



## **RESOLUTION NO. 2022-027**

A RESOLUTION ENJOINING THE MUNTINLUPA ACCESS AUDIT TEAM TO CONDUCT, UPDATE AND COMPLETE ITS AUDIT OF ALL PUBLIC AND PRIVATE BUILDINGS LOCATED IN THE CITY OF MUNTINLUPA AND UNDERTAKE ALL THE NECESSARY REMEDIAL MEASURES TO ADDRESS ANY DEFICIENCIES DISCOVERED IN COMPLIANCE WITH BP 344, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE "ACCESSIBILITY LAW" ITS IMPLEMENTING RULES AND REGULATIONS AND ALL RELATED LAWS AND ISSUANCES

Sponsored by:

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WHEREAS, Section 1 of Article XIII of the 1987 Constitution ensures that, "Measures must be taken "to protect and enhance the right of all the people to human dignity, reduce social, economic and political inequalities, and remove cultural inequalities by equitably diffusing wealth and political power for the common good";

WHEREAS, Section 13 of Article XIII of the 1987 Constitution provides that, "The State shall establish a special agency for disabled person for their rehabilitation, self-development and self-reliance and their integration into the mainstream of society";

WHEREAS, Batas Pambansa Bilang 344, otherwise known as the "Accessibility Law" was passed in 1982 to enhance the mobility of disabled persons by requiring certain buildings, institutions, establishments and public utilities to install facilities and other devices;

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WHEREAS, Section 25 of Chapter VI of Republic Act 7277, otherwise known as the, "Magna Carta for Disabled Persons", provides that "the State shall ensure the attainment of a barrier-free environment that will enable disabled persons to have access in public and private buildings and establishments and such other places mentioned in Batas Pambansa 344. The national and local governments shall allocate funds for the provision of architectural facilities or structured features for disabled persons in government buildings and facilities";

WHEREAS, City Ordinance 18-67 provides, "for the establishment of the Muntinlupa City Persons With Disability Office (MCPDAO) and a policy to facilitate the integration of Persons With Disability (PWDs) into the mainstream of society, where the local government of Muntinlupa shall advocate for and encourage respect for PWDs. The local government of Muntinlupa City shall exert all efforts to remove all social, cultural, economic, environmental and attitudinal barriers that are prejudicial to PWDs";

WHEREAS, City Ordinance 18-67 also provides for the coordination in the implementation of the provisions of Batas Pambansa 344 and other relevant laws and their implementing rules and regulations, and in which the Access Audit will be the mechanism of such function;

WHEREAS, the *Muntinlupa Access Audit Team (MAAT)* was created by virtue of Executive Order No. 33 Series of 2018, pursuant to City Ordinance No. 18-67, to serve as the enabling mechanism of the Access Audit in pursuing accessibility and adherence to national and local statues implemented in the City of Muntinlupa;

WHEREAS, there was an Access Audit conducted by the *Muntinlupa Access Audit Team* on all Barangay Halls located in the city of Muntinlupa and several/ government buildings from 2018 to 2019. Unfortunately, the sudden onset of the COVID-19 Pandemic stalled any further expansion of scope and action on the Access Audit;

WHEREAS, there is an urgent need to update the aforementioned Accessibility Audit Report, expand the scope of the same to include all government buildings and private buildings located in the city of Muntinlupa to ensure that they are PWD accessible in compliance with Batas Pambansa 344 and its implementing rules and regulations and undertake all the necessary remedial measures to address any deficiencies so as to provide persons with disability more mobility, independence and integration in the mainstream of society;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, by the **10**<sup>th</sup> Sangguniang Panglungsod of Muntinlupa, Metro Manila, to respectfully enjoin the Muntinlupa Access Audit Team to conduct, update and complete its accessibility audit of all government and private buildings located in the city of Muntinlupa and undertake all the necessary remedial measures to address any deficiencies discovered in compliance with BP344, otherwise known as the "accessibility law" its IRR and all related laws and issuances.

ADOPTED, by the 10<sup>th</sup> Sangguniang Panlungsod of Muntinlupa this 15<sup>th</sup> day of August 2022, on its 7<sup>th</sup> Regular Session.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY, as to the correctness of the foregoing Resolution.

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