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**EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE TENTH (10TH) SPECIAL SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN HELD ON MAY 8, 2020 AT THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN SESSION HALL, NATIONAL HIGHWAY, BRGY. TIMUGAN, LOS BAÑOS, LAGUNA.**

Present : Vice Mayor Antonio L. Kalaw, Presiding Officer  
S.B. Member Josephine S. Evangelista  
S.B. Member Miko C. Pelegrina  
S.B. Member Janos S. Lapid  
S.B. Member Geronimo A. Ciceron  
S.B. Member Marlo PJ A. Alipon  
S.B. Member Mike Dexter A. Concio  
S.B. Member Mark Lester B. Dizon  
S.B. Member Cris Dayril B. Bagnes  
S.B. Member Arlene P. delos Santos, Liga President  
S.B. Member Jozylyn N. Manansala, SK Fed. President  
Secretary Dona T. Alborida  
Ms. Felomina I. Lincallo, LLSO I

Absent : None

Visitors : None

**RESOLUTION NO. 2020-97**

**RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE LOCAL CHIEF EXECUTIVE TO CONDUCT MASS TESTING FOR COVID-19 AMONG ALL ELECTED OFFICIALS AND FRONTLINERS IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF LOS BAÑOS.**

Author : Councilwoman Josephine S. Evangelista,

**WHEREAS**, the President, Honorable Rodrigo Roa Duterte has declared a State of Public Health Emergency throughout the country through Proclamation No. 922 due to the Corona Virus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) on March 8, 2020;

**WHEREAS**, on March 16, 2020, President Duterte has declared a State of Calamity throughout the Philippines due to COVID-19 through Proclamation No. 929;

**WHEREAS**, on the same date, pursuant to Proclamation No. 922 and 929 and Republic Act No. 11332 otherwise known as the "Law on Reporting of Communicable Diseases", a Memorandum from the Executive Secretary by the order of President Duterte was signed to provide guidelines on the imposition of an Enhanced Community Quarantine (ECQ) and the Stringent Social Distancing Measures over the entire Luzon, including the National Capital Region (NCR) from March 17, 2020 until 12 a.m. of April 13, 2020;



**WHEREAS**, on March 17, 2020, the Municipal Corona Virus Inter-Agency Task Force of Los Baños created under Executive Order No. 176 (s. 2020) held an emergency meeting to discuss, adopt, coordinate and implement the guidelines afore-stated with particular objective of providing details to consider local situation and peculiar circumstances existing in the municipality;

**WHEREAS**, On April 7, 2020, President Duterte has formally approved the recommendation of the IATF-MEID for the extension of the implementation of the Enhanced Community Quarantine in the entirety of Luzon until 11:59pm of April 30, 2020. On April 30, 2020, the President issued Executive Order No. 112 imposing an Enhanced Community Quarantine in high-risk geographic areas of the country from 01 to 15 May 2020 wherein Region IV-A CALABARZON was included in those areas;

**WHEREAS**, one of the objectives of the Enhanced Community Quarantine is to limit the movements of the people to avoid further transmission of the virus. Under the guidelines of the ECQ, only essential personnel or our “frontliners” are allowed outside of their residences. Frontliners including all local and barangay elected officials are tasked to face the threats of the pandemic.

**WHEREAS**, in the country, COVID-19 “mass testing” focuses on people with severe illnesses, vulnerable individuals like senior citizens, persons with existing conditions and pregnant women, and health workers who show signs of the virus. The government aims to expand its testing capacity to include those frontliners who have no symptoms;


**WHEREAS**, the Sangguniang Bayan agrees that mass testing among all elected officials and frontliners shall be conducted in the municipality;

**NOW THEREFORE**, on motion of Councilwoman Josephine Sumangil-Evangelista duly seconded by Councilor Miko C. Pelegrina and concurred by all other members present;

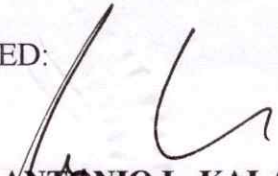
**RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED**, resolution requesting the Local Chief Executive to conduct mass testing for COVID-19 among all elected officials and frontliners in the Municipality of Los Baños

**UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED** : May 8, 2020

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the above-quoted Resolution.

  
**DONA T. ALBORIDA**  
Secretary to the Sangguniang Bayan

CERTIFIED ADOPTED:

  
**HON. ANTONIO L. KALAW**  
Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer