



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

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 20
Series of 2023

**AN ORDER CONSTITUTING THE CITY INTER-AGENCY MONITORING TEAM
(CIMT) ON THE FUNCTIONALITY OF BARANGAY VAW DESKS**

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 9710, otherwise known as the Magna Carta of Women (MCW) mandates the establishment of a Violence Against Women (VAW) Desk in every barangay as specified under Section 9(D) of the law and Section 12(D), Rule IV of its Implementing Rules and Regulations;

WHEREAS, the Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG), Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD), Department of Health (DOH), Department of Education (DepEd), and Philippine Commission on Women (PCW) issued Joint Memorandum Circular No. 2010-02 dated December 9, 2010 entitled, "Guidelines in the Establishment of a Violence Against Women (VAW) Desk in Every Barangay" providing for the guidelines and procedures in the establishment of a VAW Desk in every barangay to ensure that all forms of violence against women cases are fully addressed in a gender-responsive manner;

WHEREAS, the DILG issued Memorandum Circular No. 2017-114 dated August 30, 2017 entitled, "Guidelines in Monitoring the Functionality of Violence Against Women (VAW) Desk in Every Barangay" as a tool to monitor the functionality of Barangay VAW Desks;

WHEREAS, to carry out the task of determining the functionality of Barangay VAW Desks, there is a need to create a City Inter-Agency Monitoring Team on the Functionality of Barangay VAW Desks.

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. The City Inter-Agency Monitoring Team (CIMT) on the Functionality of Barangay VAW Desks shall be composed of the following:

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| Chairperson | : | City Director, DILG |
| Co-Chairperson | : | City Social Welfare and Development Officer |
| Members | : | <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ City PNP, Women and Children Protection Desk▪ City Health Officer▪ Head, Integrated Gender and Development Division (IGDD)▪ One (1) representative from each of the three (3) different LGU-accredited/recognized civil society organizations for women |

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SECTION 2. DUTIES AND FUNCTIONS. The City Inter-Agency Monitoring Team (CIMT) shall undertake the following functions.

- Evaluate the Barangay VAW Desk based on the documents submitted using VAW Desk Form 1;
- Conduct site inspections and meet with concerned barangay officials for feedbacking on the strengths or weaknesses of the VAW Desk;
- Discuss with the concerned Local Chief Executive on the outcome of the evaluation;
- Come up with recommended actions; and
- Submit reports in soft and hard copies to the DILG Regional Office not later than April 15 of every year.

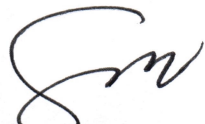
SECTION 3. FUNDING. All costs pertaining to the operation of the CIMT shall be charged to the allocation for Gender and Development (GAD) Fund under Lump Sum Appropriations, subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

SECTION 4. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. If any provision of this Executive Order is declared invalid or unconstitutional, the other provisions not affected thereby shall remain valid and subsisting.

SECTION 5. REPEALING CLAUSE. All other orders or parts thereof which are inconsistent with the provisions of the Executive Order are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

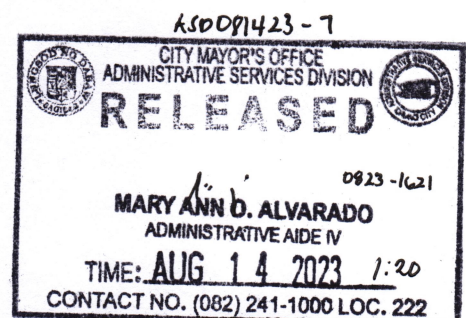
SECTION 6. EFFECTIVITY. This Executive Order shall take effect immediately.

Done this AUG 14 2023 in Davao City, Philippines.


SEBASTIAN Z. DUTERTE
City Mayor

Attested by:


ATTY. FRANCIS MARK H. LAYOG
Acting City Administrator



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