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**OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN**

*EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF THE PROVINCE OF NEGROS OCCIDENTAL HELD IN THE CITY OF BACOLOD ON THE 15<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF JULY 2025*

**PRESENT:**

Hon. Jose Benito A. Alonso  
Hon. Laurence Marxlen J. Dela Cruz  
Hon. Araceli T. Somosa  
Hon. Sixto Teofilo Roxas V. Guanzon, Jr.  
Hon. Arthur Christopher D. Marañon  
Hon. Hope Marey B. Depasucat  
Hon. Andrew Gerard L. Montelibano  
Hon. Patricia Paula M. Alonso-Valderrama  
Hon. Nicholas M. Yulo  
Hon. Rita Angela S. Gatuslao  
Hon. Hadji P. Trojillo  
Hon. Genaro G. Alvarez, IV  
Hon. Jeffrey T. Tubola  
Hon. Julius Martin D. Asistio  
Hon. Richard Julius L. Sablan  
Hon. Mayvelyn L. Madrid

**Vice-Governor/Presiding Officer**

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**RESOLUTION NO. 0718**  
**Series of 2025**

***RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR THRU THE PROVINCIAL HEALTH OFFICE TO FURTHER STRENGTHEN AND INTENSIFY THE PREVENTION AND CONTROL MEASURES AGAINST HAND, FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE (HFMD) AMONG CHILDREN IN THE PROVINCE OF NEGROS OCCIDENTAL***

***WHEREAS***, 828 Hand, Foot and Mouth Disease (HFMD) cases were reported for the period of January to early July 2025 – an increase of 346.44% over the 239 cases reported during the same period in 2024;

***WHEREAS***, HFMD is a contagious viral illness caused by enteroviruses, commonly affecting infants and children, which can spread rapidly in childcare settings, schools and communities;

***WHEREAS***, while there are measures in place to control and prevent the spread of the disease, there is a need to intensify and strengthen further, the efforts for its monitoring, prevention programs, training, and emergency response activities;

***NOW THEREFORE***, on motion of Hon. Hope Marey B. Depasucat, unanimously seconded by all the members present,

***THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN RESOLVED***, as it hereby resolves, to request the Office of the Governor thru the Provincial Health Office and other attached agencies to



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strengthen the prevention and control measures against Hands, Foot and Mouth Disease (HFMD) in the Province of Negros Occidental.

**RESOLVED FURTHER**, to furnish copies of this Resolution to the Office of the Governor, Provincial Health Office and other attached agencies.


**ADOPTED UNANIMOUSLY.**

This resolution shall take effect immediately upon approval.

*CERTIFIED CORRECT:*

  
**HON. JOSE BENITO A. ALONSO**  
Vice Governor/Presiding Officer

*ATTESTED:*

  
**ATTY. MARI ANGEL O. ASCALON**  
Provincial Secretary  
