



Republic of the Philippines
PROVINCE OF ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR
Municipality Of San Pablo
OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN



EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 17TH REGULAR SESSION OF THE 12TH SANGGUNIANG BAYAN SAN PABLO, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR, HELD AT SB SESSION HALL, 2ND FLOOR, MULTI-PURPOSE BUILDING, POBLACION, SAN PABLO, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR ON NOVEMBER 17, 2025.

RESOLUTION NO. 2025 - 72

"A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING ANIMAL INSPECTION CHECKPOINTS IN BARANGAYS PAYAG, TUBOPAIT, CULASIAN, AND KALILANGAN, ALL OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF SAN PABLO, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR, TO STRENGTHEN THE MONITORING, REGULATION, AND CONTROL OF ANIMAL MOVEMENT AND ENFORCEMENT OF VETERINARY, SANITARY, AND QUARANTINE LAWS."

WHEREAS, the Municipality of San Pablo recognizes the urgent need to monitor and regulate the movement of livestock, poultry, and other animals within its territorial jurisdiction in order to prevent the spread of animal diseases and ensure the safety of consumers;

WHEREAS, the establishment of Animal Inspection Checkpoints will aid the Municipality in enforcing RA 9296 (Meat Inspection Code), RA 9482 (Anti-Rabies Act), RA 8485 (Animal Welfare Act), relevant DA Administrative Orders, and local regulations concerning animal health and food safety;

WHEREAS, the Municipal Agriculture Office (MAO), together with the Municipal Veterinary Services Unit, has recommended the establishment of strategic checkpoints in major entry and exit points of the municipality;

WHEREAS, the barangays of Payag, Tubopait, Culasian, and Kalilangan serve as major routes for the movement and trading of animals, thus making them ideal locations for Animal Inspection Checkpoints;

WHEREFORE, on motion of Hon. Esmael M. Abellanosa, duly seconded by Hon. Joefel G. Medico, be it

RESOLVED, to APPROVE the establishment of Animal Inspection Checkpoints in the following barangays:

1. Barangay Payag
2. Barangay Tubopait
3. Barangay Culasian
4. Barangay Kalilangan

These checkpoints shall operate under the authority and supervision of the **Municipal Agriculture Office (MAO)**.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that the following mechanics and procedures shall govern the operation of the Animal Inspection Checkpoints:

1. Composition of Checkpoint Team

Each checkpoint shall be manned by:

- Municipal Livestock Inspector (Team Leader)
- Barangay Tanods or Barangay Public Safety Officers
- A PNP representative (when available)
- MAO staff
- Municipal Veterinarian or Animal Health Worker (on call)

2. Primary Functions

Checkpoint personnel shall:

- a. Conduct visual inspection of animals;
- b. Verify veterinary health certificates, shipping permits, and transport documents;
- c. Inspect meat products for proper Meat Inspection Certificates;
- d. Record all transported animals in the checkpoint logbook;
- e. Coordinate with DA, PVO, MAO, and PNP for quarantine or legal action when needed.

3. Documents Required

Transporters must present:

- a. Veterinary Health Certificate (VHC)
- b. Shipping Permit / Livestock Movement Permit
- c. Certificate of Ownership (for large animals)
- d. Local Animal Movement Clearance issued by MAO
- e. Vaccination records (dogs/cats – RA 9482)
- f. Barangay Certificate of origin
- g. Meat Inspection Certificate (for meat cargo)

4. Prohibited Acts

- Transport of animals without proper documents
- Transport of diseased, injured, or contaminated animals
- Falsification or alteration of permits
- Non-cooperation or refusal to undergo inspection
- Unauthorized slaughter or sale of undocumented animals

5. Checkpoint Logbook

A permanent logbook shall be maintained containing:


- Date and time
- Name of transporter
- Vehicle description/plate number
- Species and number of animals
- Documents presented
- Observations
- Names and signatures of inspecting officers

RESOLVED FURTHER, that all barangays concerned shall assist in manpower, monitoring, and local implementation of the checkpoints, and that the Municipal Mayor is hereby authorized to issue supplementary executive guidelines or administrative orders necessary for effective implementation of this Resolution.

RESOLVED FINALLY, that copies of this Resolution be furnished to the Municipal Mayor, Municipal Agriculture Office, MAO-Livestock Division, Philippine National Police – San Pablo, and the concerned barangays for their information and compliance.

"UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED."

Certified correct:


NELITA P. SUMBI
Sanggunian Secretary

Verified:


DENNIS P. CORDERO
Floor Leader/SB Member

Attested:


ATTY. FLAVIO B. CORDERO, JR.
Vice Mayor / Presiding Officer

