



**SOCIO ECONOMIC
PROFILE
BARANGAY 41
BACOLOD CITY**

Vision

1. To inculcate a progressive participation and initiative of the people in the affairs of the Barangay.
2. To minimize drug addiction menace.

Mission

Barangay 41 is geared towards delivering basic public services to its people.

HISTORICAL BACKGROUND

Barangay 41 became the basic government unit in the nation's political structure on September 21, 1974. Presidential Decree (P.D.) No. 557 created Barangays to provide popular participation in shaping up public policy. All powers, functions, duties and responsibilities of Barrios, Assembly, councils and officials enumerated in the revised Barrio Charter (R.A 3590) were assimilated by the Barangay. On December 17, 1985, City Ordinance No. 08 was created approving and adopting the recommended delineation of boundaries of Sixty One (61) barangays in the City of Bacolod.

Barangay 41 is located within the compound of the defunct sugar mill, the Bacolod Murcia Milling Company Incorporated (B.M.M.C) with the total land area of 31,603 hectares. Ninety-five percent of the land is owned by the Aranetas who also owned the B.M.M.C. It is composed of four (4) puroks namely; Purok 3, 4, 5 Purok 6, 7 and 8 were combined.

Purok 1 and 2 were merged with Purok 3, and Purok 6, 7, and considered as one purok.

The Barangay was used to be a festive Barangay when B.M.M.C was in operation. It used to be the benefactor of the Barangay in a lot of endeavours, from sports to cultural events, within the community, or even in the City Level and province level competitions. Almost 99 percent of the households were dependent to the operation of B.M.M.C.

In fact when one speaks of Barangay 41 and Bacolod Murcia, It only means that they are just one and the same.

Sad to say that in 1987 B.M.M.C stopped its operation. A new management, the Azucar Corporation, then operated it. Again in 1991, another management took over due to the shutdown in operation of the Azucar Corporation. It was then managed by the Industrial and Sugar Resources Corporation (INSURECO) for only one year. Another group, the Noah's Ark Corporation, took over in 1992 which also lead to its closure. But no matter how many times it has been operated by different managements, it's real identity still prevails.

Today, Barangay 41 is still identified as the community within the premises of the B.M.M.C. In the Masskara Festival 2008, Barangay 41, participated in the Masskara Dance Competition which continued in 2009 and 2010 which resulted in a top ten (10) ranking in the Barangay and Open Category, respectively.

PHYSICAL AND DEMOGRAPHICAL PROFILE

Barangay 41 is classified as an urban Barangay. It is the last number among the forty one (41) numbered Barangays of the City of Bacolod. It has a total land area of 31.60 hectares but only about thirty (30) percent is residential.

It is bounded by the Carlos Hilado Circumferential Road on the east, by the Lupit River running from the southwest to the west, by Purok Malvar Cubay on the south which is part of Barangay Villamonte, by Barangay 27 on the far west and by the concrete walls on the north separating it from Gonzaga Subdivision.

Barangay 41 is composed of five (5) Puroks namely: Puroks 3,4,5,6, and 8. Actually Puroks 1 and 2 are merged with Purok 3 and Purok 7 merged with Purok 6, respectively. It is dominated by the Roman Catholic although there are other religious sects inside the Barangay. There is only one church inside the Barangay, which is that of the Catholics.

Population (2015 census): **499**
(2019 BDP): **774**

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| BARANGAY CAPTAIN | SALVACION REQUIRON PENUELA |
| SANGGUNIANG BARANGAY MEMBER | GLENN HECHANOVA GASATAYA |
| SANGGUNIANG BARANGAY MEMBER | KEVIN CUBOS RIVERA |
| SANGGUNIANG BARANGAY MEMBER | RUEL APOLINARIO BALGOS |
| SANGGUNIANG BARANGAY MEMBER | MIKAEL DEMI ALARCON |
| SANGGUNIANG BARANGAY MEMBER | RICHARD AMAR DERLA |
| SANGGUNIANG BARANGAY MEMBER | FLORENDA GONZAGA VIÑAS |
| SANGGUNIANG BARANGAY MEMBER | JOHN JAY ROJO AGUILAR |
| SANGGUNIANG KABATAAN CHAIRMAN | CARLO V. VILLEGAS |

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| Barangay 41 (Pob.) | Elective | SK Member | RASSEL | MAKILAN |
| Barangay 41 (Pob.) | Elective | SK Member | CHRISTOPHER | CLERIGO |
| Barangay 41 (Pob.) | Elective | SK Member | JOHN REY | JABADAN |
| Barangay 41 (Pob.) | Elective | SK Member | JAY - ART | CAMILO |
| Barangay 41 (Pob.) | Elective | SK Member | JEREMIE | MATA |
| Barangay 41 (Pob.) | Elective | SK Member | RAYMUND | DEMI |
| Barangay 41 (Pob.) | Elective | SK Member | JOSHUA | VILLAFLORES |

Waste Management:

It has been the perennial problem in the Barangay regarding the waste disposal. There is no route of the city garbage truck for collection. It is the objective of the Barangay Council to educate the residents to dispose their garbage properly in open decomposition pits, and not in the creek or river.

Trees and Livestock Management:

The Barangay Council is very much concerned for the protection of the trees which are existent in the Barangay and encouraging the people to engage in livestock farming.

Some trees usually grow because of the vast open areas. The grassy areas are also fit for grazing livestock. Goats are the usual livestock found here.

BARANGAY DEVELOPMENT PLAN

| Program/Project/Activity | Year | Amount |
|---|-------------|---------------|
| 1. Rehabilitation and Repair of Footbridge Connecting from Brgy 41 to Doña Juliana, Brgy Taculing | 2019 | 180,000.00 |
| Rehbilitation & Extension of Foot walks | 2020 | 90,000.00 |
| Riprap (Plka-pika) rehabilitation | 2020 | 90,000.00 |