

City of Bago OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 1887th REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD OF THE CITY OF BAGO HELD ON AUGUST 23, 2017 AT THE SP SESSION HALL, BAGO CITY.

PRESENT:

HON. RAMON D. TORRES HON. MA. JOSEFA Y. MATTI HON. ANDREW MARTIN Y. TORRES HON. CARLOS E. MONDIA HON. JORGE AGUSTIN A. ARANETA HON. MAE C. JAVELLANA HON. CLEO F. GAUDITE HON. ALLAN C. GALUNAN HON. DANILO U. FAMOSO HON. JOZSEF MARK DEXTER M. SOMCIO City Vice Mayor-Presiding Officer SP Member SP Member

ABSENT:

HON. SERGIO T. PIANSAY

SP Member-ABC President (On Official Business)

RESOLUTION NO. 17-223

RESOLUTION DECLARING THE CITY HEALTH OFFICE OF BAGO CITY AS "GENDER FRIENDLY FACILITY" IN SUPPORT WITH THE FP UNMET NEED REDUCTION STRATEGY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND DECLARING EVERY WEDNESDAY AS FAMILY PLANNING DAY.

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 10354, otherwise known as the Responsible Parenthood and Reproductive Health Act of 2012 (RPRH Law) recognizes the right of Filipinos to decide freely and responsibly on their desired number and spacing of children, within the context of responsible parenthood and informed choice, and to access needed reproductive health care;

WHEREAS, one of the Sustainable Development Goals to end poverty and fight inequality and injustice in the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development is the goal of ensuring universal access to sexual and reproductive health care services and right, which the Philippines committed to achieve by 2030;

WHEREAS, the findings of the 2013 Philippine National Demographic and health Survey (NDHS) carried one by the Philippines Statistics Authority (PSA) show that at least six million women, of which two million are poor, have unmet needs for Family Planning and remain unable to fully exercise their reproductive rights due to lack of information for travel, lack of information and fear of side effects as reason among others;

WHEREAS, to institutionalize the Unmet FP Need Reduction and Family Planning Day Strategy of the DOH which was introduced by the Visayas for Health Project in our city, Family Planning Day will be observed every WEDNESDAY thereof and shall cover various activities like provision of Family Planning counseling, consultation and provision of different FP methods.

WHEREAS, to defray the cost of conducting each Family Planning Day it shall be taken out from MOOE, Maternity Care Package and the PP-IUD Package budget of the City health office; that this allocation will be used for mobilization in reaching out to and referring women/men with unmet FP needs in the community, cost of supplies and commodities.

NOW, THEREFORE, upon motion of SP Member Andrew Martin Y. Torres, duly seconded by SP Members Jozsef Mark Dexter M. Somcio, Ma. Josefa Y. Matti, the Sangguniang Panlungsod

RESOLVES, as it is hereby resolved, to declare the City Health Office of Bago City as "GENDER FRIENDLY FACILITY" in support with the FP Unmet Need Reduction Strategy of the Department of Health and declaring every Wednesday as Family Planning Day.

ATTESTED:

RAMON D. TORRES City Vice Mayor-Presiding Officer

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

VICENTE D. MESIAS Supervising Environmental Management Specialist/ City Secretary-Designate