



Damahalaang Bayan ng Baliwag

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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 17

AN ORDER TO INCLUDE THE LIVESTOCK INSPECTION AND VETERINARY SERVICES IN THE FUNCTIONS OF THE MUNICIPAL AGRICULTURE OFFICE

WHEREAS, Section 482 of the Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the "Local Government Code of 1991", states the qualifications, powers and duties of an Agriculturist.

WHEREAS, the position of the agriculturist is optional for municipal governments.

WHEREAS, the agriculturist shall take charge of the office for agricultural services,

WHEREAS, Section 489 states the qualifications, powers and duties of a Veterinarian and the appointment is mandatory for the provincial and city governments.

WHEREAS, the veterinarian shall advise the mayor, as the case may be, on all matters pertaining to the slaughter of animals for human consumption and the regulation of slaughterhouses; Regulate the keeping of domestic animals; Take the necessary measures to eradicate, prevent or cure all forms of animal diseases; Be in the frontline of veterinary related activities, such as in the outbreak of highly-contagious and deadly diseases, and in situations resulting in the depletion of animals for work and human consumption, particularly those arising from and in the aftermath of man-made and natural calamities and disasters;

WHEREAS, the Municipal Government of Baliwag has a Municipal Agriculture Office and a Veterinarian I position is under the same office. There is also an Agricultural Services Office that is separate from the Municipal Agriculture Office with a Livestock Inspector position.

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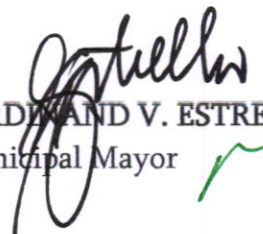
NOW, THEREFORE, I, FERDINAND V. ESTRELLA, Municipal Mayor, Municipality of Baliwag, Bulacan, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order:

Section 1. That the functions of Municipal Agriculture Office shall include the livestock inspection and veterinary services.

Section 2. Repealing Clause. All previous executive orders and issuances which are inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

Section 3. Effectivity. This order shall take effect immediately.

Done this 19th day of August, 2016 at the Municipality of Baliwag, Bulacan, Philippines.


FERDINAND V. ESTRELLA
Municipal Mayor

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