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MUNICIPALITY OF ROXAS

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

EXCERPTS FROM THE JOURNAL OF THE 114TH REGULAR SESSION OF THE 11TH SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF ROXAS, ORIENTAL MINDORO HELD ON 14 OCTOBER 2024, 1:00 P.M. AT THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN SESSION HALL

Present:

Municipal Vice Mayor Jerwin S. Dimapilis	- Presiding Officer
Councilor Robert S. Quiatchon	- Member
Councilor John John S. Yason	- Member
Councilor Lucille T. Bacay	- Member
Councilor Juan Rafael M. Talens	- Member
Councilor King Philip B. Dimapilis	- Member
Councilor Robert A. Baticos	- Member
Councilor Veil Charleo B. Cusi	- Member
Councilor Marietta R. Pajila	- Member
Councilor Hermis S. Catapang	- Member, ABC President
Councilor Sheikinah Grace C. Sanz	- Member, MSKF President

Absent:

NONE

MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 45
Series of 2024

**AN ORDINANCE DECLARING THE MONTH OF
FEBRUARY AS ADOLESCENT HEALTH MONTH IN THE
MUNICIPALITY OF ROXAS, ORIENTAL MINDORO AND
PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR**

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WHEREAS, the “Adolescent-Youth”, whose age belongs to 10-19 years old, is a potent force for genuine development to bring forth economic progress, peace, security, moral ascendancy, and meaning for participation in local governance;

WHEREAS, Section 13 of ART. 11 of the Philippine Constitution provides that “The State recognizes the vital role of the youth in nation-building, and shall promote and protect their physical, moral, spiritual, intellectual, and social well-being. It shall inculcate in the youth patriotism and nationalism, and encourage their involvement in public and civic affairs”;

WHEREAS, Section 17 of R.A 7160 (Local Government Code of 1991) provides for the delivery of Basic Services and Facilities for Health and Social Welfare Services, including its program and projects on Child and Youth Welfare;

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WHEREAS, Administrative Order No. 34-A of 2000, aims to ensure that all adolescents and youth have access to quality comprehensive health care and services in an adolescent and youth-friendly environment.;

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Roxas adheres to the right of the youth to fully enjoy services and programs to ensure full development, health, welfare, and protection in accordance with the Universal Declaration of Human Rights of the United Nations;

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Roxas adheres to its duties and responsibilities on responsible parenthood, health care and reproduction in accordance with the Republic Act 10354, and the Family Code of the Philippines;

NOW THEREFORE, be it ORDAINED as it is hereby ORDAINED by the Sangguniang Bayan in session assembled, that:

Section 1. Title. This Ordinance shall be known as “**Adolescent Health Month Ordinance of the Municipality of Roxas.**”

Section 2. Declaration of Policy. The Municipality of Roxas recognizes the importance of addressing the health and well-being of its adolescent population. Adolescents represent the future of our community, and it is essential to provide them with the necessary health education, services, and support to ensure their holistic development.

Section 3. Celebration of the Adolescent Health Month. The celebration of the Adolescent Health Month shall be held every month of February.

Based on Section 22 of Municipal Ordinance No. 31 s of 2024, The Adolescent Pregnancy Awareness And Prevention Program Ordinance.

Section 4. Definition of Terms. For purposes of this Ordinance, the following shall have the corresponding meanings:

- a. Adolescents – refer to the population between the ages of 10 and 19.
- b. Adolescent Health – is a state of complete physical, mental and social well-being of persons aged 10-19 years.
- c. Morbidity – refers to having a disease or a symptom of disease within a population.
- d. Mortality – is the number of deaths that occur in a population.

Section 5. Objectives

The objectives of Adolescent Health Month shall include, but not be limited to strengthening the following:

1. To raise awareness about the importance of adolescent health and well-being.
2. To provide education and information on health issues affecting adolescents.
3. To promote healthy behaviors and lifestyles among adolescents.
4. To provide access to health services and support for adolescents.
5. To encourage community participation in addressing adolescent health issues.

Section 6. Programs and Activities

The Local Government Unit (LGU) of Roxas, in coordination with relevant agencies, shall implement various programs and activities during the Adolescent Health Month Celebration, including but not limited to:


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1. Health fairs and check-ups specifically for adolescents. (Oral Check Up, HPV Vaccination for 10-12 YEARS OLD)
2. Education campaign and workshop on topics such as healthy growth and development, mental health, nutrition, substance abuse prevention and reduction of all forms of violence and mortality.
3. Education campaign on Demand Generation Activities (USAPANG BIBA, U4U, SHAPE, PARENT-TEEN TALK, TEENAGE PREGNANCY PREVENTION SYMPOSIUM AND HIV AWARENESS)
4. Training on Peer Health Education and Peer Health Navigation
5. Sports and recreation activities that promote physical fitness and teamwork.
6. Training on life skills through Basic Life Support Orientation with MDRRMC

Section 7. Adolescent Health Month Program Committee. The Adolescent Health Month Program Committee is composed of the following:

Chairman	-	Municipal Mayor
Vice Chairman	-	Municipal Health Officer
Members	-	Representative, Population and Development Office
		Representative, Committee on Health and Sanitation
		Representative, Committee on Women and Family
		MSWDO
		Representative, Department of Education
		Representative, Commission on Higher Education
		Representative, Gender and Development Office
		Representative, MDRRMC
		Representative, Sangguniang Kabataan
		Representative, Local Youth Development Office

Section 8. Conduct of Events. All programs and activities shall comply with all laws, rules and regulations set forth for the successful conduct of the event.

Section 9. Funding. The Municipal Government of Roxas, Oriental Mindoro shall allocate funds in its annual budget for the implementation of this ordinance.

Section 10. Separability Clause. If any provision of this Ordinance is declared invalid or unconstitutional, the remaining provisions shall remain valid and enforceable.

Section 11. Repealing Clause. All ordinances, executive orders, or parts thereof, which are inconsistent with this Ordinance, are hereby repealed or amended accordingly.

Section 12. Effectivity. This Ordinance shall take effect after fifteen (15) days from its posting in public conspicuous spaces of the Municipality.

On motion of Councilor Marietta R. Pajila duly seconded by all this ordinance is hereby ENACTED.

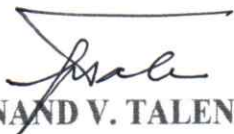
Adopted: 14 October 2024


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FERDINAND V. TALENS, MPA
Secretary to the Sangguniang Bayan

ATTESTED:


JERWIN S. DIMAPILIS
Municipal Vice Mayor

APPROVED:


LEO G. CUSI, SR.
Municipal Mayor
Date Signed: _____

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