



# PAMAHALAANG BAYAN NG TAYTAY TANGGAPAN NG SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 85<sup>th</sup> REGULAR SESSION (ONLINE SESSION) OF THE 11<sup>th</sup> SANGGUNIANG BAYAN, TAYTAY, RIZAL, HELD ON APRIL 13, 2021, 1:36 PM AT TAYTAY, RIZAL

**PRESENT:**

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## **ORDINANCE NO. 701 series of 2021**

### **AN ORDINANCE IMPLEMENTING THE IATF RESOLUTION NO. 109-A BASED ON THE AMENDED OMNIBUS GUIDELINES FOR MODIFIED ENHANCED COMMUNITY QUARANTINE WITH ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTIONS AND RESTRICTIONS FOR THE MUNICIPALITY OF TAYTAY, RIZAL**

WHEREAS, the President issued Proclamation No. 1021 (s. 2020) extending the period of the State of Calamity throughout the Philippines until September 21, 2021;

WHEREAS, the sudden rise of positive cases within the National Capital Region (+) Bubble to mention including Provinces of Rizal, Bulacan, Laguna and Cavite and other highly urbanized cities in the National Capital Region leads to the immediate recommendation of the IATF on the declaration of Enhanced Community Quarantine (ECQ) as stated in Resolution 106-

as dated March 27, 2021 and Resolution 106-B dated March 28, 2021 to sustained and resolved the need to lower the number of positive cases;

WHEREAS, the Office of the Executive Secretary to President had issued a Memorandum Circular on the approval of the President of the Republic of the Philippines Hon. Rodrigo Duterte on the recommendation of the IATF aiming to slow down the surge in COVID-19 cases and to allow the health system to cope and to protect more lives, effective 12:01 a.m. of March 29 until the end of April 4, 2021;

WHEREAS, as per the announcement of the Office of the President, the Enhanced Community Quarantine (ECQ) of NCR+ including the Municipality of Taytay, Rizal has been extended up to April 11, 2021;

WHEREAS, the Office of the President has approved the IATF Resolution No. 109-A series of 2021, placing the National Capital Region, and the provinces of Bulacan, Cavite, Laguna, and Rizal under Modified Enhanced Community Quarantine (MECQ) beginning April 12, 2021 until April 30, 2021;

WHEREAS, the Rizal Provincial Government announced the unified curfew hours for the Province of Rizal from 8:00 PM to 5:00 AM during MECQ;

WHEREAS, to ensure continuity of the national agencies effort and measures to cascade down to the local community for implementation in battling the effects of COVID-19 Pandemic and ensure the utmost protection of the health of the constituents, a local legislation for this purpose is needed;

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

**Section 1. Scope** - Republic Act No. 7160 or the Local Government of 1991 Section 447(a) provides that the Sangguniang Bayan, as the legislative body of the municipality, shall enact ordinances, approve resolutions and appropriate funds for the general welfare of the municipality and its inhabitants, thus this Ordinance shall apply to all citizens/residences and establishments within the Municipality of Taytay.

**Section 2. Under Section 3 of the Omnibus Guidelines on the Implementation of Community Quarantine in the Philippines with Amendment as of April 3, 2021, the following guidelines for areas placed under Modified Enhanced Community Quarantine (MECQ) shall be observed for the period of April 12, 2021 up to April 30, 2021:**

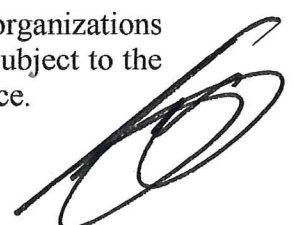
1. Minimum public health standards shall be complied with at all times for the duration of the MECQ.
2. Strict home quarantine shall be observed in all households. The movement of all persons shall be limited to accessing essential goods and services, and for work in permitted offices or establishments or such other activities allowed in this section.
3. Any person below eighteen (18) years old, those who are over sixty-five years (65) of age, those with immune-deficiency, comorbidity, or other health risks, and pregnant women shall be required to remain in their residences at all times, except for obtaining essential goods and services, or for work in industries and offices or such other activities permitted in this section. Local government units may relax the minimum age range down to fifteen (15) years old, depending on the COVID-19 situation in their respective jurisdictions. *(As amended by Paragraph A of IATF Resolution No. 79, October 15, 2020)*

4. All establishments, persons, or activities permitted to operate, work, or be undertaken during ECQ under Section 2(4) of these Guidelines shall be allowed to operate at full on-site capacity.
5. **All establishments, persons, or activities not permitted to operate, work, or be undertaken during ECQ shall be allowed to operate at fifty percent (50%) on-site capacity**, while encouraging work-from-home and other flexible work arrangements, where applicable.



**Notwithstanding the foregoing, and without prejudice to the authority of DTI to issue a negative list of industries which shall remain prohibited even in areas under MECQ, the following establishments, persons, or activities shall not be permitted to operate, work, or be undertaken during MECQ:**

- a. Entertainment venues with live performers such as karaoke bars, bars, clubs, concert halls, theaters, and cinemas;
  - b. Recreational venues such as internet cafes, billiard halls, amusement arcades, bowling alleys, and similar venues;
  - c. Amusement parks or theme parks, fairs/perya's, kid amusement industries such as playgrounds, playroom and kiddie rides;
  - d. Outdoor sports courts or venues for contact sports, scrimmages, games, or activities;
  - e. Indoor sports courts or venues, fitness studios, gyms, spas or other indoor leisure centers or facilities, and swimming pools;
  - f. Casinos, horse racing, cockfighting and operation of cockpits, lottery and betting shops, and other gaming establishments except for the draws conducted by the Philippine Charity Sweepstakes Office;
  - g. Indoor visitor or tourist attractions, libraries, archives, museums, galleries, and cultural shows and exhibits;
  - h. Outdoor tourist attractions;
  - i. Venues for meetings, incentives, conferences, and exhibitions;
  - j. Personal care services which include beauty salons, beauty parlors, medical aesthetic clinics, cosmetic or derma clinics, make-up salons, nail spas, reflexology, aesthetics, wellness and holistic centers, and other similar establishments; acupuncture and electrocautery establishments, and massage therapy including sports therapy establishments. It also includes establishments providing tanning services, body piercings, tattooing and similar services. Home service for these activities is likewise not permitted; and
  - k. Indoor dine-in services of food preparation establishments such as commissaries, restaurants, and eateries.
6. Agencies and instrumentalities of the government shall be fully operational, with a skeleton workforce on-site and the remainder under alternative work arrangements as approved by the head of agency unless a greater on-site capacity is required in agencies providing health and emergency frontline services, laboratory and testing services, border control, or other critical services, in accordance with the relevant rules and regulations issued by the CSC.
  7. The co-equal or independent authority of the legislature (Senate and the House of Representatives), the judiciary (the Supreme Court, Court of Appeals, Court of Tax Appeals, Sandiganbayan, and the lower courts), the Office of the Ombudsman, and the Constitutional Commissions, to implement any alternative work arrangements, is recognized.
  8. Officials and employees of foreign diplomatic missions and international organizations accredited by the DFA, whenever performing diplomatic functions and subject to the guidelines issued by the DFA, may operate with on-site skeleton workforce.



9. Only hotels or accommodation establishments with valid DOT Accreditation shall be allowed to accommodate guests and clients for legitimate purposes under a state of public health emergency. The operations of such hotels and accommodation establishments, as well as ancillary establishments within their premises such as restaurants, cafés, gyms, spas, function halls, and the like, shall be subject to guidelines issued by the DOT and the IATF. *(As amended by Paragraph A(2) of IATF Resolution No. 43, June 03, 2020, and Paragraph C(2)(4) of IATF Resolution No. 95, January 15, 2021)*

10. Gatherings outside of residences shall be prohibited. Gatherings at residences with any person outside of one's immediate household shall likewise be prohibited. However, gatherings that are essential for the provision of health services, government services, or humanitarian activities authorized by the appropriate government agency or instrumentality shall be allowed.

Religious gatherings shall be allowed up to ten percent (10%) of the venue capacity. Provided, that, there is no objection from the local government unit where the religious gathering may take place. Provided, further, that the LGU may increase the allowable venue capacity up to thirty percent (30%). The religious denominations should strictly observe their submitted protocols and the minimum public health standards.

Gatherings for necrological services, wakes, inurnment, funerals for those who died of causes other than COVID-19 shall be allowed, provided that the same shall be limited to immediate family members, upon satisfactory proof of their relationship with the deceased and with full compliance with the prescribed minimum public health standards for the duration of the activity.

11. Face-to-face or in-person classes shall be suspended. The education sector shall operate in accordance with the guidelines of the CHED for higher education, TESDA for technical vocational education and training, DepEd for basic education.

12. The road, rail, maritime, and aviation sectors of public transportation shall be allowed to operate at such capacity and protocols in accordance with guidelines issued by the DOTr. The use of active transportation such as biking is encouraged.

13. Law enforcement agencies shall recognize any of the following IDs: (i) IATF IDs issued by the regulatory agencies with jurisdiction over permitted establishments or persons, (ii) valid IDs or other pertinent documentations issued by accrediting organizations or establishments allowed under ECQ, and, (iii) if required by the LGU, local IDs for availing of essential goods and services. No other IDs or passes specifically exempting persons from community quarantine shall be required of workers of permitted establishments and/or offices without prejudice to requiring the presentation of other documents establishing the nature of their work. *(As amended by Paragraph B IATF Resolution No. 46, June 15, 2020, and Paragraph B of IATF Resolution no. 106-B, March 28, 2021)*

14. The movement of cargo/delivery vehicles as well as vehicles used by public utility companies shall be unhampered. Shuttle services of permitted establishments shall not be subject to an ID system but shall maintain compliance with minimum public health standards. *(As amended by Paragraph B of IATF Resolution no. 106-B, March 28, 2021)*

15. Private corporations are encouraged to process payrolls online. Payroll managers, and such other employees required for the processing of payroll shall be allowed to travel to their respective offices during MECQ. *(As amended by Paragraph B of IATF Resolution no. 106-B, March 28, 2021)*

16. Individual outdoor exercises such as outdoor walks, jogging, running or biking, are allowed within the general area of their residence, e.g. within the barangay, purok, subdivision, and/or village. Provided, that the minimum public health standards and precautions such as the wearing of face masks, and the maintenance of social distancing protocols are observed.
17. Uniform curfew hours may be imposed by LGUs, subject to the guidelines issued by the DILG. Workers, cargo vehicles, public transportation, and operating hours of permitted establishments, however, shall not be restricted by such curfew.
18. Any violation of the foregoing prohibitions shall constitute non-cooperation of the person or entities punishable under Section 9 par. (d) or (e), as the case may be, of Republic Act No. 11332, otherwise known as the Mandatory Reporting of Notifiable Diseases and Health Events of Public Health Concern Act, and its Implementing Rules and Regulations. *(As introduced by Paragraph C of IATF Resolution no. 106-B, March 28, 2021)*

**Section 3. Additional Instructions and Restrictions** – As stated in the Omnibus Guidelines on The Implementation of Community Quarantine in The Philippines of the IATF, Section [8] General Provisions, item No. 4 “LGUs shall adopt measures lawful and necessary to implement and enforce the minimum public health standards”, the following shall likewise be implemented within the jurisdiction of the Municipality of Taytay.

- A. Curfew Hour** – 8:00 PM to 5:00 AM. Exempted from the curfew are legally on duty employees on their way home or to their workplace, cargo vehicles and public transportation.
- B. Face Mask and Face Shield** – mandatory use at all times in all Establishments and Public Places. Except for motor riding and biking where only Face Mask is mandatory but it is recommended to wear eye shield/goggles specially those who are not wearing a full-face helmet.
- C. Total Liquor Ban** - Selling of all types of alcoholic drinks in all establishments (including but not limited to Markets, Supermarkets, Groceries, Convenience Store, Sari-Sari Store, etc.) shall be prohibited at all times
  - Bringing in Alcoholic Drinks purchased, including through deliveries from outside the municipality shall likewise be prohibited.
  - Drinking/consuming of all types of alcoholic drinks in public places shall be prohibited.
  - Drinking/consuming of all alcoholic beverages in private places with any person outside of one’s immediate household shall be prohibited.
- D. Establishments allowed to Operate** – shall be in operation up to 7:00 PM.
- E. Public Market/All Recognized Talipapa’s/Convenience Store/Sari-sari Store** – shall be in operation from 5:00 AM to 7:00 PM only, delivery of product shall not be prohibited.

As per the PNP-Taytay recommendation, it is recommended for establishments to have one (1) entrance and multiple exits to control the flow of foot traffic.
- F. Food Deliveries** – shall be allowed for twenty-four (24) hours. However, Drive Thru is still not allowed beyond 8:00 PM

**G. Pharmacy/Drug Store** – shall be allowed to operate for twenty-four (24) hours. Groceries part of the drugstores/pharmacy shall remain closed during the curfew hours.

**H. Individual outdoor exercises** – outdoor walks, jogging, running or biking, are allowed within the general area of their residence from 6:00 AM to 9:00 AM.

**I. On Mass Gatherings**

Religious gatherings shall be allowed up to thirty percent (30%) of the venue capacity. Churches, Mosques, Chapels, Sanctuaries, House of Worship must post their maximum venue capacity and the corresponding thirty percent (30%) at the entrance of the said venue.

Gatherings for necrological services, wakes, inurnment, funerals for those who died of causes other than COVID-19 shall be allowed limited to immediate family members only at a maximum of three (3) days.

**J.** Any guidelines/memorandum/advisory from the Department of Trade and Industry and other Department/Sector of the National Government pertaining to the duration of the ECQ shall likewise be implemented.

**K.** Minimum health protocols shall be observed at all times. All allowed establishments shall strictly follow health protocols and observe physical/social distancing in accordance to Ordinance No. 653 series of 2020 of this municipality at all times.

**Section 4. Information Dissemination** – The Public Information Office of this Municipality and the Barangay shall spearhead the information dissemination of this ordinance. They are requested to have a Public Address System to effectively disseminate all enacted Ordinances in the jurisdiction of Taytay, Rizal. 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.

Additionally, the Public Information System is requested to have a hotline/call centers that will cater to the inquiries and clarifications regarding this Ordinance and COVID-19 updates in the municipality.

**Section 5. Monitoring and Implementation.** – the Philippines National Police (PNP-Taytay), the Local Government Unit of Taytay, all Barangay Local Government Units and the Local Chief Executive shall deputize all force multipliers for effective implementation of this ordinance.

**Section 6. Penalty Clause**

**Individual:**

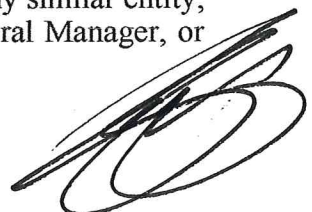
a) **First Offense** - a fine of P 500 or Community Service at the Barangay where the violation occurred or lecture regarding Public Health Protocol to be conducted by the Taytay PNP shall be imposed.

b) **Second and Subsequent Offenses**– a fine of 2,500 and/or imprisonment for 10 to 30 days at the discretion of the proper court shall be imposed.

If the violator is a minor, the procedure in Ordinance No. 694 series of 2021 shall be followed.

**Establishments:**

When the offender is a corporation, partnership, organization or any similar entity, the President and/or General Manager or Managing Partner and/or General Manager, or



such other Officer-In-Charge with the management of the business shall be liable for the penalty herein prescribed.

Violations for business establishments may lead to Closure of establishments concerned to a maximum of three (3) days. Subsequent/Habitual Violations may lead to the revocation of Business Permit.

**Section 7. Applicability Clause**—All matters not covered by the provisions of this Ordinance shall be governed by the pertinent provisions of existing Resolutions, Ordinances, Guidelines and Other Related Issuances of the National Government Agencies or higher offices.

**Section 8. 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.

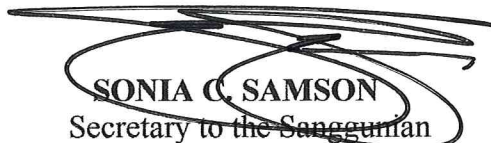
**Section 9. Repealing Clause** - All Ordinances and administrative regulations or part thereof which is inconsistent with any provision of this Ordinance are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

**Section 10. 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 Enhanced Community Quarantine (MECQ) by the National Government.


**Section 11. 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.

ENACTED, this 13<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2021, 3:45 PM at Taytay, Rizal.


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I HEREBY CERTIFY, to the correctness of the foregoing Ordinance which was duly enacted by the Sangguniang Bayan of Taytay on second reading on April 13, 2021 and was passed on third and final reading on April 13, 2021, during the 85<sup>th</sup> Regular Session (Online) held on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2021.

  
**SONIA C. SAMSON**  
Secretary to the Sanggunian  
Officer-in-Charge

ATTESTED AND CERTIFIED TO BE DULY  
ADOPTED BY HER HONOR

  
**HON. MICHELLE B. BERMUNDO**  
Municipal Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer

APPROVED BY HIS HONOR  
DATE \_\_\_\_\_

  
**HON. GEORGE RICARDO R. GACULA II**  
Municipal Mayor