

## Scholarship Recommendation Form

Instructions: Thank you for being a recommender for the PCAFPD scholarship. Recommendations are used as part of the selection process. Please type your information below and provide a digital copy to the applicant for submission. Hand written responses will not be accepted.

### Recommender Information

Name: Alfredo O. Bien

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Applicant Information: Use additional pages as needed

Name: Ayessa Mia Q. Bonagua

Current School: University of the Philippines - Diliman

### Recommendation

**PCAFPD scholars are chosen on the basis of their financial need, academic performance, and commitment to community service and leadership. As the applicant's reference, please describe the applicant's demonstrated leadership skills, accomplishments, and impacts on your community and any other relevant information you feel the committee should know about the applicant.**

Ayessa Mia Q. Bonagua participated in the barangay during the pandemic period where youths are ignored by many, especially the space that has internet to aid in online classes, printing services that are free for all, and an area where students can be placed. It is during an event that enhances the youth participation in the barangay – a quiz game to determine the history of the barangay. Because of this, Ayessa entered volunteerism and sacrificed her time to help the improvement and development of the public connection of the barangay specifically Sanggunian ng Kabataan – a sector of government that focuses on the youth – to bring public awareness of certain issues.

She participated in building programs that focus on certain problems that youths face such as mental health (Tanglaw), gender identity, KK Profiling, Christmas Activities, feeding programs, and many more events with youth and even citizens participating. These programs were facilitated by the volunteer including Ayessa, she also exerts all her energy to perform a house to house just to accommodate and encourage the youths to indulge to the services of barangay. She built a way with communication, participation, and enthusiasm – building a united society.

Furthermore, she also represents the barangay in the Local Government activities such as the City Youth Official where she is hailed as the City Youth Mayor of the city. It is a one-in-a-million achievement of the barangay and she conducted her job well.

Ayessa poured her efforts into bringing peace and even progress to the community – strengthening the power of connection with every individual. I am determined that she will give her best also to take the lead and serve the people because aside from being a student, she has a heart for the community.

**Recommender Name & Signature:** ALFREDO O. BIEN 

**Date:** October 31, 2024