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Attested by:

ATTY. KHALID A. ATEGA, JR.

Sangguniang Panlungsod Secretary

Certified by:

HON. CATHERINE SARINO-EVARISTO

Acting City Vice Mayor

Noted by:

HON. ROWENA BAUTISTA-MENDIOLA

Acting City Mayor



CITY RESOLUTION NO. 2025-748

Series of 2025

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MAYOR, HON. STRIKE B. REVILLA, ON BEHALF OF THE CITY GOVERNMENT OF BACOR, TO SIGN A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY (DTI)-CAVITE PERTAINING TO THE DELIVERY OF CAPACITY-BUILDING PROGRAMS, ENTERPRISE DEVELOPMENT SERVICES, AND FACILITATING ACCESS TO MARKET AND FINANCING MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISE, AND ASPIRING YOUNG ENTREPRENEURS.

Sponsored by:

Hon. Reynaldo M. Fabian

Co-Sponsored by:

Hon. Roberto L. Advincula, Hon. Catherine Sarino-Evaristo, and Hon. Rogelio M. Nolasco.

**WHEREAS**, the Sangguniang Panlungsod received a letter from the Office of the City Mayor on 3 July 2025 requesting that a resolution be passed authorizing the City Mayor, Hon. Strike B. Revilla, to sign and enter into a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with the Department of Trade and Industry - Cavite on behalf of the City Government of Bacoor pertaining to the delivery of capacity-building programs, enterprise development services, and facilitating access to market and financing micro, small and medium enterprise, and aspiring young entrepreneurs.

**WHEREAS**, the DTI -Cavite serves as the primary coordinating promotional facilitative and regulatory arm of the government in matters relating to trade and investment;

**WHEREAS**, the City Government of Bacoor is committed to fostering inclusive growth, local economic development and entrepreneurial innovation through support programs for its constituents specially the youth;

**WHEREAS**, under the Youth Entrepreneurship Act, the DTI-Cavite with the support of the City Government of Bacoor aims to enhance assistance to youth entrepreneurs and promote entrepreneurship in the city;

**WHEREAS**, a draft Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) was submitted for review and consideration of the





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Sangguniang Panlungsod by the Office of the City Mayor. The proposed MOU is incorporated hereto and will be made a part of this Resolution as **Annex "A"**.

**NOW THEREFORE**, upon motion of Hon. Reynaldo M. Fabian unanimously seconded by the members of the City Council, **BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** by the 6<sup>th</sup> Sangguniang Panlungsod of the City of Bacoor, Cavite to authorize the City Mayor, Hon. Strike B. Revilla, to sign a Memorandum of Understanding with the Department of Trade and Industry (DTI) – Cavite for and on behalf of the City Government of Bacoor, Cavite.

**RESOLVE FURTHER**, to furnish the Office of the City Mayor, the DTI- Cavite, and other government offices concerned with copies of this Resolution.

**UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED** this 14<sup>th</sup> day of July 2025 at the City of Bacoor, Cavite during the regular session of the 6<sup>th</sup> Sangguniang Panlungsod of the City of Bacoor.

I hereby certify that the contents of the foregoing Resolution are true and correct and that it was duly approved in accordance with law.

Certified by:

HON. CATHERINE SARINO-EVARISTO  
Acting City Vice Mayor

Attested by:

ATTY. KHALID A. ATEGA JR.  
Sangguniang Panlungsod Secretary

Noted by:

HON. ROWENA BAUTISTA-MENDIOLA  
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## **MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING**

### **KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS**

This Memorandum of Understanding (the "MOU") is made and entered into this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2025 (the "Effective Date") at the City of Bacoor, Province of Cavite, by and between:

The **DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY – CAVITE**, a government institution duly organized and existing under the laws of the Republic of the Philippines, with its principal office address at 2nd Floor, Government Center Building, Capitol Compound, Brgy. Luciano, Trece Martines City, Cavite, represented herein by its Provincial Director, **Ms. LILIBETH R. CHAVEZ**, and hereinafter referred to as "**DTI-CAVITE**"

and

The **CITY GOVERNMENT OF BACOR**, a local government unit duly organized and existing under the laws of the Republic of the Philippines, with its principal office address at Bacoor Government Center, Bacoor Boulevard, Brgy. Bayanan, Bacoor City, Cavite, represented herein by its City Mayor, **Hon. STRIKE B. REVILLA**, pursuant to his authority conferred and embodied in City Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_ Series of 2-25, approved by the City Council of Bacoor dated \_\_\_\_\_, and hereinafter referred to as "**LGU BACOR CITY**"

The term "Party" shall mean DTI-CAVITE or LGU BACOR, if applicable, while the term "Parties" shall mean DTI-CAVITE and LGU BACOR, collectively.

### **WITNESSETH:**

**WHEREAS**, Republic Act (R.A.) No. 10679, otherwise known as the "Youth Entrepreneurship Act," mandates the Department of Trade and Industry (DTI) and the Micro, Small, and Medium Enterprise Development Council (MSMEDC) to integrate youth entrepreneurship promotion into national policies and programs that support MSME development;

**WHEREAS**, DTI-CAVITE serves as the primary coordinating, promotional, facilitative, and regulatory arm of the government in matters relating to trade, industry, and investment;

**WHEREAS**, the LGU BACOR CITY is committed to fostering inclusive growth, local economic development, and entrepreneurial innovation through

support programs for its constituents, especially the youth sector:

**WHEREAS**, both Parties recognize the value of collaboration in delivering capacity-building programs, enterprise development services, and facilitating access to markets and financing for MSMEs and aspiring young entrepreneurs:

**WHEREAS**, under the Youth Entrepreneurship Act, the DTI-CAVITE, with the support of LGU SACDOR CITY, aims to enhance assistance to youth entrepreneurs and promote entrepreneurship in the locality:

**NOW, THEREFORE**, for and in consideration of the foregoing premises, the Parties agree as follows:

## **ARTICLE I SCOPE OF COOPERATION**

The Parties agree to collaborate in the following areas:

1. Conduct entrepreneurship programs tailored for aspiring young entrepreneurs, including training, coaching, and mentorship through initiatives such as Kapatid Mentor ME, Youth Entrepreneurship Program (YEP), and OTOP Next Gen;
2. Support youth-led startups and innovative business models through business development services;
3. Provide skills enhancement and entrepreneurial capacity-building opportunities for out-of-school youth, young professionals, and students;
4. Partner with schools, youth organizations, and business groups to expand program reach;
5. Facilitate the participation of youth-led and MSME enterprises in local and regional trade fairs, digital marketplaces, and product showcases;
6. Provide technical assistance to young business owners seeking to scale up or formalize their businesses; and
7. Both parties shall exert the effort necessary to achieve the objectives of this joint undertaking.

## **ARTICLE II ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE PARTIES**

- A. ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF DTI-CAVITE.** The DTI-CAVITE shall,
1. Design and implement entrepreneurship development programs with youth-specific components;
  2. Provide technical experts, resource speakers, and training materials;
  3. Facilitate linkages and partnerships with relevant government agencies and private sector entities; and

4. Conduct assessments and evaluate the impact of youth-targeted programs and MSME initiatives.

**B. ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF LGU BACOOR CITY** The LGUBACOOR CITY shall:

1. Identify and mobilize young constituents through barangays, schools, and Sangguniang Kabataan (SK) channels.
2. Integrate youth entrepreneurship into the City's Local Youth Development Plan; and
3. Provide post-training support, including access to livelihood kits, local permits, and development programs.

**C. CONSULTATIVE MEETING** The Parties may conduct consultative meetings regarding matters of common concern, including the effective implementation of the provisions of this MOU.

**D. JOINT ACTIVITIES** Subject to resource and operational considerations, the parties may agree to organize joint activities for the purpose of promoting coordination and cooperation under this MOU

**ARTICLE III  
NOTICES AND AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE**

**A. NOTICES.** Any notice, request, or other communication given under, or in connection with the implementation or enforcement of the provisions of this MOU shall be in writing and sent by the concerned Party's Authorized Representative(s) through any of the following modes:

- a. By courier or personal delivery to the addresses stated in this MOU; or
- b. By electronic mail to the following email addresses.

For DTI CAVITE: [r04a.cavite@dti.gov.ph](mailto:r04a.cavite@dti.gov.ph)

For LGU BACOOR CITY: [mayorsoffice@bacoor.gov.ph](mailto:mayorsoffice@bacoor.gov.ph) and [ledipo@bacoor.gov.ph](mailto:ledipo@bacoor.gov.ph)

or such other email address as a Party may notify to the other Party by written notice sent in accordance with this Article III

**B. AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVES** The parties hereby designate the following persons as their respective authorized representative, who shall be responsible for the implementation and enforcement of this MOU:

For DTI CAVITE:

**LILIBETH R. CHAVEZ**  
OIC – Provincial Director

For LGU BACOOR CITY:

**Hon. STRIKE B. REVILLA**  
City Mayor

Thru: **Ms. KATHRINA SANCHEZ**  
LEDIPO, Bacoor City

Each Party may appoint additional Authorized Representative(s), as may be necessary for the efficient implementation of this MOU. Any change in the designated Authorized Representative(s) of each Party shall be notified immediately in writing to the other Party and deemed effective upon the other party's receipt of said notice.

#### **ARTICLE IV TERM AND TERMINATION**

Unless otherwise terminated as provided herein, this MOU shall be effective, remain in force from the Effective Date, and automatically be terminated on JUNE 30, 2026. This MOU may be renewed by one Party by sending a formal written notice to the other Party at least thirty (30) days prior to the termination date.

Either Party may terminate this MOU without cause by written notice to the other Party at least thirty (30) days before the intended termination date. Pre-termination by either Party under this Article V shall be based only on valid and equitable grounds.

If either Party commits a material breach under this MOU or commits a material breach of any other terms and conditions of this MOU or unjustifiably refuses or fails to perform any of its obligations under this MOU, the aggrieved Party may terminate this MOU (i) effective immediately if the breach cannot be remedied or (ii) if the breach may be remedied, within thirty (30) days from receipt of written notice of the breach and the Party in breach has failed to cure such breach or perform its obligations.

#### **ARTICLE V SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES AND VENUE OF SUITS**

Any dispute arising from the interpretation or implementation of this MOU shall be resolved amicably through consultation and negotiation between the Parties. This is without prejudice to the filing of appropriate administrative, civil, or criminal actions, as may be warranted.

This MOA shall be governed by the laws of the Republic of the Philippines, without regard to the choice or conflicts of law provisions of any jurisdiction, and any disputes, actions, claims, or causes of action arising out of or in connection with this MOA shall be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of Bacoor City, Province of Cavite, to the exclusion of all other venues.

Neither of the Parties shall be liable in any way for the failure to observe or perform any provision of this MOU if such failure is caused by any laws, rules, or regulations of any constituted public authority or shall be in any case beyond the party in default.

#### **ARTICLE VI MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS**



- A. **ENTIRE AGREEMENT AND INTEGRATION.** This MOU constitutes the entire agreement between the Parties and supersedes any prior understanding or representation of any kind preceding the date of this MOU. There are no other promises, conditions, understandings, or other agreements, whether oral or written, relating to the subject matter of this MOU.
- B. **AUTHORITY.** Each Party represents and warrants on its own behalf that the individual signing this MOU on its behalf is fully authorized to sign on behalf of and bind it and that it has the power and authority to enter into it.
- C. **GOOD FAITH.** In complying with and implementing the terms of this MOU, the Parties shall exercise good faith and cooperation to fulfill their common objective.
- D. **NON-EXCLUSIVITY.** Both Parties agree that nothing in this MOU shall, in any way, preclude other entities of similar business establishments from entering into an agreement with the other Party that offers similar or analogous services.
- E. **ASSIGNMENT.** Either Party is strictly prohibited from assigning this MOU, as well as the performance of any obligation or undertaking made herein, to any third party without obtaining the prior written consent of the other Party. Either Party cannot assign this MOU without the written consent of the other Party to any successor by way of any merger, consolidation, or other corporate reorganization of such Party, or sale of all or substantially all of the assets of such Party, provided that such successor assumes, or is otherwise fully bound by, all of the obligations of the assigning Party under this MOU. No assignment, with or without such consent, will relieve either Party from its obligations under this MOU.
- F. **BINDING EFFECT.** The covenants and conditions contained in this MOU shall apply to and bind the Parties, as well as their successors and permitted assigns.
- G. **CUMULATIVE RIGHTS.** The Parties' rights under this MOU are cumulative and shall not be construed as exclusive of each other unless otherwise provided by law.
- H. **WAIVER.** The failure of either Party to enforce any provisions of this MOU shall not be deemed a waiver or limitation of that Party's right to subsequently enforce and compel strict compliance with every provision of this MOU.
- I. **HEADINGS.** The titles to the provisions in this MOU are for convenience or reference only and shall not in any way affect the interpretation thereof.
- J. **SEVERABILITY.** If any part or parts of this MOU shall be held unenforceable for any reason, the remainder of this MOU shall continue in full force and effect. If any provision of this MOU is deemed invalid or unenforceable by any court of competent jurisdiction, and if limiting such provision would make the provision valid, then such provision shall be deemed to be construed as so limited.
- K. **AMENDMENTS.** This MOU shall not be altered, changed, supplanted, or amended except by a written instrument signed by the duly authorized representatives of the Parties. All amendments to this MOU shall be deemed valid and binding upon contracted Parties only if made by the mutual consent

in writing of the Party and signed by the original signatories of both Parties to this MOU. This MOU shall be legally acceptable after being signed by the authorized representatives of the contracted Parties with full corporate power vested in them by their respective Parties. After signing this MOU, all previous verbal and/or written arrangements about the subject of this MOU shall be considered null and void.

- L. COUNTERPARTS SIGNING.** This MOU may be executed in counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original but all of which shall constitute one and the same agreement.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF,** the Parties, through their duly authorized representatives, have executed this MOA as of the date and at the place set forth above.

**DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND  
INDUSTRY – CAVITE**

By:

**Ms. LILIBETH R. CHAVEZ**  
*Provincial Director*

**CITY GOVERNMENT OF  
BACOR**

By:

**Hon. STRIKE B. REVILLA**  
*City Mayor*  
City Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_  
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**SIGNED IN THE PRESENCE OF**

**Ms. REBECCA S. TARASONA**  
*Division Chief*  
Business Development  
DTI-CAVITE

**Ms. KATHRINA J. SANCHEZ**  
*City Government Department Head*  
Bacoor City Local Economic  
Development and Division Investment  
Promotions Office



## ACKNOWLEDGMENT

REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES)  
CITY OF \_\_\_\_\_) S.S.

**BEFORE ME**, a Notary Public, this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2025  
personally appeared the following.

NAME	Competent proof of Identity / Number	Date and Place Issued
<b>STRIKE B.</b>		
<b>REVILLA</b>		
<b>LILIBETH R.</b>		
<b>CHAVEZ</b>		

Known to me and to me known to be the same persons who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged the same to be their free and voluntary act and deed as well as those of the corporation and instrumentality of the Government herein represented.

This instrument, consisting of \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_) pages, including the page on which this acknowledgment is written, has been signed on the left margin of each and every page thereof by the concerned parties and their witnesses and sealed with my notarial seal.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand the day, year, and place above written.

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