



# Sangguniang Panlalawigan

BATAAN CAPITOL, BALANGA CITY



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PRESENT:

Hon. Ma. Cristina M. Garcia, Vice Governor and Presiding Officer

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- Hon. Benjamin C. Serrano, Jr., Board Member
- Hon. Jomar L. Gaza J.D., Board Member
- Hon. Reynaldo T. Ibe, Jr., Board Member
- Hon. Godofredo B. Galicia, Jr., M.D., Board Member
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- Hon. Romano L. Del Rosario, Board Member
- Hon. Noel Joseph L. Valdecañas, Board Member (PCL President)
- Hon. Precious D. Manuel, Board Member (SKF President)
- Hon. Rosita N. Sison, Board Member (IPM Representative)

ABSENT:

Hon. Doroteo M. Austria, Board Member (FABC President) (Excused)

ORDINANCE NO. 01  
Series of 2020

AN ORDINANCE INSTITUTIONALIZING A PROVINCE-WIDE WELLNESS ACTIVITY IN THE PROVINCE OF BATAAN AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR.

Sponsored by: Hon. Godofredo B. Galicia, Jr., M.D.  
Hon. Jomar L. Gaza J.D.

WHEREAS, the 1987 Constitution provides that the maintenance of peace and order, the protection of life, liberty, and property, and the promotion of the general welfare are essential for the enjoyment by all the people of the blessings of democracy;

WHEREAS, the 1987 Constitution likewise provides that the State shall protect and promote the right to health of the people and instill health consciousness among them;

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Provincial Governor

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WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the "Local Government Code of 1991" directs that every local government unit shall exercise the powers necessary, appropriate, or incidental for its efficient and effective governance, and those which are essential to the promotion of the general welfare. Within their respective territorial jurisdictions, local government units shall, among other things, promote health and safety and preserve the comfort and convenience of their inhabitants;

WHEREAS, the same Code also provides that the Sangguniang Panlalawigan shall enact ordinances and appropriate funds for specific programs, projects, services and activities of the province, or for other purposes not contrary to law, in order to promote the general welfare of the province and its inhabitants;

WHEREAS, the performance of physical fitness activities remains among the fundamental practices generally accepted and advocated to promote healthy living and improve the health condition of the inhabitants;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, as it is hereby ordained by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan, in session duly assembled, that:

SECTION 1. Declaration of Policy. - It is the declared policy of the Provincial Government of Bataan to promote and protect the health of the inhabitants and inculcate health consciousness among them. Towards this end, the provincial government shall implement projects and activities designed to enhance their health and well-being.

SECTION 2. Institutionalization of a Province-Wide Wellness Activity. - A wellness activity consisting of fun run, dance exercise, workout, and similar activities is hereby adopted as a symbolic event for the continuing advocacy of the provincial government to instill among inhabitants the importance of engaging in regular physical exercises. The event shall be carried out by the provincial government at least once a year, on a date, and under such label or theme as may be determined by the implementing office.

SECTION 3. Participation of Other Local Government Units. - The city and municipalities in the Province of Bataan are hereby urged to support and participate in the activity. They are likewise encouraged to adopt a similar activity in their respective localities to be held at a day as may be determined by the city or municipality concerned.

SECTION 4. Implementing Office. - The Office of the Provincial Governor shall be responsible in implementing this Ordinance. For this purpose, the Provincial Governor may issue such guidelines as may be necessary, and designate or enlist the relevant offices of the provincial government to lead or assist in the proper implementation thereof. He may also enter into a Memorandum of Agreement with the local government units under the province for a coordinated implementation of the activity, and engage the participation and/or assistance of national government agencies in the province as well as event organizer and other partners as he may deem appropriate to ensure the success of the activity.

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SECTION 5. Registration/Sponsorship Fees, Donations. - A reasonable amount of registration fee may be assessed from participants to help defray the cost of holding the activity. Sponsorship fees and donations may also be accepted.

SECTION 6. Appropriation. - The amount necessary for the proper implementation of this Ordinance shall be sourced from the collection of registration fees, sponsorships, and donations. All such amounts collected shall be constituted and accounted for as trust fund and deemed appropriated only for the activity, in accordance with relevant laws, rules and regulations.


Any deficiency of the amount appropriated in the preceding paragraph shall be sourced from the available MOOE appropriated for the Office of the Provincial Governor.

SECTION 7. Separability Clause. - If, for any reason, any part or provision of this Ordinance is declared invalid or unconstitutional, the remaining parts or provisions not affected shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 8. Repealing Clause. - All ordinances, resolutions, local executive orders or administrative regulations which are inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

SECTION 9. Effectivity. - This Ordinance shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in a local newspaper of general circulation.

APPROVED UNANIMOUSLY.

  
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