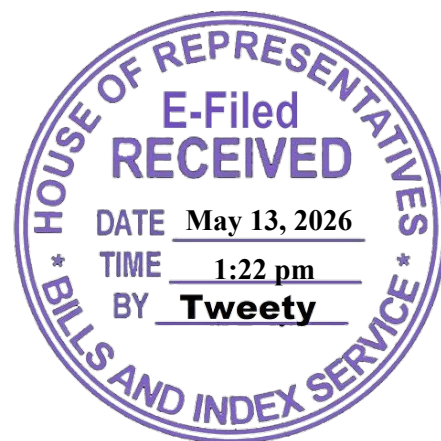




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**COMMITTEE REPORT NO. 297**

Submitted by the Committee on Local Government on May 13, 2026

Re: House Bill No. 3717

Recommending its approval with amendments

Sponsors: Representatives Florencio T. Miraflores and Timothy Joseph E. Cayton

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Mr. Speaker:

The Committee on Local Government to which was referred **House Bill No. 3717**, introduced by Representative Timothy Joseph E. Cayton, entitled:

**“AN ACT DECLARING OCTOBER 2 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NON-WORKING HOLIDAY IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF SOLANO, PROVINCE OF NUEVA VIZCAYA, TO BE KNOWN AS ‘SOLANO DAY’”**

has considered the same and recommends its approval with the following amendments:

1. On line 3, after “founding anniversary”, insert a comma and the phrase “to honor its establishment and celebrate its progress and achievements”;
2. On line 6, insert a new Section 2 to read as follows:

**“SEC. 2. THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT OF SOLANO SHALL ENSURE THE MEANINGFUL OBSERVANCE OF THE HOLIDAY THROUGH APPROPRIATE PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES, IN COORDINATION WITH RELEVANT GOVERNMENT AGENCIES AND STAKEHOLDERS, TO PROMOTE AWARENESS OF ITS HISTORICAL, CULTURAL, AND SOCIAL SIGNIFICANCE.”**

3. On line 12, renumber Section 2 as Section 3.

with Representatives Timothy Joseph E. Cayton and Florencio T. Miraflores as authors thereof.

Respectfully submitted,

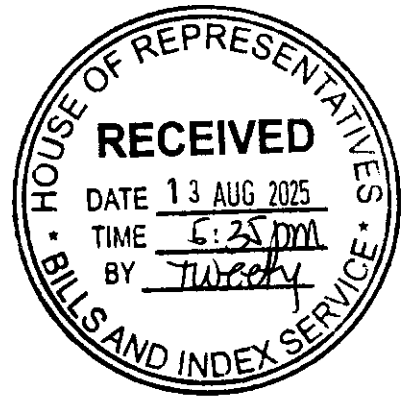
  
**FLORENCIO T. MIRAFLORES**  
Chairperson  
Committee on Local Government

**THE HONORABLE SPEAKER**  
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House Bill No. 3717



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**Introduced by Representative Timothy Joseph Cayton**

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**"AN ACT DECLARING OCTOBER 2 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NON-WORKING HOLIDAY IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF SOLANO, PROVINCE OF NUEVA VIZCAYA, TO BE KNOWN AS 'SOLANO DAY'"**

**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

The Municipality of Solano, a premier town in the Province of Nueva Vizcaya, traces its roots to October 2, 1860. On this day, the community officially became a town, and since then, Solano has grown into a center of commerce, culture, and public service in the province.

In 2018, the Sangguniang Bayan of Solano enacted Ordinance No. 05-2018-9 adopting October 2, 1860 as the official day of establishment of the town, to be commemorated annually as "Solano Day." This was subsequently approved by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan through SP Resolution No. 2019-2985.

Declaring October 2 as a special non-working holiday will allow residents to participate meaningfully in the celebration, deepen their appreciation of local history, and strengthen community bonds.

In view of the foregoing, the immediate passage of this bill is earnestly sought.

  
**HON. TIMOTHY JOSEPH CAYTON**  
***Representative***  
Lone District, Nueva Vizcaya

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*Be it enacted by the Senate and the House of Representatives of the Philippines in  
Congress assembled:*

**SECTION 1.** October 2 of every year is hereby declared a special non-working holiday in the Municipality of Solano, Province of Nueva Vizcaya, to be known as “Solano Day,” in commemoration of its founding anniversary.

**SEC. 2.** This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after the completion of its publication in the Official Gazette or in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved,



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**HOUSE BILL NO. 3717**

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Introduced by **Representatives Timothy Joseph E. Cayton and Florencio T. Miraflores**

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**DECLARING OCTOBER 2 OF EVERY YEAR A SPECIAL NON-WORKING**  
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Approved,