



Republic of the Philippines
City of Surigao

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD

ORDINANCE NO. 541
SERIES OF 2025

AN ORDINANCE ALLOWING THE CONDUCT OF A CHRISTMAS
BAZAAR FOR THE 2025 HOLIDAY SEASON.

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Chairman, Committee on Trade, Business, Industry and Economic Enterprise

WHEREAS, the Christmas season is a time of heightened economic activity, providing an opportunity for local businesses to thrive and contribute to the city's economic development;

WHEREAS, the Local Government recognizes the need to support local entrepreneurs and small business owners by providing opportunities to earn additional income, particularly during this holiday season when the demand for Christmas goods, gifts, and festive items is high;

WHEREAS, the Christmas Bazaar will offer residents and visitors a venue to enjoy a variety of unique and locally-produced items, enhancing their holiday experience and fostering a sense of community spirit within Surigao City;
WHEREAS, it is essential to temporarily designate specific areas of the city, including portions of streets, alleys, and sidewalks, for the orderly conduct of the Christmas Bazaar, ensuring public safety and compliance with the provisions of the Local Government Code and other applicable laws;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it ordained by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of the City of Surigao, in session assembled, that:

SECTION 1. LOCATION OF THE CHRISTMAS BAZAAR. The Christmas Bazaar is hereby authorized to operate from December 5, 2025, to January 5, 2026, along San Nicolas Street, from the corner of Magallanes Street towards the corner of Rizal Street, the designated section is along the Luneta Park side.

SECTION 2. ACTIVITIES ALLOWED. The bazaar shall permit the display and sale of Christmas goods, gifts, local delicacies, fruits, and dry goods, except used clothing. However, the sale of firecrackers and pyrotechnics in any form or quantity is strictly prohibited to ensure public safety.

SECTION 3. SIZE OF STALL. Each stall shall occupy an area of nine (9) square meters, with dimensions of three (3) meters by three (3) meters.

SECTION 4. PROHIBITION OF MULTIPLE STALLS. Each vendor shall be limited to one stall. Only residents of Surigao City are eligible to apply for a stall under this ordinance.

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SECTION 5. SPECIAL TASK FORCE. A Special Task Force is created to implement and oversee the Christmas Bazaar. The Task Force shall be composed of:

- City Administrator (Chairperson)
- City Treasurer m City Tourism Officer
- City General Services Officer
- City Engineer
- CSU Chief
- City Traffic Administrator
- City ENRO
- Chief of the City PNP
- Business Permit & Licensing Officer
 - Punong Barangay of Barangay Washington

SECTION 6. PARKING AREAS FOR THE DURATION OF THE CHRISTMAS BAZAAR. The following areas are designated as temporary parking zones for the duration of the Bazaar:

- Along Magallanes Street, from San Nicolas Street to Amat Street.
- Along Amat Street, from Magallanes Street to Rizal Street.
- Along Rizal Street, from Amat Street to San Nicolas Street, exclusively during the Misa de Gallo from December 16 to December 25, between 3:30 AM to 7:00 AM, Simbang Gabi between 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM, and Christmas Mass on December 24 between 7:00 PM to 11:30 PM.

SECTION 7. FEES, PERMITS, AND CLEARANCES.

• **BARANGAY CLEARANCE**

As a prerequisite for the permit, applicants shall secure a Barangay Clearance from Barangay Washington with a fee of Three Hundred Pesos (P300.00) remitted to the Barangay Treasurer of Barangay Washington.

• **SPECIAL BUSINESS PERMIT**

Vendors must secure a Special Business Permit from the Business Permit Licensing Office (BPLO) of Surigao City. A permit fee of Five Hundred Pesos (P500.00) per stall shall apply. Permits will not be issued to applicants who are delinquent in local business and amusement taxes.

• **RENTAL FEE PER STALL**

Traders occupying designated stalls shall pay a rental fee of Forty Pesos (P40.00) per square meter per day.

• **ELECTRICITY**

The City Government will provide electricity, with a charge of Two Thousand Pesos (P2,000.00) per stall for up to 125 kilowatts.



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• **GARBAGE FEE**

A garbage fee of Five Hundred Pesos (P500.00) per stall shall be collected to ensure proper waste management.

• **PAYMENT OF RENTALS AND FEES**

Stallholders must pay upfront for thirty (30) days' rent, along with the fees for barangay clearance, special business permit, electricity, and garbage collection before setting up their stalls.

SECTION 8. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. Should any section or provision of this ordinance be deemed invalid, the remaining provisions shall continue to be in effect.

SECTION 9. REPEALING CLAUSE. All previous ordinances or parts thereof that are inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

SECTION 10. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its approval.

ENACTED, this 27th day of November 2025 at the City of Surigao.


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City Councilor


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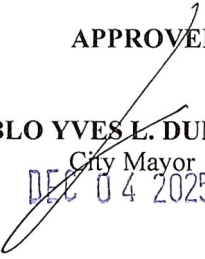
I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS RESOLUTION
HAS BEEN DULY APPROVED BY THE
SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD ON NOVEMBER 27, 2025.


EDNA B. SIEGA
City Government Department Head I
Secretary, Sangguniang Panlungsod

ATTESTED:


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City/Councilor
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APPROVED:


PABLO YVES L. DURLAO II
City Mayor
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