

Republic of the Philippines **REGION IX**

PROVINCE OF ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR Municipality of Dumalinao

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYTAN-

THE PROVINCIAL SECRETARY 02 -510-, 55 PROVINCE OF ZAMBOANGA DEL

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 114TH REGULAR SESSION OF THE 11TH SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF DUMALINAO, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR, HELD AT SB. SESSION HALL ON MARCH 14, 2022.

Present:

HON. WILFREDO L. MALONG, SR.

HON. ROMEO G. LIGAN

HON. JELITO R. PEÑONAL HON. ARNOLD L. FLORES

HON. GLEEWIN L. RUBIO

HON. ELYNOR S. CORTEZ

HON. GERARDO Y. GAMAL

HON. ZENAIDA C. LOSABIA HON. ROLLY L. CHING

HON. JESSIE NIEL C. PAULO

HON. ROMEO D. PARILA

- Municipal Vice Mayor

- SB Member

- ABC President

- IPMR

Absent:

HON. JEZIEL R. DAGUPAN

- SKF President - O.B

ORDINANCE NO. 2022-04-464

AN ORDINANCE GRANTING ANNUAL CASH INCENTIVES TO BARANGAY NUTRITION SCHOLARS (BNS), BARANGAY VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN AND THEIR CHILDREN (BVAWC) DESK OFFICERS, BARANGAY CHILDREN AT RISK (CAR) AND CHILDREN IN CONFLICT WITH THE LAW (CICL) FOCAL IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF DUMALINAO, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR AND PROVIDING FUNDS THEREOF.

WHEREAS, under Section 446 (a) (1) of Republic Act No. 7160 provides, that the Sangguniang Bayan, as the legislative body of the municipality, shall enact ordinances, approve resolutions and appropriate funds for the general welfare of the municipality and its inhabitant pursuant to Section 16 of this Code;

WHEREAS, according to PD No. 1569 otherwise known as "Strengthening the Barangay Nutrition Program by Providing a Barangay Nutrition in every Barangay, Providing Funds thereof and for other purposes" states that one of



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the benefits of being a BNS is that they may be provided by the province/city/municipality/barangay with other allowances/honoraria;

WHEREAS, BNS, BVAWC Officer, and CAR and CICL Focal are the ones at the frontline in providing social services in the locality and the first individual exposed to risk associated with the maintenance and promotion of public health, peace and order and disaster management;

WHEREAS, this ordinance is designed, among others, to ensure the continuity of the benefits and incentives to motivate them in sustaining their commitment in providing excellent and upright services to the public;

NOW, THEREFORE, in view of the foregoing premises, upon motion of Honorable Zenaida C. Losabia and duly seconded by Honorable Gleewin L. Rubio;

BE IT ORDAINED, as it is hereby ordained by the Sangguniang Bayan of Dumalinao, Zamboanga del Sur in session assembled that:

SECTION I. TITLE – This ordinance shall be known as the "ANNUAL CASH INCENTIVES TO BARANGAY NUTRITION SCHOLARS (BNS), BARANGAY VAWC DESK OFFICERS, CAR AND CICL FOCAL 2022".

SECTION II. DECLARATION OF POLICY – It is the policy of the municipality to protect and promote the right to health and nutrition of the people and adopt an integrated and comprehensive approach to nutrition and related programs which shall endeavour to make nutrition and related services available to all the target beneficiaries. It shall then be its declared policy to promote and improve the social well-being and welfare to the Barangay Nutrition Scholars, Barangay Health Workers and Barangay Service Point Officers who are the forefront of the said programs in the grassroots level. Towards this end, the LGU-Dumalinao shall adopt policies that will guarantee and enhanced the quality of life of the Barangay Volunteers.

SECTION III. PURPOSE – This ordinance aims to ensure the continuity of the benefits and incentives which have been availed by the BNS, BVAWC Officer, and CAR and CICL Focal for already a number of years and to grant additional benefits and incentives so as to motivate them in sustaining their commitment in providing excellent and upright services to the public.

SECTION IV. DEFINITION OF TERMS - As used in this ordinance, the following terms shall mean:

a. Barangay Nutrition Scholar (BNS) – refers to a barangay-based worker appointed by the Punong Barangay and registered by the Provincial Health Office through the Municipal Health Office, has undergone the required training, in accordance with law and regulations, and responsible for the delivery of nutrition and related services particularly to target beneficiaries.

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- b. Barangay Children At Risk (CAR) and Children in Conflict with the Law (CICL) Focal refers to the focal person of the barangay who manages the cases of CICL and CAR and maintains the database both online and offline to secure the monitoring and confidentiality of the cases.
- c. Registered BNS refers to Barangay Nutrition Scholar who has undergone one (1) year of volunteer service and registered by the Provincial Health Office through the Municipal/City Health Office.
- d. Registered VAWC Desk Officers refers to a barangay-based VAWC Desk Officers who are trained and qualified to be appointed as VAWC Desk Officer and had been serving in the barangay for more than One (1) Year.
- e. Registered Children at Risk (CAR) and Children in Conflict with the Law (CICL) Focal refers to the focal person in each barangay who are trained by the JJWC in both online and offline registry.
- f. BNS, BVAWC Officer, and CAR and CICL Focal Registry/Master list refers to the list of all registered BNS, BHW and BSPO to be maintained and regularly updated by the Municipal Health Office (MHO) and Municipal Social Welfare and Development Office (MSWDO).
- **SECTION V. COVERAGE** This ordinance shall cover all registered Barangay Nutrition Scholars, Barangay VAWC Desk Officers and Barangay CAR and CICL Focal in the Municipality of Dumalinao who voluntarily render services to the target beneficiaries.

SECTION VI. NUMBER OF BARANGAY NUTRITION SCHOLARS, BARANGAY VAWC DESK OFFICERS AND BARANGAY CAR AND CICL FOCAL — There shall be provided at least one (1) BNS, VAWC Desk and CAR and CICL Focal in every barangay. The Local Council for the Protection of Children through the Social Welfare and Development Office shall be closely coordinating the BNS, VAWC Desk Officers and CAR and CICL Focal.

SECTION VII. REGISTRATION – In order that BNS, VAWC Desk Officers and CAR and CICL focal shall be entitled to the benefits and incentives provided under this ordinance, the BNS shall register with the Municipal Health Office and the VAWC Desk Officer and CAR and CICL Focal shall register with the Municipal Social Welfare and Development Office which is hereby mandated to maintain a municipal registry/ master list of all BNS, VAWC Desk Officers and CAR and CICL Focal in the municipality.

SECTION VIII. FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AND BENEFITS - In recognition of their services, all registered BNS, VAWC Desk Officers, and CAR and CICL Focal who are actively and regularly performing their duties as certified by the assigned

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midwife and/or punong barangay shall be entitled to the benefits and incentives, as follows:

a. Financial Assistance – Registered BNS, VAWC Desk Officers, and CAR and CICL Focal shall receive financial assistance from the Municipal Government every December of every year, with the following scheme:

	2022	2023	2024	2025
BNS	3,000.00	3,200.00	3,300.00	3,500.00
VAWC Desk Officers	3,000.00	3,200.00	3,300.00	3,500.00
CAR and CICL Focal	3,000.00	3,200.00	3,300.00	3,500.00

b. Use of Government Facilities - BNS, VAWC Desk Officers, and CAR and CICL Focal shall be allowed to use, for official purpose and free of charge, structures and other similar facilities owned, operated and maintained by the Municipal Government.

c. Travel Claims – Officers of the BNS, VAWC Desk Officers, and CAR and CICL Focal shall be entitled of travel reimbursements when they travel on official business such as trainings and seminars required of them outside of the municipality chargeable against the MHO and MSWDO Fund.

section IX. Review By the MUNICIPAL HEALTH OFFICE (MHO) - Every incentive or benefit for Barangay Nutrition Scholar, requiring the expenditure of municipal government funds shall be reviewed and approved by the MHO and the VAWC Desk Officers and CAR and CICL Focal by the MSWDO to ensure that only the deserving BNS, VAWC Desk Officer, and CAR and CICL Focal get the same.

SECTION X. APPROPRIATION - The amount necessary to carry out provisions of this Ordinance following in its enactment, shall be included in the ensuing Appropriation Ordinance embodying annual or supplemental budget and every year thereafter, the same be included in the annual budget of the Local Council for the Protection of Children (LCPC).

SECTION XI. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE – If any provision of this Ordinance is declared invalid, the remainder or any provision hereof not affected thereby shall remain in force and effect.

SECTION XII. REPEALING CLAUSE – All ordinances executive orders, issuances including rules and regulations inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed and/or modified accordingly.

SECTION XIII. EFFECTIVELY – This ordinance shall take effect upon review and approval.

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Enacted this $\underline{\mathbf{14^{th}}}$ day of $\underline{\mathbf{MARCH~2022}}$ at Dumalinao, Zamboanga del Sur.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing Ordinance.

ATTY: MAYUS RYAN Ø. ANDO

SB Secretáry

Attested by:

WILFREDO L. MALONG, SR.

Municipal Vice Mayor-Presiding Officer

Approved by:

MAY 23, 2012

JUNAFLOR'S. CERILLES, RMT, MAGD

Municipal Mayor

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