LALAWIGAN NG BULACAN
Pamahalaang Bayan ng Baliwag
TANGGAPAN NG PUNONGBAYAN
EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 002 s. 2018

AN ORDER CREATING THE BAYANIHAN GULAYAN SA BALIWAG - TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP

WHEREAS, the 1987 Constitution mandates as a policy of the state, the protection and advancement of the right of the people to a balanced and healthful ecology in accordance with the rhythm and harmony of nature;

WHEREAS, Executive Order No. 26 s. 2011 declares that the implementation of a National Greening Program is a priority of the government to pursue sustainable development for poverty reduction, food security, biodiversity conservation, and climate change mitigation and adaption;

WHEREAS, the Municipal Government of Baliwag pushes for the institutionalization of urban agriculture and farming to address food security and nutritional concerns while regenerating the functions of ecosystem;

WHERE, in pursuit of these goals and objectives, there is a need to create a working group that will steer the urban gardening project of the Municipality to promote urban farming as a sustainable agriculture means.

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. Creation of BayAnIhan Gulayan sa Baliwag – Technical Working Group. There is hereby created a Technical Working Group tasked to steer the urban gardening project of Baliwag, herein referred to as the BayANIhan Gulayan sa Baliwag – Technical Working Group or BGB – TWG.

SECTION 2. Composition. The BGB – TWG shall be composed of the following:

Chairperson : CARLITO G. DELA CRUZ
Co-Chairpersons : JONNAH NUBLA-ESTRELLA
                    WILLIAM C. ORTEGA
                    DR. ARCELI RALLETA

Serbisyon May Malasakit
Members

ELIZABETH SJ. AGTARAP
Barangay Captain, Brgy. Bagong Nayon

ROSITA S. GARCIA
Barangay Captain, Brgy. Barangca

CECILIA T. TOLENTINO
Barangay Captain, Brgy. Calantipay

ROSALINA D. CLEMENTE
Barangay Captain, Brgy. Makinabang

SPOUSES OF BARANGAY CAPTAINS

HEAD OR AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE
Municipal Agriculture Office

HEAD OR AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE
Municipal Nutrition Office

HEAD OR AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE
Human Resource Management Office

HEAD OR AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE
Municipal Assessor’s Office

HEAD OR AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE
Municipal Environment and Natural Resources Office

HEAD OR AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE
Baliwag Polytechnic College

HEAD OR AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE
Office of the Senior Citizens Affairs

PRESIDENT OR AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE
Barangay Health Workers

PRESIDENT OR AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE
Lingkod Lingap sa Nayon

PRESIDENT OR AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE
Early Childhood Care and Development Council

PRESIDENT OR AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE
Tricycle Owners and Drivers Association Federation
SECTION 3. **Powers and Functions.** The BGB - TWG shall:

a. Raise awareness on the health, economic and ecological benefits of urban farming;

b. Integrate urban farming as a sustainable means of agricultural development in Baliwag;

c. Develop and implement programs, projects, and activities involving the Municipal employees, sectoral groups, civil society organizations, religious and church groups, barangay government and volunteers, homeowners’ association, private and public schools, transportation federations to promote vegetable farming as a method to combat malnutrition;

d. Prepare minutes and resolutions of the BGB - TWG;

e. Prepare progress reports and evaluation of the projects of the TWG;

f. Other necessary tasks as needed or as directed by the Local Chief Executive.

SECTION 4. **Technical, Administrative and Secretariat Support.** For the effective discharge of its responsibilities, the TWG may call on the assistance of each member’s respective department, sector or other concerned local government, private, and non-government agencies. Administrative and secretariat support to the TWG shall be provided by the Municipal Agriculture Office, which shall coordinate the activities of the TWG.

SECTION 5. **Repealing Clause.** All previous executive orders and issuances which are inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

SECTION 6. Effectivity. This order shall take effect immediately.

Signed in the Municipality of Baliwag, Bulacan this 15th day of February, 2018.

FERDINAND V. ESTRELLA
Municipal Mayor

By the Mayor:

ENRIQUE V. TAGLE
Municipal Administrator