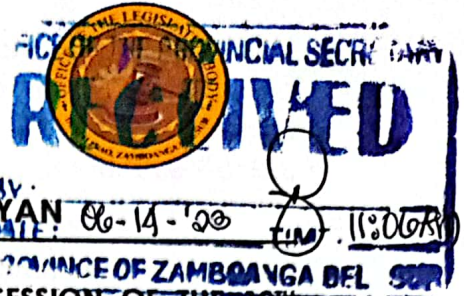




Republic of the Philippines
 Region IX
 Province of Zamboanga del Sur
MUNICIPALITY OF DUMALINAO



OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

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:

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| 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 |
| HON. JEZIEL R. DAGUPAN | - SKF President |
| HON. ROMEO D. PARILA | - IPMR |

Absent:

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| HON. ARNOLD L. FLORES | - SB Member – Sick Leave |
| HON. JESSIE NIEL C. PAULO | - ABC President – O.B |

ORDINANCE NO. 2023-05-486

AN ORDINANCE INSTITUTIONALIZING THE LOCAL POPULATION COMMISSION OFFICE IN THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT OF DUMALINAO, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR ITS OPERATION AND FOR OTHER PURPOSE.

WHEREAS, presented for consideration and appropriate action is the proposed ordinance authored by Hon. Hermes B. Cabaless, institutionalizing the Local Population Commission Office and appropriating funds for its operation and for other purposes;

WHEREAS, it is the duty of the Local Government Unit of Dumalinao to promote the general welfare of its constituents, which includes the effective management of population-related concerns and the implementation of appropriate programs and services;

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WHEREAS, recognizing the significance of population management in achieving sustainable development, it is necessary to establish a dedicated office that will focus on the formulation and implementation of policies, programs, and projects related to population growth, reproductive health, and family planning;

WHEREAS, the establishment of a Local Population Commission Office will streamline efforts, enhance coordination, and ensure the efficient delivery of services and programs addressing population concerns;

WHEREAS, the LGU of Dumalinao recognizes the need to appropriate funds for the establishment, operation, and maintenance of the Local Population Commission Office;

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. JEZIEL R. DAGUPAN**;

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

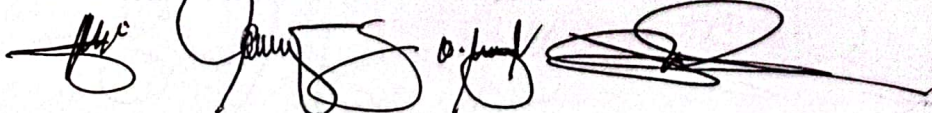
SECTION I. TITLE. This ordinance shall otherwise known as "**DUMALINAO LOCAL POPCOM OFFICE**".

SECTION II. CREATION AND MANDATE. The Local Population Commission Office (LPCO) is hereby established as a permanent unit office under the Local Government Unit of Dumalinao, Zamboanga del Sur.

The LPCO shall have the following mandates:

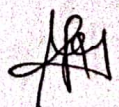
- a) Formulate and implement policies, programs, and projects related to population growth, reproductive health, and family planning in coordination with relevant national agencies and non-governmental organizations.
- b) Conduct research and gather data on population-related issues to support evidence-based decision-making.
- c) Provide information, education, and counseling on family planning, responsible parenthood, and reproductive health to the community.
- d) Coordinate with health service providers to ensure the availability and accessibility of reproductive health services and commodities.

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e) Advocate for gender equality, women's empowerment, and the promotion of reproductive rights.

SECTION III. ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE. The LPCO shall be headed by a Local Population Commission Officer, who shall be appointed by the Local Chief Executive.

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

SECTION IV. FUNCTIONS AND RESPONSIBILITIES. The Local Population Commission Office shall have the following functions and responsibilities:

a. Develop and implement a Local Population Development Plan in coordination with relevant agencies and stakeholders;

b. Conduct research and gather data on population-related issues and concerns in the municipality;

c. Promote and advocate responsible parenthood, family planning, reproductive health, and population education;

d. Coordinate with national government agencies, non-government organizations, and civil society organizations in implementing population programs and projects;

e. Provide information and services related to family planning, reproductive health, and other population-related concerns;

f. Monitor and evaluate the implementation of population programs and projects within the municipality;

g. Prepare an annual report on the status and progress of population programs and projects; and

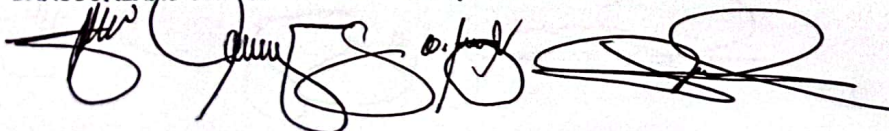
h. Perform other functions related to population management as may be directed by the Local Government Unit.

SECTION IV. APPROPRIATION OF FUNDS. The amount necessary to carry out shall be appropriated from the LGU's annual budget for the establishment, operation, and maintenance of the LPCO.

The appropriated funds shall be used for the following purposes:

a. Salaries and benefits of the LPCO personnel.

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- b. Training and capacity-building activities for LPCO staff.
- c. Information, education, and communication campaigns on population and reproductive health.
- d. Procurement of equipment, supplies, and materials necessary for the effective operation of the LPCO.

SECTION VIII. REPORTING AND ACCOUNTABILITY.

a. The Local Population Commission Office shall submit an annual report to the Local Chief Executive, providing an overview of its accomplishments, challenges, and recommendations for the following year.

b. The Local Population Commission Officer shall regularly attend meetings and coordinate with the Local Development Council and other relevant committees to ensure synergy and coordination of population management efforts.

SECTION IX. IMPLEMENTING RULES AND REGULATIONS. The Local Population Commission Office, in coordination with the Local Chief Executive and other concerned offices, shall promulgate the necessary implementing rules and regulations to ensure the effective implementation of this ordinance.

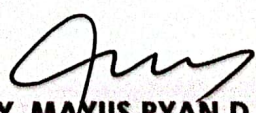
SECTION X. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. If for any reason, any Section of this Ordinance is declared unconstitutional or invalid, the other Sections or provisions hereof which are not affected thereby shall remain to be in full force effect.

SECTION XI. 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.

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

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

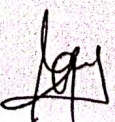
I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing Ordinance.


ATTY. MAYUS RYAN D. ANDO
SB Secretary


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Attested by:


LORENZO S. ALCANTARA
Vice Mayor - Presiding Officer

Approved by:


JUNAFIOR S. CERILLES, RMT, MAGD
Municipal Mayor



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