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Greetings in the spirit of unity and pride!

With deep commitment to inclusivity and youth empowerment, we proudly introduce ourselves as the **Sangguniang Kabataan ng Napindan**. As the duly elected youth representatives of our barangay, we aim to foster safe, inclusive, and empowering spaces where every young person, regardless of background, identity, or belief, can thrive, lead, and be heard.

With that being said, in celebration of Pride 2025, the **Sangguniang Kabataan ng Napindan** is thrilled to invite your organization to "**Sa Lilim ng Bahaghar!**" — a community-centered Pride Month gathering happening on **June 28, 2025, 8:00 AM at the Barangay Multi-Purpose Building, Third (3rd) Floor.**

This year's theme, "**ALPAS: Sa Makulay na Pagbukadkad,**" is a call to rise, bloom, and celebrate the many colors of identity, love, and self-expression. Through this initiative, we aim to create a **warm, joyful, and safe space** where LGBTQIA+ youth and allies can learn, share, and connect.

We especially encourage your organization's participation in the following key segments:

- **9:10 - 10:10 AM | HIV Awareness and SOGIESC Talk with DIOSSA Lily:** An interactive discussion led by guest speaker DIOSSA Lily focused on SOGIESC education, HIV awareness, and gender sensitivity, designed to inform and empower youth participants.
- **1:00 - 2:30 PM | Pride Talakayan: Youth Talk Series on Identity & Rights:** An open mic and sharing session that allows participants to speak freely about topics close to their heart — whether it's about identity, safe spaces, or lived experiences. This segment welcomes spoken word, testimonials, Q&A, and casual conversations.

Aside from that, we've lined up meaningful and fun activities throughout the day:

- **Film Showing:** A short LGBTQIA+ themed film will be screened to spark dialogue, empathy, and understanding around lived queer experiences.





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- **Creative Mini-Games and Activity Booths:** Engaging activities such as painting handmade educational toy figurines, writing on freedom walls, playing inclusive board games, and letter-writing to one's future self — all designed to spark creativity, introspection, and play.
- **Open Jam:** An open music session where youth can sing, play instruments, or perform, celebrating freedom of expression through rhythm and harmony.
- **Free Snacks for Participants:** Light snacks and refreshments will be provided free of charge to all participants, courtesy of the Sangguniang Kabataan ng Napindan, in support of creating a warm and welcoming community celebration.
- **Boodle Fight:** A boodle fight-style community meal will be organized for all participants, courtesy of the Sangguniang Kabataan ng Napindan. The boodle fight will also serve as a meaningful cultural expression of *pagkakaisa at pakikisama* that is deeply rooted in Filipino tradition.

This is more than a celebration — it's a space where youth voices matter, where we come as we are, and where diversity is not just welcomed, but embraced.

We hope your organization can join us in this colorful day of pride, learning, and solidarity.

In the name of service,

Hon. Noriel Mozo Gatan
Sangguniang Kabataan Councilor
Chairperson, Committee on Social Inclusion and Equity

Approved/Noted by:

Hon. Kaye Dominique G. Panganiban, R.N
Sangguniang Kabataan Chairperson
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