Elections, the citizenry of the City of Bacoor gave their unqualified assent to City Ordinance No. 275-2023, merging the seventy-three (73) barangays within its jurisdiction into forty-seven (47) barangays in a concerted effort to rationalize and fortify the structure of the local government.

WHEREAS, the rapid and profound changes that have reshaped the economic, social, and environmental contours of the City now compel a thorough and judicious review of its Charter, in order to secure for the City of Bacoor the requisite powers and authorities to govern effectively, combat corruption, mitigate the perils of climate change, decongest its thoroughfares, protect its natural heritage, and uplift the general welfare.

NOW, THEREFORE, upon motion duly made and seconded, **BE IT RESOLVED**, as it is hereby **RESOLVED**, by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of the City of Bacoor, Cavite, to respectfully request the Honorable Lani Mercado-Revilla, **1 City Resolution No. 2025-731, 24 June 2025**



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Representative of the Second District of Cavite, to sponsor and champion in the House of Representatives the passage of a legislative measure amending Republic Act No. 10160, in order to endow the City of Bacoar with enhanced and necessary powers, including, but not limited to, the following:

1. The formal and unequivocal recognition of the city's reorganization of its political subdivisions, reducing the number of its barangays from seventy-three (73) to forty-seven (47);

2. The vesting upon the Sangguniang Panlungsod express legislative authority to enact ordinances for the enforcement of traffic management regulations, including the confiscation of driver's licenses and the conversion of open spaces entrusted to the City into parking and recreational facilities;

3. The granting of power to the Sangguniang Panlungsod to pass ordinances imposing administrative penalties, including fines of up to Ten Thousand Pesos (P10,000.00) per infraction against natural and juridical persons, and the authority to close or suspend the operations of establishments found to be in violation of ordinances for the protection of the environment, the improvement of traffic conditions, and the preservation of peace and order;

4. The authorization for the Sangguniang Panlungsod to rename barangays, city streets, and other public places within its jurisdiction, dispensing with the necessity of Congressional legislation subject to the approval of the National Historical Commission of the Philippines;

5. The empowerment of the City Mayor to formalize and implement lawful partnerships with private entities for the operation, improvement, and management of the city's public health facilities;

6. The establishment of modern anti-graft safeguards within the city government, including the installation of closed-circuit television cameras in critical offices and the mandatory use of body-worn cameras for personnel assigned to revenue-generating departments;

7. The establishment of the City's total area as five thousand five hundred eight (5,508) hectares, with the authority to reclaim the municipal waters of the City, and a directive to the Department of Budget and Management to compute the city's National Tax Allotment accordingly;



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8. The granting of authority to convert the city to an independent or highly urbanized status through a city ordinance, subject to its ratification by the registered voters of the City, together with an adjustment of the salaries of the city mayor, city vice mayor, sangguniang panlungsod members, the sangguniang panlungsod secretary, and all department heads under the Office of the City Mayor by one salary grade;

9. The authorization for the city to grant supplemental allowances, in amounts not exceeding one-half of their basic salaries, to physicians, lawyers, engineers, and other technical professionals in its service, in order to attract and retain highly qualified personnel;

10. The establishment, construction, and maintenance from its own resources of vital public institutions, including the Pamantasan ng Lungsod ng Bacoor, the Ospital ng Lungsod ng Bacoor, and the Bacoor City Terminal and Commercial Mall;

11. The empowerment of the city to raise revenues and formalize partnerships with the private sector or with government financial institutions for the installation and maintenance of underground power and telecommunications cables and facilities;

12. The authorization for the City Mayor, with the prior approval of the Sangguniang Panlungsod, to accept grants and donations from foreign governments and institutions for education, disaster preparedness, skills enhancement, environmental protection, public order, and other meritorious public purposes;

13. The vesting of authority upon the city to appropriate funds for the procurement of health insurance from reputable providers, other than PhilHealth, for its officials and employees;

14. The granting of authority to institute scholarship grants for deserving students residing within the City of Bacoor, for studies within the Philippines or abroad, in disciplines vital to national progress, including but not limited to engineering, medicine, education, and the sciences subject to availability of funds;

15. The empowerment of the city to establish and operate a township project within a designated technological enterprise zone, to attract foreign direct investment and to raise the city's economic and competitive standing; and



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16. The granting of authority to the City Mayor, through a city ordinance, to appoint three (3) sectoral representatives as ex-officio, non-voting members of the Sangguniang Panlungsod, drawn from the ranks of the urban poor, public transport sector, women, senior citizens, or persons with disabilities, subject to qualifications and disqualifications set forth by ordinance, and ensuring that such representatives shall hold office until the expiration of the term of the appointing Mayor, and shall be entitled to the same salaries, benefits, and emoluments as regular members of the Sanggunian.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that a duly certified copy of this Resolution be transmitted forthwith to the Honorable Lani Mercado-Revilla for her kind and favorable consideration.

APPROVED on the 24th day of June 2025 at the City of Bacoar, Cavite.

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

Certified by:

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

Attested by:

ATTY. KHALID A. ATEGA JR.
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