EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. <u>003</u> Series of 2021

RECONSTITUTING THE MUNICIPAL NUTRITION COUNCIL (MNC) OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF MARCOS, ILOCOS NORTE

WHEREAS, DILG Memorandum Circular 2001-89 requires the reconstitution of all Local Special Bodies in all levels of the Local Government Units;

WHEREAS, DILG Memorandum Circular 2018-42 further requires the adoption of the Philippine Plan Action for Nutrition 2017-2022, the country's framework plan on nutrition to contribute to the improvement of the quality of human resource in the country and reduce child and maternal mortality;

WHEREAS, the Municipal Nutrition Council, which aims to protect the nutritional well-being of the constituents plays a great role ensuring access to nutrition services by preparing a Local Nutrition Action Plan that include programs, projects and activities that converge in families of the nutritionally vulnerable (with pregnant women, lactating woman, children 0-23 months old, or a malnourished child under 5 years of age) as well as communities and barangays with high levels of under nutrition or over nutrition;

WHEREAS, there is a need to reconstitute the Municipal Nutrition Council (MNC) to update its membership;

WHEREFORE, premises considered and by virtue of the powers vested in me under the laws of the Republic of the Philippines, I, ANTONIO V. MARIANO, Municipal Mayor of the Municipality of Marcos, Ilocos Norte, do hereby reconstitute the Municipal Nutrition Council (MNC) and order the following:

Section 1. Composition. The Municipal Nutrition Council is hereby reconstitute which shall be composed of the following:

Chairperson: Antonio V. Mariano, Municipal Mayor

Vice-Chairperson: Hilario B. Lorenzo, Vice Mayor

Members: Marietta G. Casco, SB Member & Chairperson Committee on Health

Cesar B. Carullo, Municipal Health Officer

Lea S. Timpug, Dietitian/Nutritionist, Dona Josefa Edralin Marcos District Hospital

Magna R. Macalma, MBO/MNAO Designate

Jaime Gregory I. Espina, MLGOO VI Jonevale Maramag, Chief of Police Ruena Rosquita, DepEd Elementary Paciano Cid, DepEd Secondary Marlyn Desiree Gacula, PPW II Donna Bless A. Isaac, MPDC Angelito A. Raquel, LDRRMO Generosa Rucille E. Rasalan, MAO

Mark Christian A. Rasalan, Municipal Accountant

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Imelda C. Manuel, Municipal Treasurer Novelyn V. Malinay, Day Care Worker I Margarita Kabigting, President, BHW Monaliza Gonzaga, BNS President Federated Day Care Service Parents Group

Section 2. Functions: The Municipal Nutrition Council shall perform the following functions:

- 1. Ensure the formulation of the Municipal Nutrition Action Plan and serve as policy coordinating and advisory body on food and nutrition concerns of the municipality;
- 2. Plan, implement, monitor and evaluate local nutrition action plans which includes but not limited to the following PPAN programs and packages;
- a. Infant and Young Child Feeding
- b. Integrated Management of Acute Malnutrition
- c. Dietary Supplementation
- d. Nutrition Promotion for Behaviour Change
- e. Micronutrient Supplementation
- f. Mandatory Food Fortification
- g. Nutrition in Emergencies
- h. Overweight and Obesity Management
- i. Nutrition Sensitive programs that will improve physical and economic access to sanitary toilets and safe drinking water, responsible parenthood, among others
- j. Annual conduct operation timbang and;
- k. Monitoring of child growth and development especially during the 1st 1000 days of life
- 3. Include applicable PPAN programs in the Local Development Plan and Annual Investment Program and ensure availability of adequate funding;
- 4. Strengthen the competencies of nutrition workers, advocates and stakeholders through capability building or skills training;
- 5. Ensure that its initiatives are linked with MDRRM particularly on aspects of water, sanitation, hygiene, psychosocial and social protection and food and non-food clusters.

Section 3. Repealing Clause. All executive orders, proclamations, rules, regulations, previous issuances or parts thereof, inconsistent with the provisions of this Order are hereby repealed, amended and modified accordingly.

Section 4. Effectivity. This Executive Order shall take effect immediately.

DONE in the Municipality of Marcos, Ilocos Norte this 7th day of January 2021.

ANTONIO V. MARIANO

Municipal Mayor