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### EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 13 Series of 2022-B

PROVIDING AMENDMENTS TO EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 06, SERIES OF 2017,
EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 02, SERIES OF 2015, AND
EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 23, SERIES OF 2014,
ON THE CREATION OF THE MANILA BAY CLEAN-UP, PRESERVATION AND
REHABILITATION TASK FORCE OF THE CITY OF MUNTINLUPA,
ITS COMPOSITION AND FUNCTIONS

**WHEREAS**, Section 16, Article II of the 1987 Philippine Constitution provides that "(t)he State shall protect and advance the right of the people to a balanced and healthful ecology in accord with the rhythm and harmony of nature;"

**WHEREAS**, Section 445 (b) (2) (iii), Chapter 3, Title III of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, provides that the local chief executive shall "(i)ssue such executive orders for the faithful and appropriate enforcement and execution of laws and ordinances;"

**WHEREAS**, the Supreme Court, in its decision in the case of *Metropolitan Manila Development Authority, et al, vs. Concerned Residents of Manila Bay (G.R. No. 171947-48)*, dated 18 December 2008, ordered the Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG), together with twelve (12) other national agencies/offices, in a continuing mandamus, to clean-up, preserve and rehabilitate Manila Bay;

**WHEREAS**, the Supreme Court, in the same decision, ordered the coordinative and collective efforts of local government units and their respective instrumentalities, of national government agencies and of the private sector;

**WHEREAS**, an unnumbered Memorandum was issued by the DILG, dated 02 May 2011, directing all city and municipal mayors of the National Capital Region to cause the organization/creation of the Manila Bay Clean-Up, Preservation and Rehabilitation Task Force (Manila Bay Task Force) in their respective local government units;

**WHEREAS**, in compliance thereto, the Office of the City Mayor issued Executive Order No. 23, Series of 2014, providing for the creation of the Manila Bay Clean-Up, Preservation and Rehabilitation Task Force (Manila Bay Task Force) of the City of Muntinlupa, Its Composition and Functions, dated 03 January 2014;

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WHEREAS, Executive Order No. 02, Series of 2015, dated January 2015, provided amendments to the aforesaid Executive Order:

WHEREAS, the Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG) issued Memorandum Circular No. 2022-090, dated 28 June 2022, entitled "Rationalizing the Establishment of a Manila Bay Task Force (MBTF) in Local Government Units within the Manila Bay Watershed Area, necessitating the introduction of another set of amendments to the aforementioned Executive Orders;"

WHEREAS, Section 4.2.1.1, supra, provides that "(t)he MBTF shall be spearheaded by the Local Chief Executive of the LGU. In case of temporary and permanent vacancy, absence, or incapacity of the LCE, the LGU shall follow the rules on succession under Republic Act No. 7160, or the Local Government Code of 1991, to determine who shall serve as the Chairperson of the Task Force;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rozzano Rufino B. Biazon, City Mayor of Muntinlupa, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order and decree that:

Section 1. Re-establishment and Re-composition.

The Manila Bay Clean-Up, Preservation and Rehabilitation Task Force of the City of Muntinlupa (Manila Bay Task Force, for brevity) is hereby re-established, and it shall be composed of the following individuals, with their respective designations, namely:

a.	Rozzano Rufino B. Biazon,	
	City Mayor	

Engr. Marissa Cole-Rongavilla,

Chairperson, Committee on Environment, Natural and Aquatic Resources, Fisheries and

Agriculture, Sangguniang Panlungsod

Lorna B. Misa. C

b.

d.

**Environmental Sanitation Center** Walter A. Arcilla.

President, Liga ng mga Barangay

Necito M. Guico, e.

City Budget and Management Department

f. EnP. Alvin F. Veron,

City Planning and Development Office

Juancho H. Bunyi, MD, MPH, g.

City Health Office

Chairperson;

Vice Chairperson:

Secretariat;

Member

Member:

Member;

Member;





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h.	Erwin O. Alfonso,	
	Department of Disaster Resilience and Management	Member;
i.	Marilou Ordonio-Lobo,	
	Department of Agriculture, Extension Services Office	Member:

j.	Rovi S. Viloria,	
	Public Information Office	Member;

k.	Analyn A. Mercado, RSW,		
	Social Services Department	Member;	
1	Herminio A de la Cruz		

1.	Hermino A. de la Cruz,	
	Lake Management Office	Member;
m.	Elisa M. Hilapo,	

	Business Permits and Licensing Office	Member;
n.	Alita A. Ramirez, RSW,	
	Urban Poor Affairs Office	Member:

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0.	Engr. Dynadelle N. Aranda,	
	City Engineering Department, and	
	Office of the City Building Official	Member;
n	Claria C Aguhar	

p.	Gloria C. Aguhar,	
	DILG Muntinlupa Field Operations Office	Member;
q.	Richelda S. Miranda,	
	Government Relations Officer, Maynilad,	

Representative from Concessionaire/Service Provider

The resignation, removal, termination, transfer, grave illness, serious incapacity, death, or any other similarly-situated circumstance of any member shall entitle his or her successor to join the Manila Bay Task Force, without the need for the issuance of a new order.

#### Section 2. Functions.

As provided in the MC aforementioned, the Manila Bay Task Force shall perform the following functions, namely:

#### A. Planning and Policy Development

- 1. Develop and recommend city policies for endorsement to the Sangguniang Panlungsod, pertinent national laws supporting the rehabilitation of Manila Bay, including, but not limited to:
- i. Presidential Decree No. 856, or the Code on Sanitation of the Philippines;
- ii. Presidential Decree No. 198, or the Provincial Water Utilities Act, as amended;
- iii. Republic Act No. 9275, or the Clean Water Act of 2004;

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Member.





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- iv. Republic Act No. 9003, or the Ecological Solid Waste Management Act of 2000;
- v. Republic Act No. 7279, or the Urban Development and Housing Act of 1992; and
- vi. Republic Act No. 8550, or the Philippine Fisheries Code of 1998, as amended by Republic Act No. 10654.;
- 2. Ensure the compliance of the City Government to the development of local plans implementing programs, projects and activities (PPAs) in the pursuit of achieving the goals of the Manila Bay Clean-Up, Rehabilitation, and Preservation Program (MBCRPP);
- 3. Ensure the compliance of the City Government with the organization of pertinent local committees and boards for the implementation of PPAs under the aforementioned priority areas;
- B. Implementation and Enforcement
- 1. Assist pertinent local bodies and offices in ensuring sewage lines of all structures, commercial establishments, industrial factories, are private homes are connected to available sewerage systems or Sewerage Treatment Plants (STPs), or have septic tanks compliant with national standards, and impose fines, penalties, and other administrative sanctions, based on Item A.1.i., ii., and iii. above-cited, to compel compliance thereto;
- 2. Assist the Solid Waste Management Board (SWMB) in ensuring the City Government's compliance to the provisions of Item A.i.iv. above-cited, focusing on, but not limited to, the establishment of functional Materials Recovery Facilities and/or Systems (MRFs/MRS); closure and rehabilitation of Open Dumpsites; establishment /use of a Sanitary Landfill (SLF); and effective implementation of the City Government's 10-year Solid Waste Management Plan (SWMP);
- 3. Pursuant to the Supreme Court Mandamus and in accordance with the provisions of Item A.1.v. above-cited, assist pertinent local bodies and offices in the effective management of Informal Settler Families (ISFs) along waterways, through inventory and identification of these ISFs, identification of suitable relocation sites, and implementation of corresponding Socialized Housing Projects;
- 4. Ensure Information, Education, and Communication (IEC) campaigns shall be comprehensive and strategic; engage in partnership with National Government Agencies (NGAs), Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs), Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), and the private sector to establish support and buy-in on the clean-up, rehabilitation and preservation efforts;
- 5. Convene at least once every quarter to discuss the foregoing, and ensure a quorum shall be met, documentation shall be properly done, for reference of the DILG Local Government Operations Officers, and documentary requirements of the MBCRPP LGU Compliance Assessment shall be accomplished;

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- C. Monitoring and Evaluation
- 1. Ensure regular monitoring of the MBCRPP initiatives;
- 2. Ensure all reportorial requirements under the MBCRPP shall be submitted on time and accurately;
- 3. Evaluate regularly the implementation of PPAs and produce accomplish reports, catch-up plans for areas of the MBCRPP that the City Government must focus on;
- 4. Ensure that results of the LGU (City Government) Compliance Assessment, through the Regional Inter-Agency Committee (RIAC), and the National Inter-Agency Committee (NIAC), are aptly evaluated and utilized for effective planning and development of necessary interventions and remedial actions;
- 5. Ensure the accurate and timely submission of the City Government's Manila Bayanihan-Data Capture Forms every quarter, pursuant to MC No. 2022-019;
- D. Keep copies of all MBCRPP reports and documents of the City Government, ensure the proper turnover of the same to their successors in the event of replacements, and/or re-organization of the Task Force;
- E. Serve as the coordinating body responsible for the concerns related to the rehabilitation of Manila Bay. It shall not in any way diminish, limit, or restrain the mandate of any local department or office, but instead work to harmonize all efforts relative to the fulfillment of the MBCRPP goals;
- F. Perform such other functions as may be assigned by competent authority, or as may be necessary in order to achieve the foregoing.

Section 3. Secretariat

The Environmental Sanitation Center (ESC) staff members shall act as the Secretariat. Together, they shall be responsible for issuing Notices of Meeting; taking down, disseminating and filing of Minutes of Meeting; liaising with related individuals, offices, or organizations, whether local, national, or international; providing administrative support to the Manila Bay Task Force; preparing, handling and filing correspondences; and performing such other matters as may be necessary to achieve the foregoing.

Section 4. Repealing Clause.

Previously issued orders or directives inconsistent with any provision found herein shall be deemed repealed, revoked or amended accordingly.

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Section 5. Separability Clause.

In the event any provision found herein is judicially decided illegal or administratively declared infirm, untouched provisions shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 6. Effectivity Clause.

This Executive Order shall take effect upon its signing, and it shall be in full force and effect unless repealed, revoked or amended accordingly.

DONE AND EXECUTED on this 18th day of July 2022 in the City of Muntinlupa.

ROZZANO RUFINO B. BIAZON
City Mayor