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OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF NEGROS OCCIDENTAL HELD IN THE CITY OF BACOLOD, NEGROS OCCIDENTAL ON THE 10TH DAY OF FEBRUARY 2026.

Present:

Hon. Jose Benito A. Alonso	Vice Governor / Presiding Officer
Hon. Araceli T. Somosa	Member - 1 st District
Hon. Laurence Marxlen J. de la Cruz	Member - 1 st District
Hon. Sixto Teofilo Roxas V. Guanzon, Jr.	Member - 2 nd District
Hon. Arthur Christopher D. Marañon	Member - 2 nd District
Hon. Andrew Gerard L. Montelibano	Member - 3 rd District
Hon. Hope Marey B. Depasucat	Member - 3 rd District
Hon. Patricia Paula M. Alonso-Valderrama	Member - 4 th District
Hon. Nicholas M. Yulo	Member - 4 th District
Hon. Rita Angela S. Gatuslao	Member - 5 th District
Hon. Genaro G. Alvarez IV	Member - 6 th District
Hon. Jeffrey T. Tubola	Member - 6 th District
Hon. Richard Julius L. Sablan	Member - ABC
Hon. Mayvelyn L. Madrid	Member - SK

Absent:

Hon. Julius Martin D. Asistio	(O.L.)	Member-PCL
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On Official Business:

Hon. Hadji P. Trojillo	Member - 5 th District
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RESOLUTION NO. 0228
Series of 2026

RESOLUTION APPEALING TO HON. EUGENIO JOSE V. LACSON, GOVERNOR OF THE PROVINCE OF NEGROS OCCIDENTAL, TO CONVENE THE NEGROS OCCIDENTAL PROVINCIAL LOCAL AIDS COUNCIL (NOPLAC), THROUGH DR. ROWEL A. GERZON, EDJOHN A. JAVELLANA, RN, MAN, AND REGALADO C. AGUHAYON, RN, MN, JD, FOR THE PURPOSE OF SETTING GUIDELINES, POLICIES, AND DIRECTIONS INVOLVING THE TWENTY-NINE (29) PARTICIPATING ORGANIZATIONS OR JURIDICAL PERSONS IN ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSIONS.

Authored by:

Hon. Araceli T. Somosa, Hon. Rita Angela S. Gatuslao,
 Hon. Sixto Teofilo Roxas V. Guanzon, Jr., Hon. Patricia Paula Alonso-Valderrama,
 Hon. Genaro G. Alvarez IV, Hon. Mayvelyn L. Madrid

WHEREAS, the newly enacted Ordinance No. 001, series 2026, entitled “An Ordinance Reorganizing the Negros Occidental Provincial Local AIDS Council (NOPLAC) for the Program Implementation, Prevention, and Control of Sexually Transmitted Infection (STI), Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV), and Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS) in accordance with Republic Act No. 11166, Defining its Functions, Appropriating Funds Therefor, and for Other Related Purposes.”

WHEREAS, it is imperative that the Policy-Making Body, as headed by the Governor as Overall Chairman, convene all participating organizations or juridical persons at the earliest possible time to discuss the necessary guidelines, policies, directions, and projects related to the Anti-AIDS Prevention and Control Program;

WHEREAS, under the same Ordinance, the twenty-nine (29) participating units, groups, or juridical persons are mandated to present their respective ideas and concerns in order to arrive at a single, concerted, coordinated, and well-directed approach toward achieving the desired goals within the most appropriate timeframe;



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WHEREAS, the assembly to be called by the Overall Chairman may, in his absence, be decided upon by the Overall Vice-Chairman, who shall exercise authority to convene the conference of the NOPLAC;

WHEREAS, it is likewise imperative that the corresponding budget be discussed and presented for consideration and possible inclusion in the forthcoming budgetary allocation, together with other important matters that may be incorporated into its policy direction for the implementing body, otherwise known as the Implementation and Control Action Plan Unit, which shall be responsible for the execution of programs, projects, and policies.

RESOLVED, AS IT HEREBY RESOLVES, on motion of Hon. Araceli Somosa, duly seconded by Hon. Rita Gatuslao, Hon. Sixto Teofilo Roxas V. Guanzon Jr, Hon. Patricia Paula Alonso-Valderrama, Hon. Genaro G. Alvarez IV, Hon. Mayvelyn L. Madrid, during the regular session of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Negros Occidental to pass and approve this Resolution to wit;

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FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED, that a copy of this Resolution be furnished to all the participating unit in the Province of Negros Occidental including Regional Offices.

FINALLY BE RESOLVED, that the DOH as well as the DILG and Department of Health of Local Government be furnished a copy of this Resolution.

ADOPTED UNANIMOUSLY.

This resolution shall take effect immediately upon approval.

CERTIFIED CORRECT:


HON. JOSE BENITO A. ALONSO
Vice Governor

ATTESTED:


ATTY. MARI ANGEL O. ASCALON
Provincial Secretary