



Republic of the Philippines
OFFICE OF THE CITY MAYOR
City of Davao

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 11
Series of 2023

**AN ORDER AMENDING EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 71, SERIES OF 2021,
MODIFYING THE COMPOSITION AND DUTIES OF THE JOINT TASK FORCE
AND CREATING A TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP TO GUIDE, REGULATE, AND
MONITOR BUSINESS DEVELOPMENTS, LAND USE AND BOUNDARY
CONFLICTS IN PAQUIBATO DISTRICT**

WHEREAS, under Section 22, Article II of the 1987 Philippine Constitution, it is the policy of the State to recognize and promote the rights of indigenous cultural communities within the framework of national unity and development;

WHEREAS, Section 2 (e) of Republic Act No. 8371, also known as "The Indigenous Peoples Rights Act of 1997", provides that the State shall take measures, with the participation of the Indigenous Cultural Communities/Indigenous Peoples (ICCs/IPs) concerned, to protect their rights and guarantee respect for their cultural integrity, and to ensure that members of the ICCs/IPs benefit on an equal footing from the rights and opportunities which national laws and regulations grant to other members of the population;

WHEREAS, Section 18 of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the "Local Government Code of 1991", authorizes the local government units to establish an organization that shall be responsible for the efficient and effective implementation of their development plans, programs, objectives, and priorities;

WHEREAS, Section 455 (b)(1)(xvi) of the same Code authorizes the City Mayor to call upon any national official or employee stationed in or assigned to the city to advise him on matters affecting the city and to make recommendations thereon, and coordinate with said official or employee in the formulation and implementation of plans, programs, and projects in the city;

WHEREAS, Joint Department of Agrarian Reform - Department of Environment and Natural Resources - Land Registration Authority - National Commission on Indigenous Peoples (DAR-DENR-LRA-NCIP) Administrative Order No. 01-12 defines the guidelines to address issues of overlapping jurisdiction, operational issues, and conflicting claims by and among concerned agencies, relative to the coverage of lands and/or processing of land titles embracing lands or areas which are contentious or potentially contentious;

WHEREAS, by virtue of Davao City Executive Order No. 71, Series of 2021, a Joint Task Force was created to guide, regulate, and monitor businesses and other developments, land use, and boundary conflicts in Paquibato District, including other areas within the city which are under Certificate of Ancestral Domain Title (CADT), as well as other areas classified as forests or critical watershed zones;

WHEREAS, in order to more effectively carry out its mandate, there is a need to modify the composition of the members of the Joint Task Force for Paquibato District and its duties;

WHEREAS, there is a need to create a Technical Working Group (TWG) for the said Joint Task Force to inspect and evaluate the scale of unregulated developments and all other concerns adversely affecting the natural character of Paquibato District.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, SEBASTIAN Z. DUTERTE, Mayor of the City of Davao, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order the following:

SECTION 1. COMPOSITION OF THE JOINT TASK FORCE FOR PAQUIBATO DISTRICT. The Joint Task Force for Paquibato District shall now be composed of the following persons and/or following offices, *to wit*:

Chairperson : City Mayor
Co-Chairperson : Peace 911

Regular Members (Heads of the following offices or their duly authorized representatives) :

1. Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) XI
2. Department of Tourism (DoT) XI
3. National Commission on Indigenous Peoples (NCIP) – Davao City
4. City Legal Office (CLO)
5. City Planning and Development Office (CPDO)
6. Permits and Licensing Division, City Mayor's Office
7. Liga ng mga Barangay
8. Indigenous Political Structure (IPS) of the Ata Tribe
9. Public Safety and Security Office (PSSO)
10. City Tourism Operations Office (CTOO)
11. Barangay Cultural Communities and Affairs Division (BCCAD)

SECTION 2. CREATION AND COMPOSITION OF THE TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP. The Technical Working Group (TWG) of the Joint Task Force for Paquibato District shall be composed of the following:

1. National Commission for Indigenous Peoples (NCIP) – Davao City
2. Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) XI
3. City Environment and Natural Resources Office (CENRO) XI
4. Department of Tourism (DOT) XI
5. Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG) Davao City
6. Land Registration Authority (LRA) XI
7. Department of Agriculture (DA) XI
8. Department of Agrarian Reform (DAR) Davao City Provincial Office
9. City Planning and Development Office (CPDO)
10. Peace 911
11. City Engineer's Office (CEO)
12. Office of the City Building Official (OCBO)
13. All Punong Barangays of Paquibato District
14. Tribal Leaders in Paquibato District
15. Ancestral Domain Management Office (ADMO) in Paquibato District

16. Davao City Police Office (DCPO)

17. 1003rd Infantry Brigade, Armed Forces of the Philippines (AFP)

SECTION 3. SECRETARIAT. The City Planning and Development Office (CPDO) is hereby directed to serve as the Secretariat of the Joint Task Force for Paquibato District and the TWG, and shall be tasked to handle all administrative and secretarial functions.

SECTION 4. SUPPORT. All offices under the City Government of Davao, National Government Agencies, and concerned organizations, which will be tapped by the Joint Task Force for Paquibato District and its TWG are hereby directed to provide their full and active support and their utmost cooperation to the TWG and the Joint Task Force for Paquibato District.

SECTION 5. DUTIES AND FUNCTIONS. The Joint Task Force for Paquibato District shall have the following functions:

1. Inspect and monitor all activities conducted in Paquibato District relative to the compliance and non-compliance of the provisions of law, ordinances, pertinent rules, and regulations;
2. Assess and validate the following concerns:
 - a) Unregulated commercial establishments and activities in restricted areas;
 - b) Overlapping land uses and tenurial instruments; and
 - c) Boundary conflicts.
3. Make appropriate recommendation to the City Mayor and/or the Sangguniang Panlungsod for the preservation and protection of Paquibato District and its residents;
4. Solicit assistance and cooperation of concerned local and national government agencies, non-government organizations, and other private entities and individuals to ensure efficiency in the discharge of its functions;
5. Conduct regular quarterly meetings or at any time as directed by the Chairperson.
6. Submit a quarterly progress report to the Office of the City Mayor; and
7. Perform such other functions as the City Mayor may order from time to time.

The TWG shall perform the following functions, to wit:

1. All Punong Barangays of Paquibato District, Tribal Leaders, ADMO, OCBO, and other concerned offices shall conduct regular inspection and monitoring of all activities conducted in Paquibato District related to unregulated businesses and other developments, land use, and boundary conflicts, among others;
2. The OCBO, Permits and Licensing Division of the City Mayor's Office, and other concerned offices shall inspect the compliance of business establishments in the tax mapping documents, specifically its corresponding building and business permits;
3. Provide recommendations to the Joint Task Force for Paquibato District, in order to explore and adopt win-win solutions, and further preserve and protect the area and the Indigenous Peoples community;
4. Conduct regular meetings quarterly or anytime as may be directed by the designated chairperson;
5. Submit a quarterly progress report to the Joint Task Force for information and appropriate action; and
6. Perform such other functions as may be required or necessary.

SECTION 6. FUNDING/OPERATING COSTS. All costs pertaining to the operation of the Joint Task Force shall be charged to available funds of the City Government subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

SECTION 7. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. If any provision of this Executive Order is declared invalid or unconstitutional, the other provisions not affected thereby shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 8. REPEALING CLAUSE. All other Orders or parts thereof which are inconsistent with the provisions of this Executive Order are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

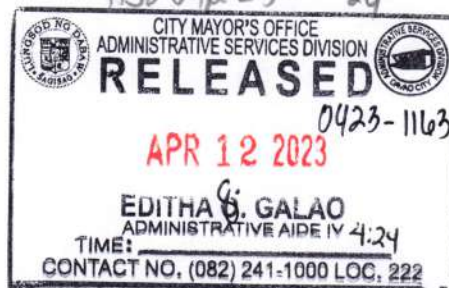
SECTION 9. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE. This Executive Order shall take effect immediately.

Done this APR 12 2023 in the City of Davao, Philippines.


SEBASTIAN Z. DUTERTE
City Mayor

Attested by:


ATTY. FRANCIS MARK H. LAYOG
Acting City Administrator



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