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Province of Oriental Mindoro
MUNICIPALITY OF ROXAS

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

EXCERPTS FROM THE JOURNAL OF THE 32ND REGULAR SESSION OF THE 11TH SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF ROXAS, ORIENTAL MINDORO HELD ON 20 FEBRUARY 2023, 2:00 P.M. AT THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN SESSION HALL.

Present:

Municipal Vice Mayor Jerwin S. Dimapilis	-Presiding Officer
Councilor Robert S. Quiatchon	- Member
Councilor Lucille T. Bacay	- Member
Councilor King Philip B. Dimapilis	- Member
Councilor Robert A. Baticos	- Member
Councilor Veil Charlleo B. Cusi	- Member
Councilor Marietta R. Pajila	- Member
Councilor Elmer P. Salibio	- President, Liga ng Barangay
Councilor Elmira May V. Tarac	- Member, MSKF President

Absent:

Councilor John John S. Yason	- Member
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MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 08
Series of 2023

**AN ORDINANCE LOCALIZING RA 10644 OR THE GO
NEGOSYO ACT AND ESTABLISHING A ONE-STOP
WOMEN ENTERPRISE DEVELOPMENT DESK
FOCUSED ON DEVELOPING WOMEN MSMES.**

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CO-AUTHOR:

Councilor **MARIETTA R. PAJILA**

WHEREAS, the 2020 List of Establishments of the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) recorded a total of 957,620 business enterprises operating in the country. Of these, 952,969 (99.51%) are MSMEs and 4,651 (0.49%) are large enterprises. Micro enterprises constitute 88.77% (850,127) of total MSME establishments, followed by small enterprises at 10.25% (98,126) and medium enterprises at 0.49% (4,716);

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 9501 or the Magna Carta for Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) recognizes that MSMEs have the potential for more employment generation and economic growth and therefore can help provide a self-sufficient industrial foundation for the country, and thus declared the policy of the State to promote, support, strengthen and encourage the growth and development of MSMEs in all productive sectors of the economy particularly rural/agri-based enterprises;

WHEREAS, among the challenges and barriers faced by women MSMEs are lack of access to finance, basic infrastructure, and information. Capacity gaps in necessary skills regarding running and managing their business are also challenges that they face;


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WHEREAS, besides improving life quality for women entrepreneurs and their households, MSMEs contribute to social change by potentially offering significant jobs and income generation opportunities for women;

WHEREAS, Municipality of Roxas has approximately 1,110 MSMEs who are into manufacturing/processing, making up at least 50% of the total number of registered businesses in the municipality, among these are several women-led and women-owned MSMEs;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it ordained by the Sangguniang Bayan of the Municipality of Roxas that:

Section 1. Short Title. This Ordinance shall be known as the **“LOCALIZING THE GO NEGOSYO ACT AND ESTABLISHING a ONE-STOP WOMEN ENTERPRISE DEVELOPMENT DESK”**;

Section 2. Definition of Terms. As used in this Ordinance, the following terms shall mean:

- a) Locally-produced goods and services – These are food and non-food products and services made/provided in the Municipality of Roxas, Oriental Mindoro.
- b) MSME – Micro, Small and Medium Enterprise, including cooperatives, rural improvement clubs, associations, and existing businesses without registrations, with a capitalization not exceeding Php3 Million; has an existing product, food or non-food, or has commenced operation but is in the process of developing its product;
- c) Women-owned/Women-led MSMEs / Women MSMEs - legal entity in any field that is more than 51-per-cent owned, managed and controlled by one or more women; unconditionally controlled by one or more women over both long-term decision-making and the day-to-day management and administration of the business operations, and independent from non-women-owned businesses;
- d) One-Stop Women Enterprise Development Desk / Desk (OSWEDD) – a help desk that facilitates women’s access to common service facilities such as information support, entrepreneurship training, financing support, product development, and access to market services;

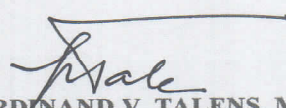
Section 3. Scope and Coverage. This ordinance shall cover the Municipality of Roxas, Oriental Mindoro.

Section 4. Functions of the One-Stop Women Enterprise Development Desk:

- a) assist women-led and women-owned MSMEs registered under the Go Negosyo Center specifically to facilitate women’s access to common service facilities such as information support, entrepreneurship training, financing support, product development, and access to market services;
- b) if women-led/owned MSMEs are not yet registered, assist in their registration;


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- c) conduct mentoring/immersion to facilitate business planning, production of product catalogs, and trade fair organizing specifically for women MSMEs;
- d) conduct of Research on Women Entrepreneurship including but not limited to entrepreneurial behavior, barriers, participation, cessation rates, discriminatory practices, and contribution to the local economy and growth;
- e) provide information and access to counseling for women MSMEs;
- f) establish child-minding centers or corners and provide other childcare services in Negosyo Centers and other venues where training and activities will be held;
- g) partner with business schools and training institutions in the Municipality of Roxas to further capacitate women MSMEs

Section 5. Personnel for the OSWEDD. The Municipality shall appoint an Officer-in-Charge and secretariat personnel that will manage and assist in maintaining the OSWEDD.

Section 6. Primary Implementing Offices. OSWEDD shall be lodged under the Negosyo Center of the Municipality of Roxas [or any unit/division within the LGU with a similar function]. The aforementioned office together with the Technology and Livelihood Development Office (TLDO) [or any unit/division within the LGU with similar function], and the GAD Focal System/Council [or any unit/division within the LGU with a similar function] shall ensure that the provisions of this Ordinance are strictly observed.

Section 7. Appropriations. The Municipal Government of Roxas must allocate fund in GAD Budget to maintain the OSWEDD:

The GAD Budget shall be drawn from the following budget items:

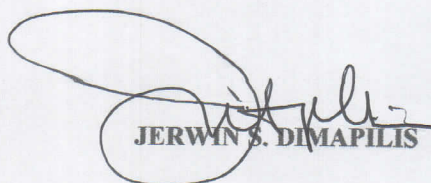
- (1) Maintenance and other operating expenses;
- (2) Capital outlay; and
- (3) Personnel services- subject to the guidelines on GAD Planning and Budgeting laid down In Joint Memorandum Circular 2013-01 of the Department of Interior and Local Government (DILG), Department of Budget and Management (DBM), and the Philippine Commission on Women (PCW).

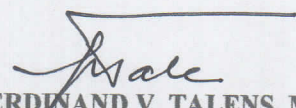
Section 8. Separability Clause. If for any reason or reasons, any part or provision of this Ordinance shall be held unconstitutional or invalid, other parts or provisions hereof which are not affected thereby shall stand and continue to be in full force and effect.

Section 9. Repealing Clause. All local ordinances and enactments, executive orders, resolutions, memoranda, circulars, or any part thereof contrary to or inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed, modified, or amended accordingly.

Section 10. Effectivity Clause. This Ordinance shall take effect after fifteen (15) days following its complete publication in at least one (1) local newspaper of general circulation.


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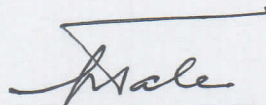

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On motion of Councilor Lucille T. Bacay duly seconded by Councilor Juan Rafael M. Talens this Ordinance is hereby ENACTED.

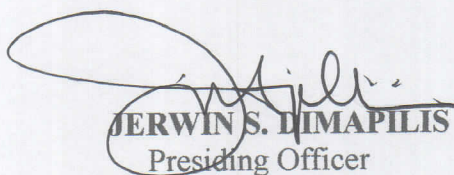
Adopted: 20 February 2023

CERTIFIED CORRECT:



FERDINAND V. TALENS, MPA
Secretary to the Sangguniang Bayan

ATTESTED:



JERWIN S. DIMAPILIS
Presiding Officer

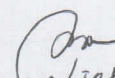
APPROVED:



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

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Ferdinand V. Talens
March 7, 2023


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