

RDC IX Resolution No. 050 Series of 2021 10 June 2021

ENJOINING THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS TO SUPORT THE IMPLEMENTATION OF *TUTOK KAINAN* SUPPLEMENTATION PROGRAM

- WHEREAS, *Tutok Kainan* Supplementation Program is a program of the National Nutrition Council (NNC) in collaboration with the Inter-Agency Task Force on Zero Hunger which focuses on ensuring good nutrition of a child during the first 1,000 days of life;
- WHEREAS, the program aims to contribute to the prevention of stunting among children 0-23 months old by improving the quality and quantity of food and nutrition intake, and utilization of related Early Childhood Care and Development First 1000 Days services among the nutritionally-at-risk pregnant women and children 6-23 months old;
- WHEREAS, *Tutok Kainan* will provide nutritious food commodities to pregnant women for 90 calendar days, children aged 6 to 23 months old for 180 calendar days, with priority to nutritionally-at-risk pregnant women, especially pregnant teenagers, anemic or with low body mass index, and stunted and wasted 6-23 months old children;
- WHEREAS, NNC will partner with Agrarian Reform Beneficiaries Organizations, Sustainable Livelihood Associations, cooperatives, farmers' organizations or Community Based Organizations under the Enhanced Partnership Program Against Poverty for the supply of food commodities including fresh food items;
- WHEREAS, the following areas are covered under the three phases of the program:

Province/	1 st phase	2 nd phase	3 rd phase
City	(pregnant)	(6-23 months old	(pregnant and
		children)	6-23 months old
			children)
Zamboanga del	25 municipalities	12 municipalities	
Norte	2 cities	2 cities	
Zamboanga del	20 municipalities	14 municipalities	6 municipalities
Sur	1 city	1 city	(for pregnant
			women only)
Zamboanga		1 municipality	15 municipalities
Sibugay			
Zamboanga			33 barangays
City			



- **WHEREAS**, the beneficiary-Local Government Units (LGUs) are requested to provide their counterpart through logistical support, augmentation of food commodities, provision of storage area to ensure food safety, food preparation and delivery;
- WHEREAS, support from LGUs is critical as they are in the frontline of the program implementation;
- WHEREAS, on 11 May 2021, Regional Social Development Committee (RSDC) IX passed Resolution No. 009, series of 2021, entitled "Requesting RDC IX to call for support of Local Government Units to the implementation of *Tutok Kainan* Supplementation Program."
- NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of Mr. Nestor R. Carbonera, Chairperson of Regional Social Development Committee IX, and duly seconded by Ms. Victoria M. Cajandig, Private Sector Representative for the Indigenous Peoples and Ms. Lucila J. Dagwayan, Private Sector Representative for Dapitan City, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, That Regional Development Council IX enjoin local government units to support the implementation of *Tutok Kainan* Supplementation Program.
- **DONE** during the 173rd Regular Meeting of Regional Development Council IX, as reflected in the highlights of the meeting, conducted on 10 June 2021 via videoconference.

Certified Correct:

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