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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 055-2019

AN ORDER ESTABLISHING LOCAL EARLY CHILD CARE AND DEVELOPMENT (ECCD) COUNCIL IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF PINAMALAYAN, ORIENTAL MINDORO

WHEREAS, as provided for in Republic Act No. 10410 it is the policy of the State to promote the rights of children to survival, development and special protection with full recognition of the nature of childhood and as well as the need to provide developmentally appropriate experiences to address their needs; and to support parents in their roles as primary caregivers and as their children's first teachers;

WHEREAS, the Municipal Government of Pinamalayan adheres to such policy by establishing a local counterpart that will be responsible in adopting national standards in developing local policies and programs for the development and learning of children during the early years from ages zero (0) to four (4) and ensuring compliance thereof in coordination and consultation with the barangay levels.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ARISTEO A. BALDOS, JR., Local Chief Executive of the Municipality of Pinamalayan, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law do hereby order the establishment of Local Early Child Care and Development (ECCD) Council in the Municipality of Pinamalayan, Oriental Mindoro.

Section 1. Composition. The Local Early Child Care and Development (ECCD) Council shall be composed of the following:

Chairperson:

HON. ARISTEO A. BALDOS, JR., Municipal Mayor

Co- Chairperson:

HON. NAPOLEON M. MANGARING, SB Member/SB Chair, Committee on Social Welfare Services

Members:

MS. PURA P. MENDOZA, MSWD Officer
DR. ADELAIDO A. MALALUAN, Municipal Health Officer
DRA. NINA KRISTINNE L. PUNZALAN, Municipal Nutrition Action Officer
AMMAFE D. JARABE, Ed.D., DepEd Public Schools District Supervisor
MS. MARIBEL DE CHAVEZ, President, Child Development Worker Assn.
2 CSO REPRESENTATIVES as recommended by the Council
2 CHILD REPRESENTATIVES chosen in general assembly

Section 2. FUNCTIONS. The Local ECCD Council shall carry out the objectives of the National ECCD System by performing the following functions:

- (a) Promulgate policies and implement guidelines for local ECCD programs in consultation with stakeholders, consistent with the national policy and program frameworks as defined in RA 10410;
- (b) Establish ECCD program standards that reflect developmentally appropriate practices for ECCD programs, which shall interface with the kindergarten curriculum of the DepED;
- (c) Adopt the national system for the recruitment, registration, accreditation, continuing education and equivalency, and credential system of ECCD service providers, supervisors and administrators to improve and professionalize the ECCD sector and upgrade quality standards of public and private ECCD programs;
- (d) Develop a local system of awards and recognition to deserving ECCD program implementers and service providers;



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- (e) Promote, encourage and coordinate the various ECCD programs of the DepED, the DSWD, the DOH and the NNC, and monitor the delivery of services to the ECCD program beneficiaries' municipality wide;
- (f) Evaluate and assess the impact and outcome of various ECCD programs through an effective information system;
- (g) Adopt the national system for early identification, screening and surveillance of young children from age zero (0) to four (4) years;
- (h) Develop various support mechanisms that maximize public and private resources for implementing ECCD programs, giving priority to the needy and high risk children from poor communities;
- (i) Provide funds to poor and disadvantaged communities for the establishment and expansion of public ECCD programs, improvement of physical facilities and for hiring of ECCD service providers;
- (j) Promote and encourage private sector initiatives for the establishment of ECCD programs;
- (k) Adopt the guidelines for the conduct of solicitations from local and international civic organizations, and request private foundations to supplement available resources; and
- (l) Perform such other functions as the ECCD Council may deem necessary.

Section 3. SECRETARIAT. The Municipal Social Welfare and Development Office shall serve as the Secretariat of the Council.

Section 4. FUNDING. The Local Government Unit through the Municipal Budget Officer shall see to it that the programs have substantial allocations from the Special education Fund and Gender and Development in addition to other local funds, subject to existing laws and guidelines.

SECTION 5. EFFECTIVITY. This Order shall take effect immediately.

Done this 23rd day of December 2019 at the Municipality of Pinamalayan, Oriental Mindoro.


ARISTEO A. BALDOS, JR.
Municipal Mayor