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AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FREE SCHOOL SUPPLIES TO ALL STUDENTS ENROLLED IN PUBLIC ELEMENTARY, HIGH SCHOOL, AND COLLEGE INSTITUTIONS IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF MARILAO, PROVINCE OF BULACAN, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF MARILAO, PROVINCE OF BULACAN, HELD AT THE
SESSION HALL OF THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING ON
OCTOBER 13, 2025**

PRESENT:

Hon. Ariel P. Amador

Municipal Vice Mayor
Presiding Officer

COUNCILORS:

Hon. Maria Luisa I. Silvestre

Hon. Mary Del A. Jasa-Aquino

Hon. Juanito H. Santiago

Hon. Wilfredo D. Diaz

Hon. Vanessa Valdez-Seminiano

Hon. Divina E. Reyes

Hon. Harvey C. Mediante

Hon. Jessalyn Mahilac-Dela Cruz

EX-OFFICIO:

Hon. Guillermo T. Paraoan Jr. (ABC President)

ABSENT:

Hon. Carlo Gabriel G. Solis (SK President)

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Authored and Sponsored by: Vice Mayor Ariel P. Amador

Co-Authored by: Councilor Juanito H. Santiago

Co-Sponsored by: Councilor Vanessa Valdez-Seminiano

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WHEREAS, the 1987 Constitution of the Philippines provides that the State shall establish and maintain a system of free public education in the elementary and high school levels without limiting the natural right of parents to rear their children, and elementary education is compulsory for all children of school age;

WHEREAS, the Local Government Code of 1991 mandates that local government units shall exercise powers expressly granted, those necessarily implied therefrom, as well as powers necessary, appropriate, or incidental for efficient and effective governance, and those essential to the promotion of the general welfare;

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Marilao intends to provide support for education, which is a crucial component of public service within the municipality;

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Marilao recognizes that despite the efforts of both the national government and the local government unit to make primary, secondary, and tertiary education accessible, especially to the underprivileged, the prohibitive costs of non-tuition educational expenses still hinder students from fully availing themselves of free public education;



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WHEREAS, there is a need to bridge the gap between existing efforts to provide quality and free education not only through infrastructure and a conducive learning environment but also through the provision of essential school materials;

NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of Hon. Vanessa Valdez-Seminiano, duly seconded by Hon. Maria Luisa I. Silvestre, and upon unanimous vote:

BE IT ORDAINED, as it is hereby ordained in session assembled, that:

SECTION 1. TITLE. This Ordinance shall be known as "Libreng School Supplies Para sa Batang Marileno;"

SECTION 2. DECLARATION OF POLICY. It is hereby declared the policy of the Municipality of Marilao to provide its constituents with basic educational materials in order to alleviate the financial burden, particularly on indigent families who are bona fide residents of the municipality;

SECTION 3. COVERAGE. This Ordinance shall cover all students enrolled in public elementary, high school, and college institutions within the Municipality of Marilao, Province of Bulacan;

SECTION 4. PROCEDURE. The principals and school administrators shall submit to the Municipality of Marilao, through the Municipal Youth Development Office (MYDO), the list of student beneficiaries within three (3) days after the end of the enrollment period.

The educational materials shall thereafter be distributed by the Municipality of Marilao, through the MYDO, to the identified beneficiaries in public schools not later than one (1) week after the opening of classes;

SECTION 5. FREE EDUCATIONAL MATERIALS. The Municipality of Marilao shall provide each qualified student with educational materials appropriate to their respective grade levels. The quantity and type of materials shall be determined based on the needs of the students, as recommended by the MYDO in coordination with the Department of Education (DepEd);

SECTION 6. PURCHASE OF EDUCATIONAL MATERIALS. All purchases made in accordance with this Ordinance by the Office of the Mayor or by the MYDO as the implementing agency shall strictly comply with the provisions of Republic Act No. 9184, otherwise known as the "Government Procurement Reform Act;"

SECTION 7. APPROPRIATION. The amount necessary for the implementation of this Ordinance shall be included and appropriated in the Annual Budget of the Municipality of Marilao every fiscal year thereafter;

SECTION 8. AUDITING PROCEDURE. The use of allocated funds, and the purchase and distribution of educational materials, shall be subjected to existing auditing rules, regulations, and procedures as prescribed by the Commission on Audit (COA);

SECTION 9. IMPLEMENTING RULES AND REGULATIONS (IRR). The Office of the Municipal Mayor, through the MYDO, shall formulate and issue the IRR necessary for the effective implementation of this Ordinance within sixty (60) days upon approval;

SECTION 10. MONITORING AND EVALUATION. The MYDO, in coordination with the DepEd, shall conduct regular monitoring and evaluation of the implementation of this

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Ordinance to ensure the proper distribution and utilization of educational materials. A report shall be submitted to the Office of the Municipal Mayor and the Sangguniang Bayan every school year;


SECTION 11. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. If, for any reason, any part or provision of this Ordinance is declared invalid or unconstitutional, the remaining provisions not affected thereby shall remain in full force and effect;

SECTION 12. REPEALING CLAUSE. All ordinances, resolutions, executive orders, rules, and regulations, or parts thereof, that are inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed or modified accordingly;


SECTION 13. EFFECTIVITY. This Ordinance shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its posting in at least three (3) conspicuous places within the Municipality of Marilao and publication in a newspaper of general circulation, in accordance with existing laws and regulations;

APPROVED by the Sangguniang Bayan of the Municipality of Marilao, Province of Bulacan, this 13th day of October, 2025.


I hereby certify that this Resolution has been duly approved by the Sangguniang Bayan.


EDGAR P. RAMIREZ
Secretary to the Sangguniang

ATTESTED:


ARIEL P. AMADOR
Presiding Officer
Municipal Vice Mayor

APPROVED DATE: 10-22-25


ATTY. JEMINA M. SY
Municipal Mayor 