## Republic of the Philippines Province of Ilocos Sur MUNICIPALITY OF NARVACAN

## OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

49<sup>th</sup> Regular Session Held at the Sangguniang Bayan Session Hall On 25 July 2005

> ORDINANCE NO. 09-05 Series of 2005

## AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING COUPLES APPLYING FOR MARRIAGE LICENSE TO PLANT FOUR (4) FRUIT OR FOREST TREES (2 EACH)

BE IT ENACTED by the Sangguniang Bayan of Narvacan, Ilocos Sur that:

**SECTION 1**. This ordinance shall be called LOVE TREE ORDINANCE.

**SECTION 2**. Every couple applying for marriage license shall be required to plant four (4) fruit or forest trees prior to approval of application for Marriage License.

**SECTION 3**. Seedlings shall be made available at the Municipal or Barangay Plant Nursery where the couple resides at a minimal cost of Ten Pesos (P10.00) per tree. Payments shall be made to the Municipal or Barangay Treasurer wherever the seedlings were issued.

**SECTION 4**. The seedlings shall be planted before the Marriage License is issued at any communal lot designated by the Mayor or the Punong Barangay or within the residence of either bride or groom.

**SECTION 5**. The Punong Barangay shall issue a certification declaring that the seedlings were planted in his / her respective barangay.

**SECTION 6**. The Municipal Agriculture Office Personnel shall monitor the growth of said planted trees and shall remind the couple of their maintenance. These Agriculture employees shall submit a written report to the Office of the Mayor every end of the month. Should the trees die, the couple shall be required to replace them.

**SECTION 7**. All collections derived from this ordinance shall be used as additional maintenance of the Municipal or Barangay Nursery.

**SECTION 8**. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon approval of the Sanggguniang Panlalawigan of the province of Ilocos Sur.

ENACTED 25 July 2005.

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