



Republic of the Philippines  
Province of Cavite  
**CITY OF BACOOR**  
**Office of the Sangguniang Panlungsod**



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City Councilor- SK Federation President

**Attested by:**

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

**Certified by:**

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

**Noted:**

HON. STRIKE B. REVILLA  
City Mayor



**CITY RESOLUTION NO. 2026-1013**  
**Series of 2026**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MAYOR, HON. STRIKE B. REVILLA, TO SIGN A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT ON BEHALF OF THE CITY GOVERNMENT OF BACOOR WITH AKOGARE JAPANESE LANGUAGE TRAINING CENTER, INC. (AJLTCI) IN LINE WITH THE CITY'S COMMITMENT TO ENHANCE THE SKILLS AND CAPABILITIES OF BACOOOREÑOS, PROMOTE EMPLOYMENT AND FACILITATE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.**

Sponsored:  
**Hon. Manolo S. Galvez, Jr.**

Co-sponsored:  
**Hon. Miguel N. Bautista, Hon. Palm Angel S. Buncio, Hon. Catherine Sarino-Evaristo, Hon. Reynaldo M. Fabian, Hon. Adrielito G. Gawaran, Hon. Reynaldo D. Palabrica and Hon. Levy M. Tela.**

**WHEREAS**, on 07 April 2026, the Office of the City Mayor requested the Sangguniang Panlungsod to pass a resolution authorizing the Hon. Strike B. Revilla to sign and enter into a Memorandum of Agreement with Akogare Japanese Language Training Center, Inc. which is subject for renewal.

**WHEREAS**, the Akogare Japanese Language Training Center, Inc., (AJLTCI) is a language Training Center accredited by the Technical Education and Skills Development Authority (TESDA), which specializes in providing high-quality language training services aligned with the said agency's standards.

**WHEREAS**, under the MOA, AJLTCI will provide a Language Training program that will accommodate Fifty (50) qualified trainees, with twenty five (25) students per session with 400-hour training course, comprising of four (4) hours per day, five (5) days a week.

**WHEREAS**, qualified trainees will not be charged a training fee, except for a minimal fee for their identification card and uniform, which shall be paid to AJLTCI.

**WHEREAS**, the Sangguniang Panlungsod deliberated on the said request and found it beneficial to prospective



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scholars which can be an edge as they seek career opportunities in and outside the country.

**NOW THEREFORE**, upon the motion of Manolo S. Galvez, Jr. unanimously seconded by the Body, **BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** by the Sangguniang Panlungsod in regular session assembled to authorize the City Mayor, Hon. Strike B. Revilla, to sign the MOA with Akogare Japanese Language Training Center, Inc. in line with the city's commitment to enhance the skills and capabilities of Bacooresños, promote employment and facilitate community development.

**RESOLVED LASTLY**, to furnish the Office of the City Mayor, Akogare Japanese Language Training Center, Inc. and other government agencies concerned with copies of this resolution.

**APPROVED** this 4<sup>th</sup> day of May 2026 at the City of Bacoor, Cavite by the 6<sup>th</sup> Sangguniang Panlungsod of the City of Bacoor, Cavite.

*I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was passed by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Bacoor, Cavite on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of May 2026.*

Certified:

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

Attested:

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

Noted:

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City Mayor



**MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT**

KNOWALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS:

This Memorandum of Agreement is made and entered into this \_\_\_ day of APR 14 2025, 20\_\_\_, at the City of Bacoor, Cavite, by and between:

The **CITY GOVERNMENT OF BACOOR**, a local government unit created and existing under the laws of the Republic of the Philippines, with principal office address at Bacoor Government Center, Bacoor Boulevard, Barangay Bayanan, Bacoor City, Province of Cavite, represented herein by its City Mayor, **HON. STRIKE B. REVILLA**, pursuant to his authority conferred and embodied in City Resolution No. 2024-541, and hereinafter referred to as the "CITY";

and

**AKOGARE JAPANESE LANGUAGE TRAINING CENTER, INC.**, a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the Republic of the Philippines, with its principal business address at Unit 2 Zakia Bldg. B3 L1&3 Tirona Highway, Mabolo, Bacoor City, Cavite, represented herein by its President, **MS. CHIKIE GARCIA**, hereinafter referred to as "AJLTCI".

"PARTY" shall mean either the CITY or AJLTCI, if applicable, while the term "PARTIES" shall mean CITY and AJLTCI collectively.

WITNESSETH:

**WHEREAS**, the CITY is committed to enhancing the skills and capabilities of its constituents to promote employment opportunities and facilitate community development initiatives;

**WHEREAS**, the AJLTCI is a Language Training Center accredited by the Technical Education and Skills Development Authority (TESDA), which specializes in providing high-quality language training services aligned with the TESDA's standards;

**WHEREAS**, the training program provided by the AJLTCI equips participants with essential language proficiency, thereby allowing them to obtain a TESDA certificate upon completion of the program, a credential which will augment their qualifications in pursuit of gainful employment;

**WHEREAS**, the PARTIES hereby recognize that promoting language education and proficiency among the Bacoor constituents will enhance job opportunities as well as cultural understanding;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements contained herein, the parties hereto agree as follows:

**A. PROGRAM DESCRIPTION**

  
MS. CHIKIE GARCIA  
President, AJLTCI

  
HON. STRIKE B. REVILLA  
City Mayor

  
MS. CARMELITA GAWARAN  
City Livelihood/Development Officer

  
MS. MARICRIS ERMINO  
Marketing Manager, AJLTCI

1. Schedule

- a. The training program involves the completion of five (5) months of training course, comprising four (4) hours per day, five (5) days a week session, and one (1) month for Language/Prometric review and test.

2. Program Details.

- a. The Language Training AJLTCI will provide language instruction services free of charge to qualified trainees referred by the LGU.
- b. 50 qualified trainees will be trained for the entire duration of the language course.
- c. Language training will cover N4 to N5 competencies and includes a Prometric skill review conducted at the AJLTCI premises.
- d. No training fee will be charged to qualified trainees, except for a minimal fee for books and other learning materials, identification cards, and uniforms.
- e. Trainees will receive a TESDA Certificate upon successful completion of the program.
- f. Upon completion of the Language/Prometric Review, the trainees will be facilitated in taking the Japan Foundation Test (JFT) Test and Prometric skill test.
- g. Facilitating endorsements to partner recruitment agencies for candidates who pass the JFT Test/Prometric Test and are interested in potential employment opportunities in Japan.

3. Requirements. To apply for the program, prospective trainees must submit the following documents to the CITY through the City Livelihood and Development Office:

- a. Letter of Intent
- b. Duly accomplished Registration Form and Resume
- c. Proof of residency and voter registration in the City of Bacoor
- d. Senior High School or College diploma
- e. TESDA National Certificate (NC) II holder
- f. Medical clearance

**B. RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE PARTIES**

1. The CITY shall:

- a. Accept applications from individuals interested in receiving Japanese language training;
- b. Coordinate with the Language Training AJLTCI to host an orientation session before the commencement of training to provide prospective trainees with an overview of the program objectives, expectations, schedules, and available support services;
- c. Facilitate smooth communication between the CITY and AJLTCI to ensure a proper referral process;
- d. Promote the language training program to maximize participation and encourage training and/or livelihood or job opportunities among Bacooreños;

  
MS. CHIKIE GARCIA  
President, AJLTCI

  
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City Mayor

  
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City Livelihood & Development Officer

  
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Marketing Manager, AJLTCI

2. The AJLTCI shall:

- a. Provide high-quality language training services to the trainees referred by the LGU;
- b. Develop a curriculum tailored to the needs and proficiency levels of the trainees;
- c. Update the curriculum to incorporate feedback for improvement and trends in language education;
- d. Provide periodic reports to the CITY on the progress of the trainees, including attendance records and academic performance, as well as other recommendations for program improvement.
- e. Collaborate closely with the CITY to promptly address any issues or concerns raised during the training program.
- f. Extend career counseling sessions to help trainees identify potential job opportunities upon completion of the program and facilitate networking opportunities for trainees to gain exposure after the training.

  
MS. GHIKIE GARCIA  
President, AJLTCI

C. CONFIDENTIALITY. Both Parties agree to maintain the confidentiality of any personal information shared by the CITY and AJLTCI during the training sessions and implementation of this Agreement. Processing of trainee's data must be in accordance with the guidelines set forth under the Data Privacy Act (R.A. 10173).

  
HON. STRIKE B. REVILLA  
City Mayor

D. ENTIRE AGREEMENT. This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the parties concerning the subject matter hereof and supersedes all prior agreements, understandings, negotiations, and discussions, whether oral or written.

E. AUTHORITY. Each Party represents and warrants on its own behalf that the individual signing this Agreement 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.

  
MS. CARMELITA GAWARAN  
City Livelihood Development Officer

F. GOOD FAITH. In complying with and implementing the terms of this Agreement, the Parties shall exercise good faith and cooperation to fulfill their common objective.

G. RELATIONSHIP OF PARTIES. The Parties' relationship under and in relation to this Agreement shall be limited to the matters contained herein. Nothing herein provided shall be considered or interpreted as constituting the relationship of the Parties or any of them as a partnership in which any one or more of the Parties may be liable for the acts or omissions of any other Party or Parties, nor shall anything herein contained be considered or interpreted as constituting any Party as the general agent of the other Party.

H. AMENDMENTS AND MODIFICATIONS. This Agreement may not be amended, modified, or supplemented in any manner, whether by course of conduct or otherwise, except by an instrument in writing specifically designated as an amendment hereto, signed on behalf of each party.

  
MS. MARICRIS ERMINO  
Marketing Manager, AJLTCI

I. SEVERABILITY. In the event that any provision of this Agreement is declared by any judicial or competent government instrumentality to be void, illegal, or otherwise unenforceable, the Parties shall amend that

provision in such reasonable manner as will achieve the intention of the Parties or any remaining provision of this Agreement shall remain in full force and effect unless the Parties mutually agree that the effect of such declaration is to defeat the original intention of the Parties in which event, by mutual agreement, the Parties may decide to terminate this Agreement.

- J. TERMINATION. Either party may terminate this Agreement upon 30 days written notice to the other party for violation of any provision of this Agreement or upon mutual consent of the Parties.
- K. EFFECTIVITY. This Agreement shall take effect upon its signing by the Parties and shall continue until 31 December 2025 unless terminated earlier as provided herein.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement as of the date first above written.

**CITY GOVERNMENT OF BACOR**

by:



**HON. STRIKE B. REVILLA**  
City Mayor  
SP Resolution No. 2024-541

**AKOGARE JAPANESE LANGUAGE  
TRAINING CENTER INC.**

by:



**MS. CHIKIE D. GARCIA**  
President

SIGNED IN THE PRESENCE OF:



**MS. CARMELITA GAWARAN**  
City Livelihood & Development Officer



**MS. MARICRIS ERMINO**  
Marketing Manager, AJLTCI

**ACKNOWLEDGMENT**

REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES)  
CITY OF BACOR, CAVITE ) S.S.

BEFORE ME, a Notary Public for and in the above jurisdiction, on  
BACOR CITY, personally appeared:

Name	Valid Identification	Date & Place of Issuance
STRIKE B. REVILLA		
CHIKIE D. GARCIA	Notland ID# 5694 1570 1956 2940	11 Aug 2023 - Las Pinas City

Known to me and to me known to be the same persons who executed the foregoing Memorandum of Agreement, which consists of f (5) pages, including this page on which the acknowledgment is written, signed by the parties and their instrumental witnesses at the spaces herein provided and acknowledged to me that the same is their free and voluntary act and deed.

WITNESS MY HAND SEAL on the date and place above written.

ATTY. ANTONIO I. NICOLAS  
COR. PAGTAKHAN STREET, POBLACION,  
BACOR CITY, CAVITE  
NOTARY PUBLIC UNTIL: DECEMBER 31, 2025  
ATTORNEY'S ROLL NO. 27875  
PTR NO. 2775770 / JAN. 02, 2025/BACOR CITY, CAVITE  
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