



Republic of the Philippines  
Province of Agusan del Sur  
**MUNICIPALITY OF TRENTO**

## OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

THIRTEENTH SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

**EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 35<sup>TH</sup> REGULAR SESSION OF THE HONORABLE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF TRENTO HELD AT THE SB SESSION HALL, TRENTO, AGUSAN DEL SUR ON AUGUST 15, 2017**

**PRESENT:**

Hon. John Arbee A. Agcopra	Sangguniang Bayan Member (Temporary Presiding Officer)
Hon. Edcil Marie D. Pagayon	Sangguniang Bayan Member
Hon. George G. Diel	Sangguniang Bayan Member
Hon. Permita B. Lamberto	Sangguniang Bayan Member
Hon. Rose P. Mabunga	Sangguniang Bayan Member
Hon. Edgar C. Abiao	Ex-Officio Member (ABC President)

**ABSENT:** NONE

**ON OFFICIAL BUSINESS:**

Hon. Felimon S. Marte

Municipal Vice Mayor

### **"MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 028 Series of 2017**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 9-90 "IMPOSING A SAFETY HOUR ALONG THE PERIMETER AREA OF TRENTO PUBLIC MARKET FROM 10:00 PM TO 3:00 AM" TO INCLUDE THE ENTIRE MUNICIPALITY IN THE COVERAGE OF THE SAFETY HOUR**

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**SECTION 1. DECLARATION OF POLICY.** It shall be the policy of the municipality to reduce petty crimes and acts of violence committed by and among minor children which usually occur during night-time.

It shall also be the policy of the municipality to promote the safety and well-being of children by compelling them to be secured in their homes at night.

**SECTION 2. DEFINITION OF TERMS.** As used in this ordinance, the terms shall mean as follows:

- A. Safety Hour – shall refer to the period when all minors are required to be kept safe and secured in their respective homes.
- B. Minor – shall refer to persons aged below eighteen
- C. Unaccompanied Minor – shall refer to a minor who is seen outside of his/her home without the supervision of an adult who must be a relative, a teacher or other persons with legal authority over the minor.
- D. Night school – shall refer to educational institutions duly registered and authorized to conduct regular classes during night-time.

**SECTION 3. COVERAGE.** This ordinance shall be applicable in the entire municipality and to all persons below the age of 18, both residents and non-residents, save for the exceptions enumerated in Section 5 hereof.

**SECTION 4. SAFETY HOUR.** There is hereby declared, in the entire municipality, a safety hour from 10:00 PM to 4:00 AM. Unaccompanied minors are hereby prohibited from roaming or staying on the streets, parks, bars, cafes, and other public places during the safety hour.

**SECTION 5. EXCEPTIONS.** The following persons shall be exempt from the coverage of this ordinance.

- A. Night-school students. The student must be in school uniform and/or able to present valid school ID
- B. Tabo Vendors. Vendors who are minors must present valid ID and valid business permit issued by LGU Trento to their employer or guardian. Provided, the exemption shall be applicable only from Friday evening to Monday morning.

Minors on medical errand or emergency. The minor sent on an errand to purchase medicine or find medical help shall be able to present valid ID and provide reasonable details for the emergency.

**SECTION 6. PENALTY.** Violation of this ordinance shall be penalized as follows:

First Offense	: Warning
Second Offense	: 8 hours Community Service for both minor and guardian
Third Offense	: 8 hours Community Service for both minor and guardian, Fine in the amount of Php1,500.00

**SECTION 7. SUSPENSION OF SAFETY HOUR.** During special occasions and activities such as but not limited to Festivals, Town Fiesta and other religious activities, and school-related activities, the application of safety hour shall be temporarily suspended by the Local Chief Executive upon application by the event organizers. Provided, the suspension shall only be applicable to the participants to such events.

The order of suspension issued by the Municipal Mayor shall indicate the following:

- Activity and Organizers
- Specific date and time of duration of the suspension
- School/Group of participants

**SECTION 8. STATUTORY CONSTRUCTION.** The provisions of this ordinance shall be liberally constructed in favor of the person who is able to show proper identification and reasonable cause for being out in public place within the safety hours;

**SECTION 9. ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS.** The personnel of Trento Police Station, assisted by the Barangay Tanod of each barangay, shall be the lead implementing agency of this ordinance.

**SECTION 10. REPEALING CLAUSE.** All ordinances contrary to or inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.


**SECTION 11. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE.** If any part or provision of this ordinance is declared unconstitutional or invalid, the same shall not affect the validity and effectivity of the other parts or provisions hereof.

**SECTION 12. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE.** This Ordinance shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in a newspaper of local or general circulation or posting in at least two (2) conspicuous places in the municipality.


**SO ORDAINED / ENACTED.**

ADOPTED this 15<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2017.

ATTESTED BY:

  
**JOHN ARBEE A. AGCOPRA**  
SB Member  
Temporary Presiding Officer

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

  
**KENNETH CARL B. ROMO**  
Administrative Aide IV  
Temporary Secretary to the Sanggunian

APPROVED:

  
**WILLIAM E. CALVEZ, CE**  
Municipal Mayor

Date signed: 9-04-2017