



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES  
**REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL**  
CARAGA REGION

**Resolution No. 38-G, Series of 2023**

**“SUPPORTING THE 49<sup>TH</sup> NATIONAL NUTRITION MONTH CELEBRATION”**

**WHEREAS**, Presidential Decree 491, Series of 1974 or the Nutrition Act of the Philippines, designates the month of July as National Nutrition Month (NNM) and mandates the National Nutrition Council (NNC) to lead and coordinate the annual celebration of the NNM to create greater awareness among Filipinos on the importance of nutrition;

**WHEREAS**, the 49<sup>th</sup> NNM bears the theme, *“Healthy Diet Gawing Affordable for All!”*, calls for strengthened efforts in enabling Filipinos to have greater access to healthy, safe, and affordable food with emphasis on the right to adequate food that is sufficient to satisfy the dietary needs of individuals, and on choosing a healthy diet which helps protect against malnutrition in all its forms and from non-communicable diseases such as diabetes, heart disease, stroke, and cancer;

**WHEREAS**, the support of the regional line agencies (RLAs), local government units (LGUs), academe, media, and the private sector is crucial in attaining the objectives of the 49<sup>th</sup> NNM Celebration and in creating wider dissemination of its advocacies by conducting related activities in coordination with NNC Caraga;

**WHEREAS**, stakeholders in the Region are called upon to engage consumers to support improvements in levels of diet quality towards sustainable healthy diets and participate in actions towards enabling access to affordable sustainable diets;

**WHEREAS**, all stakeholders are also called to support the Philippine Plan of Action for Nutrition 2023-2028 as the framework for action to improve the nutrition of the Country and to contribute to the outcomes and targets of the Philippine Development Plan 2023-2028 and Caraga Regional Development Plan 2023-2028 and ultimately, help achieve AmBisyon Natin 2040;

**WHEREAS**, the RDC-Social Development Committee (SDC) during its Second Quarter meeting on 15 June 2023, passed Resolution No. 29, Series of 2023, *“Endorsing to the Caraga Regional Council the 49<sup>th</sup> National Nutrition Month Celebration”*;

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED**, on motion of Hon. Santiago B. Cane, Jr., Province of Agusan del Sur Governor and duly seconded by Datu Samuel B. Behing, Caraga RDC-DAC Chairperson and PSR for Indigenous Peoples Sector, to support the 49<sup>th</sup> National Nutrition Month Celebration.

**RESOLVED FURTHER**, that copies of this resolution be furnished to the NNC Caraga and all provincial, city, and municipal local government units (LGUs), for consideration and appropriate action.

**DONE**, during the Caraga RDC Full Council Meeting held on 27 June 2023, at the D. O. Plaza Government Center Covered Court, Prosperidad, Agusan del Sur.

Certified Correct:



**GEMIMA A. OLAM**  
Secretary, Caraga RDC and  
Assistant Regional Director, NEDA Caraga

Attested by:



**PRISCILLA R. SONIDO, CESO III**  
Vice Chairperson, Caraga RDC and  
Regional Director, NEDA Caraga

Approved by:



**GOV. NILO P. DEMEREY JR.**  
Chairperson, Caraga RDC and  
Governor, Province of Dinagat Islands