

**REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES  
BATANGAS CITY**

**OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD**

**EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION HELD BY THE  
MEMBERS OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD OF BATANGAS CITY  
ON APRIL 20, 2021 VIA ZOOM APPLICATION**

**PRESENT:**

Hon. Emilio Francisco A. Berberabe Jr.,	Presiding Officer
Hon. Alyssa Renee A. Cruz,	Councilor
Hon. Aileen Grace A. Montalbo,	“
Hon. Nestor E. Dimacuha,	“
Hon. Karlos Emmanjuel A. Buted,	“
Hon. Gerardo A. Dela Roca,	“
Hon. Oliver Z. Macatangay,	“
Hon. Nelson J. Chavez,	“
Hon. Julian B. Villena,	“
Hon. Michael Thomas T. Pastor,	“
Hon. Isidra “Ched” M. Atienza,	“
Hon. Maria Aleth A. Lazarte,	“
Hon. Lorenzo A. Gamboa, Jr.,	“
Hon. Marjorie A. Manalo,	SK-Fed. Pres.
Hon. Angelito “Dondon” A. Dimacuha, (Sick Leave)	ABC-Rep.

“On motion of Councilor Gamboa seconded by Councilor Villena, the following Resolution was Adopted:

**RESOLUTION NO. 111 S. 2021**

**A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE COVID-19 RESPONSE OF THE CITY  
GOVERNMENT OF BATANGAS AND RECOMMENDING THE UTILIZATION AND  
ENHANCEMENT OF BATANGAS CITY CENTRAL COVID-19 HOTLINE CENTER IN  
ADDRESSING VARIOUS MEDICAL AND PSYCHOSOCIAL CONCERNS AND  
EMERGENCIES**

**WHEREAS**, President Rodrigo Duterte placed the entire Batangas Province under a General Community Quarantine (GCQ) until April 30, 2021;

**WHEREAS**, despite the strict implementation of General Community Quarantine (GCQ) there is still a steady increase of confirmed COVID-19 cases in Batangas City;

**WHEREAS**, cognizant of recent developments, asymptomatic infections are on the rise together with the introduction of new COVID-variants due to virus mutation;

**WHEREAS**, the City Government took the initiative of exploring several ideas and innovations which can decrease the likelihood of further virus transmission within the community;

**WHEREAS**, with the sustained high number of COVID cases in Batangas City, the City Mayor issued Executive Order No. 7 on April 14, 2021 which intends to address with haste the foreseen consequences and significantly mitigate transmission of COVID-19;

Continuation of Resolution No. 111 S. 2021

**A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE COVID-19 RESPONSE OF THE CITY GOVERNMENT OF BATANGAS AND RECOMMENDING THE UTILIZATION AND ENHANCEMENT OF BATANGAS CITY CENTRAL COVID-19 HOTLINE CENTER IN ADDRESSING VARIOUS MEDICAL AND PSYCHOSOCIAL CONCERNS AND EMERGENCIES**

**WHEREAS**, the City Government foresees the potential of Information and Communication Technologies (ICTs) in addressing medical and psychosocial concerns in these times of hampered mobility and other physical restrictions;

**WHEREAS**, the City should likewise ensure the establishment and maintenance of a fast, accessible, and effective 24/7 COVID-19 Batangas City Hotline Center with round-the-clock dedicated and competent personnel tasked to undertake medical consultations, hospital referrals, and psychosocial services, among other interventions needed during the pandemic;

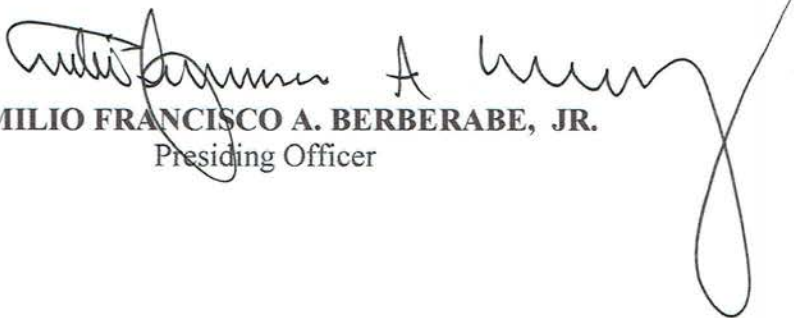
**NOW THEREFORE**, BE IT RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, TO SUPPORT THE COVID-19 RESPONSE OF THE CITY GOVERNMENT OF BATANGAS AND RECOMMENDING THE UTILIZATION AND ENHANCEMENT OF BATANGAS CITY CENTRAL COVID-19 HOTLINE CENTER IN ADDRESSING VARIOUS MEDICAL AND PSYCHOSOCIAL CONCERNS AND EMERGENCIES.

**UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED."**

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution No. 111 S. 2021 was approved by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Batangas City during its Regular Session held on April 20, 2021.

  
**ATTY. OLIVA D. TELEGATOS**  
Secretary

**ATTESTED:**

  
**EMILIO FRANCISCO A. BERBERABE, JR.**  
Presiding Officer

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