



Republic of the Philippines  
MUNICIPALITY OF ASINGAN  
Province of Pangasinan

**OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY TO THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN**

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF ASINGAN, PANGASINAN HELD ON OCTOBER 17, 2022 AT THE ASINGAN GOVERNMENT CENTER SESSION HALL

**PRESENT:**

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| 1. Hon. Heidee L. Ganigan-Chua   | Municipal Vice Mayor |
|                                  | Presiding Officer    |
| 2. Hon. Athena Ira G. Chua       | Municipal Councilor  |
| 3. Hon. Marivic S. Robeniol      | "                    |
| 4. Hon. Joselito V. Viray        | "                    |
| 5. Hon. Mel F. Lopez             | "                    |
| 6. Hon. Melchor J. Cardinez, Sr. | "                    |
| 7. Hon. Virgilio I. Amistad      | "                    |
| 8. Hon. Julio P. Dayag           | "                    |
| 9. Hon. Leticia R. Dollente      | "(Liga President)    |

**ABSENT:**

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| 1. Hon. Johnny Mar A. Carig     | Municipal Councilor<br>(On Leave)                |
| 2. Hon. Fiel Xymond R. Cardinez | Municipal Councilor/PPSK President<br>(On Leave) |

**Sponsored by: SB Member Marivic S. Robeniol**

**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

WHEREAS, the Local Government Units (LGUs) are mandated under the Local Government Code to promote health and safety of its constituents by providing measures to prevent and control the spread and provide efficient assistance to those afflicted;

WHEREAS, given the preventability of the disease, it is prudent to provide for a community-based dengue prevention and control mechanism, and strengthen existing policies that are already being implemented by the Local Government Unit (LGU) and the Department of Health (DOH);

WHEREAS, dengue has become a major public health concern in the country and in some parts of the world;

WHEREAS, in the country dengue remains to be endemic and number of cases is expected to increase during rainy season;

WHEREAS, being a vector – borne disease, dengue is transmitted by an infected mosquito (*Aedes Aegypti*) which breeds in clean stagnant water and can spread very easily;

WHEREAS, the mosquito can fly fifty (50) meters to four hundred (400) meters away from the breeding site and its biting time is from 5:00 A.M. until 7:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M. until 6:00 P.M. and they are flying below the knee;

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WHEREAS, environmental sanitation is still the most effective way in the elimination and ultimate destruction of breeding sites of the mosquito vector carrying the disease;

WHEREAS, environmental sanitation as a preventive measure can be achieved and sustained through community participation at the lowest level of the community which is the barangay/purok level;

NOW THEREFORE, on motion of Councilor Marivic S. Robeniol, duly seconded by Councilors Athena Ira G. Chua, Joselito V. Viray and Mel F. Lopez, it was,

RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved, to approve the following Ordinance, to wit:

**ORDINANCE NO. 7  
SERIES 2022**

**AN ORDINANCE INSTITUTIONALIZING DENGUE PREVENTION AND CONTROL PROGRAM OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF ASINGAN TO STRENGTHEN "FIGHT AGAINST DENGUE" AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF**

Be it enacted by the Sangguniang Bayan of Asingan, Pangasinan in session assembled that:

Section 1. Title. This Ordinance shall be known as the "Anti Dengue Vector Ordinance of the Municipality of Asingan, Pangasinan".

Section 2. Objective. To reduce continually and substantially the occurrence of dengue in the twenty one (21) barangays of the Municipality of Asingan, Province of Pangasinan through prevention and control.

Section 3. Definition of Terms. As used in this ordinance, the following terms are hereby defined as follows:

- Bodies of Water – earth digging with accumulated water, residential drainage or canals.
- Breeding Ground – places where mosquitoes propagate, classified as follows:

1. Indoor

- a. Utensils tray and flower vases
- b. Drums and water container
- c. Refrigerator drain
- d. Dish Rack

2. Outdoor

- a. Airconditioners tray
- b. Plant axils
- c. Coconut husk/shell

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- d. Stagnant water, non-operational fountains, ponds, and swimming pools
- e. Rubbish – old cans, unused bottles, softdrinks caps
- f. Low lying lots
- g. Bamboo stumps
- h. Gutters
- i. Tires

- Dengue – an acute infectious disease caused by a flavivirus (species dengue virus of the Genus Flavivirus), transmitted by aedes aegypti mosquito and characterized by headache, severe joint pain, and a rash, also called as the breakbone fever, dengue fever.
- Establishment – hotels, motels, dormitories, commercial buildings, lodging and boarding houses, apartments, hospitals, libraries, museum, offices, markets, supermarkets, schools, colleges and universities, and other similar institution.
- Fogging – rapidly heating the liquid pesticide chemical so that it forms very fine droplets that resemble smoke or fog used to destroy mosquitoes, black flies and similar pests.
- Operation “Oplan Taob” – the method of turning up and upside down of possible breeding grounds.
- Perimeter from Latin word “peri” meaning “around” and “metron” meaning “measure”. A perimeter is basically a boundary of any kind. In this ordinance it is the boundary of houses, building or any establishments.
- Person in-charge – those persons in-charge of household or establishments.
- Pest Control – pest control activities in all habitable areas but not to include agricultural pest control activities.
- Pesticide – any substance, product or mixture intended to control, prevent, destroy, repel or mitigate, directly or indirectly any pest.
- Place – land, building, residence, pier watercraft, or any means of conveyance.
- Premises – a house or building, together with its land and outbuilding occupied by a business or house.
- Public Place – park, plaza, picnic ground, camps, road, cemetery and memorial park, terminal rest area and other open and enclosed areas of public assembly.
- Stagnant Water – motionless water, not flowing in a stream or current. Also known as standing water.
- Surveillance – the counting scrutiny of all aspect of occurrences or spread of disease that are pertinent to effective control.
- Vector – a carrier of the virus from a biological reservoir of an infected organism to another organisms.
- Water Containers – any open receptacles such as discarded tin cans, bucket/pails or “laton” (large plastic bucket/containers or margarine or lard/orocan), empty pots, empty bottles.

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Section 4. Preventive Measures – vector Breeding Ground Control. All owners, managers, administrators, and/or caretakers of households, schools, vacant lots, abandoned houses, tire trading/merchandisers, business and all other building/establishment within the Municipality of Asingan, Province of Pangasinan, must comply the minimum requirements for the breeding grounds control:

- a. Water drums, pails similar container must be covered at all times.
- b. All discarded tires must be punctured or cut.
- c. Unused tin cans, jars, bottles, pots and the likes must be properly collected, segregated and disposed.
- d. Gutter of roof must be maintained free from accumulation of rainwater.
- e. Abandoned swimming pools must be treated with larvicides or other means of controlling the vector.
- f. All plants, vases and pots, open bamboo poles, leaf plant axils, other natural or artificial containers, must always be checked as potential breeding places.

Section 5. Other Control Measures.

- a. All other interventions especially the use of chemicals, specifically as control measures other than for research, shall secure clearance from the Municipal Health Office (MHO) prior to its conduct.
- b. Pest control operators shall be endorsed by the MHO for accreditation, prior to the rendition of services within the jurisdiction of the Municipality of Asingan.
- c. All new technologies, approaches and processes that may develop in the future for the prevention and control of dengue, shall be adopted by the Sangguniang Bayan for implementation upon recommendation by the MHO.

Section 6.

Information Education Campaign (IEC). The Liga ng mga Barangay and the Barangay concerned with the support of the Municipal Health Office and the Office of the Municipal Agriculture shall conduct massive public awareness campaign which include but not limited to health education, through lectures and symposium.

Section 7.

The 4:00 o'clock habit; all barangay shall conduct simultaneous clean-up drive every 4:00 o'clock in the afternoon for thirty (30) minutes every third Friday of the month, with all resident of the twenty one (21) barangay of the Municipality of Asingan including public and private offices, business establishment and school. The activity shall focus on the search and destroy mosquito breeding places through "Operation Oplan Taob" maintain a clean surrounding to protect the community from deadly dengue virus, in addition to the regular clean-up drive and routine daily cleaning of surroundings.

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Section 8. Signage of the Enhanced 4S Kontra Dengue. The 4S are:

1. Search and destroy mosquito breeding site.  
(Sugurin at sirain ang mga pinamumugaran ng lamok)
2. Self-protection Measure  
(Sarili and protektahan laban sa lamok)
3. Seek early treatment  
(Sumanguni agad sa pagamutan kapag may sintomas ng dengue)
4. Say "YES" to fogging only in hotspot areas.  
(Sumuporta sa fogging/spraying kapag may banta ng outbreak)

This signage in tagalog, shall be posted in public places, sitios and puroks for community awareness.

Section 9. Municipal Anti-dengue Task Force. The Municipal Anti-Dengue Task Force shall be created, organized and composed of the following:

a. Composition.

Chairperson	Local Chief Executive
Vice Chairperson	Municipal Health Officer
Members	Municipal Agriculture Officer
	Liga ng mga Barangay President
	SB Member, Chairperson, Committee on Health
	DOH Representative
	Sanitary Inspector
	Municipal Engineer
	DepEd Representative
	Municipal Social Welfare Officer
	President of Accredited Business Sector
	MDRRMO
	Chief of Police, Asingan Municipal Police Station
	MLGOO
	President of the Association of BHW
	4Ps Municipal Link

Secretariat: The Municipal Health Office shall serve as the Secretariat Coordinator of the Municipal Anti-Dengue Task Force.

b. Function of the Municipal Anti-Dengue Task Force. The Municipal Anti-Dengue Task Force:

1. Assist the Municipal Mayor in the implementation of the ordinance.

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2. Coordinate with other Government Agencies in order to achieve the goal for effective dengue prevention and control program.
3. Make programs, plans, and strategies for dengue control and conduct public health campaigns involving government units, school and private sector.
4. Conduct quarterly meetings for the purpose of planning and coordinate the implementation of dengue prevention and control program.
5. Prepare yearly prevention activities to prevent cases of epidemic proportion.
6. Institute education and training programs on pest management to all barangays.
7. Strict monitoring of the implementation of Anti-Dengue Program in the barangay and school level.
8. Recommend to the Municipal Mayor the necessary logistic and operational support as requested by the Barangay Anti-Dengue Task Force.
9. Make regular public announcement of the number of the cases in every barangay and the potential risk of dengue infection.

Section 10. Barangay Anti-Dengue Task Force. A Barangay Anti-Dengue Task Force shall be created, organized, and composed of the following to support the Municipal Anti-Dengue Task Force.

a. Composition.

Chairperson	Punong Barangay
Vice Chairperson	Barangay Kagawad, Chairperson, Committee on Health
Members	Barangay Health Worker (BHW)
	Barangay Nutrition Scholar (BNS)
	Day Care Worker
	School Principal
	Barangay Tanod
	Barangay Kagawad, Chairperson, Committee on Environment
	4Ps Parent Leader
	People Organization

Adviser: The Rural Health Midwife assigned in the barangay.

b. Function of the Barangay Anti-Dengue Task Force. The Barangay Anti-Dengue Task Force shall:

1. Conduct active surveillance and submit or notify dengue recorded cases to the (MHO) coordinator.
2. Recommend to the Municipal Anti-Dengue Task Force for the training and other related logistic for the surveillance and control dengue.

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3. Organize barangay clean-up brigade and to spearhead the conduct of the "Operation Oplan Taob" and the intensive cleaning the surroundings, proper disposal of garbage and elimination of breeding places in coordination with the Municipal Agriculture.
4. Supervise the implementation of the 4S and 4:00 o'clock habit.
5. Submit quarterly report to the (MHO) of the clean-up information drives conducted.
6. Conduct quarterly meetings.
7. Raise the level of awareness of the dengue diseases.
8. Enjoin the community to take active role in the prevention and control, likewise to inform the constituents of the benefits resulting from community participant.
9. Conduct of community education. The Barangay Kagawad on Health with the BHW, 4Ps Parent Leader shall:
  - Conduct health education and dissemination information that simple, easy to understand and clearly illustrated in coordination with the concerned agencies/offices.
  - Coordinate with the 4Ps Municipal Link in the dissemination of information during Family Development Session (FOS).
  - Motivate parents to seek early medical care for their sick children to prevent serious outcome.

Section 11. Penalties. All owners, managers, administrator of any establishment, public or private who fail or refuse to comply the provision of Section 4 of this ordinance shall met the following penalties:

- 1<sup>st</sup> Offense – a fine of Five Hundred Pesos (Php500.00)  
2<sup>nd</sup> Offense – a fine of One Thousand Pesos (Php1,000.00)  
3<sup>rd</sup> Offense – a fine of Two Thousand Pesos (Php2,000.00)

Section 12. No contest provision. Any person, individual or entity who is apprehended or cited for violation and who does not wish to contest the violation and is willing to pay voluntarily the minimum fine imposed upon him/her prior to the filing of formal charges with the proper court shall be allowed to pay said fine with the Municipal Treasurer to avoid criminally prosecuted.

Section 13. Separability Clause – for any reason, any provision section or part thereof is declared not valid by a competent court, such judgement shall not affect or impair the remaining provision, section or parts shall continue to be in force and effect.

Section 14. Repealing Clause. All ordinance, rules and regulation or parts thereof, in conflict with any provision of the ordinance are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

Section 15. This ordinance shall take effect immediately fifteen (15) days after posting in at least three conspicuous places in the jurisdiction of the Municipality of Asingan, Pangasinan.

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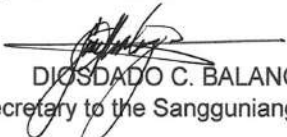
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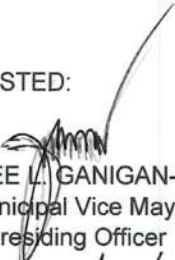
"APPROVED Unanimously".

Date Approved: October 17, 2022

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the above-quoted ordinance.

  
DIOSDADO C. BALANGA  
Secretary to the Sangguniang Bayan

ATTESTED:

  
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Municipal Vice Mayor  
Presiding Officer

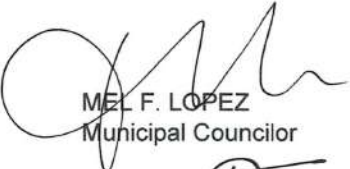
  
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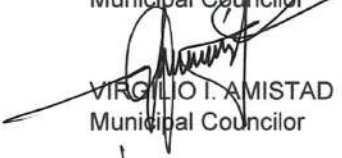
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