



Republic of the Philippines
SANGGUNIANG BAYAN
Taytay, Rizal

DR No. 2307 - 105

RESOLUTION NO. 240 series of 2023

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE LOCAL CHIEF EXECUTIVE HON. ALLAN MARTINE S. DE LEON, MPA, TO NEGOTIATE AND SIGN CONTRACTS WITH MAYA PHILIPPINES AS THE PAYMENT GATEWAY FOR THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT'S E-PAYMENT TRANSACTIONS AND SERVICES IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF TAYTAY, RIZAL

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WHEREAS, Section 3 Article XIII of the 1987 Constitution provides that the State shall “include the commitment to create economic opportunities based on freedom of initiative and self-reliance”;

WHEREAS, Section 16 of Republic Act (“R.A.”) No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991 states that “[e]very local government unit shall exercise the powers expressly granted, those necessarily implied therefrom, as well as powers necessary, appropriate, or incidental for its efficient and effective governance, and those which are essential to the promotion of the general welfare”;

WHEREAS, Section 3(h) of R.A. No. 10844 otherwise known as the Department of Information and Communications Technology Act of 2015 provides that the State shall “[p]romote the use of ICT for the enhancement of key public services, such as education, public health and safety, revenue generation, and socio-civic purposes”;

WHEREAS, in his speech given at the 2023 International Cable Congress and Exhibit, President Ferdinand R. Marcos Jr. highly encouraged the full digitalization of the Philippine Economy;

WHEREAS, Section 444(b)(1)(vi) of R.A. No. 7160, provides that the Municipal Mayor, upon authorization by the Sangguniang Bayan, may represent the municipality in all its business transactions and sign on its behalf all bonds, contracts, and obligations, and such other documents made pursuant to law or ordinance;

WHEREAS, Maya Philippines’ Business Payment Gateway offers payment solutions that merchants and business-owners can utilize to process payment with enhanced cybersecurity;

WHEREAS, Maya Philippines will not serve as a depository bank which will require the merchants to open an account, but a separate mechanism to provide alternative online payment platform for accessible and convenient transactions with the Municipal Government;

WHEREAS, this payment solution will offer ease and convenience for the Taytayeno merchants and business-owners in their e-payment transactions with the Municipal Government;

WHEREAS, the Payment Gateway will be the first step towards the digitalization of government services in the Municipality of Taytay;

WHEREAS, consistent with the goal of providing *Serbisyong May Ngiti*, the approval of this Resolution is necessary.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved by the 12th Sangguniang Bayan of Taytay, Rizal, in session duly assembled, to AUTHORIZE THE LOCAL CHIEF EXECUTIVE HON. ALLAN MARTINE S. DE LEON, MPA, TO NEGOTIATE AND SIGN CONTRACTS WITH MAYA PHILIPPINES AS THE PAYMENT GATEWAY FOR THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT'S E-PAYMENT TRANSACTIONS AND SERVICES IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF TAYTAY, RIZAL.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that this Resolution does not grant Maya Philippines exclusivity as the official e-payment gateway for the Municipality of Taytay.

RESOLVED FURTHERMORE, that the duly signed contracts between the Municipal Government of Taytay and Maya Philippines shall be ratified first by the Sangguniang Bayan before its full implementation.

RESOLVED FINALLY, that copies of this Resolution be forwarded to the Office of the Municipal Mayor, and all concerned Offices in the Municipal Government of Taytay.

ADOPTED, this 14th day of July 2023, 4:31 PM at the Sangguniang Bayan Session Hall, Municipality of Taytay, Province of Rizal.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, to the correctness of the foregoing Resolution which was duly adopted by the Sangguniang Bayan of Taytay on second reading on July 14, 2023 and was passed on third and final reading on July 14, 2023 during the 51st Regular Session held on the 12th and 14th day of July, 2023.



ATTY. STANLEE D. CALMA
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED AND CERTIFIED TO BE DULY
ADOPTED BY HER HONOR



HON. SOPHIA PRISCILLA L. CABRAL
Municipal Vice Mayor / Presiding Officer