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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 July 29, 2024 at the Session Hall, Capitol Building, Lingayen, Pangasinan, the following provincial resolution was approved:

Authored by SP Member Shiela Marie F. Baniqued

PROVINCIAL RESOLUTION NO. 705-2024

AUTHORIZING THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNOR, RAMON V. GUICO III, TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH – CENTER FOR HEALTH DEVELOPMENT I FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE 2024 HEALTHY SETTINGS PROGRAM FOR HEALTHY COMMUNITIES

WHEREAS, RA 11223 or the Universal Health Care Act of 2019 mandates the implementation of health reform program which ensures that every Filipino is guaranteed an equitable access to quality and affordable healthcare services and is protected against financial risks;

WHEREAS, the law mandates that local health systems shall have the following minimum components: a) primary care provider network with patient records accessible throughout the health system; b) accurate, sensitive, and timely epidemiologic surveillance systems; and c) proactive and effective health promotion programs or campaigns;

WHEREAS, Section 30 of Universal Health Care Act Implementing Rules and Regulations provides that local government units, guided by the Health Promotion Framework Strategy, shall issue and implement effective health promotion policies and programs that promote health literacy and healthy lifestyle among their constituents, prevent and control diseases and their risk factors to advance population health and individual well-being;

WHEREAS, in the implementation of the 2024 Healthy Settings Program for Healthy Communities, it is the objective of the Provincial Government of Pangasinan and the Department of Health to further improve and sustain an efficient and effective health care delivery system in the Province through health promotion initiatives designed to ensure that the environments wherein individuals live, learn and work are promotive and protective of health;



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WHEREAS, the 2024 Healthy Settings Program for Healthy Communities shall be implemented in the Province of Pangasinan through the provision of technical and financial assistance by the Department of Health, through the Center for Health Development I, to assist the Province in initiating and establishing health promotion programs;

WHEREAS, the Ilocos Center for Health Development will be providing a financial assistance of P1,499,990.00 to the Province of Pangasinan for the expansion of the Key Assistance for Developing Adolescents (KADA) Network to nine (9) provincial government hospitals with the aim of addressing social barriers surrounding adolescent sexual and reproductive health through the establishment of a network that will strengthen existing adolescent- friendly health facilities;

WHEREAS, the KADA Centers can provide adolescents with adolescent- friendly health services, educational resources on sexual and reproductive health, mental health support, violence and injury prevention guidance, safety and protection information, and employment and social services;

WHEREAS, a Memorandum of Agreement is necessary for the Province of Pangasinan and the Center for Health Development I for the implementation of the program and to identify the specific terms and conditions required in the agreement;

WHEREAS, local government units are empowered under Section 22 (a) (5) (c) and Section 465 (vi) of RA 7160 to enter into contracts, but such power may be exercised with prior authorization emanating from the Sangguniang Panlalawigan through a resolution/ordinance;

WHEREAS, for the above purpose, a Memorandum of Agreement shall be entered into and signed between and by the Province of Pangasinan, represented by Honorable Governor, Ramon V. Guico III; and the Department of Health-Center for Health Development I, represented by Dr. Paula Paz M. Sydiongco, Regional Director;

NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of SP Member Shiela Marie F. Baniqued, duly seconded, it was –

RESOLVED, by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan in session assembled to authorize, as he is hereby authorized, the Provincial Governor, Ramon V. Guico III, to enter into and sign a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) with the Department of Health – Center for Health Development I for the implementation of the 2024 Healthy Settings Programs for Healthy Communities;



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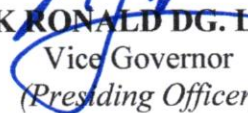
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RESOLVED, FINALLY, that copies of this resolution be furnished to the Provincial Governor, Ramon V. Guico III, Province of Pangasinan, and Dr. Paula Paz M. Sydiongco, Regional Director, the Department of Health – Center for Health Development I, for their information and guidance.

CERTIFIED BY:


VERNA T. NAVA-PEREZ
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:


MARK RONALD DG. LAMBINO
Vice Governor
(Presiding Officer)