



Republic of the Philippines  
MUNICIPALITY OF LINGAYEN  
Province of Pangasinan  
Office of the Sangguniang Bayan

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF LINGAYEN, PANGASINAN HELD ON AUGUST 15, 2022 AT THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN SESSION HALL.

**PRESENT:**     **Presiding Officer**  
VICE-MAYOR MAC DEXTER G. MALICDEM

**Sangguniang Bayan Members (SBMs)**

SBM Jay Mark Kevin D. Crisostomo  
SBM John Marc M. Lopez  
SBM Ramon Anselmo M. Cuaresma  
SBM Rodolfo Luigi F. Morosi  
SBM Jasper S. Pasion  
SBM Jonathan T. Ramos  
SBM Von Carlo E. Tiangson  
SBM Ricardo R. Ferrer  
SBM Darwin B. Jimenez             -             ABC President  
SBM Gabriel Ivan C. Tuazon       -             SKF President

**ABSENT:**     None

**RESOLUTION NO. 020, S-2022**

**REQUESTING THE BUREAU OF FISHERIES AND AQUATIC RESOURCES (BFAR) REGIONAL OFFICE 1, THRU REGIONAL DIRECTOR ROSARIO SEGUNDINA P. GAERLAN, TO DEPUTIZE AND PROVIDE NECESSARY TRAINING TO CIVIL SOCIETY ORGANIZATIONS (CSOs) TO HELP IN THE CONSERVATION, PROTECTION, UTILIZATION AND MANAGEMENT OF THE MUNICIPAL WATERS OF LINGAYEN, THIS PROVINCE.**

WHEREAS, pursuant to Republic Act 8550 otherwise known as The Philippine Fisheries Code of 1998 - "An Act providing for the development, management and conservation of the fisheries and aquatic resources, integrating all laws pertinent thereto, and for other purposes", the municipal government shall have jurisdiction over municipal waters;

WHEREAS, the municipal government in consultation with the Fisheries and Aquatic Resources Management Council (FARMC) shall be responsible for the management, conservation, development, protection, utilization, and disposition of all fish and fishery/aquatic resources within their respective municipal waters;

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Bayan of Lingayen enacted Ordinance No. 20, S-2008, otherwise known as the Lingayen Fisheries Resources Management Ordinance of 2008 to ensure the protection of the rights of the small and marginal fisherfolk in the preferential use of communal, coastal and fishery resources, among other reasons;

WHEREAS, it has come to the attention of this Honorable Sanggunian, the prevalence of illegal fishing activities in the municipal waters of Lingayen involving fishing vessels from nearby city and municipalities, particularly along the Lingayen Gulf resulting to the bullying and harassment of small and marginal fisherfolks, as well as damage to their fishing gears;

WHEREAS, the BFAR under the Department of Agriculture, the agency responsible for the development, improvement, law enforcement, management and conservation of the Philippine's fisheries and aquatic resources is empowered to deputize CSOs like the FARMC to assist the Local Government Unit (LGU) of Lingayen in law enforcement against illegal fishers;

WHEREAS, the deputization of CSOs will be of great help to the LGU in protecting its fishery resources, at the same time, developing the awareness and capacities of CSOs and proactively engaging them in fishery management initiatives;

WHEREAS, the municipal government is inclined to shoulder the needed expenses for the three days training to be conducted by BFAR;

WHEREFORE, on motion of SBM Jay Mark Kevin D. Crisostomo, duly seconded by SBM Jonathan T. Ramos, be it:

RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to request the Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources (BFAR) Regional Office 1, thru Regional Director Rosario Segundina P. Gaerlan, to deputize and provide necessary training to CSOs to help in the conservation, protection, utilization, and management of the municipal waters of Lingayen, this province.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that a copy of this resolution be furnished to RD Rosario Segundina P. Gaerlan of BFAR Regional Office 1, Ms. Mary Ann Salomon, Provincial Fishery Officer, Municipal Mayor Leopoldo N. Bataoil, and Municipal Agriculturist Dr. Rodolfo C. Dela Cruz, for their information, guidance and approval.

UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED. August 15, 2022.

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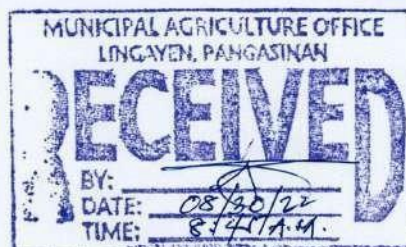
  
MAC DEXTER G. MALICDEM  
*Presiding Officer*

ATTESTED:

  
GINA A. FLORES  
*Secretary to the Sanggunian*

APPROVED:

  
LEOPOLDO N. BATAOIL  
*Municipal Mayor*



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