

Republic of the Philippines  
Province of Iloilo  
**MUNICIPALITY OF MINA**  
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**Office of the Sangguniang Bayan**

**ORDINANCE NO. 2019 - 357**

**AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE FARE AND OPERATION TRICYCLE-FOR-HIRE WITHIN THE MUNICIPALITY OF MINA**

**BE IT ORDAINED** by the Sangguniang Bayan of Mina in session assembled that:

**Section 1. Title and Scope.** This Ordinance shall be known as the Tricycle Regulation Ordinance. It shall govern the licensing, franchising and operation of tricycle-for-hire within the territorial jurisdiction of the Municipality of Mina;

**Section 2. Definition of Terms.** When use in this Ordinance the following terms shall mean:

- **“Tricycle-for-hire”** – vehicle composed of a motor cycle with attached side car having a single tire operated to render transport services to the general public;
- **“Motorized Tricycle Operator’s Permit (MTO)”** – is a document granting franchise or license to a person, natural or juridical, allowing him/her to operate tricycle-for-hire our specified route or zone;
- **“Zone”** – is a contiguous land area or block, or say a block or a Barangay where tricycle for hire may operate without a fixed origin or determination;
- **“Route”** – is a specified road network where a tricycle-for-hire shall be allowed to operate or serve;

**Section 3. Registrations.** Tricycle-for-hire operating within the territorial jurisdiction of the Municipality of Mina, specifically those vying the herein specified route, must be registered to this locality. The owner shall secure necessary permits and/or license to operate the tricycle for hire from the licensing section under the office of the Mayor upon payment of corresponding fees and charges imposed by the Municipal Treasurer’s Office.

The Office of the Mayor reserved the right to refuse, cancel or revoke the permit or license to operate the tricycle-for-hire if public safety so requires.

**Section 4. Motorized Tricycle Operator’s Permit (MTO) –** Tricycle-for-hire operating within the territorial jurisdiction of the Municipality shall secure MTO from the Municipal Government. This document grants franchise or license allowing him to operate tricycle-for-hire over specified route or zone. It is valid for three (3) years from date of its issuance;

The qualifications of the applicant for the issuance of MTO are as follows:

- a.) Filipino citizen with sixty (60%) equity in case of partnership with a foreigner of any citizen;
- b.) A natural person of legal age;
- c.) Must be in the possession one (1) or more units with valid registration paper from Land Transportation Office (LTO)

Section 5. Route/Zone. – For the issuance of MTOP the following routes or zones are hereby fixed, to wit:

a.) Mina Town Proper to Barangay Tumay and vise versa.

Section 6. Change of Ownership of Units or Transfer of Zone or Route. Transfer to another zone or route and change of ownership or transfer of MTOP shall be construed as an amendment to such MTOP and shall be subjected to fees and charges imposed by the Municipal Treasurer's Office.

Section 7. Operating in unauthorized zone/route and trip-cutting are strictly prohibited.

Section 8. No tricycle-for-hire shall operate the territorial jurisdiction of the Municipality of Mina without MTOP issued.

Section 9. The Sangguniang Bayan of Mina hereby deputized the Licensing Office to issue MTOP.

Section 10. Prescribed Rate Structure:

<u>Route/Zone</u>	<u>Rates</u>	
	<u>Student/Senior Citizen</u> -----	<u>Regular</u>
<u>From Mina to:</u>		
Tumay -----	P8.00	P10.00

Section 11. Operators of tricycle-for-hire shall employ drivers with police clearance and duly licensed by the LTO;

Section 12. Tricycle-for-hire shall be allowed to operate like a taxi service, upon demand whenever necessary without observing its fixed zone or route;

Section 13. Any violation of the provisions hereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than Five Hundred Pesos (P500.00) or more than One Thousand Pesos (P1,000.00) or an imprisonment of not less than three (3) days or not more than a week or both upon the discretion of the court;

Section 14. Applicability. The operation of tricycle-for-hire shall be subjected to existing laws, rules and regulations, the Municipal Revenue Code, and other laws relative hereto;

Section 15. Separability Clause. If for any reason, any provisions or part of this Ordinance is declared invalid, the remaining provisions not affected thereby shall continue to be in full force and effect;

Section 16. Repealing Clause. Previous related Ordinances inconsistent hereto are hereby repealed;

Section 17. Effectivity. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its publication.

**ADOPTED this 10<sup>th</sup> day of January 2019**, on motion of **Hon. Jose G. Salanio Jr.**, duly seconded by **Hon. Arnel C. Matta**.

**APPROVED.**

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I hereby certify to the correctness of the above-stated Ordinance.

**(SGD.) MA. DAISY P. PARREÑO**  
Secretary to the Sanggunian

**ATTESTED:**

**(SGD.) HON. BERNARDINO P. CHICHIRITA**  
Presiding Officer

**APPROVED:**

**(SGD.) HON. REY P. GRABATO**  
Municipal Mayor