

PRESS RELEASE

PSGC Second Quarter 2021 Updates: Correction of Names of 17 Barangays

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During the second quarter of 2021, the names of 17 barangays in the Philippine Standard Geographic Code (PSGC) masterlist were corrected based on the recommendations of the interagency Technical Working Group on Geographic Code (TWGGC) as follows:

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	Correct name	Old name	Legal Basis
1.	Barangay Talabob , Municipality of Lapuyan, Zamboanga del Sur	Talabab	 Mayor's Certification dated 05 May 2021 Office of the Municipal Secretary Certification dated 03 November 2020
2.	Barangay Mawigue , Municipality of Conner, Apayao	Mawegui	Mayor's Certification dated 27 May 2021
3.	Barangay Caluttit , Municipality of Bontoc, Mountain Province	Calutit	Mayor's Certification dated 20 May 2021
4.	Barangay Ogo-og , Municipality of Barlig, Mountain Province	Ogoog	Mayor's Certification dated 07 May 2021
5.	Barangay Bacarri , Municipality of Paracelis, Mountain Province	Bacarni	Mayor's Certification dated 06 May 2021
6.	Barangay Palitud , Municipality of Paracelis, Mountain Province	Palitod	Mayor's Certification dated 06 May 2021
7.	Barangay Sta. Isabel , Municipality of Natonin, Mountain Province	Santa Isabel	Mayor's Certification dated 10 May 2021





Correct name	Old name	Legal Basis
8. Barangay Cagmanipis Norte , City of Calbayog, Samar	Cagmanipes Norte	Ordinance No. 2021-07-008, enacted 01 March 2021, approved 08 March 2021
 Barangay Cagmanipis Sur, City of Calbayog, Samar 	Cagmanipes Sur	Ordinance No. 2021-07-008, enacted 01 March 2021, approved 08 March 2021
10.Barangay Guinbaoyan Norte , City of Calbayog, Samar	Guimbaoyan Norte	Ordinance No. 2021-07-008, enacted 01 March 2021, approved 08 March 2021
11.Barangay Guinbaoyan Sur , City of Calbayog, Samar	Guimbaoyan Sur	Ordinance No. 2021-07-008, enacted 01 March 2021, approved 08 March 2021
12.Barangay Geragaan , City of Calbayog, Samar	Geraga-an	Ordinance No. 2021-07-008, enacted 01 March 2021, approved 08 March 2021
13.Barangay Manguino-o , City of Calbayog, Samar	Maguino-o	Ordinance No. 2021-07-008, enacted 01 March 2021, approved 08 March 2021
14.Barangay Nag-uma , City of Calbayog, Samar	Naguma	Ordinance No. 2021-07-008, enacted 01 March 2021, approved 08 March 2021
15.Barangay Panonongon , City of Calbayog, Samar	Panonongan	Ordinance No. 2021-07-008, enacted 01 March 2021, approved 08 March 2021
16.Barangay San Policarpo , City of Calbayog, Samar	San Policarpio	Ordinance No. 2021-07-008, enacted 01 March 2021, approved 08 March 2021
17.Barangay Tapae , City of Calbayog, Samar	Тара-е	Ordinance No. 2021-07-008, enacted 01 March 2021, approved 08 March 2021

Meanwhile, the names of Barangay **Saint Francis (Gasak)** from City of Meycauayan, Bulacan, and Barangay **Magallungon (Sta. Teresa)** from the municipality of Lal-Lo, Cagayan were reverted to the previous naming format, pending the verification of TWGGC on the correct names of the said barangays. During the third quarter 2020 PSGC updates, the old names of barangay/municipality/city/province previously displayed together with their new names were transferred to a separate column in the PSGC masterlist.

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Notwithstanding these updates in the PSGC, the total number of local government units remained the same as shown in the table below:

Geographic-level	Total Number (as of 30 June 2021)
Region	17
Province	81
City	146
Municipality	1,488
Barangay	42,046

The updated online PSGC database and masterlist can be accessed at https://psa.gov.ph/classification/psgc/.

The compilation and updating of the PSGC is a collaborative effort of the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA), and its interagency TWGGC which is composed of the Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG), Commission on Elections (COMELEC), National Mapping and Resource Information Authority (NAMRIA), and the Land Management Bureau (LMB). Pursuant to Republic Act No. 10625, the PSA is mandated to prescribe uniform standards and classification systems in the generation of government statistics to ensure harmonization and comparability of statistics in the country and at the international level.

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