



MUNICIPALITY OF ASINGAN

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 0031, S-2022

REORGANIZING THE LOCAL HEALTH BOARD (LHB) OF THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT OF ASINGAN, PANGASINAN, STRENGTHENING ITS EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, SECTORAL COMMITTEES, AND SECRETARIAT, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

WHEREAS, Article 185 of the Implementing Rules and Regulations of the Local Government Code of 1991 (Republic Act 7160) mandates the creation of the Local Health Board (LHB);

WHEREAS, Section 11, Article XIII of the 1987 Philippine Constitution states that the State shall adopt an integrated and comprehensive approach to health development which shall endeavor to make essential goods, health and other social services available to all the people at affordable cost and there shall be priority for the needs of the underprivileged, sick, elderly, disabled, women, and children;

WHEREAS, the recent local elections requires reconstitution of the LDC due to the end of term of office of former LDC members; and

WHEREAS, based on the above premises, the Municipal Government would like to ensure the seamless transition to the new administration including the continuity of the functions and programs of the LDC;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Engr. CARLOS F. LOPEZ, JR., Municipal Mayor of Asingan, Pangasinan, premises considered, by virtue of the powers vested in me and by expressed authority provided for by law to the Local Chief Executive, do hereby order the reconstitution of the Local Health Board of the Municipality of Asingan, Pangasinan with the following stipulations:

SECTION 1. COMPOSITION OF THE LOCAL HEALTH BOARD. The LHB of the Municipality of Asingan, Pangasinan shall be composed of the following:

Chairperson:	Engr. CARLOS F. LOPEZ, JR. – Municipal Mayor
Co-Chairperson:	Dr. RONNIE S. TOMAS – Municipal Health Officer
Members:	Hon. MARIVIC S. ROBENIOL – Sanggunian on Public Health DOH Representative President, LIGA ng mga Barangay President, Pambansang Pederasyon ng Sanggunian Kabataan CATHERINE D. VELASQUEZ – MLGOO EMELY S. BADUA – Municipal Budget Officer TERESA O. MAMALIO, RSW – MSWD Officer JULIAN M. ILUMIN – Sr. EMS NITA L. ROMERO – Nurse III/MNAO Designate MARILOU O. TORIO – Nurse II/Local Blood Coordinator SHARON M. BUGARIN – Sanitation Inspector II MICHELLE D. DESAMITO – Sanitation Inspector I/MESO ROLANDIA M. DIEGO – BHW Federation President LEILANI DOMAOAN – BNS Federation President CSO Representatives: ROSALINA R. LANUZA – San Vi West Farmers Association, Inc. BETTY V. RAFANAN – CNCAPCC, Inc. JUSTIN MARI DELIZO – CIASI JOHN MICHAEL T. ANTENOR – UIFCAG, Inc. Asingan Ptr. DIOSDADO J. HIDALGO – The Living Streams Ministries DELIA G. DE GUZMAN – Asingan Solo Parents Association Dr. JEANNE MARIE ROXANNE T. PARAGAS – ABCD



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SECTION 2. DUTIES AND FUNCTIONS OF THE LHB. The LHB shall perform the following functions:

- a) Propose to the sanggunian concerned, in accordance with the standards and criteria set by DOH, annual budgetary allocations for the operation and maintenance of health facilities and services within the province, city, or municipality, as the case may be;
- b) Serve as an advisory committee to the sanggunian concerned on health matters such as, but not limited to, the necessity for, and application of local appropriations for public health purposes; and
- c) Create committees which shall advise, local health agencies on matters such as, but not limited to, technical and administrative standards of DOH, personnel selection and promotion, bids and awards, grievances and complaints, personnel discipline, budget review, operations review and similar functions;

SECTION 3. MEETINGS AND QUORUM.

- a) The LHB shall meet at least once a month or as often as may be necessary;
- b) A majority of the members of the board shall constitute a quorum, but the chairperson or the vice chairperson must be present during meetings where budgetary proposals are being prepared or considered. The affirmative vote of a majority of the members shall be necessary to approve such proposals.

SECTION 4. BUDGET.

 The local health board budget shall give priority to the following:

- a) Population-based health services, which include the following:
 - i. Environmental health services, including vector control, water quality, and sanitation;
 - ii. Health promotion programs or campaigns;
 - iii. Epidemiology and disease surveillance;
 - iv. Services related to disease elimination;
 - v. Services related to preparedness and response to public health emergencies or disasters; and
 - vi. Other health services that will be classified by DOH as population-based health services.
- b) Individual-based health services, which include the following:
 - i. Ambulatory and inpatient care;
 - ii. Medicines;
 - iii. Laboratory tests and procedures; and
 - iv. Other health services that will be classified by DOH and PhilHealth as individual-based health services in subsequent guidelines.
- c) Health systems operating costs, which include the following:
 - i. Support to the management of the health system, including the operations of the health board;
 - ii. Gasoline for ambulances, patient transport vehicles, and vehicles used for the delivery of health services and transportation of health commodities and diagnostic specimens;
 - iii. Fees that form part of accreditation and licensing requirements;
 - iv. Learning and development interventions or capacity building activities, including registration/participation fees related to the efficient and effective delivery of health services and management of the health systems; and
 - v. Conduct of trainings, seminars, conferences, and conventions relevant to the management of health systems and delivery of health services.



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- d) Capital investments based on health facility development plan, which include the following:
 - i. Health infrastructure, including facility improvements related to direct delivery of health services;
 - ii. Health equipment and instruments;
 - iii. Information technology and equipment for health facilities;
 - iv. Ambulances and patient transport vehicles, subject to existing guidelines;
 - v. Mobile clinics and other ambulatory health services, subject to existing guidelines;
- e) Remuneration of additional health workers until such time that the LGU has implemented incremental creation of plantilla positions to hire the required number of health care workers based on the standards determined by the DOH, subject to Personnel Services (PS) limitation pursuant to Section 325 (a) of RA No. 7160.
- f) Incentives for all health workers, including Barangay Health Workers (BHWs) and Barangay Nutrition Scholars (BNS).

SECTION 5. COMPENSATION AND REMUNERATION. The co-chairpersons and members of the local health board shall perform their duties as such without compensation or remuneration. Members thereof who are not government officials or employees shall be entitled to necessary traveling expenses and allowances chargeable against the funds of the LHB, subject to existing accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

SECTION 6. REPEALING CLAUSE. All orders, rules, regulations, and other related issuances inconsistent with or contrary to this Order are hereby repealed, amended, or modified accordingly. All other provisions of existing issuances which are not affected by this Order shall remain valid and in effect

SECTION 7. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. In the event any provision in this Order shall be declared invalid, illegal or unenforceable, the validity, legality and enforceability of the remaining provisions shall not be affected or impaired thereby.

SECTION 8. EFFECTIVITY. This Order shall take effect immediately.

Let copies hereof be furnished to all concerned for information, reference, and guidance.

DONE this 21st day of September 2022 in the Municipality of Asingan, Pangasinan.


Engr. CARLOS F. LOPEZ, JR.
Municipal Mayor