Republic of the Philippines
Province of Oriental Mindoro
**MUNICIPALITY OF ROXAS**

**OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN**

EXCERPTS FROM THE JOURNAL OF THE 5th SPECIAL SESSION OF THE 10TH SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF ROXAS, ORIENTAL MINDORO HELD ON 22 JANUARY 2020 10:00 A. M. AT THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN SESSION HALL

Present:

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| Vice Mayor Gualberto V. Magno | - Presiding Officer |
| Councilor Agustin L. Cusi | - Member |
| Councilor David D. De La Cruz | - Member |
| Councilor John John S. Yason | - Member |
| Councilor Robert S. Quiatchon | - Member |
| Councilor Juan Rafael M. Talens | - Member |
| Councilor Ronel S. Sescar | - Member |
| Councilor Celso M. Dimapilis | - President, Liga ng mga Barangay |
| Councilor Elmira May V. Tarac | - President, Mun. SK Federation |

Absent:

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| Councilor Jerwin S. Dimapilis | - Member |
| Councilor Lucille T. Bacay | - Member |

**MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 07**
Series of 2020

*AN ORDINANCE EXTENDING THE DEADLINE FOR THE RENEWAL OF BUSINESS PERMITS IN ROXAS, ORIENTAL MINDORO FROM JANUARY 20, 2020 UNTIL FEBRUARY 07, 2020 WITHOUT PENALTIES TO ACCOMMODATE TAXPAYERS..*

AUTHORS:

Hon. **AGUSTIN L. CUSI**
Hon. **JOHN JOHN S. YASON**
Hon. **JUAN RAFAEL M. TALENS**
Hon. **CELSO M. DIMAPILIS**
Hon. **DAVID D. DE LA CRUZ**
Hon. **ROBERT S. QUIATCHON**
Hon. **RONEL S. SESCAR**
Hon. **ELMIRA MAY V. TARAC**

WHEREAS, at the start of the year taxpayers and owners of business establishments in this municipality are congregating in droves at the Municipal Hall to either apply for new business permits or renew their old ones;

WHEREAS, the second and third weeks of the month of January, all applications for renewal and new business permits were not fully accommodated that until January 20, which is the deadline for filing, there are still applicants lining at the Municipal Treasurer's Office based on experience from previous years;

WHEREAS, on top of this the Municipal Treasurer's Office has still to complete the updating of all records for the E-TRACS (Enhanced Tax Revenue Assessment and Collection System);

WHEREAS, with the following circumstances which are beyond the control of the taxpayers who failed to comply the requirements within the deadline, and sympathizing their plight, there is a need for this body to extend the deadline of the renewal of business permits to accommodate taxpayers without penalties;

**LEO G. CUSI, SR.** **GUALBERTO V. MAGNO** **FERDINAND V. TALENS, MPA**

WHEREAS, Section 167 of the Local Government Code states that, *"unless otherwise provided in this Code, all local taxes, fees and charges shall be paid within the first twenty (20) days of January or of each subsequent quarter, as the case maybe. The Sanggunian concerned may, for justifiable reason or cause, extend the time of payment of such taxes, fees or charges without surcharges or penalties, but only for a period not exceeding six (6) months".*

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Sangguniang Bayan in session assembled that:

SECTION 1. There is **EXTENDED** as the same is hereby **EXTENDED** until February 07, 2020, the deadline for the renewal of business taxes and fees, without penalties to accommodate taxpayers.

SECTION 2. EFFECTIVITY. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

On motion of Councilor David D. De La Cruz and on mass sponsorship this Ordinance is hereby ENACTED.

Adopted: 22 January 2020

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CERTIFIED CORRECT:

**FERDINAND V. TALENS, MPA**
Secretary to the Sangguniang Bayan

ATTESTED:

**GUALBERTO V. MAGNO**
Municipal Vice Mayor

APPROVED:

**LEO G. CUSI, SR.**
Municipal Mayor
Date: 01. 27. 2020

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