



Pamahalaang Bayan ng Baliwag
TANGGAPAN NG PUNONG BAYAN
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EXECUTIVE ORDER 18 s. 2016

ESTABLISHING THE BALIWAG NUTRITION COMMITTEE (BNC)

WHEREAS, the latest quarterly survey on hunger conducted by the Social Weather Stations reported that about 3.4 million households suffer from involuntary hunger;

WHEREAS, Presidential Decree No. 491, s. 1974 declared, as a matter of policy, that nutrition concerns is a priority of the government to be implemented by all branches of the government in an integrated fashion;

WHEREAS, Presidential Decree 1569 signed in 1978 recognizes the important role of Municipal Nutrition Committees chaired by Municipal Mayors in implementing national projects geared towards addressing malnutrition especially in the countryside;

WHEREAS, Executive Order 472 s. 2005 ordered the National Nutrition Committee to ensure a client-based operations and to undertake necessary steps to prioritize addressing hunger and malnutrition;

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

SECTION 1. Title.— This Executive Order shall be known as the charter of Baliwag Nutrition Committee.

SEC. 2. Declaration of Policy.— The Municipality of Baliwag, Bulacan declares that nutrition is a priority concern of the local government to be integrally implemented by all its units.

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SEC. 3. Establishment of Baliwag Nutrition Committee.— There is hereby created an agency under the Office of the Mayor, the Baliwag Nutrition Committee, hereinafter referred to as the Committee, to be composed of the following officials:

Chair : Municipal Mayor
Vice Chair : Municipal Vice Mayor

Members :

Department of Education Baliwag, Bulacan Supervisors
Sangguniang Bayan Committee on Health and Nutrition Chair
The Municipal Agriculturist
The Municipal Health Officer
The Municipal Social Welfare and Development Officer
The Municipal Community Affairs Officer
The Municipal Local Government Operations Officer
The Municipal Nutrition Action Officer
The Municipal Budget Officer
The Municipal Population Officer
The ABC President

Three (3) other representatives from the private sector and accredited civil society organizations to be appointed by the Mayor.

In the event that any member cannot attend Committee meetings, they shall be represented by a person next in rank.

SEC. 4. Functions and Powers.— The BNC shall have the following functions and powers:

(a) To formulate an integrated municipal programs on nutrition.

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