

Republic of the Philippines OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

City of Manila

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 28

Series 2022

RECONSTITUTION OF THE LOCAL INTER-AGENCY COMMITTEE IN THE CITY OF MANILA

WHEREAS, under Section 455 paragraph (b)(1) of Republic Act (R.A.) No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, the undersigned Mayor of the City of Manila exercises general supervision and control over all programs, projects, services, and activities of the city government;

WHEREAS, R.A. No. 7279, otherwise known as the *Urban Development and Housing Act of 1992* as amended by R.A. No. 10884, otherwise known as *Balanced Housing Development Program Amendments*, set out the procedural safeguards on eviction and resettlement of affected individuals;

WHEREAS, to ensure that these procedural safeguards are observed, there is a need to reconstitute the Local Inter-Agency Committee in the City of Manila;

THEREFORE, I, MARIA SHEILAH "HONEY" H. LACUNA-PANGAN, MD, FPDS, Mayor of the City of Manila, by virtue of the powers vested in me by the 1987 Philippine Constitution, the Local Government Code of 1991, and existing laws, hereby order the reconstitution of the Local Inter-Agency Committee in the City of Manila as follows:

Section 1. Composition. The Local Inter-Agency Committee shall be composed of the following:

Chairman

Mayor of the City of Manila

Vice-Chairman

Head, Manila Urban Settlements Office

Members from the City

The City Engineer, Department of Engineering and Public Works

Officer-in-Charge, Manila Barangay Bureau

City Health Officer, Manila Health

Department

Officer-in-Charge, Manila Department of

Social Welfare

Officer-in-Charge, Department of Public

Services

Superintendent, Division of City Schools

Members from National Offices:

Representative, Department of Interior and

Local Government

Presidential Commission for the Urban Poor

National Housing Authority

Department of Human Settlements and Urban Development

Representative, Commission on Human Rights

Representative, Metro Manila Development Authority

Representative, Department of Public Works and Highways

Representative, Department of Environment And Natural Resources

Non-Government Organization:

Representative, CARITAS Manila

Section 2. *Powers and Functions*. The Local Inter-Agency Committee (LIAC) shall have the following powers and functions:

- Assist affected informal settler families (ISFs) during relocation operations;
- Facilitate the orderly, peaceful and humane relocation of ISFs occupying danger areas;
- Ensure acceptable, safe, secured, decent, affordable and humane relocation and resettlement with provision for basic utilities, facilities and services, of all qualified informal settler families (ISFs);
- Formulate adaptable Resettlement and Relocation Action Plan (RRAP) for affected ISFs along danger zones;
- Implement the RRAP after approval of the funding agency;
- Resolve issues and concerns that may arise in the actual conduct of census, tagging, mapping operations, beneficiary selection and dismantling operations, as well as in the planning and development of resettlement sites;
- Coordinate with and consult identified groups which have good interest in relocation and resettlement activities;
- Enable project stakeholders to participate in the planning and implementation of relocation programs, through coordinated and integrated multi-sectoral approach;
- Implement post relocation plans and programs;
- Perform such other functions as may be necessary to accomplish the foregoing.

Section 3. Secretariat. The Manila Urban Settlements Office (MUSO), being the housing arm of the City, shall act as Secretariat of Local Inter-Agency Committee (LIAC). It shall be responsible for all undertakings related to issuance of notices of meeting, taking minutes of meetings, filing and recording of LIAC related documents, preparation of correspondence for LIAC and other administrative work. It shall likewise provide for the machinery to coordinate the implementation of Resettlement/Relocation Action Plan.

Section 4. *Meetings*. LIAC shall convene every first Tuesday of the month or as often as may be necessary upon the call of the Chairman. The attendance of the majority of all members thereof shall be sufficient to constitute a quorum to do official business.

Section. 5. Funding. Funds to support LIAC activities may be taken from the following agencies:

- a. Meeting and administrative requirements City of Manila thru Manila Urban Settlements Office (MUSO)
- Social preparation activities DILG, PCUP, NHA, DENR, DPWH, DSHUD and CARITAS Manila
- c. Actual relocation operations DENR, DILG, NHA, DPWH and MMDA for transportation services for esteros and waterways and the City of Manila thru the Department of Engineering and Public Works (DEPW) for rights-of-way

Section 6. Honoraria. In the performance of their duties and responsibilities, the members of LIAC are hereby allowed to receive honorarium in such amount as may be allowed by existing Ordinance/s.

Section 7. All prior inconsistent orders, issuances, or directives are considered repealed or modified accordingly.

Section 8. This Order consists of only three (3) pages and shall take effect immediately upon issuance.

Section 9. A copy of this Executive Order shall be furnished the Office of the President, Malacañang Palace, pursuant to paragraph (b)(xii), Section 455 of the Local Government Code of 1991.

Done this 23RD of __AUGUST ____ 2022, in the City of Manila, Philippines.

MARIA SHEILAH "HONEY" H. LACUNA-PANGAN MD, FPDS

Mayor of the City of Manila

ATTESTED BY:

ATTY. MARLON M. LACSON Secretary to the Mayor

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