



Sangguniang Panlalawigan

BATAAN CAPITOL, BALANGA CITY



EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 54TH REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF BATAAN ON AUGUST 14, 2023 HELD AT THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN SESSION HALL, SAMAL, BATAAN

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PROVINCIAL ORDINANCE NO. 14 SERIES OF 2023

ORDINANCE CREATING THE BATAAN SPORTS COUNCIL, DEFINING THE FUNCTIONS THEREOF, AND PROVIDING FOR THE SOURCE OF FUNDING THEREFOR.

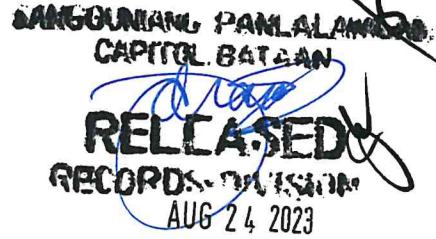
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WHEREAS, in, around, with and through sports, sustainable development and better quality of life can be achieved in communities, particularly in the Province of Bataan;

WHEREAS, Section 16 of the Local Government Code of 1991 (LGC) states that "(e)very local government unit shall exercise the powers expressly granted, those necessarily implied therefrom, as well as powers necessary, appropriate, or incidental for its efficient and effective governance and those which are essential to the promotion of the general welfare. Within their respective



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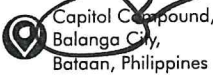
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- of healthy alternatives;
- i. Encourage the organization of competitive and purely recreational sports events;
- j. Pursue public-private partnerships for sports programs and projects; and
- k. Convince other local governments to embark on a mission to increase its healthy and active residents through joint sporting events.

Section 3. Sports Defined. - As used in this Ordinance, "sports" is defined as "an activity involving physical exertion and skill in which an individual or team becomes better, develops, competes against another and/or interacts with others."

Section 4. Creation of The Bataan Sports Council. - There is hereby created the Bataan Sports Council (BSC) which shall act as the coordinator of all sports activities in Province of Bataan. The BSC shall promote the principles and strategies defined in this Ordinance.

Section 5. Composition of The BSC. - The BSC shall be composed of the following:

Chairperson	Governor
Vice Chairperson	Local Sports Coordinator
Members	Sangguniang Panlalawigan Committee Chair on Youth and Sports
	Provincial Health Officer
	Division Schools Superintendent or his/her representative
	A representative from the Provincial Health Promotion Board
	Provincial Youth Development Officer
	A representative from the BPSU Sports and Physical Development Office
	2 Representatives from accredited Civil Society Organizations, preferably sports-related

The specific membership of the BSC shall be named in accordance with the foregoing, and the same shall formally be convened through an Executive Order issued by the Governor.

Section 6. Responsibilities of the BSC. - The BSC shall:

- a. Formulate sports development plans with the roster of sports events and activities of the PGB, which shall include activities and events for all abilities, genders and age groups;
- b. Be the enabler of all sports programs, projects and activities, and primary coordinator and organizer for all sports activity initiatives of the PGB;
- c. Identify the priority sports, whether traditional and alternative, that will be developed by the PGB;
- d. Undertake programs and activities in coordination with the appropriate departments, boards and offices of the PGB and other administrative agencies that would lead to the attainment of the purposes of this Ordinance;


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- e. Prepare and propose budgets for sports and physical activity initiatives of the PGB;
- f. Develop programs to promote safe areas and safe sports by securing fair, respectful and non-discriminatory practices in sports and physical activities;
- g. Suggest and pursue projects that may be undertaken through public-private partnerships to enable the PGB to achieve the purposes of this Ordinance;
- h. Upon its constitution and as may be necessary, the BSC may come up with Rules and Regulations to further ensure the realization of the intention and goals of this Ordinance;
- i. Partner with local and national sports associations for training and sports education opportunities for Bataeños;
- j. Pursue a sports-related education, coaching and learning programs;
- k. Draw up an incentive program/package for athletes residing in Bataan who have excelled in local and international competitions;
- l. Conduct an annual review of the participation of Bataeños in its programs and activities;
- m. Create a database of active residents to serve as benchmark for performance and progress;
- n. Create campaigns to educate Bataeños of the benefits of sports and physical activities, and the risks of a sedentary lifestyle, in coordination with the Bataan Health Promotion Board;
- o. Coordinate with local public and private schools to boost the interest and participation of students in sports;
- p. Boost the interest in sports by inviting athletes and other sports personalities to public events, and to organize activities where these personalities can encourage all residents to take up their sport or any physical activity;
- q. Accredite sports organizations, leagues and clubs, and recommend their registration as Civil Society Organizations;
- r. Draw up benefit programs for and extend assistance to clubs, leagues, non-governmental, community and people's organizations who promote sports-for-all and who integrate physical activity in their programs;
- s. Cause the procurement of sports facilities, supplies and equipment, and the allocation of prizes for local sports competitions, events, in coordination with the relevant departments and offices of the PGB and the national government, and/or in collaboration with the private sector;
- t. Coordinate with relevant offices such that all public spaces where sports and physical activities can take place such as public playgrounds, parks, courts, gyms and similar facilities are kept clean, safe, conducive, and available for public use; and
- u. Perform other relevant functions as may be determined and assigned by the Governor.

Section 7. Sources of Funds. - The annual budget of the BSC shall be approved by the Sanggunian Panlalawigan, based on the determination of the BSC and the recommendation of the Governor. To the extent allowed by law, the same shall be sourced from the Development Fund of the Province.

Programs, projects and activities of the BSC may also be funded by the Special Education Fund, as may be appropriate and allowed, to fund the sports programs and activities under this Ordinance relevant to students and schools.


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Likewise, the same may be funded, as may be appropriate and allowed, from the Gender and Development (GAD) Budget, through the Provincial Health Promotion Board (PHPB).

Pursuant to the functions of the BSC as provided above, projects, programs and activities thereof may be funded by the private sector and other government agencies and offices.

Section 8. Local Sports Coordinator. - The Local Sports Coordinator, which shall be appointed by the Governor on the basis of background and experience, shall be the primary initiator and implementor of the initiatives determined by the BSC.

Section 9. Schools as Healthy Settings. - Pursuant to the Universal Health Care Act, schools are designated as healthy settings, where all members of the school community work together to provide students, teachers, and staff with integrated and positive experiences and structures which promote and protect their health. In connection with the foregoing, sports development plans, programs, projects and activities shall be implemented in schools in close coordination with the Division Schools Office and the PHPB.

Section 10. Separability. - If, for any reason any part or provision of this ordinance shall be held to be unconstitutional or invalid, other parts or provisions hereof which are not affected thereby shall continue to be in full force and effect.

Section 11. Repealing Clause. - All any ordinances, rules and regulations found inconsistent with any provision of this Ordinance are hereby repealed and amended accordingly.

Section 12. Effectivity. - This Ordinance shall take effect after compliance with the relevant provisions of the Local Government Code on posting and publication.

UNANIMOUSLY ENACTED this 14th day of August 2023.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the enactment of the foregoing Ordinance.


ATTY. MARK LORENZ C. QUEZON
Secretary to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan

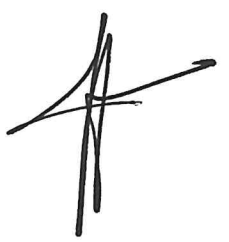

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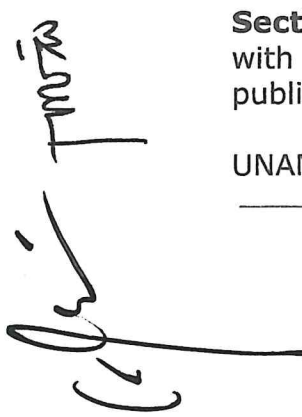

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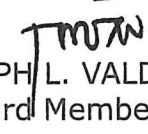

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