



Republic of the Philippines
Province of Aurora
MUNICIPALITY OF BALER

Office of the Sangguniang Bayan

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF BALER, AURORA WHICH WAS HELD ON AUGUST 08, 2012 AT THE SB SESSION HALL, LEGISLATIVE BUILDING.

Present:

Hon. Nelianto C. Bihasa	Vice Mayor-Presiding Officer
Hon. Danilo M. Ong	SB Member
Hon. Karen G. Angara-Ularan	SB Member- PCL President
Hon. Noel P. Go	SB Member
Hon. Arthur L. Sanchez	SB Member
Hon. Reynaldo E. Mapindan	SB Member
Hon. Nenita DS. Gonzales	SB Member
Hon. Sonia G. Amatorio	SB Member
Hon. Gina Z. Agapito	SB Member-ABC President
Hon. Aya Rose L. Avellaneda	SB Member-SK Fed. Chairman

Absent:

Hon. Gina T. Ritual	SB Member
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ORDINANCE NO. 010-2012

AN ORDINANCE THAT PROHIBITS ALL KIND OF TRUCKS AND CARGO VEHICLES THAT HAUL CONSTRUCTION AGGREGATES, RICE BRAN, SAW DUST, HUSKED COCONUT AND OTHER QUARRY RESOURCES WITHOUT COVER ON ITS CARGOES FROM PLYING WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF BALER, AURORA .

Be it ordained by the Sangguniang Bayan of Baler, Aurora in session assembled that:

Section 1. Title. This Ordinance shall be known and called as “**AN ORDINANCE THAT PROHIBITS ALL KIND OF TRUCKS AND CARGO VEHICLES THAT HAUL CONSTRUCTION AGGREGATES, RICE BRAN, SAW DUST, HUSKED COCONUT AND OTHER QUARRY RESOURCES WITHOUT COVER ON ITS CARGOES FROM PLYING WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF BALER, AURORA ”.**

Section 2. Rationale. This Ordinance wants to protect the citizens from the possible danger and health hazards brought by unsecured loads of above-cited materials and aggregates in trucks and other cargo vehicles.

Section 3. Scope. This Ordinance shall govern to all truck operators/drivers of cargo vehicles of the above-mentioned unsecured materials from plying within the territorial jurisdiction of the Municipality of Baler by requiring them to install a safeguard mechanism as cover for their loads such as canvas, large-size tarpaulins and other similar materials on their trucks and cargo vehicles.

Section 4. Definition of Terms. For purposes of this ordinance, these terms are defined as follows:

1. ***aggregates***- broad category of coarse particulate materials used in constructions including sand, gravel, and crushed stone. It serves as reinforcement to add strength to the over-all composite materials in the constructions.
2. ***canvas***- a strong coarse cloth of unbleached hemp
3. ***plying***- travelling regularly to and from and in-between
4. ***quarrying resources***- any common stone or other common mineral substances such as but not restricted to rocks, limestone, silica and phosphates.

5. **tarpaulin**- a waterproof canvas

6. **truck**- an open container on wheels or vehicles for transporting heavy loads.

Section 5. Enforcement and Implementation. The Municipal Mayor through the Municipal Treasurer, Barangay Council and the duly deputized Traffic Enforcers and/or the Philippine National Police shall enforce this ordinance.

Section 6. Penalty. In the occasion that the truck drivers/operators included in this ordinance shall not comply with the provisions of this ordinance, the following penalties will be imposed as prescribed by this ordinance are as follows:

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| 1 st offense | - | P 1,000.00 |
| 2 nd offense | - | P 1,500.00 |
| 3 rd offense | - | P 2,500.00 or an imprisonment of one (1) month or both at the discretion of the court. |

Section 9. Separability. The provisions of this Ordinance are separable, and in the event that any or more of such provisions are declared invalid, the validity of all other provisions shall not be affected thereby.

Section 10. Repealing Clause. Any Ordinance, Executive Orders and Local Issuance, Rules and Regulations or part thereof, inconsistent with or in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed and or altered accordingly.

Section 11. Effectivity. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval.

ENACTED: **08 August, 2012**

AUTHOR: **HON. KAREN G. ANGARA-ULARAN**
Chairperson-SB Committee on Health

I hereby certify to the correctness of the foregoing ordinance.

GLORIOSO A. VILLAFRANCA
Secretary to the Sangguniang Bayan

Attested:

NELIANTO C. BIHASA
Vice Mayor-Presiding Officer

Approved:

ARTURO J. ANGARA, DMD.
Municipal Mayor

Date: _____