

Sangguniang Panglungsod

#### **RESOLUTION NO. 03-276**

A RESOLUTION URGING THE CITY HEALTH OFFICE, CITY NUTRITION COUNCIL (CNC), BUSINESS PERMIT AND LICENSING OFFICE (BPLO), PUBLIC ORDER AND SAFETY (FFICE (POSO), DEPARTMENT **EDUCATION** (DEPED), **DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE** OF INTERIOR AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT **DEPARTMENT** (DILG), MUNTINLUPA DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION (MDF), INTERIM MARKET COMMITTEE (IMC), PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICE (PIO), DIFFERENT BARANGAYS AND OTHER LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES, OF THE CITY OF MUNTINLUPA FOR THE FULL IMPLEMENTATION OF RA 8172 OTHERWISE KNOWN AS, AN ACT FOR SALT IODIZATION **EDUCATION NATIONWIDE** (ASIN); **PROVIDING INFORMATION** CAMPAIGN ENSURING THE ENFORCEMENT OF THE SAID LAW WITHIN THE CITY OF MUNTINLUPA.

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WHEREAS, section 15, Article II c the 1987 Philippine Constitution provides that, "The State shall protect and promote the right to health of the people and instill health consciousness among them";

WHEREAS, section 458 (4)(iv) of RA 7160 otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, empowers the Sangguniang Panlungsod to regulate the establishment, operation and maintenance of cafes, restaurants, xxx, and other similar establishments, xxx;

WHEREAS, section 458 (5)(iv) of the same Code, authorizes the Sangguniang Panlungsod to regulate the preservation and sale of meat, poultry, fish, vegetables, fruits, fresh products, and other food stuffs for public consumption;

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WHEREAS, section 5(c) of RA &172 otherwise known as, An Act for Salt Iodization Nationwide (ASIN) provides that, all food outlets, restaurants, and stores are hereby required to make available to customers only iodized salt in their establishment upon effectivity of this Act. These establishments shall be monitored with the help of the local government units through its health officers and nutritionist-dietitians, or in their absence, the sanitary inspectors to check and monitor the quality of food-grade salt being sold or served on such establishment;

WHEREAS, section 5(e) of the same law provides that, all food manufacturers/processors using food-grade salt are also required to use iodized salt in the processing of their products xxx;

WHEREAS, section 5(d) of the same law provides that, local government officials at the provincial and municipal levels shall provide mechanisms to ensure enforcement of this provision through ordinances and public information campaigns;

WHEREAS, statistics presented by the City Health Office showed that *only 67%* of households in the City of Muntinlupa are using iodized salt considering that rock salt can easily be availed at retail stores;

WHEREAS, there is a need to strengthen the education information campaign within the City of Muntinlupa to ensure the full enforcement of the ASIN Law realizing the importance of using iodized salt;

WHEREAS, the City Government through the Sangguniang Panlungsod recognizes the need to eliminate micro nutrient malnutrition, particularly iodine deficiency disorders, through the cost-effective preventive measure of salt iodization.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved as it is hereby resolved, urging the City Health Office, City Nutrition Council (CNC), Business Permit and Licensing Office (BPLO), Public Order and Safety Office (POSO), Department of Education (DEPED), Department of Agriculture (DA), Department of Interior and Local Government (DILG), Muntinlupa Development Foundation (MDF), Interim Market Committee (IMC), Public Information Office (PIO), the different barangays and other law enforcement agencies, of the City of Muntinlupa for the full implementation of RA 8172 otherwise known as, An Act for Salt Iodization Nationwide (ASIN).

**APPROVED,** by the *Sangguniang Panlungsod of Muntinlupa* this **27<sup>th</sup>** day of **November 2003,** on its **96<sup>th</sup>** Regular Session.

**CONCURRED:** 

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

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