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BSKE polls, sigurado na sa November 2, 2026 ayon sa COMELEC...

TRECE MARTIRES CITY, Cavite – Ang Barangay at Sangguniang Kabataan Election (BSKE) ay magaganap na sa darating na Nobyembre 2, 2026 araw ng Lunes, 10 buwan pa ang hihintayin, subalit pinag-hahandaan na. Ito ang tiniyak ni Commission on Election (COMELEC) Chairman George Garcia kasabay ng paalala sa mga tatakbo o kakandidato na dapat silang maghain o mag-file ng kanilang

Certificate of Candidacy (COC) sa darating na Oktubre 2026.

“I want to announce that the BSKE will definitely happen on November 2. The filing on the COC is set for October,” pahayag ni Garcia sa isang panayam nitong nakalipas na lingo.

Ayon pa sa kanya, ilalabas nila ang calendar or activities para sa BSKE ngayong lingo. Ang pag paparehistro ng mga botante o voters reg-

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Palace: PBBM OKs 5-year registration for new vehicles



MANILA – President Ferdinand R. Marcos Jr. has given “initial approval” to a proposal extending the

registration validity of newly purchased vehicles from three years to five years, Malacañang said Tuesday, as part of efforts to ease the burden on motorists and streamline government transactions.

Palace Press Officer Claire Castro said the proposal was presented by Department of Transportation (DOTr) Acting Secretary Giovanni Lopez during

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DOLE Cavite Awards Leighton Contractors (Asia) Limited for Achieving 10 Million Man-Hours with Zero Lost Time Accident

The Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE) Cavite Provincial Office recognized Leighton Contractors (Asia) Limited for achieving 10 million man-hours with zero lost time accident for its Cavite–Laguna Expressway (CALAX) Project on January 30, 2026, demonstrating the company’s strong commitment to workplace safety and health standards.

The award was presented by DOLE Cavite Provincial Director Marivic B. Martinez, highlighting the importance of sustaining safe and healthy working environments across construction projects in the province.



Mayor SM Matro Suportado ang AGRISDAAN ng Tanza



Mayor Archangelo “SM” Matro

Buong pusong binisita at sinuportahan ni Mayor Archangelo “SM” Matro ang AGRISDAAN, isang programa ng Pamahalaang Bayan ng Tanza na naglalayong direktang pag-ugnayin ang mga lokal na magsasaka at mangingisda sa mga mamim-

iling Tanzeño nitong February 2, 2026.

Sa pamamagitan ng AGRISDAAN, tampok ang sari-sari at de-kalidad na produktong direkta mula sa ating mga farmers at fisherfolks. Kabilang dito ang mga sariwang gulay, prutas, at mushroom tulad ng ampa-

laya, sitaw, pipino, kamatis, okra, upo, talong, pechay, mustasa, munggo, kangkong, talbos ng kamote, kalabasa, pakwan, at marami pang iba.

Available rin ang iba’t ibang processed agricultural products gaya ng mushroom chips,



mushroom kropek, at itlog na maalat, pati na rin ang processed fishery products tulad ng tinapang at daing na bangus at galung-

gong, bagoong alamang, patis alamang, at tuyo.

Hindi rin pahuhuli ang mga dairy buffalo prod-

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Housing beneficiaries have many options to pay amortizations - NHA

MANILA – The National Housing Authority (NHA) on Monday reminded its housing beneficiaries of the various payment options available to help them settle their monthly amortizations.

In a statement, the NHA noted that the availability of digital payment channels such as GCash and the ECPay application system has made amortization payments more accessible, faster and more convenient for beneficiary families.

NHA General Manager Joeben A. Tai said the agency aims to further strengthen its

payment network by expanding alternative payment channels under the NHA Online Payment Gateways (OPG) during his administration.

“Sa pagbubukas ng bagong taon, patuloy po ang pagsusumikap ng NHA na mas palakasin ang payment methodologies tulad ng pagpapatibay ng aming digitalization efforts upang gawing makabago at i-streamline ang aming mga proseso, partikular na sa pagbabayad ng buwanang amortisasyon na mas makakatulong sa mga benepisyaryo ng aming mga proyektong pabahay (As we start the new year, the NHA continues its efforts to further strengthen payment methodologies, including enhancing our digitalization initiatives to modernize and streamline our processes, particularly in the payment of monthly amortizations, which will greatly benefit our housing project beneficiaries),” Tai said.

The NHA has existing partnerships with major e-payment services and applications, including Maya Philippines, Green Apple Technologies & Systems Inc., ESP Collection Agency and Link.BizPortal, as well as over-the-counter partners such as Bayad Center and 7-Eleven, he added.

The initiative is aligned with the government’s thrust to improve transactions and processes under Republic Act 11032, or the Ease of Doing Business and Efficient Government Service Delivery Act of 2018, and the digitalization goals set under Re-

public Act 8792, or the Electronic Commerce Act of 2000.

Meanwhile, the NHA reminded housing beneficiaries who availed of the “Condonation 7” program to strictly comply with their monthly payment schedules to avoid penalties and interest charges and to fully enjoy the benefits of the program.

The “Condonation 7” program ended in December 2025.

Beneficiaries may still pay their amortizations through cashiers at NHA offices.

The NHA continues to develop additional payment options to further ease and simplify housing payments for beneficiary families.

Digital payments are expected to improve the agency’s collection efficiency to generate more funds that can be used for the development of additional housing projects, it said. SOURCE:(PNA)

DENR CALABARZON Revamps Service Standard, Conducts 2025 Citizen’s Charter Workshop

To review and update service processes, requirements, processing times and fees using process improvement principles while aligning it to the current organizational structures, mandates and digital initiatives to

enhance transparency, efficiency, and accountability in public service delivery, the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) CALABARZON conducted its Workshop on the Updating of the 2025 Regional Citizens Charter

on January 27-29, 2026 at DENR CALABARZON Regional Office in Barangay Mayapa, Calamba City, Laguna.

Participated in by its officials and selected employees, Assistant Regional Director for Management Services

Atty. Liezl E. De Mesa provided an overview of the workshop. Meanwhile, OIC Chief of the Planning and Management Division, Cristy M. Balasbas, presented the mechanics, after which participants were grouped according to their respective offices into various breakout sessions.

Updating of the Agency’s Citizen’s Charter is essential to ensure that its service standards remain accurate, transparent, and compliant with laws such as Republic Act No. 11032, more commonly known as Ease of Doing Business, as regular updates prevent red tape, eliminate fixers, and reflect simplified procedures, which maintains public trust, improves service quality, and allows excellent client feedback.#



EDITORIAL

AKKK-SIDENTE???

Araw-araw, nakakahindik at nakakalunos, nakagalit at nakakayamot ang mga ibinabalita sa radio, telebisyon at pahayagan ukol sa mga aksidente sa kalsada na nagaganap sa ibat ibang lugar sa bansa. Motor, nag-overtake sa isang bus, nasalpok ng nakasalubong na kotse, motorista, patay.

Kotse, nag-counter flow sa bus line, sumalpok sa bus, 3 patay. Bus sa SCTEX, nawalan ng preno, 12 patay, 25 sugatan. Driver ng SUV, inaantok daw, sumadsad sa NAIA, 4 na taong gulang na batang babae, patay.

Ang mga iyan ay ilan lamang sa mga naganap na aksidente sa kalsada, na nagging sanhi ng pagkamatay ng mga tao, nadamay, nasayang ang buhay dahil sa KAPABAYAAN. Marami pang ibang nangyari na, at patuloy pa ring nangyayari.

AKSIDENTE. Hindi raw naman sinasadya, kaya nga AKSIDENTE. Wala naman daw may gustong mangyari ang mga naganap na aksidente sa kalye. Subalit isang retired teacher na senior citizen, na nagsabing araw-araw, nanonood siya ng mga balita sa telebisyon, ang mga naganap umanong aksidente ay pinag-isipan niya at gumawa siya ng pag-analisa sa mga ito.

Ayon sa kanya, lumabas sa kanyang pag-iisip, kung hindi raw siya nagkakamali, at “PARDON THE EXRESIONS OR WORDS”, na ang dahilan ng mga AKSIDENTE ay 3, una ay GAGONG DRIVER, pangalawa ay PALPAK NA SASAKYAN at pangatlo ay PALPAK NA KALSADA. Ipinaliwanag pa niya nang isa-isa ang mga ito.

May mga gagong driver na nagmamaneho tulad ng driver sa bus sa SCTEX na umaming “INAANTOK DAW SIYA, DRIVER NG SUV na sumadsad sa NAIA at umaming masakit daw ang ulo niya, at iyong isa naman, umaming NAKAINOM DAW SIYA pero hindi lasing?

May driver na nagse-celpone habang nagmamaneho. Ang mga pumapasadang sasakyan, bus, jeepney, van o kung anuman, dapat bago ilabas, i-CHECK-UP muna, para matiyak na maayos amg PRENO, FULL TANK ang gasoline, at ang mga kalsada ay tiyaking maalwan, walang haring, malinis at matitino ang mga nangangasiwa ng trapiko. Sabi pa niya, inaantok pala, masakit ang ulo, nakainom, ay bakit nagmaneho ang mga driver? Bakit pinayagan ng mga operators? MAY TAMA SA MGA SINABI NI MAM. DISIPLINA, kailangan dapat ay taglay ito ng mga driver na pumapasada. Pag-isipan dapat ang mga puntos niya.

Para kahit paano, sana, mabawasan ang mga nagaganap na AKSIDENTE SA KALSADA, kung saan maraming buhay ang nasasayang.

Panawagan pa sa LTO: Higpitan ang pagkakaloob ng lisensya sa pag-mamaneho at siguruhing sa mga may ISIP at MALASAKIT sa KAPUWA lamang ipagkakaloob, at propesyunal na drivers. NASA DIYOS ANG AWA, NASA TAO ANG GAWA. SA DIYOS, WALANG IMPOSIBLE...

Cavite PESO managers hold 1st Quarter Meeting and Election of Officers



The Office of the Provincial Public Employment Service Manager (OPPESM) successfully hosted the 1st Quarter Meeting and Election of Officers of Cavite PESO Managers, Inc. on January 28, at the New Provincial Government Center in Trece Martires City.

A key highlight of the activity was the election of new officers who will lead the Cavite Cont. on PAGE 5

discussed the plans, programs, and collaborative initiatives aimed at strengthening employment facilitation and workforce development in Cavite. It also served as a venue to align priorities and reinforce coordination among PESO offices.

2026 National Bible Week Celebration sa LGU Naic

Nakikiisa ang Bayan ng Naic sa paggunita ng National Bible Week ngayong Biyernes January 30, 2026, sa Naic Town Plaza kasama ang ating butihing mayor, Mayor Rommel Magbitang. Ang pagdiriwang na ito ay paalala sa mahalagang papel ng Salita ng Diyos sa paghubog ng mabuting asal, matatag na panana-



mpalataya, at wastong pagpapahalaga sa araw-araw na pamumuhay ng bawat Naicqueño. Sa temang “God’s Word Brings L.I.F.E. to Our Hearts and to Our Homes,” binibigyang-diin ang pagmamahal, integridad, pananampalataya, at aktibong pakikilahok sa komunidad—mga pagpapahalagang nagsisilbing gabay tungo sa mas maayos, mapayapa, at nagkakaisang bayan ng Naic.



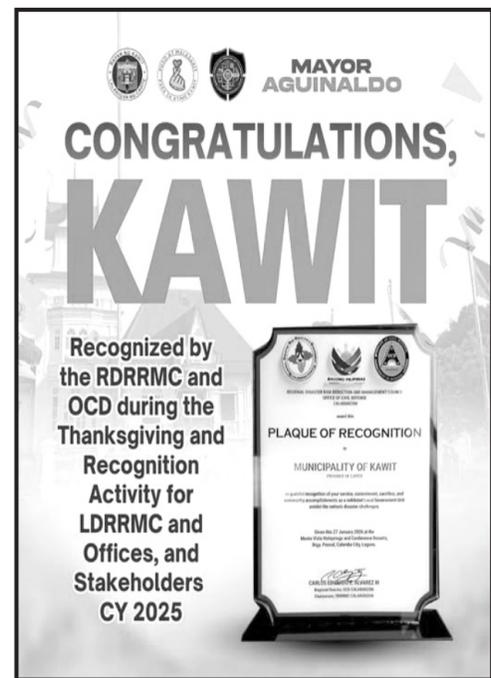
DA-ATI CALABARZON Rolls Out IPCCF Orientations Across the Region

The Internship Program for Children of Coconut Farmers (IPCCF) is a 21-month internship program designed to develop youth competencies in coconut production and agri-entrepise through hands-on training, mentorship, and start-up support. The program empowers young people to become future coconut producers and agri-entrepreneurs across the entire coconut value chain.

To strengthen awareness, clarify program requirements, and streamline the recruitment of qualified applicants, DA-ATI CALABARZON conducted a series of orientation activities across the region.

- A total of five (5) batches were held at various venues in CALABARZON:
- DA-ATI CALABARZON, Trece Martires City, Cavite
- Office of the Provincial Agriculturist, Sta. Cruz, Laguna
- Lopez, Quezon
- San Andres, Quezon

The orientation activities were attended by Agricultural Extension Workers (AEWs), Coconut Development Officers, coconut farmers and their children, learning site cooperators, and farm owners—fostering stronger collaboration and wider participation in the program. The activity was further enriched by an inspirational message from Dr. Rolando V. Maningas, RAgr, Center Director, who encouraged stakeholders to actively support and invest in the development of the next generation of coconut farmers. The successful conduct of the orientations was made possible through the valuable support and collaboration of the Philippine Coconut Authority (PCA) IV.





REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES REGIONAL TRIAL COURT FOURTH JUDICIAL REGION NAIC CAVITE OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF COURT AND EX-OFFICIO SHERIFF

HOME DEVELOPMENT MUTUAL FUND (HDMF) Petitioner-Mortgagee,

-versus- FNC-2023-470

MARISAN NISORTADO JARILLA Respondents-Mortgagors,

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NOTICE OF EXTRA-JUDICIAL SALE

WHEREAS, upon Extra-Judicial Petition for Sale under Act No. 3135 as amended by Act No. 4118, filed by HOME DEVELOPMENT MUTUAL FUND (HDMF) Mortgagee, with postal address at Petron Mega Plaza Building, No. 358 Sen Gil Puyat Avenue, Makati City, against MARISAN NISORTADO JARILLA with postal address at AMAYA 7, TANZA, CAVITE, to satisfy the mortgage indebtedness which as of June 13, 2023, amounted to FOUR HUNDRED FORTY THREE THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED THIRTY SIX PESOS & 06/100 PESOS (P443,136.06) Philippine Currency, excluding penalties, attorney's fees and expenses of the foreclosure, the undersigned authorized Sheriff IV, will sell at public auction on FEBRUARY 17, 2026 at 9:00 in the morning or soon thereafter at the Regional Trial Court, Naic, Cavite, to the highest bidder in CASH or MANAGER'S CHECK and in Philippine Currency the property with all the improvements thereon, to wit:

TRANSFER CERTIFICATE OF TITLE NO. 057-2019008060

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED that certain land situated in BARANGAY TIMALAN, MUNICIPALITY OF NAIC, PROVINCE OF CAVITE, ISLAND OF LUZON, bounded and described as follows:

LOT NO: 34, BLOCK NO: 14, PLAN NO: PCS-04-031172 PORTION OF: CONS-SUBD, OF LOTS 2977 & 2978, FLS-986-D, NAIC ESTATE (VS-04-000597)

LOCATION: BARANGAY OF TIMALAN, MUNICIPALITY OF NAIC, PROVINCE OF CAVITE, ISLAND OF LUZON BOUNDARIES:

Table with columns: LINE, DIRECTION, ADJOINING LOT(S)

Table with columns: LINE, BEARING, DISTANCE

AREA: TWENTY EIGHT SQUARE METERS (28), MORE OR LESS

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 FEBRUARY 24, 2026 at the same time and at the same place mentioned above without further notice.

Prospective bidders/buyers are hereby enjoined to investigate for themselves the title to the said property and en-

IN RE: PETITION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF A NEW OWNER'S DUPLICATE COPY OF TRANSFER CERTIFICATE OF TITLE NO. T-1083473 OF THE REGISTRY OF DEEDS FOR THE PROVINCE OF CAVITE (BACoor BRANCH)

LRC CASE NO. 8843-2025-339

MASAITO DEVELOPMENT CORP. REP. BY ITS LAND ACQUISITION JR. SUPERVISOR, LORAINNE ANN L. CASTRO, Petitioner.

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ORDER

On December 23, 2025, petitioner, through counsel, filed this instant petition alleging among others that: (a) petitioner is the registered owner of a parcel of land covered by TCT No. T-1083473; (b) the property has been declared for taxation purposes; (c) petitioner lost the title in the course of arranging their records on file; (d) the title cannot be recovered despite diligent efforts to recover the same; and (e) an Affidavit of Loss was executed and annotated in the title. Petitioners are praying that the court, after due notice and hearing, render judgment directing the Register of Deeds for the Province of Cavite, Bacoor City Branch to issue another Owner's Duplicate Copy of Transfer Certificate of Title No. T-1083473 with the same force and effect in lieu of the loss one.

Finding the petition to be sufficient in form and substance, the same is set for initial hearing on MAY 12, 2026 (TUESDAY) at 10:00 in the morning at 2nd floor, Main Square Mall, Bacoor Boulevard (formerly Molino Boulevard), Barangay Bayanan, City of Bacoor, Cavite, at which date, place, and hour, any interested person may appear and show cause why the said petition should not be granted.

Petitioner is directed to cause the publication of the copy of this Order at their expense once a week for three (3) consecutive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation in the Cities and Province of Cavite at least thirty (30) days prior to the scheduled date of hearing.

The Sheriff of this court is ordered to post this Order in six (6) conspicuous places in the Province of Cavite, where the subject property is situated at least one (1) month prior to the aforesaid date of hearing, particularly at the bulletin boards of the following: (1) the main entrance of the Provincial Build-

cumbrances thereon if any there be.

Municipality of Naic, Province of Cavite, January 9, 2026

JANELLE V. LAGADON, MBA Sheriff IV

Copy furnished: HOME DEVELOPMENT MUTUAL FUND (HDMF) - Petron Mega Plaza Building, No. 358 Sen Gil Puyat Avenue, Makati City MARISAN NISORTADO JARILLA- AMAYA 7, TANZA, CAVITE BLK 14 LOT 34 PHASE 1 PASINAYA HOMES NORTH TIMALAN NAIC CAVITE

MARIA VICTORIA D. CAPIRAL C/O ATTY. JOHN LINCOLN F. LAURON, Attorney-in-Fact, The Law Firm of Lauron Delos Reyes and Partners Unit 1003 Union Square Condominium, #145 15th Avenue, Cubao, Quezon City

CWC: Jan. 21, 28 & Feb. 4, 2026

ing of Cavite; (2) the main entrance of the City Hall Building of Bacoor City, Cavite; (3) the Hall of Justice of Bacoor City; (4) 2nd floor, Main Square Mall, Bacoor Boulevard (formerly Molino Boulevard), Barangay Bayanan, City of Bacoor, Cavite; (5) the Registry of Deeds, Bacoor City, Cavite; and (6) the Barangay Hall where the property is situated.

SO ORDERED.

IN CHAMBERS, this 13th day of January, 2026 in the City of Bacoor, Cavite.

NIKKI ROSE DELA PEÑA ESPERANZA Presiding Judge

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MASAITO DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION Petitioner 11th Floor Phil. AXA Building, Sen. Gil Puyat Ave. cor. Tindalo St., Makati City Order/Resolution served thru: Date: Remarks: REGISTRY OF DEEDS - CAVITE Public Respondent Provincial Capitol Trece Martires, City, Cavite Order/Resolution served thru: Date: Remarks: ATTY. ERWIN BRYAN S. KANAPI Counsel for Petitioner Rm-201 DRB Bldg., Aguinaldo Highway, Palico 4, Imus City, Cavite atty.erwinbryankanapi@gmail.com 0917-1005679 Order/Resolution served thru: Date: Remarks: REGISTRY OF DEEDS - BACoor CITY Public Respondent Bacoor Government Center Order/Resolution served thru: Date: Remarks: SHERIFF - RTC OCC (6 copies) RTC OCC (1 copy) 2/F Old City Hall, Bacoor City, Cavite Order/Resolution served thru: Date: Remarks: LORAINNE ANN L. CASTRO Representative 11th Floor Phil. AXA Building, Sen. Gil Puyat Ave. cor. Tindalo St., Makati City Order/Resolution served thru: Date: Remarks:

CWC: Jan. 28, Feb. 4 & 11, 2026

ADDENDUM TO THE EXTRA-JUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF SHARE OF STOCK

Notice is hereby given that there is an additional share of stock with MERALCO described as MER-0729105 # OF SHARES-1,490 that has been the subject of an Addendum to the Extra-Judicial Settlement of Share of Stock by and among the heirs of the deceased as per Doc. No. 179, Page No. 36, Book No. V, Series of 2025 of Notary Public Atty. Gabriel B. Octava. Sgd. By all the heirs

CWC: Feb. 4, 11 & 18, 2026

KEEP GOING. EVERYTHING YOU NEED WILL COME TO YOU AT THE PERFECT TIME.

Caritas head urges focus on human dignity, not projects

Catholic social action should focus on restoring human dignity rather than chasing projects or targets, the head of Caritas Philippines said Tuesday.

Bishop Gerardo Alminaza of San Carlos warned that social ministry loses its purpose when it becomes driven by reports, funding cycles, and measurable outputs instead of people.

"Our work cannot be reduced by projects, reports, or targets. These are necessary, but they are not the heart," Alminaza said. "The heart is whether dignity is restored."

He spoke during Mass to formally open the 42nd National Social Action General Assembly (NASAGA) at the Mother of Grace Convention Center in Tagaytay City.

The gathering, which runs through Feb. 6, brought together some bishops, priests, conse-

crated persons, and laypeople involved in social action ministry in different dioceses across the country.

Alminaza said the Church must see the poor not as beneficiaries, but as partners who help shape their own future.

Listening deeply to communities is essential, he said, because injustice is often expressed through silence, damaged land and broken livelihoods.

"The most important voices are often the least heard — the poor, the displaced, the workers, indigenous communities, and today, even the wounded earth itself," he said.

The bishop said dignity-centered work demands patience, especially when progress is slow and resistance from powerful interests remains strong.

"Panagutanan (responsibility) means we

stay, even when results are not immediate," Alminaza said, using the Filipino word for responsibility.

He said faith-based action is not denial of hardship, but courage to continue working even when hope appears unreasonable.

"Reacting is easy. Responding is harder," he said. "But only response rooted in faith leads to lasting change," he said.

Alminaza linked dignity-based ministry to environmental and economic issues, saying wounded communities and damaged ecosystems reflect the same injustice.

As Caritas Philippines marks 60 years of organized social action, he urged church workers to deepen listening and long-term accompaniment.

He said success should be measured not by completed projects, but by whether people stand with dignity and hope.

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a meeting with the President in Malacañang.

"Naipakita po ni Secretary Lopez ang kagandahan po nito (Secretary Lopez was able to present the advantages of the proposal), Castro said in a Palace briefing.

"At inisyal po na naaprubahan ito ng Pangulo at susundan po ito ng mga memorandum na gagawin po ng DOTr so hintayin na lamang po natin 'to" (The President initially approved it and this will be followed by memorandum to be issued by the DOTr, so we just have to wait), she added.

The Palace said the proposal is expected to reduce the frequency of vehicle registration trans-

actions, shorten queues at government offices, and lower compliance costs for motorists, particularly owners of brand-new vehicles.

During the meeting, Lopez briefed the President on ongoing improvements in railway operations, including the rehabilitation of MRT-3 facilities at the Quezon Avenue Station, the continued rollout of cashless payment systems at MRT-3, and the planned introduction of cashless payments in LRT-1 and LRT-2 this year.

Lopez also reported the refurbishment of the remaining Dalian trains to increase MRT-3 capacity. On major infra-

structure projects, Castro said partial operations of the North-South Commuter Railway are expected to begin in 2027 for the Valenzuela-to-Malolos segment and in 2028 for Malolos-to-Clark. Partial operations of MRT-7, which will connect Quezon City and Bulacan, are also targeted for 2027.

Meanwhile, the Metro Manila Subway is scheduled to begin its demo run in 2028, with full operations expected by 2033.

Castro said the President discussed measures to ensure faster, more comfortable travel including shorter queues, additional trains and longer operating hours. source:(PNA)

BSKE...from p1 Mayor SM Matro suportado ang AGRISDAAN...from p1

istration ay muling nagpatuloy simula pa noong Oktubre 20, 2025 at mag-tatapos ito May 18, 2026. Muling ipinaalala rin ni Garcia na ang mga eligible o maaaring bumoto sa SK ay iyong mga may edad na 15-24 taong gulang.

I dinagdag pa niya na ang COMELEC ay maglalagay ng satellite registration sites para maging mas accessible at madali ang proseso lalo na sa mga kabataan.

ucts na gawa mula sa gatas ng kalabaw, gaya ng fresh carabao milk, chocomilk, pastillas, kasiyo, at iba pang masasarap na produkto.

Layunin ng AGRISDAAN na palakasin ang kabuhayan ng mga

Tanzeñong magsasaka at mangingisda sa pamamagitan ng direktang bentahan, habang natitiyak na ang mamamayan ay may access sa sariwa, masustansiya, at abot-kayang pagkain. Sugod na sa AGRISDAAN, mga Tanzeño!

Cavite PESO managers...from page3

PESO Managers, Inc. for the current term. Dr. Abraham D. De Castro, Bacoor City PESO Manager was elected as President, while Ms. Rizalie P. Enero, Provincial Public Employment Service Manager was chosen as Vice President. The PESO Manager of Silang, Mr. John Christian Paolo M. Bel-

en was elected as Secretary, Ms. Lynette M. Bayot, PESO Amadeo as Treasurer, Mr. Jon P. Gozo, PESO City of General Trias as Auditor, and Mr. Edwin E. Tolentino, PESO City of Carmolina as Public Relations Officer (PRO).

he newly elected officers expressed their commitment to further

enhance cooperation among PESO offices and to actively support employment programs and services for Caviteños.

The meeting concluded with a shared resolve to continue working together in advancing inclusive and responsive employment initiatives across the province. — OPIO

City Mayor Gemma B. Lubigan Leads...from p6



ng Trece Martires, kabilang ang mga Department Heads at Division Heads, gayundin ang mga kinatawan mula sa ilang National Government Agencies at Non-Government Organizations.

Lubos ang pasasalamat ng buhiting alkalde sa mga panauhini, partikular kina Mr. Josef Alec D. Geradila ng National Historical Commission of the Philippines (NHCP) at Ms. Elinia Imelda Rozelle S. Sangalang, Provincial Tourism Officer, sa kanilang mahahalagang mensahe at aktibong pakikilahok sa okasyon. Pina-



salamatan din ang Office of the City Tourism Officer sa matagumpay na pasasagawa ng programa. Ayon kay Mayor Lu-

bigan, ang inagurasyong ito ay patuloy na paalala ng pagpapahalaga sa kasaysayan ng sama-samang paglinang ng diwang makabayan.

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ANTI-EPAL DRIVE: DILG Orders Immediate Removal of officials' Names and Images from Government Projects

The Department of the Interior and Local Government has ordered the strict nationwide enforcement of the Anti-Epal policy, directing all local government units and DILG offices to immediately remove the names, images, and likenesses of public officials from all government funded projects, programs, activities, and properties.

Under DILG Memorandum Circular No. 2026-006, all provincial, city, municipal, and barangay officials, including DILG central, regional, and field offices

and attached agencies, are required to ensure that no public official's name, photo, logo, initials, color motif, slogan, or any identifying symbol appears on project

signages, markers, tarpaulins, and similar materials funded by public money.

Interior and Local Government Secretary Jonvic Remulla stressed that government projects are paid for by the people and must never be used for personal promotion.

Government programs are not per-

sonal billboards. These are funded by taxpayers and must reflect public service, not political credit grabbing.

The Circular cites the 1987 Constitution's principle that public office is a public trust, the Code of Conduct and Ethical Standards for Public Officials and Employees, and Commission on Audit rules that classify such personalized displays as unnecessary expenses. It is further reinforced by the 2026 General Appropria-

**Interior and Local
Government Secretary
Jonvic Remulla**



tions Act which explicitly prohibits attaching officials' names and images to government funded projects.

All concerned officials and employees are directed to cause the immediate removal and correction of non-compliant materials. Heads of offices are accountable for full and prompt compliance, as well as for cascading the directive

to all units under their supervision.

The DILG also reiterated the call of President Ferdinand Marcos Jr. to keep government projects free from political self-promotion and personality branding, and encouraged citizens to report violations of the Anti-Epal policy.

Public funds are for public service. Not for personal publicity.

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City Mayor Gemma B. Lubigan Leads Jose Rizal Monument Inauguration



**City Mayor Gemma
Buendia Lubigan**

Pinangunahan ni Trece Martires City Mayor Gemma Lubigan ang Inauguration of the Jose Rizal Monument na ginanap sa Bagong Trece People's Park noong Enero 28, 2026.

Nakasama sa okasyon sina Vice Mayor Bobby Montehermo-

so, ang mga kasapi ng 12th Sangguniang Panlungsod, at ang mga Punong Barangay sa pangunguna ni Liga ng mga Barangay President Abet Montehermoso.

Dumalo rin ang mga opisyal at kawani ng Pamahalaang Lungsod

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