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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY TO THE SANGGUNIAN BAYAN

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIAN BAYAN OF ASINGAN, PANGASINAN HELD ON AUGUST 12, 2024 AT THE ASINGAN GOVERNMENT CENTER SESSION HALL

PRESENT:

1. Hon. Heidee L. Ganigan-Chua	Municipal Vice Mayor Presiding Officer
2. Hon. Athena Ira G. Chua	Sangguniang Bayan Member
3. Hon. Marivic S. Robeniol	Sangguniang Bayan Member
4. Hon. Johnny Mar A. Carig	Sangguniang Bayan member
5. Hon. Joselito V. Viray	Sangguniang Bayan Member
6. Hon. Mel F. Lopez	Sangguniang Bayan Member
7. Hon. Melchor J. Cardinez, Sr.	Sangguniang Bayan Member
8. Hon. Virgilio I. Amistad	Sangguniang Bayan Member
9. Hon. Julio P. Dayag	Sangguniang Bayan Member
10. Hon. Herminio C. Alcantara, Jr.	Sangguniang Bayan Member/Liga President
11. Hon. Naphtali Magiting P. Bernabe	Sangguniang Bayan Member/PPSK President

ABSENT: None

Sponsored by: SB Member Athena Ira G. Chua

EXPLANATORY NOTE

WHEREAS, The Municipality of Asingan, Pangasinan, has been an active partner of the Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD) in the implementation of various social protection programs and services in the locality;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 19 of the Republic Act 11310, Convergence of Programs and Services, "states that within the framework of national poverty alleviation strategy and holistic social protection program, the various agencies of government implementing multi-stakeholders' programs and services for the poor shall guarantee that the same complement and converge seamlessly with the aim of ensuring that the targeted household beneficiaries are alleviated from poverty and remain non-poor even after the prescribed of maximum period of the conditional cash grant. Such convergence shall focus on the enhancement of operational efficiency and strengthening of inter-agency partnership. The government shall monitor the performance of these agencies to ensure the sustainability and positive impacts of its pro-poor";

WHEREAS, Republic Act 7160 or the Local Government Code of 1991, consistent with the local autonomy and decentralization, the provision for the delivery of basic services and facilities shall be devolved from the national government to the provinces, cities, municipalities and barangays so that each LGU shall be responsible for a minimum set of services and facilities following established national policies, guidelines and standards;

WHEREAS, the Pantawid Pamilyang Pilipino Program (4P's) is the national poverty reduction strategy and a human capital investment program that provides conditional cash transfer to poor household for a maximum of seven (7) years to improve the health, nutrition and education aspect of their lives;

WHEREAS, among the priority of the Local Government Unit of Asingan, and given greater significance, is the 4P's program because of its patent – anti poverty strategies in breaking the intergenerational cycle of poverty through investments in human capital;

WHEREAS, with the Municipality's inclination to sustain the program and in compliance with the passage of RA 11310 into law. There is the need to institutionalize the support of the LGU to the 4P's beneficiaries (households) through convergence of services and linking them to partner agencies to ensure a more sustainable social protection for them;

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NOW THEREFORE, on motion of SB Member Athena Ira G. Chua, duly seconded by SB Members Marivic S. Robeniol, Joselito V. Viray, Melchor J. Cardinez, Sr., Johnny Mar A. Carig, Mel F. Lopez, Virgilio I. Amistad and Julio P. Dayag, it was,

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

**ORDINANCE NO. 9
SERIES 2024**

AN ORDINANCE LOCALIZING SUPPORT TO THE PANTAWID PAMILYANG PILIPINO PROGRAM (4P'S) PRESCRIBING FOR PRIORITIZATION AND COMMITMENT IN THE DELIVERY OF SERVICES TO THE EXITED HOUSEHOLD THROUGH THE ADOPTION OF THE CONVERGENCE PROVISION OF REPUBLIC ACT 11310, ALSO KNOWN AS, "AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING THE PANTAWID PAMILYANG PILIPINO PROGRAM" IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF ASINGAN, PANGASINAN"

Section 1. TITLE. This Ordinance shall be known as, "An Ordinance Localizing Support to the Pantawid Pamilyang Pilipino Program (4P's) prescribing for prioritization and commitment in the delivery of services to the exited household through the adoption of the convergence provision of Republic Act 11310, also known as, "An act institutionalizing the Pantawid Pamilyang Pilipino Program" in the Municipality of Asingan, Pangasinan".

Section 2. PURPOSE. This Ordinance is aimed at institutionalizing local support in the implementation of the 4P's program in the municipality, to improve the living conditions of the poor constituents, specially the exited beneficiaries of the program through the prioritization of them in the delivery of programs and services.

Section 3. DEFINITION OF TERMS. As used in this Ordinance, the following words and phrases shall mean:

- a. Convergence of Services – refers to provision of various services needed by the Pantawid Pamilyang Pilipino Program (4P's) households from different agencies, Civil Society Organizations (CSO), Non-Government Organizations (NGO), Self-Help Groups (SHG) and other partners.
- b. Exited Household Beneficiaries – refers to the 4P's households who are disengaged from the program due to natural attrition or not eligible to continue their exposure to the program and who remains in their survival or subsistence level of household well-being.
- c. Graduation – refers to the improvement of the level of well-being of poor households from survival to subsistence to self-sufficiency towards their eventual exit from the program thru provision of integrated and holistic support services and programs.
- d. Households Well-Being – refers to the status of the family as to their economic sufficiency level. It is assessed using Social Welfare and Development Indicators through a score matrix which gets the average of the actual scores of the indicators.
- e. Social Welfare and Development Indicators (SWDI) – refers to the case management tool specifically developed by the DSWD to assess and monitor the well-being of the households of 4P's members.
- f. Qualified Household Beneficiaries – refers to the households identified by the DSWD for entitlement to the monthly conditional cash grants.
- g. Responsible Persons – refers to the parent or guardian of the qualified 4P's Household beneficiary.
- h. Household – refers to the social unit consisting of a person living alone or a group of persons who sleep in the same housing unit including any place of dwelling or facility, and have common arrangement for the preparation and consumption of food.
- i. Case Management – refers to a process used by the DSWD to enable the qualified household-beneficiaries to improve their functioning by dealing with their difficulties, specifically in

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complying with the terms of the Program. It shall refer to the mutually-agreed process of assessing, planning, managing, coordinating and advocating for services and other interventions toward improving the well-being of the households using the Social Welfare and Development Indicator (SWDI) and other related tools.

Sector 4. LOCAL COMMITMENT. The Local Government Unit of Asingan, Pangasinan is committed to deliver the following in support to the implementation of the 4P's in the locality:

1. Include Programs, projects, Activities and Services (PPAS) in the Annual Investment Plan (AIP)/Local Poverty Reduction Plan (LPAP);
2. Monitor availability of the required supply side and services to ensure that beneficiaries are able to comply with the program conditions and their eventual exit from the program such as livelihood assistance, educational/scholarship assistance program, and others;
3. Provide services to address the gaps/results of the DSWD-conducted Social Welfare and Development Indicators (SWDI) to program beneficiaries;
4. Facilitate and address complaints and requests from concerned poor households;
5. Help promote and disseminate the program to different stakeholders; and
6. Perform any other obligations or counterparts that may be required of the Municipal Government in the implementation of the 4P's in the locality.

Section 5. PRIORITIZATION OF EXITED BENEFICIARIES TO MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT SERVICES (POST SERVICE INTERVENTIONS).

Exited 4P's Household Beneficiaries shall be given priority in availing of the services and interventions or other appropriate or similar programs offered by the Local Government Unit (LGU) and other government agencies or accredited private institution. Furthermore, they shall also be given priority in the availing of employment facilitation services provided by the Public Employment Services Office (PESO) of the LGU of Asingan or other employment programs of appropriate government agencies implementing the same.

Section 6. AUTHORIZATION. The Office of the Local Chief Executive (LCE) is hereby given authority to enter into and sign on behalf of the Municipality, any agreement or understanding, and any such document, relative to the implementation of the 4P's in the Municipality.

Section 7. CONVERGENCE FOCAL. The Municipal Social Welfare and Development Office (MSWDO) is hereby designated as the Convergence Focal who will focus, assist, and facilitate referral and information, as well as the provision of services or post-services needed by the Exited 4P's Household Beneficiaries.

Section 8. DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES. The following are the duties and responsibilities of the responsible person/s and concerned government agencies thereto:

- a. Responsible Person/s – parents or guardians who are in actual custody or living together with the child shall have the duty to send the child to school and diligently supervise the conduct and activities of the child including the monitoring of the regular school attendance. The parent/s or guardian/s shall engage in productive income generating activities or be employed and commit to support the child's basic needs and to enjoy his fundamental rights.
- b. Local Government Unit (LGU) – shall formulate the Internal Rules and Regulations (IRR) and lead the case management of these households through the Municipal Social Welfare and Development Office (MSWDO). The LGU shall prioritize the Exited Household Beneficiaries in linking and providing services needed to achieve household self-sufficiency.
- c. Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD) – shall continue to provide services under their regular programs and provide technical assistance needed by the LGU.

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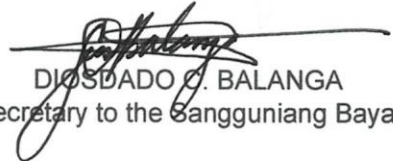
Section 9. GRADUATED HOUSEHOLD BENEFICIARIES. The Graduated Household Beneficiaries shall be exempt from the implementation of this Ordinance, except when the concerned household beneficiary has gender-based violence (GBV) related issue upon graduation such household beneficiary shall still be covered by this Ordinance.

Section 10. Repealing Clause. All ordinances, resolutions and rules or regulations inconsistent with or contrary to this ordinance is hereby repealed or amended accordingly.

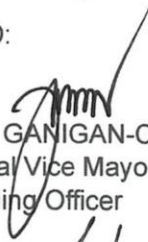
Section 11. Effectivity. This ordinance shall take effect on the day following its required publication in a newspaper of general circulation.

Date Approved: August 12, 2024.


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

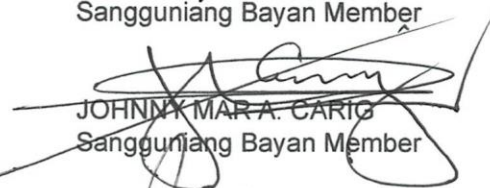

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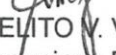
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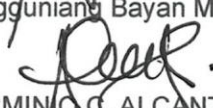

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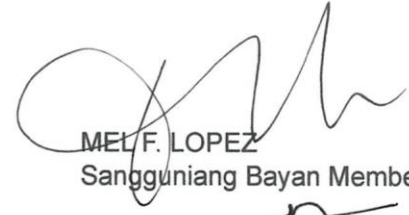

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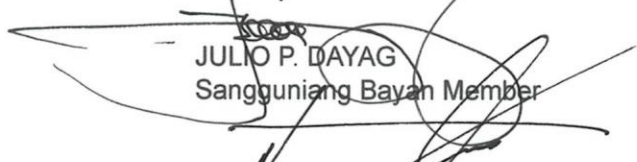

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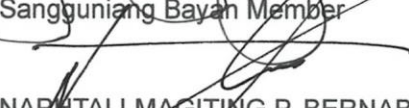

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