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AN ORDINANCE INSTITUTIONALIZING A COMMUNITY-LEVEL DISASTER PREPAREDNESS TRAINING PROGRAM FOCUSING ON COMMUNITY FIRST RESPONDERS AND BASIC LIFE SUPPORT TRAINING FOR REPRESENTATIVES OF FAMILIES, AND PROVIDING FUNDS FOR THE PURPOSE:-

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

Naga City, with its geographic location and geophysical attributes, is characterized by special vulnerabilities to natural and man-made calamities. In line with this, the City Government, in close coordination with different national line agencies, is undertaking programs and projects to increase the level of preparedness and resiliency of its institutions and citizenry. One of the strategies of these programs is the undertaking of disaster preparedness training for schools, business, establishments, and communities. The broadest reach and most efficient approach to such disaster preparedness can be undertaken through community-based trainings. At the community level, the most expansive coverage and effectiveness could be attained by requiring each family to complete such trainings.

Using such strategy, each family becomes capacitated and prepared to deal with calamities, thus making the communities, and the city as a whole, equally ready to cope with natural and man-made disasters and emergencies. The framework, concepts and methodologies are all embodied in Republic Act 10121. For purposes of this ordinance, said law is being made reference hereof.

Now therefore, be it ordained by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of the City of Naga, that:

SECTION 1. CREATION

A community-level disaster preparedness training program be designed and implemented to provide each family the knowledge and skills necessary to cope with natural and man-made calamities and emergencies, to be known as the “Naga City Community First Responders and Basic Life Support Training Program”, with the program theme and slogan “Pamilyang Nagueño, Preparado para sa Futuro” using the inter-agency concept of Naga City.

SECTION 2. MODE OF OPERATIONS

2.1. Program Organization

The said program shall be designed, developed and implemented by the following:

1. Chairperson - City Mayor
2. Co-Chairperson - SP Chair, Committee on Peace and Order, Public Safety and Disaster Management

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Members:

SP Chair, Committee on Health and Nutrition
SP Chair, Committee on Family and Women
President, Liga ng mga Barangay
Head, City Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Office
Punong Barangays
Sangguniang Barangay DRRM Chair
Head, Least Economically Resilient Communities (LERC) Program
Head, Naga City People's Council
Representatives from select Inter-Agency Joint Operations Center partners

2.2 Training Committee

The Training Committee includes the heads and/or representatives of the following:

- a. City Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Office
- b. City Health Office
- c. City Hospital
- d. Other institutions with the capability and willingness to participate in the trainings to be conducted

Invitation to support this initiative will be extended to national line agencies such as Department of Health, Office of the Civil Defense, Department of Social Welfare and Development, Department of Environment and National Resources, Department of Public Works and Highways, Philippine Army, Philippine Coast Guard, Philippine National Police, Bureau of Fire Protection, Bicol Medical Center and non-government organizations such as Philippine Red Cross, the local media and Metro Naga Chamber of Commerce and Industry, among others.

Their manifestation of support and commitment will be embodied in a Memorandum of Cooperation that will be signed in an appropriate occasion to signal the start of this program.

2.2. Training Curriculum

A training curriculum shall be developed jointly by the program and training committees, with special focus on disaster preparedness and resiliency at the family level.

2.3. Training Participants

1. Target Participants

a. Families as the Basic Unit

The primary targets of the said training shall be the families or households of the barangays, with the intention of providing each family with the knowledge and skills for coping with natural and man-made calamities and emergencies.

b. Family or Household Representatives as Participants

To ensure that such objective is attained, each family is to be required to send a representative to attend and complete the said training.

c. Qualifications of Participants

A list of qualifications shall be developed by the program committee to make sure that the representatives are capable to comprehending, transmitting to the family, and applying the knowledge and skills gained from the training; as well as ensuring that the capabilities gained can be utilized by the family and community over the longest time span possible.

2. Maximizing Participation

The committees and the barangay leadership may develop mechanisms to maximize the participation of the families, taking into consideration convenience in scheduling and implementation preferably on a year round basis, providing exemptions in special cases, offering incentives or sanctions, and other strategies.

SECTION 3. PROGRAM MANAGEMENT TEAM

A program management team (PMT)-- whose members thereof shall be determined and selected by the Chairperson-- shall be created for purposes of ensuring the day- to-day and operational continuity and sustainability of this program. It shall coordinate all efforts as regards the implementation of this ordinance and recommend to the program and training committees the periodic review of the program, if necessary.

SECTION 4. SCHOOL, COMMUNITY AND PRIVATE SECTOR PARTICIPATION

The city's 27 barangays are encouraged to support this ordinance by way of allocating funds to augment the training resources and other operating expenses that will be incurred during the implementation of this ordinance in their respective barangays. Public and private schools, as well as private sector's participation are highly encouraged to help establish disaster resilient communities. Their level and degree of

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participation will be highlighted thru a training curriculum that will be developed by the program and training committees.

SECTION 5. BUDGETARY ALLOCATION

The amount of one million pesos (Php 1,000,000.00), chargeable against the Naga City Disaster and Risk Reduction Management Fund is hereby appropriated as initial fund for the purposes hereof after endorsement to and approval of the City Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council.

SECTION 6. EFFECTIVITY

This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its approval.

ENACTED: February 8, 2017

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WE HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing ordinance.

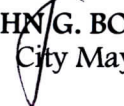


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