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City of Manila

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13TH CITY COUNCIL

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the twenty-first day of September, Two Thousand Twenty-Six

ORDINANCE NO. 9220

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 8 OF ORDINANCE NO. 9196, ENTITLED: "AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A CITYWIDE MENTAL HEALTH AND SUICIDE PREVENTION PROGRAM IN THE CITY OF MANILA, INSTITUTIONALIZING COMMUNITY-BASED INTERVENTIONS AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR"

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

To give credence to the legal opinion rendered by the Office of the City Legal Officer relative to the legal infirmity of Section 8 of Ordinance No. 9196, entitled: ***"Funding", which provides:***

"SEC. 8. Funding. - An initial amount of Three Million Pesos (PhP3,000,000.00) is hereby appropriated from the Manila Health Department's budget or supplemental funds. Succeeding appropriations shall be included in the City's annual budget".

The foregoing provision was the subject of the line veto exercised by the Office of the Mayor.

The principal author is constrained to introduce this amendment to preserve the purpose and intent of the Ordinance and to directly address the legal concerns raised by the Executives, thereby, preventing any potential overreach in the exercise of legislative authority.

The harmonizing role of the Executive and the City Council are essential to effective governance and to ensuring the proper, lawful and efficient enactment and implementation of local.


KUYA RYAN B. PONCE
Councilor, Fourth District
Manila

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Be it ordained by the City Council of Manila, in session assembled, *THAT*:

SECTION 1. Section 8 of Ordinance No. 9196 is hereby amended and shall now read as follows:

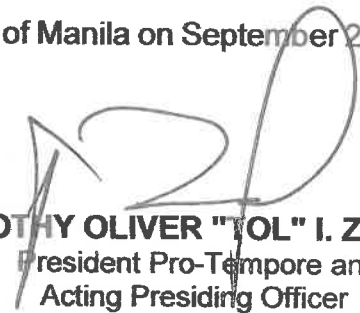
“SEC. 8. Funding. – The initial funding of Three Million Pesos (PhP3,000,000.00) shall be charged against the available appropriations of the Manila Health Department (MHD), subject to existing budgeting, accounting and auditing laws, rules and regulations. In the event that available appropriations are insufficient, a supplemental budget may be enacted through an ordinance. Thereafter, such amounts as may be necessary for the continued implementation of this Ordinance shall be proposed for inclusion in the annual Executive Budget of the City of Manila and may be appropriated through the City’s Annual Appropriations Ordinance”.

SEC. 2. Repealing Clause. – All other local laws, decrees, orders, issuances, rules, and regulations which are inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed, amended, or modified accordingly.

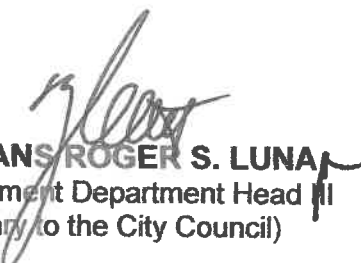
SEC. 3. Effectivity Clause. – This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval.

This Ordinance was enacted by the City Council of Manila on September 21, 2026.

PRESIDED BY:


TIMOTHY OLIVER "TOL" I. ZARCAS
President Pro-Tempore and
Acting Presiding Officer
City Council, Manila

ATTESTED:


ATTY. HANS ROGER S. LUNA
City Government Department Head III
(Secretary to the City Council)

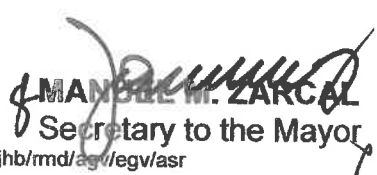
APPROVED BY HIS HONOR, THE MAYOR, ON

OCT 06 2026


FRANCISCO "ISKO MORENO" M. DOMAGOSO

Mayor
City of Manila

ATTESTED:


MAMBEL M. ZARCAS
Secretary to the Mayor
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