

From Waste to Worth: MMDA and JCI Manila Launch Innovative Environmental Initiative

The Metropolitan Manila Development Authority (MMDA) and the Junior Chamber International (JCI) Manila today formalized their partnership through the signing of a Memorandum of Agreement [MOA] for the implementation of Project Hiraya: Turning Waste into Worth, Creating Futures - an innovative environmental and social development initiative aimed at transforming plastic waste into meaningful opportunities for communities across

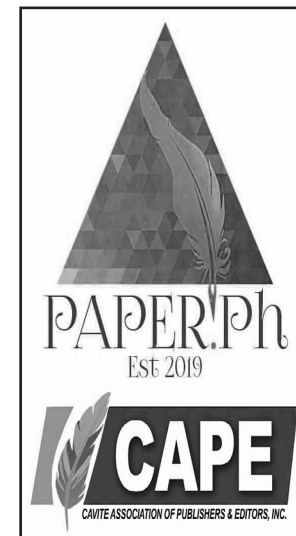
Manila. MMDA Chairman Atty. Don Artes expressed his gratitude to JCI-Manila for launching Project Hiraya which highlights effective collaboration between government and civic organizations to address environmental issues through volunteerism, community engagement, and responsible waste management. "We commend JCI-Manila for its dedication to creating lasting positive impacts in our communities. This partnership also aligns closely with MMDA programs such as Bayanihan sa Estero and the Yes to Aayos campaign, both of which promote environmental stewardship, cleanliness, and collective action," said Artes during the MOA signing. "Through this collaboration, we can raise greater public awareness about proper waste management and inspire more citizens to take an active role in protecting the environment. It's a shared commitment to building cleaner communities, healthier waterways, and a more sustainable future," Artes added.

Under the agree-

ment, the MMDA shall identify and recommend suitable barangays, waterways, open spaces, and other priority areas within Metro Manila for the conduct of land-based and water-based cleanup drive activities under the project. On the other hand, JCI-Manila shall engage Plastic Flamingo (PLAF), as its recycling partner, to process the collected plastic waste and convert it into durable school furniture, like school chairs and tables, for beneficiary public schools.

BJC Project Hiraya Chairman Leeroy Livias Shoko said that they are honored to partner with the MMDA and JCI-Manila to turn recyclable waste into durable school chairs and tables, as this collaboration supports both environmental responsibility and education by reducing waste while providing essential learning furniture to schools and communities in need. Project Hiraya originated from a proposal by JCI-Manila to collaborate with the MMDA to integrate community cleanup activities, responsible waste management practices, and social impact initiatives.

The project seeks to address pressing environmental concerns while creating tangible benefits for public schools and local communities. Source: MMDA



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City Government of Imus

MSME Seminar ng Imus LGU, dinaluhan ng 40 negosyante



Apatnapung negosyante ang lumahok sa isinagawang Micro, Small, and Medium Enterprises (MSME) Seminar ng Office of the City Cooperatives Development Officer (OCCDO) nitong Hunyo 2, 2026, sa CLTC Bldg., Brgy. Poblacion 2-A. Tinalakay ni Elma E. Gappe ang proseso ng makabagong paraan ng food preservation upang mapalawig ang shelf-life ng mga produkto, mapabuti ang food availability, at makalikha ng

value-added opportunities para sa MSME development.

Ang MSME Seminars ng OCCDO ay layong magbigay at magpalawak ng kaalaman ng maliit na negosyo para makatulong sa kanilang paglago.

The Department of Foreign Affairs (DFA) was recognized as the Top 1 Most Improved Agency during the 2026 Ease of Doing Business (EODB) Awards Ceremony organized by the Anti-Red Tape Authority (ARTA).

The DFA received the distinction following a significant reduction in the number of clients' concerns from 2024 to 2025 and compliance with Ease of Doing Business reportorial requirements through the DFA Committee on Anti-Red Tape (CART). The recognition was announced during the commemoration of the Ease of Doing Business Month.

PhilHealth and IBP Sign MOA to Promote Patient Rights and Member Welfare

Philippine Health Insurance Corporation (PhilHealth) and the Integrated Bar of the Philippines (IBP) have signed a two-year Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) aimed at strengthening member protection, promoting patient rights, and expanding access to legal support for Filipinos under the Universal Health Care (UHC) program.

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City Government of Dasmariñas

2026 Brigada Eskwela Division Kick-Off Activity held at Sta. Cruz Elementary School Covered Court



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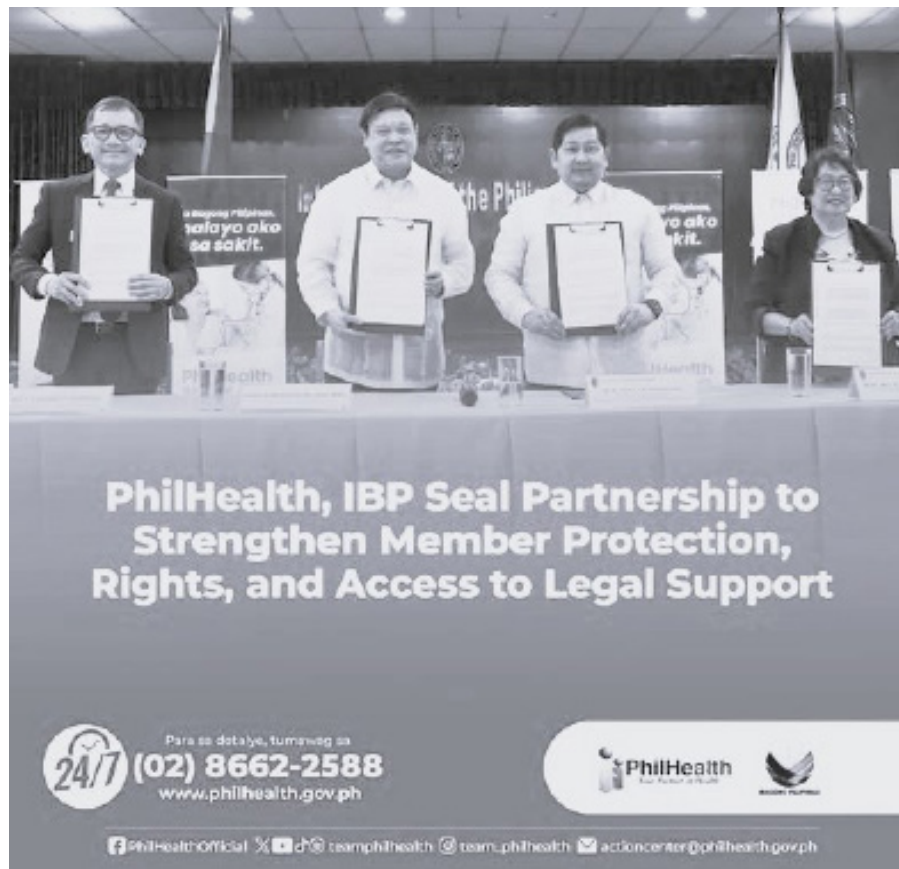
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PhilHealth, IBP Seal Partnership to Strengthen Member Protection, Rights, and Access to Legal Support

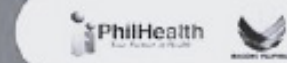
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promote greater awareness of members' rights and entitlements under the UHC Act through joint information and education campaigns.

The two institutions will also collaborate on policy initiatives that seek to enhance patient welfare and improve the delivery of healthcare services.

The agreement also covers collaboration in health law and policy development, capacity-building programs, continuing legal education for PhilHealth lawyers, and fraud prevention efforts.

These initiatives are expected to strengthen PhilHealth's ability to

promote greater awareness of members' rights and entitlements under the UHC Act through joint information and education campaigns.

A key feature of the agreement is the provision of free legal aid activities for qualified PhilHealth members, particularly those who are indigent or marginalized, on matters related to healthcare benefits and claims. PhilHealth will support these initiatives by providing the necessary information and documentation to facilitate legal assistance.

The partnership will likewise support the enhancement of existing

liver responsive services and ensure that members receive the benefits and protections they are entitled to under the law.

dispute resolution mechanisms within PhilHealth to further improve service delivery and ensure that member concerns and benefit-related issues are addressed in a timely, fair, and efficient manner. Through this partnership, PhilHealth reaffirms its commitment to protecting the interests of its members and advancing Universal Health Care by ensuring that every Filipino not only has access to health insurance coverage, but is also equipped with the information, support, and legal safeguards needed to fully enjoy their healthcare rights.

Source: Philhealth

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Walang Gutom Program Moves Closer to Institutionalization Following House Panel Approval

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administration of President Ferdinand R. Marcos Jr. to address involuntary hunger and ensure that food-poor and vulnerable families have access to adequate and nutritious food," Asst. Secretary Irene Dumlao, the DSWD spokesperson, said on Wednesday (June 3).

The WGP's institutionalization will also ensure a continuous support to farmers, fisherfolk, as well as micro and small enterprises (MSEs) supplying food items during food redemption activities for WGP beneficiaries.

Launched in 2023 and institutionalized in Order No. 44, the WGP serves as the Philippine government's flagship anti-hunger program based on the directive of Presi-



dent Marcos Jr. to combat food insecurity and reduce involuntary hunger among Filipino families.

Beneficiaries receive Php3,000 monthly food credits that they can use to purchase nutritious food items from DSWD-accredited retailers. Asst. Secretary Dumlao expressed gratitude to the members of the House Committee on Social Services for supporting the measure and recognizing the importance of sustained inter-

ventions against hunger. "Ang DSWD po ay nagpapasalamat sa Kongreso sa patuloy na pag-suporta sa mga programa ng aming Departamento. We will remain committed to working closely with legislators and other stakeholders to ensure that no Filipino family goes to bed hungry and that programs addressing food insecurity are strengthened and sustained," the DSWD spokesperson said. (YADP). Source: DSWD

ASEAN Concludes Landmark DEFA Negotiations, Unlocking New Growth Opportunities

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5-Point MSME Agenda, particularly its focus on advancing digitalization, expanding market access, strengthening innovation, and equipping Filipino enterprises with the tools and opportunities needed to compete in an increasingly digital economy. The agreement comes at a crucial time for the Philippine digital econ-

omy, which continues to see sustained growth. According to the Philippine Statistics Authority, the country's digital economy reached P2.25 trillion in 2024, contributing 8.5% to the national GDP and supporting approximately 11.3 million jobs. Furthermore, the latest "e-Conomy SEA 2025 Report" by Google, Temasek, and Bain & Company estimates that

the Philippine digital economy reached \$36 billion in 2025, driven largely by the expansion of e-commerce, digital payments, and online services. At the regional level, the implementation of the DEFA is projected to help double the value of ASEAN's digital economy, driving it from approximately \$1 trillion to \$2 trillion by 2030. Source: DTI

City Government of Carmona

MEDICAL ASSISTANCE FOR CEREBRAL PALSY AND EPILEPSY PATIENTS IN CARMONA

Sa pangunguna ng Office of the City Social Welfare and Development Officer (OCSWDO), matagumpay na nagsagawa ang Pamahalaang Lungsod ng Carmona ng pamamahagi ng medical assistance para sa 73 pasyenteng may cerebral palsy at epilepsy mula sa lungsod. Layunin ng programang ito na mabigyan ng dagdag na suporta ang mga benepisyaryo sa kanilang patuloy na gamutan, pagbili ng maintenance medicines, therapy sessions, at iba pang mahahalagang pangangailangang medikal.

Sa pamamagitan nito ay ipinapakita ng Lokal na Pamahalaan ang taos-pusong malasakit sa pangangalaga sa kalusugan at kapakanan ng mga mamamayan.



ASEAN Concludes Landmark DEFA Negotiations, Unlocking New Growth Opportunities

Department of Trade and Industry (DTI) Secretary Ma. Cristina A. Roque, who also serves as the 2026 Chair of the ASEAN Economic Community Council, welcomed the successful conclusion of the talks.

This landmark pact aims to accelerate regional digital transformation and economic integration by strengthening cooperation in digital trade, cross-border e-commerce, electronic payments, digital identities, cybersecurity, data governance, and emerging technologies.

This will empower businesses and consumers to participate more confidently in the digital marketplace.

“For the Philippines, the DEFA is set to bring real benefits to everyday Filipinos,” Secretary Roque emphasized. “It will help attract new investments, encourage innovation, and improve productivity nationwide. The DEFA is expected to empower local businesses, especially MS-MEs, by opening up more opportunities and supporting job creation across the country. Most importantly, it will help ensure that the digital transformation is inclusive—so that more Filipinos can take part in and benefit from a safer, more connected digital economy.”

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ERRATUM

In the AMENDED NOTICE OF EXTRA-JUDICIAL SALE particularly described as SECURITY BANK CORPORATION versus SPS. JOSELYN ANTONIO ROQUE AND MELISSA LASCO ROQUE published on November 24 & December 1, 8, 2025 issues of CAVITE DIGEST an entry/ies should have read:

MELISSA LASCO ROQUE

and not what erroneously published.

We regret the error.

The Editor

EXTRAJUDICIAL SETTLEMENT WITH WAIVER OF RIGHTS

Notice of hereby given that the estate of the deceased SILVERIO V. GAYOD who died intestate on May 30, 2025 in Calamba City, Laguna, that he and his surviving spouse and their friend ELVIRA F. GALICA married to MICHAEL H. GALICA, are the true and lawful registered co-owners of that one (1) parcel of land (Lot 30 Blk. 1 of the cons.- subd. plan, Pcs-04-011098, being a portion of the cons. of Lots 3-B-1, 3-B-2, 3-B-5, 3-B-6, 3-B-7 & 3-B-8, all of Psd-04-021626, L.R.C. Rec. No.), situated in the Brgy. Cabilang Baybay, Mun. of Carmona, Province of Cavite, Island of Luzon, covered by Transfer Certificate of Title No. T-883311 is subject to Extrajudicial Settlement with Waiver of Rights as per Doc. No. 103; Page No. 22; Book No. I; Series of 2026 by Notary Public for City of Manila, ATTY. GRACE JUNILYN M. PALAYAN

CD- June 1, 8 & 15, 2026

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Petitioner/ Mortgagee,

- versus - FORECLOSURE CASE NO. REM 7-26

DWIGHT ERWIN S. DEL ROSARIO,
married to MYRA R. DEL ROSARIO,
Respondents/Mortgagors.

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NOTICE OF EXTRA-JUDICIAL SALE

Upon Extra-Judicial Petition for Sale under Act 3135, as amended by Act 4118, filed by Petitioner/Mortgagee, 88 Asia Finance Corporation, with office address at 10th Floor Unionbank Center Manila, 208 Dasmariñas St., cor. Quintin Paredes St., Binondo Manila, against the Respondent/s-Mortgagor/s, Dwight Erwin S. Del Rosario, married to Myra R. Del Rosario, with residence and postal address at 132 Capt. J. Luna St., Ligtong II, Rosario, Cavite, to satisfy the mortgage indebtedness which as of April 21, 2026 amounts to ONE MILLION FIVE HUNDRED FIFTY SIX THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED SIXTY SIX PESOS (Php 1,556,868.00) Philippine Currency, inclusive of penalty and legal charges as of the said date, the undersigned Sheriff will sell at public auction on June 19, 2026 at 10:00 o'clock in the morning, at the main entrance of the Hall of Justice Building, Plaza Soledad St., Samonte Park Area, Cavite City to the highest bidder, for CASH and in Philippine Currency, the following described property with all the improvements thereon, to wit:

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All sealed bids must be submitted to the undersigned on the above stated time and place.

In the event the public auction should not take place on the said date, it shall be held on June 26, 2026 without further notice.

Prospective bidders/buyers are hereby enjoined to investigate for themselves the title of the said property and encumbrance/s thereon, if any there be.

Cavite City, May 15, 2026.

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Chairperson Charmaine A. Serna-Chua received the award during the ceremony.

Secretary of Foreign Affairs Ma. Theresa P. Lazaro welcomed the recognition, acknowledging that “this award reflects the DFA’s continued pursuit of reforms in support of the government’s broader agenda of fostering public trust in government institutions.”

DFA Undersecretary for Administration Theresa Dizon-de Vega re-affirmed its continued cooperation with the ARTA in improving the Department’s public-facing services. She noted that the award reflects the Department’s vision of strengthening operational efficiency, quality management, and advancing a culture of responsive and accountable public service. The EODB Awards recognize government agencies that have demonstrated significant improvements in the delivery of public services in support of Republic Act No. 11032, or the Ease of Doing Business and Efficient Government Service Delivery Act of 2018. The initiative is aligned with ARTA’s goals to promote transparency, accountability, and efficiency in government transactions and delivery of public services. Source: DFA

Walang Gutom Program Moves Closer to Institutionalization Following House Panel Approval

The Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD) welcomed the approval by the House Committee on Social Services of a substitute bill seeking to institutionalize the agency’s Walang Gutom Program (WGP). The substitute measure, approved during the House committee hearing on Monday (June 1) aims to establish the WGP as a permanent government program that will help address involuntary hunger, support low-income households, and contribute to boosting local agricultural production. “The institutionalization of the Walang Gutom Program will strengthen the commitment of the

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City Government of Bacoor

RESPONSIBLE PARENTHOOD & FAMILY PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT ORIENTATION

The City Government of Bacoor, under the leadership of Mayor Strike B. Revilla, conducted a Responsible Parenthood & Family Planning and Development Orientation on June 3, 2026, at Revilla Hall through the Office of Population Development headed by Ms. Emilie De Castro.

Present during the activity were Mayor Strike B. Revilla, Ms. Rowena Santiago, Population Program Officer II, Mr. Wilson Mallari, Administrative Aide IV, and Ms. April Raquit. The program focused on empowering families through education on responsible parenthood, family planning, financial management, child-rearing, and proper healthcare practices. Participants gained valuable knowledge on how informed family decisions can contribute to a healthier, more stable, and more secure future for their children and for future generations.

