

**REPUBLIKA NG PILIPINAS
TANGGAPAN NG SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD
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Excerpt from the journal of the 64th Regular Session of the 11th Council of the Sangguniang Panlungsod, City of Bacolod held on Wednesday, September 20, 2023 at the Session Hall of Bacolod City Government Center.

PRESENT:

Vice Mayor El Cid M. Familiaran	Presiding Officer
Councilor Al Victor A. Espino	Floor Leader
Councilor Jude Thaddeus A. Sayson	
Councilor Israel P. Salanga	
Councilor Em L. Ang	
Councilor Vladimir S. Gonzalez	
Councilor Renecito S. Novero	
Councilor Simplicia Z. Distrito	
Councilor Celia Matea R. Flor	
Councilor Psyche Marie E. Sy	
Councilor Lady Gles Gonzales-Pallen	

OFFICIAL LEAVE:

Councilor Cindy T. Rojas
Councilor Jason Isidro S. Villarosa
Councilor Claudio Jesus Raymundo A. Puentevella
Councilor Ayesha Joy Y. Villaflor

**RESOLUTION NO. 846
Series of 2023**

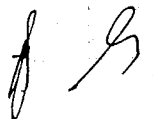
RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE CITY HEALTH OFFICE THROUGH THE OFFICE OF THE CITY MAYOR, THE HONORABLE ALFREDO ABELARDO B. BENITEZ TO CONVENE THE MENTAL HEALTH WEEK COMMITTEE IN ACCORDANCE WITH CITY ORDINANCE NO. 08-14-674 OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE "MENTAL HEALTH DAY ORDINANCE".

Upon motion of Councilor Simplicia Z. Distrito, seconded by Floor Leader Al Victor A. Espino, the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Bacolod

RESOLVED, to pass the following resolution:

WHEREAS, City Ordinance No. 08-14-674 was approved last June 2014 which aims to institutionalize the celebration of Mental Health Week every first week of October, particularly October 10 which is the Mental Health Day as declared by the World Health Organization;

WHEREAS, the ordinance provides that a Mental Health Week Committee shall be created which will supervise and take charge of the planning and preparation of the activities relative to the celebration of Mental Health Day;



WHEREAS, the Committee shall be composed of the following: (a) City Health Office as Chairperson of the Committee, (b) Representative of the Office of the City Mayor, (c) SP Chairperson on Committee on Health, (d) SP Chairperson on Committee on Social Services, (e) DSSD, (f) BCPO, (g) City Legal Office, (h) City Treasurer's Office and three representatives from accredited mental health advocate NGOs/POs/CSOs with the support and coordination of the DepEd-Division of Bacolod City and DILG-Bacolod;

WHEREAS, the ordinance provides also that an amount of Two Hundred Thousand Pesos (P200,000.00) shall be appropriated which will be used to implement the activities for the said celebration;

WHEREAS, for this year, the theme is "Mental Health is a Universal Human Right";

WHEREAS, the celebration is very important for the promotion of the importance of having sound mental health and to raise awareness in dealing with mental health issues to our constituents.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to respectfully request the City Health Office through the Office of the City Mayor, the Honorable Alfredo Abelardo B. Benitez to convene the Mental Health Week Committee in accordance with City Ordinance No. 08-14-674 otherwise known as the "Mental Health Day Ordinance".


CARRIED BY THE VOTE OF:

Affirmative:

Councilors : Jude Thaddeus A. Sayson, Israel P. Salanga, Em L. Ang, Al Victor A. Espino, Vladimir S. Gonzalez, Renecito S. Novero, Simplicia Z. Distrito, Celia Matea R. Flor, Psyche Marie E. Sy, Lady Gles Gonzales-Pallen.

Negative : N o n e .

Comments : P a s s e d .



ELCID M. FAMILIARAN
Vice Mayor
Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:



ATTY. VICENTE C. PETIERRE III
Secretary to the Sanggunian

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