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**MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 2005-104**

**PROHIBITING THE BURNING OF HAYS, GRASSES, VEGETABLE MATTERS AND OTHER DECAYING PLANTS THAT CAN BE TRANSFORMED INTO NATURAL FERTILIZER WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF THE MUNICIPALITY.**

**BE IT ORDAINED** by the Sangguniang Bayan of Anao, Province of Tarlac that:

**Section 1 GENERAL PROVISIONS**

1.1 Burning of hays, grasses, vegetable matters and other plants with hard stalks and leaves like talahib, corn stalks and sugarcane leaves is prohibited.

1.2 Any plants/ vegetable matters with hard stalks and leaves may be decomposed through the use of Trichoderma Harzianum, a fungus activator which easily decomposes such plants with hard stalks and leaves within three to four weeks.

1.3 Burning any materials can affect our ozone layer and eventually becomes detrimental to farming because it will kill the macro and micro elements of the soil which is very vital in any plant growth.

1.4 Farmers should be encouraged to make their own organic fertilizer through information-dissemination and demonstration per barangay, through the Department of Agriculture, headed by the Municipal Agriculturist.

**Section 2 PENALTY PROVISION**

2.1 Any person violating this Ordinance shall be penalized as follows:

a. For the First Offense - P 200.00
b. For the Second Offense – P 500.00
c. For the Third Offense - P1,000.00

**Section 3 DISPOSITION OF FINES**

3.1 All fines collected shall accrue to the Municipal Funds.

**Section 4 COMPROMISED SETTLEMENT FEE**

4.1 The Municipal Mayor is hereby authorized to enter into an "extra judicial or out-of-court settlement" of any offense committed under this ordinance. Provided, however, that the offender shall pay the "compromised settlement fee" in the amount of not less than P100.00 to the Municipal Treasury Office, in addition to the fine imposed in Section 2 of this Ordinance.

**Section 5 REPEALING CLAUSE**

All previous ordinances which are inconsistent with this Ordinance are

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*P. 2, Mun. Ord. No. 2005-104, Prohibiting the Burning of Hays, Grasses, Vegetable Matters . . .*

**VOTING** on the foregoing Ordinance was as follows:

**AYES** - Councilor Alberto P. Obena, Councilor Jocelyn M. Concepcion, Councilor Orlando B. Badar, Councilor Edgardo S. Felipe, Councilor Leopoldo F. Tuvera, Councilor Alexander E. Mason, Councilor Nemesio P. Flores, Councilor Gil L. Concepcion, Councilor Floyd Tyrone L. Salcedo, & Councilor Carlito B. Santos, Sr. (10)

**NAYS** - None (0)

**ABSTAIN** - None (0)

Proponent: Coun. Orlando B. Badar

*I hereby certify to the correctness of the foregoing* ***Municipal Ordinance No. 2004-104*** *which was duly enacted by the Members of the Sangguniang Bayan of Anao present during their Regular Session held at the Sangguniang Bayan Session Hall, Anao, Tarlac on April 25, 2005.*

**CERTIFIED CORRECT:**

**ELPIDIO G. IGNACIO**
Presiding Officer

**ATTESTED:**

**ZENAIDA RAMOS-MAI**
SB Secretary

**APPROVED:** May 9, 2025

**ENGR. RODOLFO F. GUERRERO**