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OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN SECRETARY

CERTIFICATION

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that at the regular session duly constituted of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan, Province of Pangasinan, held on February 12, 2024 at the Session Hall, Capitol Building, Lingayen, Pangasinan, the following provincial resolution was approved:

Authored by SP Member Rosary Gracia P. Perez-Tababa

PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 196-2024

ADOPTING AND APPROVING THE OPERATIONALIZATION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE PANGASINAN CRISIS INTERVENTION CENTER (PCIC)

WHEREAS, the Pangasinan Crisis Intervention Center (PCIC) is a special unit operating on a 24-hour basis to serve as an action center to immediately respond to cases of abused women and children, providing integrated services such as immediate rescue and protection, financial assistance, referral for immediate medical, legal and psychosocial services, information and education campaign on women and child related laws, as well as temporary shelter for abused women and children to ensure their safety, security and rehabilitation to reinstate their psychosocial functioning;

WHEREAS, this project is a prompt action of the Provincial Government of Pangasinan to address the needs of women and children, in consonance with the provisions of Republic Act No. 9262 or the Anti-Violence Against Women and their Children Act of 2004; Republic Act No. 7610 or the Special Protection of Children Against Abuse, Exploitation, and Discrimination Act; and Republic Act No. 9208 or Anti-Trafficking in Persons Act of 2003 as amended by Republic Act No. 10364, also known as the Expanded Anti-Trafficking in Persons Act of 2021;

WHEREAS, the management of the PCIC is under the Provincial Social Welfare and Development Office (PSWDO), being one of the social arms of the government advocating for the rights, privileges and protection of, as well as prevention of abuses against, victim survivors and the disadvantaged and vulnerable sectors in the society;

WHEREAS, the PCIC was accredited by the Department of Social Welfare and Development Central Office which shall provide technical assistance for the operation of the center and shall conduct capability building training to program implementers for skills enhancement and better handling of victim survivors;

WHEREAS, the Philippine Commission on Women (PCW) has certified the PCIC as Local Learning Hub for providing and sustaining gender responsive programs and services to women and children in difficult circumstances;



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WHEREAS, the Province of Pangasinan, under the able leadership of the Honorable Governor, Ramon Guico III, has approved the annual appropriation of funds for its continuous operation and maintenance under non-office fund;


WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan hereby adopts and approves the establishment and operation of the Pangasinan Crisis Intervention Center as a half-way house for victims of gender-based violence;

WHEREFORE, in view of the foregoing, on motion of SP Member Rosary Gracia P. Perez-Tababa, duly seconded, it was –

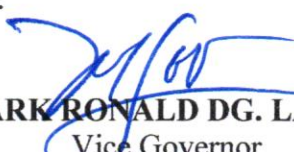
RESOLVED, by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan in session assembled to adopt and approve, as it is hereby adopted and approved, the operationalization and maintenance of the Pangasinan Crisis Intervention Center (PCIC);

RESOLVED, FINALLY, to furnish copies of this resolution to the DSWD Central Office, Philippine Commission on Women (PCW) and the Provincial Social Welfare and Development Office, for their information and guidance.

CERTIFIED BY:


VERNA T. NAVA-PEREZ
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:


MARK RONALD DG. LAMBINO
Vice Governor
(Presiding Officer)