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**SOLIDARITY CONFERENCE OF NATIONAL AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT
AGENCIES FOR A SECURE, ACCURATE, FREE, AND FAIR
(SAFE) BARANGAY SANGGUNIANG KABATAAN
ELECTIONS (BSKE) 2026**

Attached is the Advisory on the Solidarity Conference of National and Local Government Agencies for a Secure, Accurate, Free, and Fair (SAFE) Barangay Sangguniang Kabataan Elections (BSKE) 2026 dated September 17, 2026.

The activity will be scheduled on September 24, 2026, at 3:30 PM, at Tanjay City Function Hall, New Government Center, Tanjay City, Negros Oriental. All Schools Division Superintendents (SDSs) across the divisions covering Negros Oriental are required for the attendance and participation.

For queries and concerns, coordinate with Atty. Felicisimo M. Catacutan Jr., President of Negros Oriental Association of COMELEC Employees.

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SUBJECT: Invitation to Attend the Multi-Agency Solidarity Conference for SAFE 2026 BSKE and Request for Regional Directive Requiring the Attendance of All Schools Division Superintendents Covering Negros Oriental

Dear Director Uytico:

Warmest greetings of dedicated public service!

In line with the Commission on Elections' constitutional mandate to ensure the conduct of free, orderly, honest, peaceful, and credible elections, this Office is spearheading the **Solidarity Conference of National and Local Government Agencies for a Secure, Accurate, Free, and Fair (SAFE) Barangay and Sangguniang Kabataan Elections (BSKE) 2026**, scheduled for **September 24, 2026, at 3:30 PM**, at the **Tanjay City Function Hall, New Government Center, Tanjay City, Negros Oriental**.

This landmark assembly convenes key institutional and security stakeholders—including the Philippine National Police (PNP), Armed Forces of the Philippines (AFP), Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG), Bureau of Fire Protection (BFP), Bureau of Jail Management and Penology (BJMP), CDRRMO, local chief executives, the Sangguniang Panlungsod, and all twenty-four (24) Punong Barangays and SK Chairpersons. The primary objective is to harmonize contingency mechanisms, establish security and logistical coordination protocols, and execute a multi-agency **Pledge of Commitment**.

As our teaching personnel and school facilities serve as the indispensable backbone of election-day operations through the Electoral Boards (EBs), the full support, presence, and strategic coordination of the Department of Education are of paramount importance.

In this regard, we most cordially invite you to grace this conference as one of our esteemed guests of honor. Furthermore, we respectfully request your good office to **issue a regional memorandum or directive requiring the attendance and participation of all Schools Division Superintendents (SDSs) across the divisions covering Negros Oriental** (including the Division of Negros Oriental, and City Divisions of Tanjay, Dumaguete, Bais, Bayawan, and Guihulngan).

Their executive presence will ensure unified operational alignment, address critical EB administrative concerns, and demonstrate our collective resolve toward an orderly and peaceful electoral exercise.

Thank you very much for your steadfast partnership, proactive leadership, and continued commitment to the integrity of the electoral process.

Respectfully yours,


ATTY. FELISIMO M. CATACUTAN JR.
President
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