

## Republic of the Philippines Region IX

Province of Zamboanga del Sur MUNICIPALITY OF DUMALINAO

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BA



EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 35TH REGULAR SESSION OF THE 12TH SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF DUMALINAO, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR, HELD AT SB SESSION HALL ON MAY 22, 2023.

## Present:

HON. LORENZO S. ALCANTARA - Municipal Vice Mayor HON. RONALDO D. ENCABO - SB Member HON. FREDERICK R. BALANDRA - SB Member HON. HERMES B. CABALES - SB Member HON. MA. GEMMA C. ALBISO - SB Member HON, RHOLLY A, LABANG - SB Member HON. ROMEO G. LIGAN - SB Member HON. JELITO R. PEÑONAL - SB Member - SKF President HON. JEZIEL R. DAGUPAN HON. ROMEO D. PARILA - IPMR

## Absent:

HON. ARNOLD L. FLORES

- SB Member – Sick Leave

- ABC President – O.B

## **ORDINANCE NO. 2023-05-483**

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE LOCAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND INVESTMENT PROMOTION UNIT UNDER THE OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL TREASURER OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT OF DUMALINAO, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR.

WHEREAS, presented for consideration and appropriate action is the proposed ordinance authored by Hon. Hermes B. Cabales, establishing the Local Economic Development and Investment Promotion Unit under the Office of the Municipal Treasurer of the locality;

WHEREAS, under Article 18 of the Local Government Code, provides that the LGUs shall have the power and authority to establish an organization that shall be responsible for the efficient and effective implementation of their development plans, program objectives and priorities; to create their own

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sources of revenue and to levy taxes, fees, and charges which shall acc exclusively for their use and disposition and which shall be retained by ther

WHEREAS, the establishment of Local Economic Development and Investment Promotion Unit is to help the facilitation and promotion of the activities of the local enterprise development, establishment of support mechanism for the growth of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs), provide mechanism for business retention and expansion, and other business and economic activities to attract investments and generate employment in the locality;

**WHEREAS**, after careful review and exhaustive deliberation, and after finding the same to be proper and order;

**NOW THEREFORE**, on motion by **HON. HERMES B. CABALES** and duly seconded by **HON. JELITO R. PEÑONAL**;

**BE IT ORDAINED** by the 12<sup>th</sup> Sangguniang Bayan of Dumalinao, Zamboanga del Sur, in session assembled that:

SECTION I. TITLE. This ordinance shall be known as the "Local Economic Development and Investment Promotion Unit (LEDIPU)".

**SECTION II. OBJECTIVE.** The objective of this ordinance is to establish a specialized unit within the Office of the Municipal Treasurer that focuses on local economic development, investment promotion, and business facilitation.

**SECTION III. ESTABLISHMENT OF THE LEDIPU.** The Local Economic Development and Investment Promotion Unit (LEDIPU) is hereby created under the Office of the Municipal Treasurer of Local Government Unit of Dumalinao, Zamboanga del Sur.

The LEDIPU shall be responsible for formulating and implementing programs, projects, and activities aimed at promoting local economic growth, attracting investments, and facilitating business development within the municipality.

**SECTION IV. FUNCTIONS AND RESPONSIBILITIES.** The Local Economic Development and Investment Promotion Unit shall have the following functions and responsibilities:

- a. Serve as member of the advisory group that will guide the LGU for investment promotion:
- b. Steer the creation of a business enabling environment to attract, retain or expand investments.

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- c. Advocate and promote policies and practices that will encourage local investment such as:
- 1. Preparation of LGU Economic Development aligned with the Provincial Development and Physical Framework Plan (PDPFP), Comprehensive Land Use Plan (CLUP), Comprehensive Development Plan (CDP) and Local Investments and Incentive Code as may be applicable.
- 2. Assist on the formulation of Local Investments and Incentive Code (LIIC).
  - 3. Marketing and Promotion Strategies of the LGU.
- d. In close coordination with the Municipal Planning and Development Coordinator, identify revenue generating and enterprise development projects of the LGU, which may be implemented by the private sector through Public-Private Partnership (PPP) arrangements;
- e. Provide support and facilitation assistance for prospective and new investors:
- f. Establish and maintain a local economic database containing relevant facts and figures on the local economy to be able to provide information about business potentials of the LGU including its services to prospective investors to attract more investment to flow in the locality.
- g. Conduct mission trips in relation to promotion and marketing activities
   of the LGU to attract investments;
- h. Assist and support local councils whose undertakings are related to economic development
- i. Assist in the promotion and development of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) in the locality, as well as all other potential investors, particularly in (1) securing licenses and permits, (2) identifying business or joint venture partners, raw materials suppliers and possible business site s, (3) sourcing skilled manpower and service providers and (4) facilitating the resolution of issues and concerns encountered by business entities;
- j. Establish and maintain partnership with Regional Office of National Economic Development Authority (NEDA), Public-Private Partnership (PPP) Center; Department of Trade and Industry (DTI), DTI-Board of Investments (DTI-BOI), National Competitiveness Council (NCC); Department of Science and Technology (DOST), Department of Finance (DOF) Bureaus and attached agencies such as Bureau of Internal Revenue (BIR), Bureau of Customs (BOC),



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Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC), and Bureau of Local Government Finance (BLGF), along with other national government regulatory agencies and with the private sector, NGOs/CSOs, academe and other stakeholders in the implementation of programs, projects and activities that will promote the business-friendliness and competitiveness of the LGU.

- k. Represent the LGU-Dumalinao in trade and investment meetings, conferences, and other similar activities in both domestic and foreign venues.
- I. Prepare and disseminate investments promotion collaterals, e.g., brochures, and a website of the LGU for the purpose of information dissemination, including issuing reminders to Registered Enterprises, and providing information relevant to investors, among other information generally relevant to doing business

**SECTION V. UNIT STRUCTURE.** The LEDIPU shall be supervised by a Local Economic Development and Investment Promotion Officer, who shall be designated and/or appointed by the Local Chief Executive.

The unit structure and other functions of the LEDIPU shall be determined through an Executive Order issued by the Local Chief Executive, in accordance with existing civil service rules and regulations.

**SECTION VI. BUDGETARY PROVISIONS.** The Municipal Treasurer Office shall allocate the appropriate budgetary resources to support the programs, projects, and activities of the Local Economic Development and Investment Promotion Unit.

SECTION VII. REPORTING AND ACCOUNTABILITY. The Local Economic Development and Investment Promotion Officer shall submit an annual report to the Municipal Treasurer and Local Chief Executive, providing an overview of its accomplishments, challenges, and recommendations for the following year.

**SECTION VIII. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE.** If for any reason, a part of this Ordinance is declared unconstitutional, ultra vires, inoperative, or otherwise illegal or invalid, other parts or provisions hereof that are affected thereby shall remain valid and full force and effect.

**SECTION IX. REPEALING CLAUSE.** All previous ordinances, executive orders, rules and regulations, which are inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance, are hereby deemed amended, modified or repealed accordingly.

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**SECTION X. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE.** This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its approval.

ENACTED this 22ND day of MAY 2023 at Dumalinao, Zamboanga del Sur.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing Ordinance.

ATTY. MAYUS RYAN D. ANDO

SB Secretary

Attested by:

LORENÇÓ S. ALCANTARA Vice Mayor - Presiding Officer

Approved by:

JUNAFLOR'S. CERILLES, RMT, MAGD

Municipal Mayor

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