

Republic of the Philippines Province of Sorsogon

CITY OF SORSOGON



Office of the Sangguniang Zanlungsod

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE EIGHTH CITY COUNCIL HELD AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL, CABID AN, EAST DISTRICT, SORSOGON CITY ON March 14, 2023.

PRESENT:

HON. MARK ERIC C. DIONEDA

City Vice Mayor

HON. NESTOR J. BALDON

City Councilor/Temporary Presiding Officer

WEST DISTRICT

Hon. Peter Joseph J. Ravanilla Hon. Bryan J. Pingul Hon. Ma. Teresa D. Perdigon

BACON DISTRICT

Hon. Jo Abegail C. Dioneda Hon. Reynaldo C. Taladtad Hon. Glenn P. Olbes Hon. Danilo A. Deladia

ABSENT:

NONE

EAST DISTRICT

Hon. Maria Theresa S. Gonzalez Hon. Lester R. Lubiano Hon. Mark Jayson D. Jamisola Hon. Angelu Magda P. Ravanilla

EX-OFFICIO MEMBERS

Hon. Bessie C. Diaz Hon. Renalene Mae J. Duka

Resolution No. 146, Series of 2023

(Author: Hon. Mark Jayson D. Jamisola)

RESOLUTION EMPOWERING THE BARANGAY HEALTH WORKERS (BHW'S) IN ALL SIXTY FOUR (64) BARANGAYS OF SORSOGON CITY RECOGNIZING THEIR DEDICATED SERVICE TO THEIR CONSTITUENTS AND REQUESTING FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE BARANGAY COUNCIL FOR THE PROGRAMS RELATED TO HEALTH AND NUTRITION.

WHEREAS, Republic Act 7883 otherwise known as the "Barangay Health Worker's Benefits and Incentives Act of 1995" is an act granting benefits and incentives to accredited BHWs for voluntary health services rendered to the community;

WHEREAS, Barangay Health Workers (BHWs) are frontline health workers who provide basic health education and selected primary health care services to the grassroots level;

WHEREAS, Barangay Health Workers (BHW's) plays a vital role in accomplishing the primary health care approach towards health empowerment by providing accessible and acceptable health services in the barangay;

WHEREAS, Barangay Health Workers (BHWs) are also front-liners in promoting the Universal Health Care (UHC) in the Barangay that will improve and strengthen existing health sector processes and systems by highlighting primary care close to families and communities and making Philhealth membership automatic to the people;

WHEREAS, Barangay Health Workers (BHWs) has undergone relevant training under various accredited government or non-government organization (NGO) enabling them to perform different tasks in their respective barangays;

WHEREAS, the support of the local government unit particularly the Barangay Council to the Barangay Health Workers is indispensable for the success of all local and national program being implemented in the barangay level;

WHEREAS, the Barangay Health Workers being barangay based volunteers and considering their hardships during implementation of the programs, various reports being submitted, and the hazards that may place their health and lives at risk, it is deemed necessary that they may be empowered by giving them due recognition and continuous support from the Barangay Council;

NOW THEREFORE, on motion of **Hon.** Jo Abegail C. Dioneda duly seconded by City Councilor Renalene Mae J. Duka, be it resolved as it is hereby resolve to Empower the Barangay Health Workers (BHWs) in all sixty-four (64) barangays of Sorsogon City recognizing their dedicated service to their constituents and requesting for the support from the barangay council for the programs related to health and nutrition.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that copies of this resolution be furnished to all concerned for their information and guidance.

DATE APPROVED: March 14, 2023

I hereby certify to the correctness of the foregoing resolution.

NEREO FONTE N. SIPOY

Assistant Secretary to the Sangguniang Panlungsod

City Councilor/Temporary Presiding Officer

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