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Excerpt from the journal of the 57th Regular Session of the 12th Council of the Sangguniang Panlungsod, City of Bacolod held on Wednesday, August 05, 2026, at the Session Hall of Bacolod City Government Center.

PRESENT:

Vice Mayor Claudio Jesus Raymundo A. Puentevella	Presiding Officer
Councilor Al Victor A. Espino	Floor Leader
Councilor Caesar Z. Distrito	
Councilor Israel P. Salanga	
Councilor Em L. Ang	
Councilor Jude Thaddeus A. Sayson	
Councilor Jason Isidro S. Villarosa	
Councilor Celia Matea R. Flor	
Councilor Dindo C. Ramos	
Councilor Roberto M. Rojas	
Councilor Wilson C. Gamboa, Jr.	
Councilor Psyche Marie E. Sy	
Councilor Homer Q. Bais	
Councilor Lady Gles Gonzales-Pallen	
Councilor Danna Marie C. Barzo	

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RESOLUTION NO. 905
Series of 2026

RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE BACOLOD CITY DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT OFFICE (DRRMO), IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION (DEPED), PHILIPPINE RED CROSS, AND THE BACOLOD CITY HEALTH OFFICE (CHO), THROUGH THE OFFICE OF THE CITY MAYOR, TO COORDINATE WITH ALL PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SCHOOLS IN BACOLOD CITY ON HEALTH MONITORING, FIRST AID READINESS, AND EMERGENCY RESPONSE PLANS FOR STUDENTS FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2026-2027.

Upon motion of Councilor Em L. Ang, jointly seconded by Councilors Caesar Z. Distrito and Wilson C. Gamboa, Jr., the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Bacolod

RESOLVED, to pass the following resolution:

WHEREAS, the City of Bacolod prioritizes the health, safety, and welfare of all learners as classes resume and students return to school;

WHEREAS, the Bacolod City DRRMO is primarily responsible for setting the direction, development, implementation, and coordination of disaster risk management programs, including emergency preparedness and response within the City;

WHEREAS, schools serve as a primary setting where injuries, medical emergencies, and hazard impacts involving students may occur, necessitating proper monitoring, immediate first aid response, and clear emergency protocols;

WHEREAS, a collaborative approach led by the Bacolod City DRRMO, in partnership with DepEd, the Philippine Red Cross, and the CHO, will ensure Standardized Emergency Response Systems, trained first responders, and effective health monitoring across all school campuses;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Bacolod City, in regular session assembled, that:

1. Directive to Coordinate. The Bacolod City DRRMO is hereby directed, in partnership with DepEd Bacolod City, the Philippine Red Cross, and the Bacolod City Health Office, to coordinate with all public and private elementary, junior high, senior high, and tertiary schools in Bacolod City to:

a. Health Monitoring: Establish a coordinated system for regular health surveillance, hazard exposure, and reporting of common illnesses and injuries affecting students, integrating the expertise of the CHO and school clinic personnel.

b. First Aid Readiness: Assess and assist schools in ensuring the availability of functional first aid kits, designated clinic areas compliant with national standards, and conduct comprehensive first aid and basic life support training for teaching and non-teaching personnel, with the technical assistance of the Philippine Red Cross and CHO.

c. Emergency Response Plans: Review, update, and conduct drills on each school's Emergency Response and Evacuation Plans for medical emergencies, natural disasters, and other hazards. The DRRMO shall take the lead in providing technical assistance and disaster preparedness training to school personnel.

2. Reporting Requirement. The Bacolod City DRRMO shall submit a Quarterly Report to the Sangguniang Panlungsod through the Committee on Health and Sanitation on the status of compliance, issues encountered, and assistance provided to schools.

3. Support and Collaboration. All schools, barangay health stations, and concerned City Departments are enjoined to extend full cooperation to the DRRMO, DepEd, Red Cross, and CHO in the implementation of this Resolution.

RESOLVED FINALLY, that copies of this Resolution be furnished to the Office of the City Mayor, Bacolod City DRRMO, DepEd Bacolod City Schools Division Superintendent, Philippine Red Cross Bacolod Chapter, City Health Officer, all school Heads/Administrators, and the DILG Bacolod City Field Office for their information and strict compliance.

CARRIED BY THE VOTE OF:

Affirmative:

Councilors : Caesar Z. Distrito, Em L. Ang, Jude Thaddeus A. Sayson, Jason Isidro S. Villarosa, Celia Matea R. Flor, Dindo C. Ramos, Roberto M. Rojas, Wilson C. Gamboa, Jr., Homer Q. Bais, Psyche Marie E. Sy, Al Victor A. Espino, Lady Gles Gonzales-Pallen, Danna Marie C. Barzo

Negative : N o n e .

Comments : P a s s e d .
Councilor Israel P. Salanga was not around when this resolution was passed

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CLAUDIO JESUS RAYMUNDO A. PUENTEVELLA
Vice Mayor
Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

ATTY. VICENTE C. PETIERRE III
Secretary to the Sanggunian

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