

## REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES PROVINCE OF PANGASINAN MUNICIPALITY OF CALASIAO

## EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 45 Series of 2024

## CREATING A TASK FORCE ON THE REGULATED USE/SALE OF PLASTIC WASTE IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF CALASIAO

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Calasiao is committed to promoting environmental sustainability and the responsible management of waste;

WHEREAS, plastic waste poses a significant threat to the environment, public health, and the aesthetic value of our community;

**WHEREAS**, there is a need for a coordinated and comprehensive approach to regulate and reduce plastic waste within the Municipality of Calasiao;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, KEVIN ROY Q. MACANLALAY**, Mayor of the Municipality of Calasiao, by virtue of the powers vested in me by the laws of the Philippines, do hereby order as follows:

Section 1. Creation of the Task Force. There is hereby created a Task Force on the Regulated Plastic Waste (hereinafter referred to as the "Task Force") in the Municipality of Calasiao.

Section 2. Composition of the Task Force. The Task Force shall be composed of the following members:

The Municipal Mayor, who shall serve as the Chairperson

The Municipal Environment and Natural Resources Officer (MENRO), who shall serve as the Vice-Chairman

Hon. Councilor Jose Loresco, Committee Chairman on Environment

The Municipal Environment and Natural Resources Office

**Economic Enterprise Officer** 

The Municipal Treasurer

Specific Task force for Regulated Use/Sale of Plastics enforces the ordinance on plastic usage and sales by inspecting businesses/establishments, issuing citations and implementing penalties to violators. Specific Task force are as follows: Orlando Magsano - Administrative Aide 1 (Team Leader) Morris Calaunan - Job Order Worker Julius Tigno - Job Order Worker Patrick Campeńa - Job Order Worker Dexter Bauzon - Job Order Worker

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Section 3. Functions and Responsibilities. The Task Force shall have the following functions and responsibilities:

- 1. To formulate and recommend policies, plans, and programs for the regulation and reduction of plastic waste in Calasiao.
- 2. To oversee the implementation of plastic waste management initiatives, including but not limited to recycling programs, plastic bans, and public awareness campaigns.
- 3. To coordinate with relevant local and national agencies, as well as private sector and civil society organizations, in the implementation of plastic waste management programs.
- 4. To monitor and evaluate the effectiveness of plastic waste management policies and initiatives, and to recommend improvements as necessary.
- 5. To submit regular reports to the Office of the Mayor on the status and progress of plastic waste management efforts in the municipality.

Section 4. Meetings and Quorum. The Task Force shall meet at least once a month. A majority of the members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

Section 5. Secretariat and Technical Support. The Municipal Environment and Natural Resources Office (MENRO) shall serve as the Secretariat of the Task Force and shall provide technical and administrative support to the Task Force.

Section 6. Funding. The funding requirements for the operations of the Task Force shall be sourced from the municipal budget and other sources as may be identified by the Task Force, subject to existing budgeting, accounting, and auditing rules and regulations.

Section 7. Effectivity. This Executive Order shall take effect immediately upon approval.

DONE in the Municipality of Calasiao, this 12th day of July 2024.

HON. KEVIN R MACANLALAY Muni layor