

# Community Awareness and Compliance to the Municipal Ordinances in the First District of Capiz, Western Visayas, Philippines

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## Abstract:

This study aimed to assess the level of awareness of the residents in the first district of Capiz to municipal ordinances. A stratified random sample of 256 residents for each municipality, equally allocated by type of residents was used as respondents of the study. The study was conducted in the first congressional district of Capiz before COVID-19 pandemic. Descriptive-correlational method of research was used in the study. Results showed that all municipalities in the first district of Capiz implemented an ordinance on the prohibition on the use of cigarettes and tobacco. Residents from the municipalities in the first district of Capiz were aware of the ordinances implemented in their respective municipalities, but moderately complied with the said ordinances. The compliance to municipal ordinances is influenced by the lack of awareness of the residents as well as the lax implementation of the said ordinance. Effective information dissemination, rigorous and serious implementation and higher penalties are possible measures that could help improve the compliance of the residents towards municipal ordinances.

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## 1. Introduction

As stated in the Local Government Code of 1991, the State shall provide for a more responsive and accountable local government structure instituted through a system of decentralization whereby local government units shall be given more powers, authority, responsibilities, and resources. Thus, the Local Government Units or the municipal governments have been established to better facilitate the provision of basic social services to its constituents as well as to expedite the development of their own communities. As it is the duty of the LGUs to administrate its own locality, they are given the power or authority to impose rules and regulations to not only uphold the peace and order but also to foster development and progress. This is further supported in R.A. 7160, which provided for a continuing mechanism to enhance local autonomy not only by legislative enabling acts but also by administrative and organizational reforms. These rules and regulations passed by the LGUs are called ordinances. Many ordinances deal with maintaining public safety, health, morals, and general welfare. It is enacted primarily to regulate behavioral conduct of its citizens.

The promulgation of relevant ordinances promotes the smooth and efficient realization of continuous prog-

ress in the community.

It is, however, disappointing that some of the ordinances that are passed by the LGUs are not strictly implemented or followed by the people, even though these ordinances have corresponding penalties.

One key factor in the implementation of any ordinance is the awareness of the people, thus, new ordinances are required to be disseminated through public assembly, published and posted on conspicuous places so that people may know of the existing ordinance. Therefore, when people has little or no knowledge of a certain ordinance, they are more likely to violate these. It is in this context that the researcher conducted this study to assess the extent of awareness and compliance of the residents on the municipal ordinances in the first district of Capiz.

Specifically, the study was conducted to find out the respondent's profile, the municipal ordinances passed by the municipalities for the last five years, the extent of the level of awareness and compliance of the residents on municipal ordinances, the problems encountered by the residents in complying the municipal ordinances and recommendations to improve the implementation of municipal ordinances.

### 1.1 Methodology

This study utilized the descriptive type of research. According to Gay (1992), descriptive research is a design that aims to describe the nature of a situation as it exists at the time of the study and explore the cause of particular phenomena. One-shot survey design was employed in determining the necessary data used.

This study was conducted in the first district of Capiz before COVID-19 pandemic. First district of Capiz comprised of six municipalities namely: Panay, Panitan, Pontevedra, Pilar, Pres. Roxas, and Maayon.

The respondents of the study were the residents of the first district of Capiz. Residents were classified as group of professional, women, youth, and senior citizens.

The sample population size was obtained based in the following computation:

When N is unknown but more than 10,000, the formula is:

$$n = \frac{Z^2 pq}{d^2}$$

where n = the desired sample size

z = the standard normal variate, usually set at 1.96, which corresponds to the 95% level of confidence

p = the proportion in the target population estimated to have a particular characteristic. If there is no reasonable estimate, then use 50%

q = 1.0 – p

d = degree of accuracy desired, usually set at either 0.05, 0.025 or 0.01

Given N is over 10,000

$$p = \frac{a}{N}$$

Where:

$$p = \frac{\text{Number of Women*}}{\text{Number of Pontevedra Residents*}}$$

$$= \frac{7,251}{34,363}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 p &= 0.211 \\
 q &= 0.789 \\
 d &= 0.50 \\
 Z_{0.9500} &= 1.96 \\
 d &= 0.05 \\
 n &= \frac{(1.96)^2 (0.211)(0.789)}{(0.05)^2} \\
 n &= 256 \text{ samples per municipality}
 \end{aligned}$$

Stratified random sampling with equal allocation according to type of residents was employed in selecting the respondents. To obtain the appropriate sample size for each type of residents, the formula is:

$$\begin{aligned}
 n_i &= \frac{n}{\# \text{ of sectors}} \\
 &= \frac{256}{4} \\
 n_i &= 64 \text{ per sector per municipality}
 \end{aligned}$$

*\*Household Population by Marital Status by City/Municipality by Age Groups and Sex: May 1, 2010.*

The study utilized a self-structured questionnaire for the resident-respondents to measure the level of awareness and extent of compliance. The instrument was pilot tested to at least 30 nonrespondents with a reliability score of 91 percent (Cronbach alpha). The questionnaire is composed of three parts, Part I consists of demographic information of residents; Part II catered on measuring their level of awareness and extent of compliance on the existing ordinance formulated for the last three years of the legislators of the six municipalities of the First Congressional District of Capiz; and; Part III for the problems encountered by the respondents in complying the ordinances and recommendations for the improvement of the implementation of the ordinances.

After the final revision of the instrument based on validation and pretesting, the researcher secured permission to conduct the study from the Office of the Mayor of the different municipalities in the first district of Capiz. Upon approval, the checklist and the questionnaires were disseminated and administered personally by the researcher to 256 randomly selected respondents to ensure its proper accomplishment. The data gathered were tallied, computer-processed, analyzed and interpreted.

The level of awareness of the respondents on the provisions of municipal ordinances was determined by utilizing a 5-point Likert scale. A Likert scale is a unidimensional scaling method, which is an ideal and a reliable way to measure the degree of the attitude and behavior being studied (<http://www.socialresearchmethods.net/kb/scallik.php>). It was categorized as 5 for fully aware, 4 for aware, 3 for moderately aware, 2 for slightly aware and 1 for not aware.

The extent of compliance of the residents on the provisions of municipal ordinances was also identified with a 5-point Likert Scale. Five (5) for fully complied, 4 for complied, 3 for moderately complied, 2 for slightly complied and 1 for not complied.

Frequency count and percentage distribution were used in tabulating the descriptive data. The level of awareness and extent of compliance on the municipal ordinances were determined using weighted mean. Data were processed using the IBM Statistical Package for Social Sciences (SPSS) Statistics version 20.

## 1.2 Findings, Conclusions and Recommendation

### 1.3.1. Findings

Resident-respondents in the first district of Capiz are dominated by females with a sex ratio of approximately 2:1, with the mean age of 41 years, equally divided into four types of residents (that is, Senior Citizens, Women, Professionals, and Youth). The Youths were either student or Out-of-School Youths (OSY). Half of the respondents are married; almost one in every four respondents are college graduates.

**Table 1. Profile of the resident-respondents.**

PROFILE VARIABLES	FREQUENCY	PERCENTAGE
Sex		
Male	444	34.7
Female	836	65.3
Total	1280	100.0
Age		
Below 20 years old	243	19.0
20 – 29 years old	198	15.5
30 – 39 years old	224	17.5
40 – 49 years old	169	13.2
50 – 59 years old	126	9.8
60 years old and older	320	25.0
Total	1280	100.0
Mean Age:		
Overall	41.0	
Student	17.7	
Out-of School Youth	18.2	
Women	41.7	
Professional	36.1	
Senior Citizen	68.2	
Type of resident-respondent:		
Student	160	12.5
Out-of –School-Youth	160	12.5
Women	320	25.0
Professional	320	25.0
Senior Citizen	320	25.0
Total	100.0	25.0
Civil Status		
	497	38.8

	Single	640	50.0
	Married	126	9.8
	Widow/Widower	17	1.3
	Separated	1280	100.0
	Total		
The	Highest Educational Attainment:		
	Elementary Undergraduate	118	9.2
	Elementary Graduate	159	12.4
	High School Undergraduate	232	18.1
	High School Graduate	217	17.0
	College Undergraduate	209	16.3
	College Graduate	316	24.7
	Vocational Graduate	5	0.4
	Postgraduate	24	1.9
	Total	1280	100.0

number of ordinances passed in the municipalities of first district of Capiz ranges from as low as one (in Panitan) to as more as eight (in Pres. Roxas) for the past five years. Panay implemented two ordinances, Maayon had three and Pontevedra had seven ordinances. Maayon implemented three ordinances for the past five years. These ordinances catered on prohibition of cigarettes, regulations on the issuance of franchises on the operation of motorized tricycles for-hire within the municipality of Maayon; and prohibitions on the amusement establishments from allowing school children to play, watch or stay during school hours.

Panay implemented two ordinances. These ordinances were the prohibition of the use, sale, distribution and advertisement of cogarettes and other tobacco products in certane places, prohibiting internet shops and/or video compuer games establishments, billard or pool halls and other places of amusements allowing school children to play, watch or stay in thier establishment during school hours.

In Panitan, the only ordinance that was implemented for the past five years is the ordinance prohibiting the use, sale, distribution and advertisement of cigarettes and other tobacco products in certain places, imposing penalties for iolations thereof and providing funds therefore and for other purposes (smoke free ordinance).

For the municipality of Pilar, only resolutions were prepared/ipelemeted and nothing classified as ordinance for the past five years.

For the past five years, the municipality of Pontevedra abled to execute seven ordinances. These were: continued support to the National Health Insurance Program, imposing rates for the sales of bidding documents and other fees, , fare rate increase ; take preventive measures during calamity; smoke free ordinance; naming the Public Plaza Covered Muli-Purpose hall to Preisenet Manuel Roxas Hall; and regulating the use of plastic bags and packing materials for goods sold in stores,

Of the six municipalities in the first district of Capiz, the municipality of President Roxas has the highest number of ordinances implemented for the past three years. These were: an ordinance regulating the operation of motorized tricycle in the municipality of Pres. Roxas, Capiz; and an ordinance regulating the entrancee and parking of all vehicles along the perimeter road of the Public Market,an ordinance prohibiting the entry of all bicycles and motor vehicles inside the premises of the Municipal Plaza; smoke free ordinance; and ordinance ensuring the welfare and protection of minors; an ordinance prohibiting the

use of plastic bags as packing materials for goods sold; and amending the collecting fees for the processing of request for the issuance of National Statistic Office (NSO) Issued Civil Registry documents.

**Table 2. Municipal Ordinances for the Past Five Years.**

MUNICIPALITY	ORDINANCE
<b>Maayon</b>	<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO.01- 2011</b> An Ordinance Prohibiting the Use, Sale, Distribution and Advertisement of Cigarettes and other Tobacco Products in certain places, imposing Penalties for Violations thereof and Providing Funds therefore and for other purposes(Smoke Free Ordinance )
	<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 01 – 2012</b> An Ordinance Prescribing the Regulations on the Issuance of Franchises on the Operation of Motorized Tricycles For-Hire Within the Municipality of Maayon
	<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 02 – 2012.</b> An Ordinance Prohibiting Internet Shops and/or Video Computer Games Establishments, Billiard or Pool Halls and other Places of Amusements from Allowing School Children to Play, Watch or Stay in their Establishment During School Hours
<b>Panay</b>	<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO.01- 2010</b> An Ordinance Prohibiting the Use, Sale, Distribution and Advertisement of Cigarettes and other Tobacco Products in Certain Places, Imposing Penalties for Violations thereof and Providing Funds therefore and for other Purposes(Smoke Free Ordinance)
	<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 02 – 2011.</b> An Ordinance Prohibiting Internet Shops and/or Video Computer Games Establishments, Billiard or Pool Halls and Other Places of Amusements from Allowing School Children to Play, Watch Or Stay in establishment during School Hours
<b>Panitan</b>	<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO.01 – 2011.</b> An Ordinance Prohibitingthe Use, Sale, Distribution and Advertisement of Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Products nn Certain Places, Imposing Penalties for Violations thereof and Providing Funds therefore and for Other Purposes(Smoke Free Ordinance )
<b>Pontevedra</b>	<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 65 – 2009.</b> An Ordinance Adopting and/or Giving Continued Support to the National Health Insurance Program and its Governing Rules as Set Forth in R.A. 7875, as Amended By RA 9241, and its Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations.
	<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 66 – 2009.</b> An Ordinance Imposing Rates for the Sales of Bidding Documents and Other Fees, for Bids and Awards Committee Operation and Other Development Concerns.
	<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 67- 2011</b> also known as Fare Rate Increase for MCH within Pontevedra Capiz.
	<b>MUNICIPAL ORDIMACE NO. 69-A – 2011.</b> An Act Empowering the Local Government Unit of Pontevedra, Capiz to Take Preventive Measures during Calamity such as but not limited to Pre-Emptive Evacuation and Force Evacuation
	<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 70- 2011.</b> An Ordinance Prohibiting the Use, Sale, Distribution and Advertisement of Cigarettes and Other Tobacco



	Products in Certain Places, Imposing Penalties for Violations Thereof and Providing Funds Therefore and for Other Purposes(Smoke Free Ordinance )
<b>MUNICIPALITY</b>	<b>ORDINANCE</b>
	<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 74 – 2012.</b> An Ordinance naming the Public Plaza Covered Multi-Purpose hall to Preisenet Manuel Roxas Hall and Prescribing the Rental and Fees for the use thereof
	<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 76 – 2013.</b> An Ordinance Regulating the Use of Plastic Bags and Packing Materials for Goods Sold in Stores, Malls and Related Enterprises as well as its Utilization on Wet Goods and the Use of Styrofoam/Styrophor inthe Municipality of Pontevedra During Wednesday of the Week and Prescribing the Penalties thereof
<b>Pres. Roxas</b>	<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 34-2009.</b> “An Ordinance regulating the Operation of Motorized Tricycle in the Municipality of Pres. Roxas, Capiz”
	<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 35. – 2009.</b> An Ordinance Regulating the Entrance and Parking of All Vehicles Along the Perimeter Road of the Public Market
	<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 36 – 2011.</b> An Ordinance Prohibiting the Entry of All Bicycles and Motor Vehicles Inside the Premises of the Municipal Plaza
	<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 37 -2011.</b> Prohibiting the Use, Sale, Distribution and Advertising of Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Products in Certain Places, Imposing Penalties for Violation thereof and Providing Funds therefore, and for Other Purposes
	<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 42-2012.</b> An Ordinance Prohibiting the Use of Plastic Bags as Packing Materials for Goods Sold in Stores and
	<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 43-2012.</b> An Ordinance Prohibiting Minors From Loitering in the Streets and Other Public Places of President Roxas, Capiz and Providing Penalties thereof.
	<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 44-2012.</b> Amending Municipal Ordinance No. 27, Series of 2008, Entitled “An Ordinance Collecting Fees for the Processing of Request for the Issuance of National Statistic Office (Nso) Issued Civil Registry Documents”

Residents from Maayon, Panay, and Panitan were aware of the ordinances of their municipality and moderately complied the said ordinance(s). In the municipalities of Pontevedra and Pres. Roxas, however, local residents perceived that they were moderately aware of the ordinances implemented, and hence, moderately complied the said ordinances.

**Table 3. Level of Awareness and Extent of Compliance to the Ordinances Implemented by the Local Government of Maayon**

MUNICIPAL ORDINANCES	LEVEL OF AWARENESS		EXTENT OF COMPLIANCE	
	Weighted Mean	VI	Weighted Mean	VI
<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO.01- ** Smoke Free Ordinance</b>	3.84	A	3.665	C
<b>Prohibited Acts</b>				
Smoking in any public places**	3.99	A	3.61	C
Selling or distributing tobacco products in place and other facility frequented by minors.**	3.94	A	3.43	C
Selling or distributing tobacco products to minors;**	3.94	A	3.47	C
Placing, posting, or distributing advertising materials of tobacco products outside the premises of point-of-sale establishments.**	3.65	A	3.31	MC
Selling of tobacco products without a special permit from the municipal government.**	3.67	A	3.33	MC
Persons-in-charge shall be held similarly liable for the above acts if they are found to have allowed, abetted, or tolerated the same.**	3.50	A	3.23	MC
<b>Penalties**</b>	3.20	A	3.09	MC
First Offense P 500.00				
Second Offense P 1,000.00				
P 1,000.00				
Third and subsequent OffensesP 2,500.00, or imprisonment for a period not exceeding in fifteen(15) days or both at the discretion of the court				
<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 01 – 2012 An Ordinance Prescribing the Regulations on the Issuance of Franchises on the Operation of Motorized Tricycles For-Hire within the Municipality of Maayon**</b>	3.83	A	3.70	C
<b>Regulated Act</b>				
Secure Franchise to operate tricycle for hire within the municipality**	3.64	A	3.50	C
Filing Fee P100.00**	3.44	A	3.17	MC
Fare adjustment Fee P100.00**	3.46	A	3.30	MC
Filing and Amendment of MTOP P100.00**	3.45	A	3.30	MC
<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 02 – 2012. An Ordinance Prohibiting Internet Shops and/or Video</b>	3.87	A	3.48	C



Computer Games Establishments, Billiard or Pool Halls and other Places of Amusements from Allowing School Children to Play, Watch or Stay in their Establishment During School Hours**				
<b>Prohibited Acts</b>				
All establishments such as Internet Shops, Video Computer games, billiard or pool halls and other places of amusements are prohibited of allowing pupils/students from Grade 1 to fourth year high school, watch, or stay in their premises during classes hours which is from Monday to Friday legal and school holidays from 7:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon and from 1:00 p.m..**	3.78	A	3.38	MC
<b>Penal Provisions**</b>	3.52	A	3.42	C
First Offense – establishment shall be warned by the enforcer**	3.20	MA	3.12	MC
Second Offense – the operation of the establishment concerned shall be suspended for a period of one (1) month.**	3.02	MA	3.05	MC
Third Offense – the establishment concerned shall be closed and its permit to operate shall be cancelled.**	3.18	MA	3.03	MC
<b>OVERALL MEAN</b>	3.60	A	3.35	MC

\*\* - with highly significant correlation

**Table 4. Level of Awareness and Extent of Compliance to the Ordinances Implemented by the Local Government of Panay**

MUNICIPAL ORDINANCES	LEVEL OF AWARENESS		EXTENT OF COMPLIANCE	
	Weighted Mean	VI	Weighted Mean	VI
<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO.01- 2010</b> An ordinance prohibiting the use, sale, distribution and advertisement of cigarettes and other tobacco products in certain places, imposing Penalties for violations thereof and providing funds therefore and for other purposes(Smoke Free Ordinance)**	4.24	HA	3.55	C
<b>Prohibited Acts</b>				
Smoking in any public places**	3.86	A	3.46	C
Selling or distributing tobacco products in place and other Facility frequented by minors.**	3.71	A	3.39	MC
Selling or distributing tobacco products to minors;**	3.72	A	3.23	MC
Purchasing tobacco products from minors;**	3.56	A	3.13	MC
Placing cinema and outdoor advertisements of tobacco products;**	3.52	A	3.04	MC

Placing, posting, or distributing advertising materials of tobacco products outside the premises of point-of-sale establishments.**	3.38	MA	2.91	MC
Selling of tobacco products without a special permit from the municipal government.**	3.61	A	3.05	MC
Persons-in-charge shall be held similarly liable for the above acts if they are found to have allowed, abetted, or tolerated the same.**	3.29	MA	2.79	MC
<b>Penalties for the Person Liable</b>				
First Offense** P 500.00	3.38	MA	2.82	MC
Second Offense ** P 1,000.00	3.38	MA	2.77	MC
Third and subsequent Offenses ** P2,500 or imprisonment for a period not exceeding in fifteen (15) days or both at the discretion of the court	3.49	A	3.13	MC
<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 02 – 2011.</b> An ordinance prohibiting internet shops and/or video computer games establishments, billiard or pool halls and other places of amusements from allowing school children to play, watch or stay in their establishment during school hours.**	3.70	A	3.62	C
<b>Prohibited Acts</b>				
All establishments such as Internet Shops, Video Computer games, billiard or pool halls and other places of amusements are prohibited of allowing pupils/students stay in their premises during classes hours which is from Monday to Friday from 7:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon and from 1:00 p.m.**	3.27	MA	2.97	MC
All establishments covered by this ordinance shall not prohibit to enter truant enforcer to the premises to check on the presence of the school children.**	3.22	MA	2.91	MC
<b>Penal Provisions</b>				
First Offense – establishment shall be warned by the enforcer**	3.29	MA	2.84	MC
Second Offense – the operation of the establishment concerned shall be suspended for a period of one (1) month.**	3.09	MA	2.79	MC
Third Offense – the establishment concerned shall be closed and its permit to operate shall be cancelled.**	3.09	MA	2.79	MC

\*\* - with highly significant correlation

**Table 5. Level of Awareness and Extent of Compliance to the Ordinances Implemented by the Local Government of Panitan.**

MUNICIPAL ORDINANCES	LEVEL OF AWARENESS		EXTENT OF COMPLIANCE	
	Weighted Mean	VI	Weighted Mean	VI
<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO.01 – 2011.</b> An Ordinance Prohibiting the Use, Sale, Distribution and Advertisement of Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Products in Certain Places, Imposing Penalties for Violations thereof and Providing Funds therefore and for other Purposes (Smoke Free Ordinance )**	<b>3.68</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>3.37</b>	<b>MC</b>
<b>Prohibited Acts</b>				
Smoking in any public places**	3.74	A	3.37	MC
Selling or distributing tobacco products in place and other Acility frequented by minors.**	3.68	A	3.18	MC
Selling or distributing tobacco products to minors;**	3.86	A	3.29	MC
Purchasing tobacco products from minors;**	3.81	A	3.15	MC
Placing cinema and outdoor advertisements of tobacco products;**	3.61	A	3.26	MC
Placing, posting, or distributing advertising materials of tobacco products outside the premises of point-of-sale establishments.**	3.58	A	3.22	MC
Selling of tobacco products without a special permit from the municipal government.**	3.46	A	3.06	MC
Persons-in-charge shall be held similarly liable for the above acts if they are found to have allowed, abetted, or tolerated the same.**	3.48	A	3.25	MC
<b>Penalties</b>				
First Offense** P 500.00	3.83	A	3.31	MC
Second Offense** P 1,000.00	3.55	A	3.32	MC
Third and Subsequent OffensesP 2,500.00, or imprisonment for a period not exceed infifteen(15) days or both at the discretion of the court**	3.51	A	3.30	MC
<b>OVERALL MEAN</b>	<b>3.65</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>3.26</b>	<b>MC</b>

\*\* - with highly significant correlation

**Table 6. Level of Awareness and Extent of Compliance to the Ordinances implemented by Local Government of Pontevedra from 2009 to 2013.**

MUNICIPAL ORDINANCES	LEVEL OF AWARENESS		EXTENT OF COMPLIANCE	
	Weighted Mean	VI	Weighted Mean	VI
<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 65 – 2009.</b> An Ordinance Adopting and/or Giving Continued Support to the National Health Insurance Program and its Governing Rules as Set Forth in R.A. 7875, as Amended By RA 9241, and its Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations.**	3.31	MA	2.88	MC
<b>Provision</b>				
Set-up a PhilHealth Capitation Fund from the proceed out of the capitation amount of THREE HUNDRED (P300.00) per family with paid premium whose use, management and disposition shall be governed by the rules stipulated in the Outpatient Consultation & Diagnostic Package Guideline and pertinent Memorandum of Agreement.**	3.14	MA	3.06	MC
<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 66 – 2009.</b> An Ordinance Imposing Rates for the Sales of Bidding Documents and Other Fees, for Bids and Awards Committee Operation and Other Development Concerns.**	3.14	MA	3.06	MC
<b>Sale of Bidding Documents</b>				
Goods Services** P10,000 and below P 20.00 10,001 to 29,999.00 50.00 30,000.00 to 49,999.00 100.00 50,000.00 to 199,999.00 200.00 200,000.00 to 1,000,000.00 500.00 1 Million and above 1,000.00	2.82	MA	2.81	MC
Consultancy Services** P10,000 and below P 20.00 10,001 to 29,999.00 50.00 30,000.00 to 49,999.00 100.00 50,000.00 to 199,999.00 200.00 200,000.00 to 1,000,000.00 500.00 1 Million and above 1,000.00	2.59	SA	2.33	SC
Accreditation/Registration Fees** All kinds of Business P 500.00/annum	2.88	MA	2.68	MC



Placing cinema and outdoor advertisements of tobacco products;**	3.22	MA	2.78	MC
Placing, posting, or distributing advertising materials of tobacco products outside the premises of point-of-sale establishments.**	3.07	MA	2.69	MC
Selling of tobacco products without a special permit from the municipal government.**	3.20	MA	2.66	MC
Persons-in-charge shall be held similarly liable for the above acts if they are found to have allowed, abetted, or tolerated the same.**	3.05	MA	2.67	MC
<b>Penal Provisions</b>	3.11	MA	2.62	MC
First Offense** P 1,000.00				
Second Offense P 1,500.00				
Third and Subsequent Offenses P 2,500.00,or imprisonment for a period not exceeding in TWO days or both at the discretion of the court.				
<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 74 – 2012.</b> An Ordinance naming the Public Plaza Covered Multi-Purpose hall to President Manuel Roxas Hall and Prescribing the Rental and Fees for the use thereof**	2.984	MA	2.97	MC
<b>Rental and Fees</b>				
Daily time use **	2.55	MA	2.48	SC
Night Time Use**	2.63	SA	2.57	SC
Additional Php 110.00 per hour if sound system is used during utilization**	2.79	MA	2.45	SC
Permit should be secured for such utilization**	3.00	MA	2.55	SC
<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 76-2013.</b> An Ordinance Regulating the Use of Plastic Bags and Packing Materials for Goods Sold in Stores, Malls and Related Enterprises as well as its Utilization on Wet Goods and the use of Styrofoam/Styrofor in the Municipality of Pontevedra during Wednesday of the Week and Prescribing the Penalties thereof**	4.01	A	3.78	C
<b>Prohibited Acts</b>				
Selling or providing plastic bags to consumers as secondary packing materials on wet goods during Wednesdays**	3.40	MA	3.11	MC
Selling or providing plastic bags to customers as packing materials on wet goods on Wednesday**	3.42	A	3.14	MC
Selling or providing Styrofoam/Styrophor as containers during Wednesday**	3.48	A	3.01	MC



Improper disposing of plastic wastes everyday of the week**	3.24	MA	3.05	MC
<b>Penalties</b>				
First Offense P 500.00	3.06	MA	2.9	MC
Second Offense P1,000.00	3.08	MA	2.85	MC
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<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 35. – 2009.</b> An Ordinance Regulating the Entrance and Parking of All Vehicles Along the Perimeter Road of the Public Market**			<b>3.43</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>3.29</b>	<b>MC</b>
<b>Regulatory Acts</b>						
All vehicles except tricycles and motorcycles are not allowed to enter and park along the perimeter road of the public market from 8:00 AM to 12:00 noon during market days.**			3.37	MA	3.22	MC
The perimeter road of the public market is considered one way for all vehicles all through out with the entrance at Ilang-ilang Street.**			3.26	MA	3.19	MC
All vehicles, tricycles and motorcycles to include motorcycle and tricycle are not allowed to enter at Barangay Road from Cabugcabug going to the public Market.**			3.20	MA	3.03	MC
<b>Penal Provision</b>						
Fine of 200.00 pesos for first offense**			2.88	MA	2.77	MC
Fine of 300.00 pesos for second offense**			2.79	MA	2.79	MC
Fine of 500.00 pesos for third offense**			2.85	MA	2.93	MC
<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 36 – 2011.</b> An Ordinance Prohibiting the Entry of all Bicycles and Motor Vehicles Inside the Premises of the Municipal Plaza**			<b>3.35</b>	<b>MA</b>	<b>3.16</b>	<b>MC</b>
<b>Prohibited Acts</b>						

MUNICIPAL ORDINANCES	LEVEL OF AWARENESS		LEVEL OF COMPLIANCE	
	Weighted Mean	VI	Weighted Mean	VI
It is hereby prohibited to all bicycles and motor vehicles to enter the premises of the municipal plaza.**	3.36	MA	3.28	MC
<b>Penal Provision</b>				
First Offense ** - reprimand	2.99	MA	2.89	MC
Second Offense** - a fine of Php 200.00	2.98	MA	3.06	MC
<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 37 -2011.</b> Prohibiting the Use, Sale, Distribution and Advertising of Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Products in Certain Places, Imposing Penalties for Violation thereof and Providing Funds Therefore, and for other Purposes**	3.59	A	3.44	C
<b>Prohibited Acts</b>				
Smoking in any public places**	3.64	A	3.48	C
Selling or distributing tobacco products in place and other Acility frequented by minors.**	3.55	A	3.30	MC
Selling or distributing tobacco products to minors;**	3.57	A	3.27	MC
Purchasing tobacco products from minors;**	3.55	A	3.29	MC
Placing cinema and outdoor advertisements of tobacco products;**	3.43	A	3.18	MC
Placing, posting, or distributing advertising materials of tobacco products outside the premises of point-of-sale establishments.**	3.54	A	3.43	C
Selling of tobacco products without a special permit from the municipal government.**	3.61	A	3.31	MC
Persons-in-charge shall be held similarly liable for the above acts if they are found to have allowed, abetted, or tolerated the same**	3.11	MA	3.06	MC
<b>Penalties/Fines</b>				
First Offense** P500.00	3.00	MA	2.97	MC
Second Offense** P1,000.00	3.00	MA	2.98	MC
Subsequent Offense P 1,500.00 or imprisonment for a period not exceeding (15) days or both at the discretion of the court**	3.13	MA	3.03	MC
<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 39 – 2011.</b> Ordinance Ensuring the Welfare and Protection of Minors in the Municipality of President Roxas**	3.53	A	3.30	MC
Students or schoolchildren are banned from loitering in public places outside their school grounds/campuses during school unless they are accompanied by their	3.58	A	3.25	MC

MUNICIPAL ORDINANCES	LEVEL OF AWARENESS		LEVEL OF COMPLIANCE	
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parents/guardians or are attending an official school function/duty.**				
It shall be unlawful for establishments such as, but not limited to videoke bars, beer houses, night clubs, and/or any establishment that offer similar services, to allow the entry of minors within their premises at any time and any day, whether or not they are in the company of their parents, guardians, elders or relatives who are not otherwise covered by these prohibition**	3.54	A	3.35	MC
It shall be unlawful for all hotels, motels, lodging houses, and /or similar establishments to allow the entry of minors within their premises, unless otherwise such as minors are with the company of their parents, guardians, or adult relatives**	3.69	A	3.50	C
No person shall force, coerce, bully or deceive any juvenile into joining organization, fraternity, sorority, gang, or association.**	3.63	A	3.52	C
Hazing or initiation rites in the municipality of any fraternity, sorority, organization and gangs not in conformity with the provision of Republic Act 8049.**	3.54	A	3.33	MC
It shall be unlawful for any person or establishments such as, but not limited to groceries, department stores, eateries, restaurants, bakeries, market stalls, bazaars, general merchandise, hardware and construction supplies to sell liquor and/or any intoxicating drink, tobacco products, illegal drugs, “rugby” and other habit-inducing solvents, pornographic materials (video-beta, vhs, cd, vcd, dvd, magazines or any publication, books or tapes and other materials that are detrimental to the development of the child or minors.**	3.34	MA	3.22	MC
It shall be unlawful for any minor within the meaning of this ordinance to smoke cigarettes, cigars, and other tobacco products in any form whatsoever, whether or not they are in the company of their parents, guardians, elders, or relatives.**	3.33	MA	3.29	MC
It shall be unlawful for any minor within the meaning of this ordinance to sniff “rugby” of any habit- inducing solvent.**	3.36	MA	3.36	MC

MUNICIPAL ORDINANCES	LEVEL OF AWARENESS		LEVEL OF COMPLIANCE	
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It shall be unlawful for any minor within the meaning of this ordinance to drink liquor and/or any intoxicating drink whether or not they are in the company of their parents, guardians, elders, or relatives.**	3.46	A	3.29	MC
Minors are banned from engaging in any form of gambling.	3.48	A	3.34	MC
It shall be unlawful for any establishments such as, but not limited to videoke bars, beer houses, night clubs, and/or any establishment that offer similar services to sell or offer to sell liquors to minors.**	3.41	A	3.21	MC
<b>Fines / Penalties</b>				
<b>Person Liable</b>				
<b>First Offense</b> - Fine of One Thousand Pesos (Php 1,000.00) or four (4) hours of community service to the Municipal Government under the supervision of the MSWDO plus two (2) hours of counseling.**	2.99	MA	2.84	MC
<b>Second Offense</b> - Fine in the amount of Two Thousand Pesos (Php 2,000.00) of six (6) hours of community service to the Municipal Government under the supervision of the MSWDO plus four (4) hours of counseling.**	3.03	MA	3.00	MC
First offense - Fine of 1,500.00**	2.82	MA	2.93	MC
Second offense - Fine of 2,000.00**	2.92	MA	2.96	MC
Third offense - Fine of 2,500.00 and revocation of permit to operate**	2.89	MA	2.73	MC
<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 42-2012.</b> An Ordinance Prohibiting the Use of Plastic Bags as Packing Materials for Goods Sold in Stores and Related Enterprises and Regulating its Utilization on Wet Goods and Prohibiting the Use of Styrofoam/ Styrophor in the Municipality of President Roxas Every Monday and Prescribing Penalties thereof**	3.40	MA	3.45	C
<b>Prohibitive Acts:</b> The following are prohibited every Monday of the week:				
Utilizing of Business establishment of plastic bags as packaging materials on dry goods;**	3.36	MA	3.26	MC
The use of business establishment dealing with wet goods of plastic bags as primary packaging**	3.37	MA	3.14	MC



MUNICIPAL ORDINANCES	LEVEL OF AWARENESS		LEVEL OF COMPLIANCE	
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The use of business establishment of Styrofoam/styrophor and other similar materials as container for food, produce another product.**	3.21	MA	3.23	MC
Selling of business establishment or any individual of plastic bags to be used as secondary packaging materials or as primary packaging materials on dry goods**	3.28	MA	3.22	MC
<b>Penal Provision.</b>				
First Offense – Fine of 500.00 to owner of establishment/ individual**	2.99	MA	2.95	MC
Second Offense – Fine of 1, 500.00 or imprisonment of not more than 10 days to manager/owner of the establishment**	2.93	MA	2.95	MC
Third offense – fine of 2,500.00 to the owner/ manager and revocation of permit of the business establishment**	2.94	MA	2.89	MC
<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 43-2012.</b> An Ordinance Prohibiting Minors from Loitering in the Streets and other Public Places of President Roxas, Capiz and Providing Penalties thereof**	<b>3.44</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>3.26</b>	<b>MC</b>
<b>Prohibited Acts</b>				
It is unlawful for minors to remain in a public places during curfew hours (10:00 PM to 4:00 AM the next day)**	3.45	A	3.28	MC
It shall be unlawful for a parent or guardian of a minor to knowingly permit, or by sufficient control to allow the minor to remain in any public places within the Municipality during curfew hours.**	3.31	MA	3.34	MC
<b>Penal Provisions</b>				
<b>First Offense</b> –Referred to the nearest Police station, Barangay Hall or Tanod outpost for counseling before properly turned over to his parents or guardian**	3.19	MA	3.19	MC
<b>Second Offense</b> – Minor found violating this ordinance for the second time and every time thereafter will be required to attend together with his/her parent or guardian, for every offense two (2) consecutive regular barangay session, where he or she is residing for counseling by the barangay couCil, which shall include this matter as part of each session agenda, PROVIDED that the barangay chairman shall certify compliance or non compliance by the concerned minor with this penalty, <b>PROVIDED</b>	3.28	MA	3.13	MC

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<b>FURTHER</b> , that the violator shall be required to submit the certification issued by the barangay chairman to the apprehending officer within a period not to exceed two (2) months from the date of the violation, <b>AND PROVIDED FURTHER</b> that every no compliance with the prescribed penalty shall be automatically converted to an additional fine of two hundred pesos (P200.00) to be imposed against the violator’s parent or guardian coCerned on the top of the fine already imposed on said parent or guardian in paragraph thereof.**				
Any parent or guardian in charge of the custody of minor who violated this ordinance shall be penalized with a fine of Three hundred pesos (P 300.00) or an imprisonment of not less than ten (10 days) but not more that fifteen (15) days of both such fine and imprisonment and the discretion of the court.**	3.22	MA	3.09	MC
<b>MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 44-2012.</b> Amending Municipal Ordinance No. 27, Series of 2008, Entitled “An Ordinance Collecting Fees for the Processing of Request for the Issuance of National Statistic Office (NSO) Issued Civil Registry Documents”**	<b>3.36</b>	<b>MA</b>	<b>3.31</b>	<b>MC</b>
<b>Administrative Provisions</b>				
The Office of the Municipal Civil Registrar shall process request for live birth, marriage and death certificate and Certificate of No Marriage issued by the National Statistic Office (NSO);**	3.42	A	3.48	C
The applicant shall fill-up the application form specifying the civil registry documents requested and pay corresponding fees as prescribed in this ordinance. **	3.58	A	3.55	C
Office of the Municipal Civil Registrar should specify the date on the acknowledgement receipt when the applicant shall return to get the requested civil registry documents.**	3.58	A	3.52	C
The Municipal Civil Registrar shall prepare documents for submission the National Statistic Office (NSO) by batch on a weekly basis. All applications received from Monday to Friday shall be forwarded to the National Statistic Office (NSO) every Tuesday of the following week.**	3.41	A	3.22	MC

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All previous applications submitted to National Statistic Office must be received by the Municipal Civil Registrar on the same date.**	3.50	A	3.26	MC
All applicants should be batch by 10's and the Municipal Civil Registrar is required to submit report to the Local Chief Executive on monthly basis. In no case should the request be processed more than ten (10) days from the date receipt.**	3.08	MA	3.23	MC
<b>PENAL PROVISION</b>				
Any personnel violating this ordinance shall be dealt with administratively**	2.88	MA	2.96	MC
<b>OVERALL MEAN**</b>	<b>3.29</b>	<b>MA</b>	<b>3.19</b>	<b>MC</b>

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**Table 14. Problems Encountered by the Residents in Complying the Municipal Ordinances**

MUN.	PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED	FREQUENCY	PERCENTAGE	RANK
Maayon	Ignorance of most of the people of the ordinances	15	5.86	1
	People are lack of discipline	13	5.08	2.5
	Weak enforcement of authority	13	5.08	2.5
	People lack of awareness	10	3.91	4
	Non compliance even from the authority	9	3.52	5
	No monitoring	4	1.56	6
	Violators are not penalized. They are tolerated.	2	0.78	7.5
	Officers are violators	2	0.78	7.5
	Peolpe do not cooperate	1	0.39	9.5
	Ordinance are not seriously implemented	1	.39	9.5
Panay	There is no strict implementation of ordinances	16	6.25	1
	No proper information dessimation	14	5.47	2
	Ignorance of the public	12	4.69	3
	There ares still violators	8	3.13	4
	Implemtors are violators	6	2.34	5
	Municipal officials are the one who violates the ordinance	2	0.78	6.5
Panitan	No task force assign caught those violators	2	0.78	6.5
	There are still violators	11	4.30	1
	Failure to implement the ordinance	9	3.52	2
	Ignorance of the public	8	3.13	3

	Lower fines for the violators	7	2.73	4
	No proper information dissemination	4	1.56	5
	There are certain individuals who can't live their vices	1	0.39	7.5
Panitan	No one (person or agency) is serious in catching the violators	1	0.39	7.5
	unapproachable officers	1	0.39	7.5
	Lack of awareness	1	0.39	7.5
Pontevedra	There are lots of violators	17	6.64	1
	There is no strict implementation of ordinances	16	6.25	2
	Municipal officials are the one who violates the ordinance	12	4.69	3.5
	No proper information dissemination	12	4.69	3.5
	Ignorance of the public	9	3.52	5
Pres. Roxas	They don't mind the violators	11	4.30	1
	Most are not complying the ordinance	8	3.13	2.5
	Politicians are the one who violate first the ordinances	8	3.13	2.5
	No monitoring and follow up	6	2.34	4
	Lack of discipline	4	1.56	5
	Lack of information about the ordinance	2	0.78	6

To improve the implementation of municipal ordinances, the top three recommendations from residents of Maayon were: strict regulations on the ordinances; delegate a certain task force to implement such ordinance and putting up of sign/bilboards for the ordinances implemented so that people may know. Panay residents recommended that there should be a sustainable act for implementing the ordinances; impose higher penalties and conduct seminars in schools and in the community to inform the public. In Panitan, residents recommended higher penalties; constant monitoring; and improve implementation. Residents from Pontevedra recommended to conduct seminars; there should be a sustainable act for implementing the ordinances and strict Implementation of ordinances; and guidance of guardian and parents. In Pres. Roxas, residents recommended to conduct a seminar to inform the public about the ordinances to be implemented; monitoring and follow-up; and government officers should be a good model.

**Table 15. Valuable insights recommended by the residents to improve the implementation of municipal ordinances in the first district of Capiz.**

MUN.	RECOMMENDATIONS	FREQUENCY	PERCENTAGE	RANK
Maayon	Strict regulations on the ordinances	12	4.69	1

	Deligate a certain task force to implement such ordinance	11	4.30	2
	Put up sign/bilboards for the ordinances implemented so that people may know	9	3.52	3
	Conduct general seminar before the implementation of ordinance	8	3.13	4
	Implementors must be be a good example	4	1.56	5
	Make flyers for the ordinances implemented	3	1.17	6
	Everybody must cooperate for the success of the odinance	2	0.78	7
	Implementors must possess good leadership	1	0.39	10
	Anyone who violated the ordinances must be penalized	1	0.39	10
	They should be strict in giving penalties	1	0.39	10
	Full communication towards community stakeholders	1	0.39	10
	Pursue full research for accurate implementation	1	0.39	10
Panay	There should be a sustainable act tor implementing the ordinances	19	7.42	1
	Impose higher penalties	18	7.03	2
<b>MUN.</b>	<b>RECOMMENDATIONS</b>	<b>FREQUE NCY</b>	<b>PERCENT AGE</b>	<b>RA NK</b>
	Conduct seminars in schools and in the community to inform the public	17	6.64	3
	It should be implemented strictly	16	6.25	4
	Guidance of Guardian and parents	12	4.69	5
	Post ordinances in the public areas	10	3.91	6
	Government officers must be a good model before implementing the ordinances	7	2.73	7
	Strict implementation of No smoking	5	1.95	8.5
	assign task force to monitor the implementation of ordinances	5	1.95	8.5
Panitan	Higher penalties	17	6.64	1
	Constant monitoring	9	3.52	2
	Improve implementation	7	2.73	3
	There is no strict implementation of ordinances	6	2.34	4
	Display the ordinance in a public places	4	1.56	5
	Proper information dessimination	3	1.17	6
	Obey the ordinances for improvement	2	0.78	8
	LGU must be serious of caughing violators	2	0.78	8

	Advertise and promote the ordinances	2	0.78	8
	Higher price for cigarettes	1	0.39	10
Pontev edra	Conduct seminars	19	7.42	1
	There should be a sustainable act tor implementing the ordinances	18	7.03	2.5
	Strict Implemetation of ordinances	18	7.03	2.5
	GiudaCe of guardian and parents	17	6.64	4
	Impose higher penalties	16	6.25	5
	Advertise the ordinances	12	4.69	6
	wider implemetation of the ordinances	6	2.34	7
	Government officers must be a good model before implementing the ordinances	5	1.95	8
	LGU Pontevedra should provide a copy of ordinances per household	1	0.39	9
Pres. Roxas	Conduct a seminar to inform the public about the ordinances to be implemented	13	5.08	1
	No monitoring and follow up	10	3.91	2
	Government officers should be a good model	4	1.56	3
	Give clear information to the public about the ordinance	3	1.17	4
	Everyone should cooperate in complying the ordinance	1	0.39	5

### 1.3.2. Conclusion

1. Residents of the First Congressional District of Capiz are mostly females, in their midlife, married, and college graduates.
2. All municipalities of first district of Capiz implemented the ordinance on the prohibition on the use of cigarettes and tobacco because they are more concerned with the health of their constituents.
3. Residents from the municipalities in the first district of Capiz were aware of the ordinances implemented in their respective municipalities, but moderately complied with the said ordinances.
4. The compliance to municipal ordinances is influenced by the lack of awareness of the residents as well as the lax implementation of the said ordinance.
5. Effective information dissemination, rigorous and serious implementation and higher penalties are possible measures that could help improve the compliance of the residents towards municipal ordinances.

### 1.3.3. Recommendations

1. Ignorance of the law excepts no one. In the event that the resident is not aware of the ordinance/s he or she should still be covered by penalty clause.
2. Implementers must conduct periodic seminars and develop other ways of information dissemination to the residents especially those who did not finish their education to increase their awareness on the ordinances implemented by the office.



3. Implementers should tap other forms of media such as movie clips, jingles, print media, theater and the like to disseminate information regarding the ordinances being implemented so that it would catch the attention of the target population.
4. An effective and efficient feedback mechanism should be provided so as to give constituents an avenue to express their voice regarding the ordinances that affect them, which will also be relevant inputs in the improvement of the ordinances.
5. A recognition and awards body should be established as well as honoraria to further motivate the implementers to exert utmost effort in enforcing municipal ordinances.
6. A monitoring council consisting of implementers and representative from different sectors of the community should be established to constantly evaluate the implementation of the ordinances passed by the municipal government, which will also recommend necessary recommendations to make the ordinances relevant and up to date.
7. Implementers should be innovative in the implementation of ordinances to increase the awareness and the people such as the inclusion of rewards for those people who would follow the ordinances.
8. Implementers should be provided with regular seminars and activities to enhance their competence in acting municipal ordinances.

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