

REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES PROVINCE OF PANGASINAN MUNICIPALITY OF CALASIAO

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 14 Series of 2023

CREATION OF THE LOCAL DRINKING WATER QUALITY MONITORING COMMITTEE (LDWQMC) OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF CALASIAO

WHEREAS, Presidential Decree no. 856 of the CODE OF SANITATION OF THE PHILIPPINES states that "The Health of the people being of paramount importance, all efforts of public services should be directed towards the protection and promotion of health";

WHEREAS, Section 3.5 under Chapter II "Water Supply" PD 856 states that the Local Health Authority shall establish a Water Surveillance Program thru the creation of Local Drinking Water Quality Monitoring Committee to oversee the operation of the water produced and distributed by them and to monitor the implementation of the provision of the Implementing Rules and Regulations;

WHEREAS, the responsibility of ensuring the quality and safety of all drinking water sources has become very important and that the access of safe potable drinking water is one of the benchmarks of improved quality to live in line with the thrust of poverty reduction;

NOW THEREFORE, I, KEVIN ROY Q. MACANLALAY, Municipal Mayor of the Municipality of Calasiao, Pangasinan by virtue of the powers and authority vested in me by law do hereby order:

Section 1. <u>Creation.</u> There shall be created a Local Drinking Water Quality Monitoring Committee (LDWQMC) of Calasiao, Pangasinan.

Section 2. <u>Composition of the Local Drinking water Quality Monitoring Committee.</u> The Local Drinking Water Quality Monitoring Committee shall be composed of the following:

CHAIRMAN

: HON. KEVIN ROY Q. MACANLALAY, Municipal Mayor

VICE CHAIRMAN: DR. GEMMA P. IDOS-RODRIGO, Municipal Health Officer

MEMBERS

: HON. ARDIESON B. SORIANO, SB Committee Chairman

On Health and Sanitation **HON. ENGR. CARLITO A. DION**, Liga President

ENGR. EDWIN P. TIGNO, ENGR. EVELYN C. SIAPNO,

Municipal Engineer Municipal Planning and Development Office

MR. FREDDIE D. VILLACORTA, Municipal Disaster Risk

Reduction & Management Officer

MS. GEELLENE V. DE VERA, R.N., Rural Sanitation Inspector III



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Section 3. <u>Functions of the Committee.</u> The following are the functions of the Local Drinking water Quality Monitoring Committee:

- 1. Regular Collection/analysis of water samples;
- 2. Evaluating laboratory results as to their compliance stated at Philippine National Standards for Drinking Water (PNSDW 2007);
- 3. Conducting regular or immediate sanitary survey during the existence of a potential cause of contamination;
- 4. Instituting remedial measures to correct the deficiency of water system
- 5. Informing the public of the latest result quality of the drinking water in the locality;
- 6. Performing other functions related to water quality assurance;
- 7. Endorses annual work and financial plan on water quality surveillance program addressing water quality issues;
- 8. Formulates policies concerning implementation of water quality surveillance program and addressing water quality issues;
- 9. Reviews and approves location of sampling points;
- 10. Confers the designation of technical Working Group;
- 11. Conducts water quality audit whenever necessary;
- 12. Conducts quarterly regular meeting or as the need arises;

Section 4. <u>Local Drinking Water Quality Monitoring Plan.</u> The committee shall develop and implement a Local Drinking Water Quality Monitoring Plan which includes the parameters, sample sites, sample frequency, and review the water safety plan of all water systems including retail water systems and water delivery services consistent with the Philippine National Standards for Drinking Water (PNSDW 2007).

Section 5. <u>Budgetary Allocation for Implementation of the Plan.</u> The Sangguniang Bayan is hereby recommended to allocate regular annual budget for the effective and efficient implementation of the Local Drinking Water Quality Monitoring Plan.

Section 6. Effectivity. This Executive Order shall take effect immediately.

Done this 2nd day of February 2023 at the Municipality of Calasiao, Panagasinan.

HON. KEVIN ROY Q. MACANLALAY

Municipal Mayor