

SAPAT NA BIGAS PARA SA LAHAT: BBM Rice Augmentation Program, Inilunsad sa Bacoor

BACOOR CITY, Cavite — Sinimulan ng pamahalaan ang pamamahagi ng tig-10 kilong bigas sa mga benepisyaryo kasabay ng paglulunsad ng Bawat Bayan Makikinabang (BBM) Rice Augmentation Program sa Lungsod ng Bacoor noong Miyerkules, Hulyo 29.

Pinangunahan nina Office of the Executive Secretary Katherine Enriquez, Cavite 2nd District Representative Lani Mercado-Revilla, at Bacoor City Mayor Strike Revilla ang pamamahagi ng libreng bigas bilang bahagi ng programa ng pambansang pamahalaan upang makatulong sa mga pamilyang nangangailangan. Ayon kay Enriquez, ang BBM Rice Augmentation Program ay isa lamang sa mga hakbang ng administrasyon upang matiyak ang sapat na suplay ng bigas at maipadama ang mga programa ng pamahalaan sa bawat pamilyang Pilipino. Nagpasalamat na-



Mayor Strike B. Revilla

man si Mayor Strike Revilla sa administrasyon ni Pangulong Ferdinand Marcos Jr.

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CALAX Earns Three GREEN Awards for Environmental Sustainability



Aerial view of the MPT South Hub, featuring 1,184 solar panels that generate about 97% of the building's energy needs. The facility also has a rainwater harvesting system that reduces water use by 10%, along with EV charging stations for company electric vehicles.

MPCALA Holdings Inc. (MPHI), a subsidiary of Metro Pacific Tollways Corporation (MPTC) and the concessionaire of the Cavite-Laguna Expressway (CALAX), has been recognized by the City Government of Santa Rosa, Laguna,

for its unwavering commitment to environmental sustainability. This marks the fourth consecutive year the company has been honored by the local government.

The Guarantee the

Restoration of the Environment & our Ecological Niche (GREEN) Awards is the city's annual recognition program that honors organizations, institutions, and individuals for their significant contributions

to environmental protection and sustainability.

This year, CALAX received three major awards in recognition of its green initiatives:

•Sustainable De-

velopment Partner: Recognizing MPCALA's contributions to environmental sustainability through its active participation in various coastal clean-up initiatives

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From L-R: Santa Rosa City Councilor Hon. Carmela Rosa Gonzales-Colmenar; MPCALA Holdings Inc. Facilities Management and MEPF Senior Engineer Dhale Angelo D. Santos; MPTC Assistant Vice President for Central Quality, Environment, Safety and Health (QESH) Allan Jeffrey N. Ang; MPTC Vice President for Stakeholder Engagement Arlette V. Capistrano; Santa Rosa City Mayor Hon. Arlene B. Arcillas; Santa Rosa City ENRO Head Engr. Maria Amor A. Salandanan, EnP; and Santa Rosa City Councilor Hon. Mythor C. Cendaña. Photo credit: Santa Rosa City Environment and Natural Resources Office

5 Kandidato sa Cavite special polls, inilabas na ng COMELEC

DASMARINAS, Cavite- Inilabas na ng Commission on Elections (COMELEC) ang talaan ng limang (5) kandidato na takbo sa August 29, 2026 special polls sa lalawigan ng Cavite.

Ayon sa COMELEC, naghain na ng kanilang Certificate of Candidacy (COC) sina Dasmarinas City Mayor Jennifer Barzaga, Raul Rex del Rosario Man-

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Data-driven targeting, LGU collaboration
strengthen UPLIFT implementation in CALABARZON

CALAMBA CITY, Laguna — The Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD) Field Office IV-A said the government’s Unified Programs for Livelihood, Industry, Food and Transportation Assistance (UPLIFT) demonstrates how data-driven targeting and strong collaboration with local government units (LGUs) can improve the delivery of social protection by ensuring financial assistance reaches the country’s most vulnerable families amid rising prices of basic commodities.

During the Sulong Southern Tagalog radio program, DSWD IV-A Information Officer Joseph Arceo explained that UPLIFT uses verified government data from the 2024 Community-Based Monitoring System (CBMS) and the Philippine Identification System (PhilSys) to identify qualified beneficiaries, promoting transparency, accountability, and efficient service delivery.

Under the program, Pantawid Pamilyang Pilipino Program (4Ps) and Walang Gutom Program beneficiaries receive a one-time ₱2,000 assistance, while poor and near-poor families identified through the 2024 CBMS receive ₱2,000 monthly from July to December to help cushion the effects of increasing fuel and commodity prices.

For CALABARZON, the program targets 209,476 beneficiaries under the first group and 119,934 beneficiaries under the second group, with an estimated allocation of about ₱1.8 billion. More than 215,700 beneficiaries have already received assistance during the initial rollout, including over 209,000 4Ps beneficiaries whose grants were directly credited to their accounts.

Arceo emphasized that UPLIFT is not an application-based program since beneficiaries have already been

identified through the government’s official database. “Sir, ma’am, identified na po kasi sila,” he said, noting that the program ensures assistance reaches individuals verified through the government’s poverty assessment system.

He also urged the public to actively participate in government surveys, stressing that reliable data is the foundation of responsive social protection programs. “Sana makita ng tao na next time na may kumatok sa atin para sa survey, PSA, CBMS... entertain natin. Kasi we’re trying to make sure na ‘yung tunay na mahirap, ‘yung tunay na nangangailangan ng ating tamang tugon mula sa pamahalaan,” Arceo said.

The DSWD official likewise encouraged beneficiaries to register with PhilSys, explaining that the National ID strengthens identity verification, minimizes errors and duplication, and helps ensure the orderly release of

government assistance. He also highlighted the critical role of LGUs in validating beneficiaries, coordinating payout schedules, providing venues and logistical support, and facilitating assistance distribution, including in geographically isolated and disadvantaged areas.

Arceo added that individuals who were not included in the UPLIFT beneficiary list but are facing urgent needs may still seek assistance through the agency’s regular Assistance to Individuals in Crisis Situation (AICS) program, subject to assessment by DSWD social workers. He emphasized that the program’s success relies on sustained public participation in government data-gathering initiatives and continued collaboration among national agencies, LGUs, and communities to ensure social protection programs reach those who need them most. (CCM/PIA CALABARZON)



Pagpapalakas sa Industriya ng Ube
sa pamamagitan ng mga Pagsasanay,
Suportado ng DA-ATI CALABARZON

Bilang pagsuporta sa pagsusulong ng pamahalaan na mas paunlarin ang industriya ng ube at makatugon sa lumalaking demand, patuloy na pinalalakas ng Department of Agriculture - Agricultural Training Institute (DA-ATI) CALABARZON ang paghahatid ng makabagong kaalaman at teknolohiya sa produksyon at pagpoproseso ng ube.

“Maganda at malaki ang potensyal ng ube. Patok na patok ito bilang sangkap sa iba’t ibang pagkain, at patuloy ang pagtaas ng demand—hindi lamang locally kun’di pati na rin globally. Ito ay isang malinaw na oportunidad para sa ating mga magsasaka, agripreneurs, at iba pang stakeholders sa industriya ng ube,” ani Dr. Rolando V. Maningas, RAgr, Center Director ng DA-ATI CALABARZON.

Kaugnay nito, 33 Agricultural Extension Workers (AEWs) mula sa iba’t ibang bayan sa rehiyon ang sinanay sa Training on Ube (Purple Yam) Production, Postharvest, Handling, and Processing, na isinagawa noong Hulyo 20-23, 2026, sa Ouan’s Worth Farm and Family Resort Corporation, isang Private Agriculture and Fisheries Extension Service Provider (PAF-ESP) ng ahensya sa Lucena City, Quezon.

Sa pamamagitan ng kanilang re-entry action plan na

bahagi ng pagsasanay, magsisilbing daan ang mga AEW upang maibaba ang mga teknolohiya at kasanayan sa mga magsasaka ng ube sa kani-kanilang mga bayan tungo sa mas masaganang produksyon at mas mataas na kita.

Kabilang sa mga pamamaraang kanilang natutuhan at ibabahagi sa mga magsasaka ng ube ang soil testing, land preparation, wastong pagpili ng planting materials, pagpaparami, re-planting, pamamahala sa mga sakit at peste, pag-ani, at postharvest handling and storage. Sa tulong ito ng mga tagapagsanay na sina Bb. Kimberly R. Reyes, RAgr (Provincial Agriculture Office - Quezon), Bb. Ma. Almira C. Silva (Mira’s Food and Agriventure, Inc.), at Bb. Sierralyn S. Sandoval, RAgr (DA-Regional Crop Protection Center IV-A).

Bahagi rin ng pagsasanay ang aktuwal na pagpoproseso ng ube at lakbay-aral sa BeeGood Agriventures OPC, isang Learning Site for Agriculture (LSA) ng DA-ATI CALABARZON sa Tiaong, Quezon. Mula rito, natutuhan ng mga AEW ang wastong pagpaparami ng ube, gayundin ang tamang pagpili at paghahanda ng planting materials.

“Ako po ay naipadala dito sa training sa ube dahil sa amin po ay may isang barangay na exclusively ube ang itinanim. Ang naging practice po doon sa amin ay ang traditional way. Ngunit sa training na ito, nalaman ko na may iba pa palang paraan ng cultural management upang makatipid sa gagamiting planting materials. Natutunan ko rin ang kahalagahan ng post-harvest dahil kadalasan, ang naging practice ay pagka-harvest, ilalagay na agad sa sako at direktso benta na. Ito po ‘yung mga ibabahagi at gagawin namin sa aming bayan pagbalik ko,” pahayag ni Andrian Paul William Luna, AEW mula sa Talisay, Batangas.

Bilang suporta sa propesyonalisasyon at pagpapatibay ng mga kaalaman at kasanayang pang-agrikultor, nakatanggap ang mga kalahok na rehistradong agrikultor ng 7.5 Continuing Professional Development (CPD) credit units mula sa pagsasanay.

Bukod dito, nauna na ring nagsagawa ang DA-ATI CALABARZON ng malawakang webinar sa produksyon at pamamahala ng ube sa pamamagitan ng regular na programa nitong Agricultural Technologies thru Internet at Home (ATI@Home) para sa Best Purple Harvest: Ube Production and Management noong Abril 30, 2026. Nakibahagi sa webinar ang 848 na kalahok mula sa iba’t ibang sulok ng bansa, kung saan 700 rehistradong agrikultor ang nakatanggap ng 1.00 CPD credit unit.

Aktibo rin ang DA-ATI CALABARZON sa pamamahagi ng information, education, and communication (IEC) materials tungkol sa ube sa mga pagsasanay at Farmers’ Information and Technology Services (FITS) Centers at FITS Kiosks sa iba’t ibang bayan sa rehiyon upang mas gawing aksesible ang mga kaalaman at teknolohiya sa produksyon at pamamahala ng ube. Nakaplano na rin para sa susunod na taon ang iba pang mga pagsasanay na may kaugnayan sa industriya ng ube bilang patuloy na pakikiisa ng ahensya sa hangaring mapaunlad pa ang industriya.

“Patuloy nating pagtutungan ang pagpapalakas ng industriya ng ube sa pamamagitan ng inobasyon, pakikipagtutungan, pagbabahagi ng kaalaman, pagpapanday ng kasanayan. Sa ganitong paraan, makapag-aambag tayo sa pag-unlad ng kabuhayan ng ating mga magsasaka at sa paglago ng sektor ng agrikultura,” ani Dr. Maningas.

/Ulat ni: Archie C. Linsasagin

Editorial:
Nasa isip lamang

Sadyang napakabilis umusad ng panahon. Kauumpisa pa lamang ng 2026, ngayon ay 4 na buwan na lamang ang nalalabi Agosto na!. Mahalaga sa kasaysayan ang buwan ng Agosto. Ipinagdiriwang ang Linggo ng Wikang Filipino tuwing ika-13 hanggang ika-19, ang pamosong statesman, ang dating pangulong Manuel Luis Quezon ay isinilang noong Agosto 19 at taon-taon ay inaalala ito at ipinagdiriwang. Ang ika-21 ng Agosto ay Ninoy Aquino Day at ang ika-25 naman ay National Heroes Day.

Noong mga nakalipas na panahon ay tutok ang buong bansa sa pagdiriwang o observance ng mga nabanggit na mahahalagang petsa sa ating kalendaryo.

Ngunit sa paglipas ng mga taon ay tila humupa ang kasiglahan kaugnay ng mga naturang kaganapan.

Sa kasalukuyan ay tila kaunti na lamang ang nakaalala dito. Ang alam lamang ng karamihan ay holiday, walang pasok sa eskwelahan at sa opisina.

Tanungin mo sila kung bakit pista opisyal, ang isasagot sa iyo ay tanong din, “Bakit nga ba?”

Nakakalungkot. At ang mas nakakalungkot, may mga taong nakatanim sa isip ang paniniwalang ang buwan ng Agosto, ika-8 sa kalendaryo, ay isang pilipit na buwan na ang ibig sabihin ay taghirap, maganit ang pasok ng pera, matumal ang negosyo at kung anu-ano pang kamalasan.

Hindi dapat isipin na ang Agosto ay buwan ng kamalasan. Walang tao, walang buwan na malas na nilikha ang Diyos, Ang mayroon ay mga taong tamad, sarado ang isip at baluktot ang katuwiran. At sila ang dahilan kung bakit patuloy na naghihirap ang mahirap. Sila ang mga taong nagpapaalala sa kalamidad tulad ng baha sila ang mga walang disiplinang nagtatapon ng basura kung saan-saan, walang pakundangan sa kalikasan at matigas ang ulo.

BUKSAN NATIN ANG ATING MGA ISIP. Huwag kalimutan ang ating kasaysayan at gawin itong inspirasyon sa pakikibaka sa buhay.

“Ang hindi lumington sa pinanggalingan ay madadapa, este hindi makakarating sa paroroonan.”

Kaya hindi tayo makaahon at makausad eh, ang KAMALASAN at PILIPIT NA AGOSTO AY NASA ISIP LAMANG.

BURAHIN NA IYAN
ERASE, PRONTO.

Villar strongly condemns fatal
stabbing in Las Piñas school,
renews call for passage of LIGTAS Act

Senator Mark A. Villar strongly condemned the fatal stabbing of a Grade 9 student inside Las Piñas National High School, describing the incident as a heartbreaking tragedy that underscores the urgent need to further strengthen safety and security measures in schools.

“Our schools must always be places of safety, learning, and hope—not places where our children are exposed to violence and danger. No student should ever have to fear for their safety while pursuing their education and dreams,” Villar said.

The senator extended his condolences to

the victim’s family, while his office continues to provide assistance and support to the bereaved family as they cope with this tragic loss.

Senator Villar called on concerned local authorities and government agencies to conduct a swift and thorough investigation to ensure accountability, while also implementing stronger security measures to prevent similar incidents from happening again. He likewise urged schools, parents, teachers, and the wider community to work together in promoting a culture of respect, empathy, and peaceful conflict resolution among the youth.

The incident, Villar

said, highlights the importance of immediately advancing his proposed Senate Bill No. 2321, or the Learning Institution’s Guaranteed Threat Avoidance and Safety (LIGTAS) Act, which seeks to establish stronger safeguards in schools through increased police visibility, coordinated threat assessments, direct emergency hotlines with police, fire, and response units, immediate notification of parents during student emergencies, adequate first-aid and emergency equipment, and trained medical personnel and security guards.

The measure also provides for the strategic installation of CCTV cameras

Silang, Inilunsad ang
Integrated Gardens



Silang Mayor Ted Carranza

Pormal nang inilunsad kahapon ang Integrated Gardens of Silang kasabay ng Harvest Festival at Ornamental Plant Trade Fair and Exhibit na ginanap sa Brgy. Litlit. Ang programa ay pinangunahan ng Office of the Municipal Agriculturist sa pakikipagtutungan ng Federation of Silang Ornamental Plant Growers at Silang Vegetable Growers.

Layunin ng programa na higit pang isulong ang sustainable agriculture sa bayan sa pamamagitan ng pagpapakita



ng mga makabagong teknolohiya at inisayatba sa pagsasaka. Isa sa mga tampok ng programa ang paggamit ng Solar Powered Irrigation System ng Department of Agriculture, na inaasahang makatutulong sa pagpapataas ng ani, pagpapababa ng gastos sa produksyon, at pagpapabuti ng kabuhayan ng mga lokal na magsasaka. Patuloy namang pinagtitibay ng Lokal na Pamahalaan ng Silang ang suporta nito sa sektor ng agrikultura sa pangunguna nina Mayor

Ted Carranza at Congresswoman Roy Loyola sa pamamagitan ng mga programang naglalayong palakasin ang produksyon at kabuhayan ng mga magsasaka sa bayan. Nakiisa rin sa naturang programa sina Vice Mayor Cris Reyes, Municipal Agriculturist Shirley Villela, Board Member Ivee Reyes, Konsehal Carlo Madlansacay, at Konsehal Ari Velazco bilang pagpapakita ng kanilang suporta sa patuloy na pag-unlad ng sektor ng agrikultura sa Silang.

GOV. ABENG REMULLA, NAGHATID
NG TULONG SA 4,291 TODA
MEMBERS SA TRECE MARTIRES



Umabot sa 4,291 miyembro ng Tricycle Operators and Drivers’ Association sa Trece Martires ang nabigyan ng suporta sa ilalim ng Arangkada Program ng Pamahalaang Panlalawigan ng Cavite. Pinangunahan ni Gov. Abeng Remulla ang programa kasama sina Vice Gov. Ram Revilla Bautista, Rep. Ping Remulla, mga board member, Vice Mayor Bobby Montehermoso at iba pang opisyal ng lungsod. Layunin ng programa na magbigay ng dagdag na tulong at oportunidad sa mga tricycle driver at operator sa Trece Martires.

Inauguration/Turnover Ceremony of the FY 2024 SGLG-IF Project

The Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG) Cavite attended the inauguration and turnover ceremony of the FY 2024 Seal of Good Local Governance Incentive Fund (SGLG-IF) project in the Municipality of Indang.

The activity marked the official turnover of the "Purchase of Rescue Vehicle". The project is expected to strengthen the municipality's disaster preparedness and emergency response capabilities, contributing to the delivery of timely and efficient emergency services to the community.



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that help preserve ecosystems, reduce pollution in Laguna Lake, and support climate change mitigation efforts.

- Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency Partner:** Awarded for the company's excellence in reducing energy consumption, promoting renewable energy solutions, and implementing energy efficiency initiatives across its offices, toll plazas, and facilities.
- **Earth Hour Advocate:** Presented for the company's active participation in the annual global Earth Hour movement and its continued efforts to promote energy conservation and environmental awareness.

The awards were presented by the City Government of Santa Rosa and received by representatives of MPCALA.

"We are deeply honored to receive this recognition from the City Government of Santa Rosa. These awards reflect our commitment to integrating sustainability into every aspect of our operations, from building greener infrastructure to adopting environmen-

tally responsible practices. As we continue to expand CALAX, we remain dedicated to proving that infrastructure development and environmental stewardship can go hand in hand," said MPHI President and General Manager Andrew B. Pangilinan.

CALAX is a 44.6-kilometer expressway connecting the provinces of Cavite and Laguna. Once completed, it is expected to serve approximately 95,000 motorists daily. Currently, its operational segments span from Biñan, Laguna to General Trias, Cavite, significantly reducing travel time from an hour to just 26 minutes.

Beyond improving mobility, CALAX also advances environmental sustainability by helping reduce fuel consumption and vehicle emissions through shorter travel times. Its green initiatives include the integration of solar power systems, rainwater harvesting facilities, and the progressive transition of its corporate fleet to electric vehicles (EVs), reinforcing the company's commitment to responsible and sustainable expressway operations.

Justice of Bacoor City, Cavite, 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 date."

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

Prospective buyers or bidders are hereby enjoined to investigate for themselves the title to the said property and encumbrances, if any there be.

City of Bacoor, July 6, 2026.

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5 Kandidato...from p1

gubat, Marvin Opamin Dupal-ag, Leysander Aguilar Ordsenes at Jacinto Bautista Frani Jr.

Ayon kay COMELEC Chief George Erwin Garcia, ang election period ay simula. Hulyo 30 hanggang Setyembre 13, 2026 at ang campaign period ay mula Hunyo 30 hanggang AGOSTO 27, 2026. Ang gun ban ay

Si Dasmariñas City Mayor Jennifer Barzaga na isa sa mga kandidato ay ina ni ex- cong Kiko.

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sa pagpili sa Bacoor bilang isa sa mga unang lungsod na paglulunsaran ng programa. Bilang suporta, tiniyak ng alkalde na maglalaan ang lokal na pamahalaan ng karagdagang pondo upang matiyak na magkakaroon ng sapat na alokasyon ng BBM Rice para sa bawat pamilyang Bacooreño.

Layunin ng BBM Rice Augmentation Program na mapalawak ang access ng mga mamamayan sa sapat at abot-kayang bigas, bilang bahagi ng patuloy na pagsisikap ng pamahalaan na palakasin ang seguridad sa pagkain at mapagaan ang gastusin ng mga Pilipino.

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core values of the Philippine National Police. This achievement reflects the collective efforts of Cavite PPO personnel, in partnership with local government units, government agencies, stakeholders, and the community. It further underscores the office's unwavering commitment to delivering responsive, people-centered, and service-oriented policing toward a safer, more peaceful, and progressive province of Cavite.

EXTRA-JUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE OF JULIO IGNACIO BENEVICE WITH DEED OF ABSOLUTE SALE

Notice is hereby given that the estate left by the deceased **JULIO IGNACIO BENEVICE** consisting of a parcel of land covered by TCT No. 057-2016066103 situated at Bo. Palapala, Dasmariñas, Cavite has been the subject of an EXTRA-JUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE WITH DEED OF ABSOLUTE SALE by and among the heirs of the deceased as per Doc. No. 313, Page No. 63, Book No. 10, Series of 2026 of Notary Public Atty.GERALD C. SERGIO

Sgd. By all the heirs

CN: Aug. 3, 10 & 17, 2026

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PhilHealth benefit hike seen to reinforce autism care proposal

MANILA – PhilHealth's expanded therapy coverage for children with developmental disabilities strengthens the case for enacting a comprehensive national autism care law, Senator Joel Villanueva said Thursday.

In a news release, Villanueva said the increase announced by President Ferdinand R. Marcos Jr. in his State of the Nation Address recognizes that therapy is a continuing financial burden for families.

"Therapy is not a one-time expense. It's a years-long commitment for families raising a child with a developmental disability, including those on the autism spectrum," he said.

Under the expansion, PhilHealth will double its

benefit package for therapy consultations and increase the number of covered sessions for children with developmental disabilities from 90 to 150.

Villanueva said the move reflects key provisions of the proposed National Autism Care, Support and Inclusion Act, which the Senate approved on third and final reading in March.

The senator, a co-author and co-sponsor of the measure, said it would formally recognize persons with Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) as persons with disabilities entitled to protections and benefits under existing laws.

It would also establish a National Plan of Action for ASD, and require the De-

partment of Health to integrate screening, early detection and referral into primary healthcare and maternal and child health services.

The bill mandates training more developmental pediatricians, child neurologists, speech-language pathologists, and occupational therapists to address the shortage of specialists qualified to diagnose and treat ASD.

It likewise directs PhilHealth to periodically review its packages to ensure that coverage remains responsive to the actual costs of ASD-related healthcare, habilitation, and intervention.

"A law like this closes the gap between diagnosis and actual support," Villanueva

said, noting that some families spend months or years obtaining a diagnosis and exhaust their resources on therapy.

The proposal also strengthens inclusive education, employment opportunities, and social protection for persons with ASD, while extending support to their caregivers.

With the Senate version already approved, Villanueva expressed hope that the House of Representatives would act on its counterpart measure so both chambers could reconcile their versions and send the bill to the President.

"This isn't a Senate bill or a House bill; it's for every Filipino family raising a child with autism," he said. (PNA)

Republic of the Philippines Fourth Judicial Region REGIONAL TRIAL COURT OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF COURT AND EX-OFFICIO SHERIFF Dasmariñas City, Cavite

BDO UNIBANK, INC.,
Petitioner/Mortgagee,

File No. FC-DC-2174-26
For: Extra-Judicial Foreclosure of Real Estate Mortgage under Act No. 3135 as amended by Act No. 4118

-versus-

**SPS. MOHAMMAD SAYD A. AMERIN and
SITTI FHAIGA B. AMERIN,**
Debtors/Mortgagors.

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NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

Upon extra-judicial petition for sale under Act No. 3135, as amended by Act No. 4118 filed by the petitioner/mortgagee, **BDO UNIBANK INC.**, a universal banking corporation with postal address at 33rd Floor, BDO Corporate Center Ortigas, No. 12 ADB Avenue, Mandaluyong City against the debtors / mortgagors, **SPS. MOHAMMAD SAYD A. AMERIN and SITTI FHAIGA B. AMERIN**, with postal address at Lot 6 Block 4, Villa Teresa Homes Subdivision, Mcll Highway, Divisoria, Zamboanga City, Zamboanga Del Sur; Unit 0324 3rd Floor, Phase 2, Tower 2, Green 2 Residences, Governor's Drive, Mangubat Avenue, Brgy. BuroI Main. Dasmariñas City, Cavite; and for the satisfaction of the mortgaged debt which as of 19 June 2026 amounts to **TWO MILLION FIVE HUNDRED SIXTY SIX THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED SEVEN ONE PESOS & 71/100 (Php 2,566,571.71)**, exclusive of legal fees and incidental to this foreclosure and sale, the undersigned Sheriff will sell at public auction on **SEPTEMBER 4, 2026** at 10:00 o'clock in the morning or soon thereafter at the Ground Floor Lobby, Dasmariñas Community Affairs (DASCA) Building, Congressional Road, BuroI 2, Dasmariñas City, Province of Cavite to the highest bidder and for CASH or CERTIFIED CHECK, in Philippine Currency, the following described real property together with all the buildings and other improvements existing thereon, to wit:

CONDOMINIUM CERTIFICATE OF TITLE NO. 057-2024002086

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED that the unit identified and described as :

Green 2 Residences - Phase 2, Budding No. BO2, Floor Level 3, Unit No. 324, Unit Type: Studio, Total Area 18.98 sq. m.

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

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

In the event the publication auction should not take place on the said date and time, it shall be held on **SEPTEMBER 18, 2026** at the same time and place without further notice.

City of Dasmariñas, Province of Cavite, July 29, 2026.

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Alminaza said Marcos used his fifth State of the Nation Address this week to promote nuclear energy, hydrogen projects and petroleum contracts, while omitting the climate crisis, destructive mining and communities threatened by fossil fuel expansion.

The government should not dismiss public skepticism about nuclear power as confusion or a lack of information, he said, since the risks will outlast any single administration.

"Public concerns should not be dismissed as mere misunderstanding," Alminaza said. "They require transparent, independent and participatory scrutiny because the risks, costs and long-term consequences will affect generations to come."

Caritas Philippines is the social action arm of the Catholic Bishops' Conference of the Philippines, working on poverty, disaster response and environmental advocacy across the country's dioceses.

Alminaza also criticized Marcos for backing expanded fossil gas infrastructure, which he said is often mislabeled as clean energy despite deepening the country's reliance on imported fuel and exposure to volatile global prices.

"Fossil gas is not clean energy," he said. "More gas terminals and power plants will deepen dependence on imported fuel, expose consumers to unstable prices, and lock the country into decades of continued fossil fuel use."

He welcomed Marcos' proposal to remove so-called systems loss charges from electricity bills, along with support for rooftop solar and battery storage through the proposed Sariling Kuryente Act, calling both steps in the right direction.

But he said those measures cannot substitute for a full overhaul of the 25-year-old Electric Power Industry Reform Act, which he argues shields power companies from fuel price shocks while passing high generation costs on to consumers.

The country's energy debate, Alminaza said, cannot be separated from the wider environmental and economic pressures facing poor and rural communities, including Indigenous groups affected by mining and energy projects.

"For Caritas, care for creation is never separate from care for the poor. The ecological crisis and the crisis of poverty are one human crisis that demands an integral response," he said.

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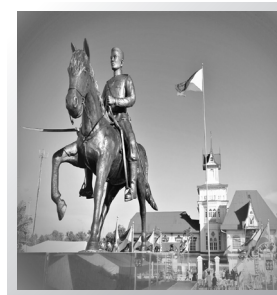
continues to bring responsive healthcare services closer to Caviteños, guided by its commitment to ensuring that quality healthcare is accessible to every community. — OPIO

EXTRA-JUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE OF REGINO DE GUZMAN ILAGAN WITH WAIVER OF RIGHTS

Notice is hereby given that the estate left by the deceased **REGINO DE GUZMAN ILAGAN** consisting of athree (3) parcels of land described as follows:
1. a parcel of land covered by TCT No. T-645488 situated at Brgy. Salitran, Dasmariñas, Cavite;
2. a parcel of land covered by TCT No. T-1098634 situated at Bo. Palapala (Sampaloc), Dasmariñas, Cavite and
3. a parcel of land with Tax. Dec. No. 0274 has been the subject of an EXTRA-JUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE WITH WAIVER OF RIGHTS by and among the heirs of the deceased as per Doc. No. 396, Page No. 80, Book No. 08, Series of 2026 of Notary Public Atty.GERALD C. SERGIO

Sgd. By all the heirs

CN: Aug. 3, 10 & 17, 2026



CAVITE PPO RECOGNIZED AS OUTSTANDING PCAD POLICE PROVINCIAL OFFICE IN CALABARZON



PBGEN DOMINIC L. BACCAY

Camp BGen Pantaleon Garcia, City of Imus, Cavite —The Cavite Police Provincial Office received a Plaque of Recognition after being named as the Outstanding Police Community Affairs and Development (PCAD) Police Provincial Office in CALABARZON for Calendar Year 2026 during the 31st Police Community Relations Month Culminating Activity of Police Regional Office 4A held on July 31, 2026, at Camp BGen Vicente P. Lim, Calamba City, Laguna.

The award was conferred by the Police Regional Office 4A under the leadership of PBGEN DOMINIC L. BACCAY, Acting Regional Director, in recognition of Cavite PPO's outstanding performance and steadfast commitment to excellence in the implementation of PCAD programs and initiatives.

Representing the Provincial Director, PLTCOL WILLY B. SALAZAR, Deputy Provincial Director for Administration (DPDA), received the prestigious award on behalf of the Cavite Police Provincial Office.

Expressing his ap-

preciation, PCOL ARIEL R. RED, Provincial Director of Cavite PPO, emphasized that the recognition is a reflection of the collective dedication and commitment of every Cavite PPO personnel in building stronger partnerships with the community.

"This recognition is a testament to the unwavering commitment and teamwork of the men and women of Cavite PPO in strengthening police-community relations. We dedicate this achievement to our stakeholders, partner agencies, and the communities we serve who continue to support our mission of



PCOL ARIEL R. RED

providing responsive, transparent, and people-centered policing. This inspires us to further enhance our programs and remain steadfast in our commitment to a safer and more secure Cavite," PCOL RED stated.

The recognition highlights the dedication of Cavite PPO personnel in strengthening police-community partnerships, enhancing public trust and confidence, and promoting community-oriented policing programs aligned with the

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Outstanding Police Community Affairs and Development (PCAD) PCAD for CY 2026 (National Level)



Caritas Philippines
CBCP Episcopal Commission on Social Action, Justice and Peace

Caritas PH challenges Marcos' nuclear energy push

Nuclear power won't solve the Philippines' electricity crisis, the Catholic Church's social justice arm said, pushing back against President Ferdinand Marcos Jr. 's renewed embrace of the technology.

"Nuclear power is not a practical answer to today's electricity crisis," said Bishop Gerardo Alminaza, president of Caritas Philippines. "It is costly and raises serious questions about safety, radioactive waste, public debt, and accountability."

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PGC brings healthcare to GMA

The Provincial Government of Cavite (PGC), through the Office of the Provincial Governor and Office of the Provincial Health Officer (OPHO) brought essential healthcare closer to the community during the successfully conducted Med-

ical and Dental Mission in Barangay Memije, benefiting 597 residents.

The outreach delivered 425 medical consultations, 49 dental services, 100 Fasting Blood Sugar (FBS) tests, and 23 Electrocardiogram (ECG) examinations,

providing residents with accessible healthcare services that support prevention, early detection, and overall well-being.

The activity was carried out with the support of 5th District Board Members Ivey Jayne Reyes and

Aidel Paul Belamide, and Punong Barangay Laudimer R. Dela Cruz, with the assistance of Barangay Nutrition Scholars (BNS) and volunteer caregivers.

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CAVITE POLICE PROVINCIAL OFFICE

MAG-RENEW NA NG LTOPF!
CAVITE GUN OWNERS

6,077 UNRENEWED LTOPF SA CAVITE!

SOURCE: RCSU 4A

To renew your License to Own and Possess Firearms (LTOPF) with the Philippine National Police Firearms and Explosives Office (PNP-FEO), create an online account, submit your requirements, pay the fees, and attend a physical appointment.

Online Application Process

- Visit the FEO Online System to register or log in to your account.
- Fill out your profile details and select the Bureau's transaction system.
- Upload scanned or requirement copies of all necessary renewal requirements.
- Wait for email or SMS approval and a reference number.
- Pay the required fee through authorized channels like Landbank and upload your receipt.
- Choose your preferred branch/venue and schedule your appointment date.

Required Documents

- Duly filled-out and notarized LTOPF renewal application form.
- National Police Clearance or Local Police/DI Clearance.
- NBI Clearance.
- Valid government-issued IDs (photocopies and original for presentation).
- Valid psychiatric Clearance from the PNP Health Service.
- Drug Test Clearance from the PNP Crime Laboratory.
- Photocopy of your old/expiring LTOPF card or certificate.
- 2x2 pictures with a white background.

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