

REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES PROVINCE OF PANGASINAN MUNICIPALITY OF CALASIAO

EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 38 Series of 2023

AN EXECUTIVE ORDER CREATING THE TOURISM DEVELOPMENT PLAN COMMITTEE IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF CALASIAO, PANGASINAN

WHEREAS, the State declares tourism as an indispensable element of the national economy and an industry of national interest and importance, which must be harnessed as an engine of socio-economic growth and cultural affirmation to generate investment, foreign exchange, and employment and to continue to mold and enhanced sense of national pride of all Filipinos;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, Local Government Units (LGUs) shall prepare, adopt, implement, and monitor their local tourism purposes;

WHEREAS, LGUs shall adopt the principle of sustainable tourism development in the formulation of their local tourism development plans to give due regard to the conservation of natural endowments and preservation of cultural heritage while according to opportunity for local communities to achieve a better quality of life;

WHEREAS, DILG Memorandum Circular (MC) No. 95-162, encouraged Local Chief Executives (LCEs) to organize Tourism Councils in their jurisdictions, composed of government and private sector representatives to formulate programs and recommendations to develop local tourism facilities and attractions tapping local resources and funds.

NOW THEREFORE, I, **KEVIN ROY Q. MACANLALAY**, Municipal Mayor of Calasiao, by virtue of the power vested in me by law, do hereby order the constitution of the Municipal Tourism Planning Committee as a coordinating and advisory body for the Municipal Tourism Development efforts.

SECTION I. FUNCTIONS OF THE COMMITTEE

- 1. Prepare a work plan for the preparation of the tourism plan;
- 2. Formulate the tourism plan; and
- 3. Consult with residents and other stakeholders of tourism areas.



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SECTION II. COMPOSITION OF THE COMMITTEE

Municipal Tourism Development Plan Committee shall be composed of the following:

CHAIRMAN: HON. GERALD C. AFICIAL Committee on Tourism and Human Rights

MEMBERS:

ENGR. EVELYN C. SIAPNO Municipal Planning & Development Office

LETICIA L. GARCIA Municipal Budget Office

MA. VICTORIA P. DEL ROSIAO Economic Enterprise Officer

DR. MONETTE I. NOGUIT Municipal Agriculture Office

DR. DAISY TELLO DEPED Supervisor I

DR. ROBERTO Z. BARONGAN DEPED Supervisor II

TAMMY MARIE C. FERNANDEZ Tourism Operations Officer I

AGNES R. DE LEON Private Sector Representative

RUFO L. DELA CRUZ Private Sector Representative

Other members may be added to the committee from time as the need arises.

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SECTION III. ROLES OF THE COMMITTEE

The Chairperson shall be responsible for directing and overseeing the development of the tourism plan, according to schedule. The chairperson is responsible for chairing major tourism planning sessions and shall designate a representative in sessions that he/she will not be present.

The Committee shall actively participate in all activities identified in the work plan. The team shall develop realistic goals, appropriate strategies, and identify programs, projects and activities that best contribute to the attainment of the tourism goals and objectives of the locality.

SECTION IV. FUNDING – The budgetary requirements for the conduct of activities and delivery of outputs shall be sourced from General Fund.

SECTION V. SECRETARIAT. A secretariat for the Council is hereby constituted, headed, by the tourism officer for operations, which shall be responsible for providing technical support, documentation of proceedings, preparations of reports, and such other assistance as may be required in the discharge of functions of the Council.

SECTION VI. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. If any provision of this Executive Order is declared invalid or unconstitutional, the other provisions not affected shall remain valid and subsist.

SECTION VII. REPEALING CLAUSE. All Orders or parts that are inconsistent with this Executive Order's provisions are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

SECTION VIII. EFFECTIVITY. This executive order shall take effect immediately.



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