



**EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 93<sup>rd</sup> REGULAR SESSION OF THE 13<sup>TH</sup> SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF BINGAWAN, PROVINCE OF ILOILO, HELD AT THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN SESSION HALL ON APRIL 11, 2018.**

Present:	Hon. Matt P. Palabrica, Ph.D.	Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer
	Hon. Jose C. Rabago, Jr.	SB Member
	Hon. Ted Peter P. Plagata	SB Member/Deputy Floor Leader
	Hon. Lorens M. Belloga	SB Member
	Hon. Nemesio A. Cachite	SB Member
	Hon. Jofe C. Celeste	SB Member
	Hon. Eduardo A. Dalipe	SB Member
	Hon. Leovy C. Simora	SB Member/Floor Leader
	Hon. Perceval T. Girao	Ex-officio SB Member/Liga President
On Leave:	Hon. Joy L. Quimba	SB Member
Absent:	None	



**MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 254  
 (Series of 2018)**

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The Committee on Health, Sanitation, Cleanliness and Beautification

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**AN ORDINANCE MANDATING THE CREATION OF LOCAL HEALTH BOARD IN EVERY BARANGAY IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF BINGAWAN, PROVINCE OF ILOILO.**

**Section 1. TITLE.** This Ordinance shall be known as “BARANGAY HEALTH BOARD ORDINANCE OF 2018”.

**Section 2. RATIONALE.** Section 17 (b) (1) of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, clearly specify among others, under Basic Services and Facilities for a Barangay: (ii) health and social welfare services which include maintenance of barangay health center and day care center and (iii) services and facilities related to general hygiene and sanitation, beautification, and solid waste collection.

Article XIII, Section 11 of the 1987 Philippine Constitution mandates for a comprehensive health system which encompasses promotive, preventive, curative and rehabilitative care services at affordable cost and shall give priority for the needs of the underprivileged, sick, elderly, disabled women and children, as well as the underserved and high-risk groups of the population.

Same Constitution mandates for the promotion of the right to health of the people and instill health consciousness among them and a balanced healthful environment.



The Municipal Health Board recognizes the imperative need of creating a Local Health Board for each barangay in the Municipality of Bingawan. With the creation of the Barangay Health Boards, the health policies of the municipality is to be characterized as participative, integrated, comprehensive, community-based and well managed.

**Section 3. CREATION AND COMPOSITION.** There shall be established in every barangay a Barangay Health Board which will act as a component of the Municipal Health Board with the following composition but not limited to the following:

- a) The Punong Barangay as the Chairperson;
- b) The Chairperson of the Committee on Health of the Sangguniang Barangay as the Vice Chairperson;
- c) The Chairperson of the Committee on Social Services/Women & Family of the Sangguniang Barangay as the Co-Vice Chairperson;
- d) Members:
  - 1) Barangay Health Workers
  - 2) Barangay Service Point Officers
  - 3) Barangay Nutrition Scholars
  - 4) Barangay Day Care Workers
  - 5) Teacher-Coordinator/s on Health of the school/s in the barangay;
  - 6) Representative from the non-government organization/people's organization.

The Barangay Health Boards and their composition shall be formally created through an "Executive Order" by the Punong Barangay, the intent of their creation is to achieve the widest possible participation of "community based stakeholders in the delivery of public health services".

**SECTION 4. DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES.** The Barangay Health Board shall primarily be a coordinating and consultative component of the Municipal Health Board. The logic of their creation is that they would have first-hand knowledge of the actual operating conditions of every health center and day care center operating within their jurisdiction and therefore they shall be tasked to perform the following:

- a) Formulate policies on health and social welfare services, including maintenance of barangay health centers and day care centers;
- b) Develop community-based health and sanitation programs and projects;
- c) Formulate policies on general hygiene, beautification and solid waste collection;
- d) Recommend the above-mentioned policies, programs and projects to the Barangay Development Council for approval and implementation; and
- e) Coordinate with the Barangay Council in carrying out the above-functions and other health-related concerns.

**SECTION 5. MEETINGS AND DISCUSSIONS.** All Punong Barangay are mandated to convene their respective Barangay Health Boards every month to accurately and completely discuss the provisions of Section 4 of this Ordinance.



The Punong Barangay is tasked to inform the Municipal Health Board of the dates of their meetings and properly report the findings and recommendations of the Barangay Health Board to the Municipal Health Board.

**SECTION 6. ROLE OF THE MUNICIPAL HEALTH BOARD.** The Municipal Health Board shall assist the Sangguniang Barangay and see to it that the Barangay Health Board is organized, trained and operational as a dynamic organization catering to the health needs of their constituents.

The Municipal Health Board will give great consideration to the reports of each Barangay Health Board in the formulation of their policies, programs and funding.

**SECTION 7. ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISION.** The Municipal Mayor shall issue such other rules and regulations for the smooth implementation of this Ordinance.

**SECTION 8. PENAL PROVISION.** Any Punong Barangay or Sangguniang Barangay who willfully or negligently fails to create, convene or fail to comply with the provisions of this Ordinance will be considered in dereliction of their duty as per Municipal Ordinance No. 223, Series of 2016, otherwise known as an "Ordinance Prescribing the Rules and Procedures on Administrative Disciplinary Cases Against Elective Barangay Officials in the Municipality of Bingawan, Province of Iloilo".

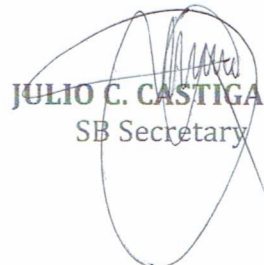
**SECTION 9. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE.** The creation of Barangay Health Board is not expressly mandated in Republic Act No. 7160, however there are no provisions in the Local Government Code that prohibits their creation and in an indirect way even encourages them. If any provision of this Ordinance shall be found to be "ultra-vires" or inconsistent with any national law and declared void by a proper court having jurisdiction, then the remaining unaffected provisions will remain in effect.

**SECTION 10. REPEALING CLAUSE.** All ordinances, rules and regulations, or parts thereof, in conflict with, or inconsistent with any provisions of this Ordinance, are hereby repealed, amended or modified accordingly.

**SECTION 11. EFFECTIVITY.** This ordinance shall take effect on the day following its posting in the bulletin board at the entrance of the Municipal Hall and in at least two (2) other conspicuous places in the municipality for a minimum period of three (3) consecutive weeks and after publication in a newspaper of general circulation in the Province of Iloilo.

**ENACTED**, this 11<sup>th</sup> day of April 2018.

**CERTIFIED CORRECT:**

  
**JULIO C. CASTIGADOR**  
SB Secretary

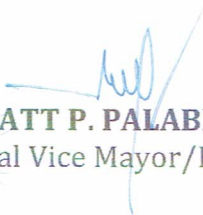


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Signed on: April 12, 2018