

## Tourism Attraction

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According to the Guidelines For The Formulation/Revision of Comprehensive Land Use Plan, volume III published by the Rules and Standards Development Group of the HLURB, “The development of the tourism sector is a major national objective and a locality is lucky if it falls within the national priority areas for tourism development. If the municipality/city, however, does not fall within priority tourist areas, it would still be worthwhile for the municipality to promote domestic tourism in view of downstream industries and multiplicity of activities connected with this industry that are good sources of income, aside from generating employment for local residents. Tourism, when properly planned and managed, can be an instrument to enhance national pride in local customs and as venue to preserve or rebuild the physical environment.”

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**1.1 THE ONAY BEACH** – A beach resort facing the Laoang Bay about 1.68 km northwest of the town proper. It is a stretch of concave-shaped white beach lined with coconut trees complemented by some wide leafed and stocky Talisay trees. Below the trees are cottages and nipa huts intended for tourist and excursionists. The beach itself has clear water on fine sand. It is frequently visited by the town folks of Laoang, as well as, residents from neighboring towns like, Catubig especially during Saturdays and Sundays. The Onay Beach covers an area of 4 hectares.

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