

Republic of the Philippines
Province of Oriental Mindoro
MUNICIPALITY OF ROXAS

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

EXCERPTS FROM THE JOURNAL OF THE 101ST REGULAR SESSION OF THE 9TH SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF ROXAS, ORIENTAL MINDORO HELD ON 06 AUGUST 2018, 11:00 A. M. AT THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN SESSION HALL.

Present:

Vice Mayor Cesar T. Baticos	- Presiding Officer
Councilor David D. De La Cruz	- Member
Councilor Juanito A. Bacay, Jr.	- Member
Councilor John John S. Yason	- Member
Councilor Agustin L. Cusi	- Member
Councilor Eduardo K. Soriano	- Member
Councilor Ruel S. Taytay	- Member
Councilor Gualberto V. Magno	- Member
Councilor Celso M. Dimapilis	- Member, ABC President

Absent:

Councilor Elmira May V. Tarac	- Member, MSKF President
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MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 03
Series of 2018

AN ORDINANCE ORGANIZING AND ESTABLISHING A PERSONS WITH DISABILITY AFFAIRS OFFICE IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF ROXAS, ORIENTAL MINDORO AND PROVIDING APPROPRIATIONS FOR IMPLEMENTATION THEREOF.

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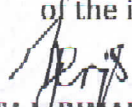
Councilor GUALBERTO V. MAGNO Councilor DAVID D. DE LA CRUZ
Councilor RUEL S. TAYTAY

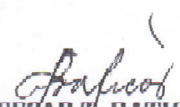
WHEREAS, the Philippine Constitution, in the Declaration of Principles and State Policies, mandates that the State shall promote social justice in all phases of national development;

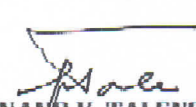
WHEREAS, Article 13 of the same Constitution includes disabled persons as one of the priority sectors to be given access to essential goods and services at affordable cost and further provides that the State shall establish a special agency for disabled persons for their rehabilitation, self-reliance and their integration into the mainstream of the society;

WHEREAS, National and Local Government agencies are directed to implement programs and services to insure the full participation and PWDs in all aspects of community life thru Republic Act 7277, otherwise known as the Magna Carta for Disabled Persons, and later or amended thru House Bill No. 1214 which provides other privileges and incentives to PWDs;

WHEREAS, Section 16 of Republic Act 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991 states that "government units shall ensure and support among other things, the preservation and enrichment of culture, promote health and safety, enhance economic prosperity and social justice, promote full employment among their residents, maintain peace and order and preserve the comfort and convenience of the inhabitants";


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WHEREAS, in order to sustain and continuously carry out the task of monitoring, evaluation, data gathering, needs assessment, planning, establishment of production center, creation of job opportunities and advocacy in the municipality; the need for establishing a Persons With Disability Affairs Office (PDAO) to serve as its structural organization for the implementation of the abovementioned purposes is hereto recommended.

NOW THEREFORE, the Sanggunang Bayan ordains the following:

Section 1. Title. This Ordinance shall be known as An Ordinance Organizing and Establishing a Persons with Disability Affairs Office in the Municipality of Roxas, Oriental Mindoro and Providing Appropriations for Implementation Thereof.

Section 2. Appointment and Qualification. The Municipality of Roxas through its Local Chief Executive shall appoint a qualified PWD Affairs Officer who shall manage and oversee the operations of the office, with the following qualifications:

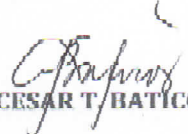
- a) With Bachelor's Degree
- b) Two (2) years of relevant experience on disability affairs
- c) Eight (8) hours of relevant training on disability affairs
- d) Career Service Professional Eligible/Second Level Eligibility

The nominees shall be chosen or recommended in a general assembly by and among the organizations of PWDs in the Municipality of Roxas. The list of nominees shall be submitted to the Sangguniang Bayan which shall choose the three (3) nominees to be forwarded to the Office of the Local Chief Executive.

Section 3. Functions of the PDAO. The head of the PDAO shall have the designated functions:

- a) Formulate and implement policies, plans and programs for the promotion of the welfare of the PWDs in coordination with concerned national and local agencies;
- b) Coordinate the implementation of the provisions of RA 7277, BP 344 otherwise known as the Accessibility Law and other relevant laws at the local level;
- c) Represent PWDs in meetings of the local development councils and other special bodies;
- d) Recommend and enjoin the participation of NGOs and People's organizations in the implementation of all disability-related laws and policies;
- e) Gather and compile relevant data on PWDs in their localities;
- f) Disseminate information including, but not limited to, programs and projects for PWDs, statistics on PWDs, including children with disability and training and employment opportunities for PWDs;


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- g) Submit reports to the Office of the Local Chief Executive on the implementation of programs and services for the promotion of the welfare of PWDs in their respective areas of jurisdiction;
- h) Ensure that the policies, plans and programs for the promotion of the welfare of PWDs are funded by both the national and local government;
- i) Monitor fund-raising activities being conducted for the benefit of the PWD;
- j) Seek donations in cash or in kind from local or foreign donors to implement an approved work plan for PWDs, in accordance with the existing laws and regulations and perform such other functions as may be necessary for the promotion and protection of the welfare of the PWDs.

Section 4. Supervision of PDAO. The PDAO shall be a unit attached to the Office of the Local Chief Executive and as such, the LCE shall exercise supervision over the PDAO operations and activities.

Section 5. PDAO Funding. Section 4 of RA 10070 mandates that Local Government Units shall ensure that the necessary fund from any available local revenue is allocated for the implementation of PDAO activities for the benefit of the PWDs in their jurisdiction. For the succeeding years of implementation, PDAO shall be included in the LGUs Annual Plans and Budget.

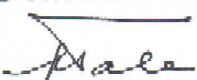
Section 6. Repealing Clause. Any ordinance or resolution enacted contrary to this ordinance and its provisions shall be hereby repealed.

Section 7. Effectivity. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon approval.

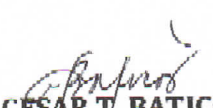
On motion of Councilor Gualberto V. Magno duly seconded by Councilors John-John S. Yason, David D. De La Cruz and Ruel S. Taytay this Ordinance is hereby ENACTED.

Adopted: 06 August 2018

CERTIFIED TRUE AND CORRECT:


FERDINAND V. TALENS, MPA
 Secretary to the Sangguniang Bayan

ATTESTED:


CESAR T. BATICOS
 Municipal Vice Mayor

APPROVED:


VIOLETA L. DIMAPILIS
 Municipal Mayor

Date Signed: 8.19.2018 (actual)