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CITY RESOLUTION NO. 2024-550
Series of 2024

A RESOLUTION DIRECTING VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS UNDER THE OFFICE OF THE CITY MAYOR TO: (1) BE ON HEIGHTENED ALERT AND CAUSE THE DAILY TESTING/MONITORING OF THE MUNICIPAL WATERS OF THE CITY OF BACOOR, CAVITE AND OF ALL SEAFOOD SOURCED FROM THE PROVINCES OF BATAAN AND CAVITE FOR THE PRESENCE OF PETROCHEMICALS AND OTHER HARMFUL CHEMICALS SUCH AS LEAD AND MERCURY AS A CONSEQUENCE OF THE OIL SPILL CAUSED BY THE SINKING OF THE M/T TERRANOVA ON 25 JULY 2024 OFF THE COAST OF BATAAN, (2) BEGIN MAKING PLANS ON HOW TO MITIGATE THE IMPACT OF A POSSIBLE BAN ON THE SALE OF SEAFOOD AND OTHER AQUAMARINE PRODUCTS ON THE LIVELIHOOD OF FISHERFOLK RESIDING WITHIN THE CITY, (3) ACTIVATE CHECKPOINTS TO PREVENT THE ENTRY OF SEAFOOD LACED WITH PETROCHEMICALS INTO THE CITY, (4) ENFORCE A TEMPORARY BAN ON THE USE OF BACOOR BAY FOR SWIMMING AND OTHER RECREATIONAL PURPOSES, AND (5) AUTHORIZING THE USE OF ONE MILLION PESOS (PHP1,000,000.00) FROM THE QUICK RESPONSE FUND (QRF) OF THE CITY DISASTER RISK REDUCTION MANAGEMENT FUND (CDRRMF) FOR THE CONDUCT OF DISASTER PREVENTION, MITIGATION, AND RELIEF OPERATIONS/ACTIVITIES FOR THE BENEFIT OF BACOOREÑOS WHO MIGHT BE AFFECTED BY THE BATAAN OIL SPILL.

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WHEREAS, on 25 July 2024, the M/T Terra Nova capsized and sank off the coast of Limay, Bataan while it was carrying 1.4 million liters of industrial fuel oil during the onslaught of typhoon Carina.

WHEREAS, the sinking of the said vessel resulted in the spillage of a still undetermined amount of the industrial fuel oil it was carrying in the waters of Bataan province.

WHEREAS, in the morning of 31 July 2024, Governor Juanito Victor Remulla of the Province of Cavite announced on social media and other media outlets that a state of calamity has been declared over eight local governments in the province including the City of Bacoor.

WHEREAS, Provincial Board Resolution No. 3228-2024 was approved by the Sangguniang Panlalawigan of Cavite in the morning of 31 July 2024 and declared a state of calamity in coastal areas of the Cities of Bacoor and Cavite and the Municipalities of Kawit, Noveleta, Rosario, Tanza, Naic, Maragondon, and Ternate. The said resolution also authorized the Governor Remulla to utilize Php 15,000,000.00 from the Quick Response Fund (QRF) of the Provincial Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Fund (PDRRMF).

WHEREAS, immediately after learning of the said announcement from Gov. Remulla, Acting City Mayor Rowena Bautista-Mendiola requested the Sangguniang Panlungsod to hold an emergency special session at 3:30 p.m. of the same day.

WHEREAS, during the said special session, several department heads under the Office of the City Mayor were summoned by the City Council and it was determined that though there are yet no concrete evidence that the said oil spill has already reached the municipal waters of the City of Bacoor, there is no guarantee that such an occurrence will not happen.

WHEREAS, it was also discovered during the said session that there are scores of fisherfolk and market vendors residing in



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the City of Bacoor whose livelihood depends upon the sale of the bounties of the sea and will be negatively impacted in case a ban on the sale of fish, oysters, mussels, and other aquamarine products in the City of Bacoor is ordered.

WHEREAS, it was also recommended by the resource persons invited by the City Council that checkpoints be set-up to prevent the entry of seafood laced with petrochemicals into the City.

WHEREAS, the City Disaster Risk Reduction Management Council passed Resolution No. 7, Series of 2024, recommending the utilization of One Million Pesos (Php 1,000,000.00) from the Quick Response Fund (QRF) of the City Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Fund (CDRRMF) by the City Mayor for various disaster prevention, mitigation, recovery and relief operations for the benefit of Bacooreños who might be affected by the aforementioned oil spill.

WHEREAS, Section 16 of Republic Act No. 7160 (the "Local Government Code of 1991") empowered local government to exercise the powers expressly granted to them, 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.

WHEREAS, Section 21 of Republic Act No. 10121 (the "Philippine Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Act of 2010") provides that the QRF shall be utilized for relief and recovery programs in order that situation and living conditions of people in communities or areas stricken by disasters, calamities, epidemics, or complex emergencies, may be normalized as quickly as possible.

NOW THEREFORE, the foregoing premises considered, upon the motion of Hon. Alde F. Pagulayan, unanimously seconded by the rest of the Body, **BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** by the 5th Sangguniang Panlungsod in special session duly assembled to direct various departments under the Office of the City Mayor such as but to limited to the City Health



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Office, City Environmental Services Department, City Agriculture Office, City Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Office, City Social Welfare and Development Department, Office of the City Legal Service to: (1) be on heightened alert and conduct daily testing/monitoring of the municipal waters of the City of Bacoor, Cavite and of all seafood sourced from the Provinces of Bataan and Cavite for the presence of petrochemicals and other harmful chemicals such as lead and mercury as a consequence of the oil spill caused by the sinking of the M/T Terranova on 25 July 2024 off the coast of Bataan, (2) begin making plans on how to mitigate the economic and social impact of a possible ban on the sale of seafood and other aquamarine products on the livelihood of fisherfolk residing within the city, (3) activate checkpoints to prevent the entry of seafood laced with petrochemicals into the city, (4) enforce a temporary ban on the use of Bacoor Bay for swimming and other recreational purposes, and (5) authorizing the use of One Million Pesos (Php 1,000,000.00) from the Quick Response Fund (QRF) of the City Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Fund (CDRRMF) by the City Mayor, Hon. Strike B. Revilla, for the conduct of disaster prevention, mitigation, recovery and relief operations/activities for the benefit of Bacooreños who might be affected by the aforementioned oil spill.

RESOLVED FURTHER, to direct the City Administrator to lead the implementation of this Resolution and to regularly report to the City Mayor and to the Sangguniang Panlungsod on the various matters mentioned above.

RESOLVED LASTLY, to furnish with copies of this Resolution all departments and units under the Office of the City Mayor, the Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources (BFAR), all other governmental agencies concerned, and the University of the Philippines-Office of the National Administrative Register (UP-ONAR).

APPROVED on the 31st day of July 2024 at the City of Bacoor, Cavite by the 5th Sangguniang Panlungsod of the City of Bacoor, Cavite.



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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly approved in accordance with law.

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