



Republic of the Philippines

REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL-NORTHERN MINDANAO

REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL-X
Executive Committee Resolution No. 9 (s. 2015)

**SUPPORTING THE GUIDELINES ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS
MOBILIZATION FOR NUTRITION IMPROVEMENT IN NORTHERN MINDANAO**

WHEREAS, the Updated Philippine Plan for Action for Nutrition (PPAN), 2011-2016, provides the framework for improving the nutritional status of the Filipinos through various strategies and interventions to address the challenges along hunger, undernutrition, micronutrient deficiencies and obesity and overweight;

WHEREAS, the latest 8th FNRI National Nutrition Survey results revealed an alarming trend of prevalence of nutrition-related health problems particularly in Northern Mindanao as follows:

PREVALENCE	STATUS
1. Wasting	7.0% of children aged 0-5 years old
2. Overweight	4.8% or 5 out of 100 children aged 0-5 years old
	6.7% of children 5-10 years old
	33.9% of adults 20 years and above
	32.2% of lactating mothers
3. Hypertension	21% of adults 20 years and above
4. Diabetes	3.5% of adults 20 years and above

WHEREAS, the Regional Nutrition Committee (RNC-X) takes the lead in formulating strategies and in mobilizing resources to focus on LGUs with lagging nutrition targets and at same time sustain the gains in nutrition for relatively good performing LGUs;

WHEREAS, the guidelines on the mobilization of Local Government Units for the nutrition improvement are being formulated (copy attached);

WHEREAS, the Regional Nutrition Committee during its meeting on June 17, 2015 passed Resolution No. 1 s. 2015, "Adopting the Guidelines on LGU Mobilization for Nutrition Improvement in Northern Mindanao" (copy attached);

WHEREAS, the objectives of the guidelines are the following:

- Assist the LGUs in the effective and efficient implementation of local nutrition plans and program through an "LGU mentoring" strategy;
- Mobilize performing LGUs on nutrition as mentors and catalyst for improved nutrition program management;
- Provide a mechanism for sharing good practices on nutrition and a platform for replication of such good practices;


- Strengthen the monitoring of nutrition performance of LGUs; and,
- Facilitate the dissemination of updated nutrition information and technologies, as well as, resolution on nutrition issues and concerns;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, on motion duly seconded and upon recommendation of the SDC-X during its meeting on November 12, 2015, to enjoin all concerned stakeholders and the LGUs to support the Guidelines on the Mobilization of Local Government Units for Nutrition Improvement in Northern Mindanao;

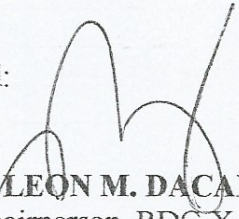
RESOLVED FINALLY, that copies of this resolution be furnished to the central and Region X offices of the National Nutrition Council, the Department of Health, Region X and the RDC-X members particularly the provincial/city and municipal Local Government Units for appropriate action and support.

Approved, 16 November 2015
 105th RDC-X Executive Committee Meeting
 NEDA/RDC-X Main Conference Room
 Capistrano-Echem Streets, Cagayan de Oro City


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