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RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING DR. MERLE D. SACDALAN-FAUSTINO AS WINNER IN THE DANGAL NG BAYAN 2022 SEARCH FOR OUTSTANDING GOVERNMENT WORKERS OF THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

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WHEREAS, Dr. Merle D. Sacdalan-Faustino made a milestone in the achievements of the City of Manila when it led the Justice Jose Abad Santos General Hospital as Medical Director to win the Dangal Ng Bayan 2022 Search for Outstanding Government Workers of the Civil Service Commission;

WHEREAS, through her most able leadership, Dr. Sacdalan-Faustino bested fifty-five (55) other contestants in the award category practically through all eight standard norms, namely:

1. **Commitment to Public Service** – highlighted by the provision of:
 - a) Telemedicine for patient consultation
 - b) Medical laboratory for Covid-19 test
 - c) Bloodletting activity from 2014 to 2019
 - d) Human Milk Bank in 2016
2. **Responsiveness to Public Needs** – highlighted by:
 - a) Medical and Dental Missions from 2016 to 2019
 - b) Provision of a Psychosocial Team
 - c) Provision of polio and pneumonia mass-vaccination
 - d) Provision of tents to expand the hospital's facilities
 - e) Provision of a Covid-19 testing site
3. **Professionalism** – underscored by:
 - a) Quality hospital and staff management
 - b) Monitoring patient satisfaction through survey
 - c) Provision of a hospital webpage
 - d) Hospital employee overall performance enhancement
4. **Justness and Sincerity** – led by:
 - a) Employee promotions
 - b) Full accommodation and thorough management of complaints by patients
5. **Political Neutrality** – through adherence to non-partisan principles
6. **Nationalism and Patriotism** – through faithful adherence to all facets that are essentially 'Pinoy' in all important programs and occasions participated by the hospital
7. **Commitment to Democracy** – through the practice and inculcation of equality between and among rank-and-file staff and employee ranks
8. **Simple Living** – with the introduction of simplifying hospital practices, procedures and steps to gain results;

WHEREAS, throughout her career already reaching nine years, Dr. Sacdalan-Faustino's much-deserved award is substantiated by other awards of the same level preceding, which are paralleled by achievement after achievement, essentially in terms of high levels of patient satisfaction, low levels of hospital mortality and low hospital infection, not to mention Justice Jose Abad Santos General Hospital itself as the district hospital in Manila having attained ISO certifications: NOW, THEREFORE, be it

RESOLVED, by the City Council of Manila to congratulate, as it hereby congratulates Dr. Merle D. Sacdalan-Faustino as winner in the Dangal Ng Bayan 2022 Search for Outstanding Government Workers of the Civil Service Commission.




PRESIDED BY:



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This Resolution was adopted by the City Council of Manila at its regular session on September 13, 2022.

ATTESTED:



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Congratulating Dr. Merle D. Socalan-Facafino, Jr.