

REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES OFFICE OF THE CITY MAYOR CITY OF DAVAO

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 18

Series of 2023

AN ORDER CREATING THE TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP FOR THE JAPAN INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION AGENCY (JICA)-ASSISTED PROJECTS IN DAVAO CITY

WHEREAS, Section 2, paragraph (c) of Republic Act No. 7160 otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991 explicitly provides that it is "the policy of the State that all national agencies and offices are required to conduct periodic consultations with appropriate local government units, non-governmental and people's organizations, and other concerned sectors of the community before any project or program is implemented in their respective jurisdictions";

WHEREAS, in consonance to the City's rapid growth and development, the City Government of Davao ("City Gov't" for brevity) forged a partnership with the Japan International Cooperation Agency ("JICA" for brevity) for the sustainable infrastructure development of the City;

WHEREAS, JICA has conducted various feasibility studies that will help in identifying projects that will improve the urban condition of the City and has assisted in the implementation of these projects;

WHEREAS, there is a need to create a technical working group to oversee and monitor the JICA-assisted projects to ensure their efficient implementation.

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. CREATION AND COMPOSITION. There is hereby created a Technical Working Group on JICA-Assisted Projects in Davao City which shall be composed of the following, to wit:

Chairperson

City Mayor

Co-Chairperson

City Administrator

Regular Members

- Japan International Cooperation Agency
- Chairperson, Sangguniang Panlungsod Committee on Finance, Ways and Means, and Appropriations
- Chairperson, Sangguniang Panlungsod Committee on International Relations
- City Planning and Development Office
- City Legal Office
- City Engineer's Office
- City Agriculturist's Office
- City Disaster Risk Reduction Management Office
- City Environment and Natural Resources Office

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- Barangay and Cultural Communities Affairs Division
- Office of Civil Defense XI
- National Economic and Development Authority XI
- Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH)
- The two (2) District Engineering Offices of the Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH), Davao City
- DPWH, Roads Management Cluster 1 (Bilateral) -Unified Project Management Office
- DPWH, Unified Project Management Office Flood Control Management Cluster

All members of the JICA-TWG are hereby directed to name their respective alternate and permanent representatives who shall take their place in case of their absence.

SECTION 2. FUNCTIONS. The JICA-TWG is primarily tasked to properly coordinate and monitor the implementation of all JICA-Assisted projects in Davao City. It shall conduct at least one (1) meeting every month.

SECTION 3. SECRETARIAT. The Project Monitoring Committee of the City shall act as the Secretariat of the said Technical Working Group.

SECTION 4. **FUNDING.** The budgetary requirements shall be chargeable against the appropriation of the City Mayor's Office. Incidental expenses in its operations thereof, may however be charged from any available funds of the City subject to the usual accounting procedures as deemed legal.

SECTION 5. **SEPARABILITY CLAUSE.** If any part or provision of this Executive Order shall be declared invalid, the other portions or provisions hereof which are not affected thereby, shall continue in full force and effect.

SECTION 6. **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 **EFFECTIVITY. This Executive Order shall take effect immediately and shall remain effective unless sooner revoked or modified.

Done this

JUL 1 9 2023 ___ in the City of Davao, Philippines.

Attested by:

ATTY. FRANCIS MARK H. LAYOG

Acting City Administrator

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