

DRAFT ORDINANCE NO. _____ - _____

**AN ORDINANCE PRESCRIBING THE UPDATED GUIDELINES AND
REGULATION OF MOBILITY IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF TAYTAY,
PROVINCE OF RIZAL, DECLARED AS ONE OF THE AREAS UNDER
MODIFIED GENERAL COMMUNITY QUARANTINE.**

WHEREAS, on the strength of Resolution No. 67 series of 2020 issued on August 31, 2020 by the Inter-Agency Task Force (IATF) for the management of emerging infectious diseases, the Province of Rizal was placed under Modified General Community Quarantine (MGCQ), without prejudice to the declaration of localized Enhanced Community Quarantine in critical areas;

WHEREAS, the Amended Omnibus Guidelines in the Implementation of Community Quarantine was issued last October 8, 2020, by the IATF purposely to harmonize and codify its existing guidelines and to streamline rules which will be applicable to transitional community quarantine classifications.

WHEREAS, lately however, the IATF has issued Resolution No.79 series of 2020, dated October 15, 2020, which further amends the previously issued amended Omnibus Guidelines on the matter.

WHEREAS, to ensure continuity of the national agencies effort and measures to cascade down to the local community for implementation in battling the effect of COVID-19 Pandemic, an updated local legislation of guidelines for this purpose is needed;

WHEREAS, it is but fitting and appropriate for the Sangguniang Bayan to formulate measures that will translate national policy directions into local guidelines for this municipality, including regulation of mobility, to better attain its avowed objectives.

NOW THEREFORE, be it ordained by the 11th Sangguniang Bayan of Taytay, Rizal, in session duly assembled, that:

Section 1. Curfew Hours: *The curfew hours shall continue to be enforced from 10:00 PM to 5:00 AM.*

Exempted from the curfew hours are Authorized Person Outside of Residence (APOR) going to and from work.

Section 2. *Elderly and Youth: Any person below eighteen (18) years old, those who are sixty five (65) years old and above, those with immunodeficiency, comorbidity, or other health risks, and pregnant women, shall be required to remain in their residence at all times, except when indispensable under the circumstances for obtaining essential goods and services or for work in permitted industries and offices.*

Section 3. Home Quarantine Pass / COVID-19 Zoning and Household Pass: Approved Person Outside of Residence (APOR) shall be allowed to go out of their homes without COVID-19 Zoning and Household Pass but shall not be allowed to enter the establishments and/or purchase any goods without presenting their Household Pass. ***The COVID-19 Zoning and Household Pass shall be issued by the PNP Taytay with the assistance of the respective Purok / Sitio Chairman in the five Barangays, and in areas covered by a subdivision, by the President of the Homeowners Association. The household pass shall be issued free of charge on “One Pass per Household Basis”. Violators will be dealt with accordingly.***

Local Government Employees' ID and Health Workers ID can be used *and shall be allowed as substitute for a Household Pass* in entering the establishments and purchase of essential goods.

Old Barangay issued Quarantine Passes shall be honored by establishments until such time that the new Zoning and Household Passes have been fully distributed by the PNP Taytay.

The Quarantine Pass / Household Pass is transferable to persons living in the same address.

Section 4. Travel Authority: The Travel Authority shall be issued by the Taytay Philippine National Police for Locally Stranded Individuals (LSI) and Repatriated Overseas Filipino Worker (ROF) *subject to the existing guidelines or issuances prescribed by the concerned national agencies. The following requirement to be strictly complied with by the applicant for travel authority shall be submitted to the Office Operation Section of Taytay Municipal Police Station situated at Kadalagahan St., Brgy. Dolores, Taytay, Rizal with Contact Nos. 0936-9507608 / 8 685 7267).*

1. Barangay Clearance
2. Medical Health Certificate stating that the LSI/ROFs is neither a contact suspect of probable or confirmed COVID Cases.
3. Letter Request from Applicant/Requesting Party indicating the following:
 - a. Names with Contact Number
 - b. Point of Origin and Destination
 - c. Travel Date
 - d. Purpose
 - e. Details of vehicle with Plate Number (OR/CR) and Photocopy of Driver's License of the driver.

In case of failure to strictly comply with any of the above-stated requirements, the travel authority applied for shall not be issued to the applicant.

Section 5. Government Offices: Work in Government Offices may be at full operational capacity, or under such alternative work arrangements as the agencies may deem appropriate in accordance with the relevant rules and regulations issued by the Civil Service Commission (CSC).

Section 6. Transportation: All Public and Private Transportation are allowed to operate, subject to guidelines provided by the DOTr.

A. Tricycle:

The Taytay Municipal Tricycle Franchising and Regulatory Office (TMTFRO) will issue the necessary guidelines for implementation under Modified General Community Quarantine and upon DOTr pronouncement.

B. Motorcycle:

As stated by the National Task Force Against COVID-19 on August 18, 2020, the approved Transition Protocol on Motorcycle Back Riding under General Community Quarantine are as follows:

- For Riders living in the same house, no need for motorcycle barrier.
- For Riders not living in the same house, must have Angkas designed barrier.
- The Back Rider must be an APOR.
- The Driver may or may not be an APOR.
- Motorcycle must be privately owned and not for hire.
- Both Riders should have Face Masks and full-face helmets that must be worn all the time while back riding.

The same guidelines shall be implemented under Modified General Community Quarantine.

C. Shuttle Service:

The Local Government Unit of Taytay shall provide free shuttle services within the bounds of Taytay for MEDICAL HEALTH WORKERS ONLY who will be reporting for work and going home. The official company ID of the MEDICAL HEALTH WORKERS shall be presented to the shuttle service provider to be allowed access to the service.

Section 7. Establishments Allowed to Operate at Full Operational Capacity: Establishments listed below shall be allowed to operate at full operational capacity from 8:00 AM to 9:00 PM only.

Category I Industries - Power, energy, water, and other utilities, agriculture, fishery, and forestry industries, food manufacturing and food supply chain businesses, including food retail establishments such as supermarkets, grocery stores, and food preparation establishments insofar as take-out and delivery services, food delivery services, health-related establishments, the logistics sector, information technology and telecommunication companies, the media, at full operational capacity;

Category II Industries – Mining and other manufacturing, and electronic commerce companies, as well as other delivery, repair and maintenance, and housing and office services, at full operational capacity, and without prejudice to work-from-home and other alternative work arrangements; and

Category III Industries – Financial services, legal and accounting, and auditing services, professional, scientific, technical, and other non-leisure services, and other non-leisure wholesale and retail establishments, at full operational capacity, and without prejudice to work-from-home and other alternative work arrangements.

Section 8. Allowable Hours of Operation for Specified Establishment: The following establishment shall be allowed to operate on specified hours indicated below;

- a. **Food Establishments:** shall be allowed to operate from 5:00 AM to 9:00 PM. Food handlers shall be required to wear protective/transport masks, gloves and hairnet at all times. All customers are highly encouraged to bring their own containers and bags for the said purpose. All establishments shall provide queues/lines that practice strict social distancing from the entrance up to the payment area. **No Facemask and Face shields / safety eye shields / safety protective goggles, No Entry. No Quarantine / Household Pass, No Entry / Buy Policy.**
- b. **Supermarkets/Groceries/Convenience Stores/Sari-Sari Store:** shall be allowed to operate for twelve (12) hours but not exceeding curfew hours, the sari-sari store shall be allowed to operate only for essential products from 7:00 AM to 9:00 PM, provided that Social Distancing is observed at all times especially when queuing for payment. ***Priority lanes for Senior Citizens or PWD shall be provided or designated in all stores following the provisions of existing laws.*** All establishments shall provide queues/lines that practice strict social distancing from the entrance up to the payment area. **No Facemask and Face shields / safety eye shields / safety protective goggles, No Entry. No Quarantine / Household Pass, No Entry / Buy Policy.**
- c. **Drug Store/Pharmacy:** shall be allowed to operate from 7:00 AM to 10:00 PM, provided that Social Distancing is observed at all times especially when queuing for payment. ***Priority lanes for Senior Citizens or PWD's shall be provided or designated in all stores following the provisions of existing laws.*** All establishments shall provide queues/lines that strictly practice social distancing

from the entrance up to the payment area. **No Facemask and Face shields / safety eye shields / safety protective goggles, No Entry. No Quarantine / Household Pass, No Entry / Buy Policy.**

- d. **Mall Hours** : Operation Time of allowed establishments / Tenants shall be from 10:00 AM to 9:00 PM, except supermarket that shall follow Section 7.b of this Ordinance. **No face mask and face shields / safety eye shields / safety protective goggles, No entry. *Restricted Persons enumerated under Section 2 of this Ordinance shall not be allowed entry.* No Quarantine / Household Pass, No Entry / Buy Policy.**

Section 9. Mandatory Wearing of Facemasks and Face shields: *No person shall be allowed to enter any establishments within the Municipality without properly wearing facemasks, face shields / safety eye shields / safety protective goggles and showing a Quarantine Pass or Household Pass. Provided that eyeglasses and sunglasses are not considered as safety protective equipment. No Quarantine or Household Pass, No Buy Policy shall be required except for Health Workers and Government Employees.*

Section 10. Establishments Allowed to Operate at a Maximum of Fifty Percent (50%) Capacity:

- a. Barbershop, salons, and other personal care service establishments, at a maximum of fifty percent (50%) of venue capacity.
- b. Dine-in restaurants, fast food and food retail establishments, including those in supermarkets, grocery stores, and food preparation establishments, at a maximum of fifty percent (50%) of seating capacity
- c. Category IV and all other establishments not permitted to operate under previous Sections of the Omnibus Guidelines on the Implementation of Community Quarantine in the Philippines, at a maximum of fifty percent (50%) operational capacity. However, for hotels and other accommodation establishments, only those accredited as provided by law and relevant DOT and DILG issuances may operate, and only upon issuance of a Certificate of Authority to operate by the DOT ***which shall also determine the allowable operational capacity.*** For this purpose, DOT and DILG shall work with LGUs to ensure compliance of accommodation establishments. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the DTI is hereby authorized to issue a negative list of industries which shall remain prohibited even in areas under MGCQ. Establishments in the negative list shall not be allowed to operate in any form of community quarantine. (As amended by Paragraph A(4)(f) of IATF Resolution No. 43, June 03, 2020, and Paragraph D of IATF Resolution No. 56, July 16, 2020)

Section 11. Market Place – this pertains to all public and private market, recognized talipapas and ambulant vendors / sidewalk vendors in the municipality. It is mandatory to wear Facemask and Face Shield / Safety Eye Shield / Safety Protective Goggles (eyeglasses and sunglasses are not considered as safety protective equipment) for all stall holders / staff / personnel / vendors, buyers / market goers, market suppliers / delivery personnel and Market Personnel.

- a. **New Taytay Public Market/Old Market** – shall be in operation from 5:00 AM to 12:00 NN and 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM. All personnel assigned to the NTPM/EEDM shall regularly monitor that social distancing is being strictly observed by all market goers and vendors at all times. Color coding for market goers will be implemented wherein those with BLUE stickers provided by the EEDM shall be allowed entry to public markets on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays and those with BLACK stickers on Tuesdays, Thursday and Saturdays. No color coding is in place during Sundays. RED stickers shall be provided to Dealers, Sellers, Suppliers and Hauling Personnel. No COVID-19 Zoning and Household Pass, No Buy policy shall be

observed by the sellers. All establishments shall provide queues/lines that practice strict social distancing from the entrance up to the payment area.

b. All Recognized Talipapas shall operate from 5:00 AM to 12:00 NN and 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM only.

c. Ambulant Vendors/Sidewalk Vendors shall be prohibited across the municipality at all times

Section 12. Tiangge – Those operators and vendors who already applied for the re-opening of their Tiangge and has been given permit to operate prior to this Ordinance shall be allowed with 50% capacity operation subject to minimum public health protocols. Those who have a pending application shall be subject for approval by the Office of the Mayor.

Section 13. Liquor Ban – The sale of all types of alcoholic drinks shall be allowed. Consuming of any Alcoholic drinks in public places is hereby prohibited. No Quarantine Pass / Household Pass, No Buy Policy shall be required.

Section 14. Videoke Rental – The rent/lease of Videoke machines shall be prohibited to avoid the spreading of disease/virus thru the use of communal microphones.

Section 15. Gatherings – All forms of gambling shall be prohibited specially in wakes. Visiting wakes shall be encouraged to be until 7:00 PM only. Mass gatherings such as but not limited to, movie screenings, concerts, sporting events, and other entertainment activities, religious services, and work conferences shall be allowed provided that participants shall be limited to fifty percent (50%) of the seating or venue capacity.

Mass gathering during occasions for birthday's or wedding's celebration, and funeral wake/eulogies shall not be allowed.

Section 16. Non- Contact Sports and Other Like Activities: Indoor and outdoor non-contact sports activities and other forms of exercise such as but not limited to walking, jogging, running, biking, golf, swimming, tennis, badminton, equestrian, range shooting, and skateboarding are allowed. Provided, that the minimum public health standards such as the wearing of face masks, social distancing protocol and no sharing of equipment where applicable, are observed. For this purpose, the prohibition in Section 2 of this Ordinance shall not apply. Spectators in all non-contact sports and exercises are not allowed.

Section 17. Waste Segregation. – All households are mandated to observe proper waste segregation and waste disposal as the hauling and collection of garbage is currently hampered by the current community quarantine from adjacent areas.

The littering, throwing, dumping or improper disposal of used face masks, face shields, hand gloves, containers of disinfectants and hygiene products such as wipes, tissues, rubbing alcohol, hand sanitizers, and related Covid 19 discards, in any public place including canals, sidewalks, esteros, and other bodies of waters, is hereby prohibited. Such items of waste shall be segregated from the regular wastes disposed of.

For this purpose, the Solid Wastes and Management Office shall formulate the needed implementing rules that provide the procedure or process of collecting the subject wastes taking into consideration the health and safety of its personnel.

Section 18. Closure of Roads – The Municipal Mayor is authorized to issue closure of roads, if necessary, as a preventive measure for the spread of the COVID-19 virus.

Section 19. Schools

Limited face-to-face or in-person classes may be conducted in HEIs provided there is strict compliance with minimum public health standards, consultation with local government units, and compliance with guidelines set by CHED.

Face-to-face TVET training and competency assessment may be conducted at up to 50% training and assessment site capacity, provided there is strict compliance with minimum public health standards, TESDA Guidelines and consultation with local government units.

For K-12 Basic Education, the Basic Education Learning Continuity Plan of the DepEd shall be adopted.

For this purpose, the prohibition in Section 2 does not apply.

Section 20. Constructions – As per Department Order No. 39 series of 2020 from the Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH), All public and private construction projects shall be allowed subject to strict compliance with the construction safety guidelines issued by the DPWH for the implementation of infrastructure projects during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Section 21. Monitoring and Implementation. – Philippines National Police (PNP-Taytay), The Local Government Unit of Taytay and all Barangay Local Government Units shall monitor and implement the provisions of this ordinance. They shall strictly monitor that all establishments are providing queues/lines that practice strict social distancing from the entrance up to the payment area.

Section 22. Penalty Clause:

Individual:

- a) **First Offense** - a fine of P 500 or Community Service at the Barangay where the violation occurred or lecture regarding Public Health Protocol to be conducted by the Taytay PNP shall be imposed.
- b) **Second and Subsequent Offense** – a fine of 2,500 and/or imprisonment for 10 to 30 days at the discretion of the proper court shall be imposed.

Establishments:

Subsequent / Habitual Violations by business establishments may lead to Closure of establishments concerned to a maximum of three (3) days and revocation of Business Permit. Likewise, failure to comply with the “No Home Quarantine Pass / COVID-19 Zoning and Household Pass, No selling” shall result in the same.

Section 23. Information Dissemination: The Public Information Office of this Municipality and the Barangay shall spearhead the information dissemination of this ordinance. Official details regarding COVID-19 updates from the municipality shall come from official memorandum issued by Municipal Health Office and posted at the official page of the Taytay Public Information Office.

Section 24. Applicability Clause: *All matters not covered by the provisions of this Ordinance shall be governed by the pertinent provisions of existing Resolutions, Guidelines and Other Related Issuances of the National Government Agencies or higher offices.*

Section 25. Separability Clause: If any provision of this ordinance is held invalid or declared to be unconstitutional, the same shall not affect the validity and effectivity of the other provisions not affected thereby.

Section 26. Effectivity Clause: This ordinance shall take effect immediately and upon approval. This ordinance shall likewise be in effect every time that the municipality is placed under Modified General Community Quarantine (MGCQ) by the National Government.

Section 27. Colatilla – Policies shall be stricter from time to time as the need arises. All statutes and policies by the Local Government Unit of Taytay shall be on a day to day basis based on the pronouncements of National Government Agencies or higher offices