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Sangguniang Panglungsod

REPUBLIKA NG PILIPINAS  
PAMAHALAANG LUNGSOD NG MUNTINLUPA  
KALAKHANG MAYNILA

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RESOLUTION NO. 02-073

RESOLUTION EXPRESSING WILLINGNESS OF MUNTINLUPA CITY TO PARTICIPATE IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE INDIGENT COMPONENT OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 7875, AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF MUNTINLUPA CITY, HONORABLE ATTY. JAIME R. FRESNEDI, TO ENTER INTO A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT (MOA) WITH THE PHILIPPINE HEALTH INSURANCE CORPORATION (Philhealth).

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Sponsored by:

- Hon. Vice Mayor Jo Jason T. Alcaraz*
- Hon. Nicanor L. Echavez, MD.*
- Hon. Rufino B. Joaquin*
- Hon. Elmer S. Espeleta*
- Hon. Bal Niefes*
- Hon. Patricio L. Boncayao, Jr.*
- Hon. Victor L. Ulanday*
- Hon. Aldrin L. San Pedro*
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- Hon. Melchor R. Teves*
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- Hon. Francis Ian T. Bagatsing*
- Hon. Rene Carl S. Cayetano*
- Hon. Lucio B. Constantino*
- Hon. Mario E. Bulay, Jr.*
- Hon. Mamerto T. Sevilla, Jr.*
- Hon. Artemio A. Simundac*

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WHEREAS, Section II, Article XII of the 1987 Philippine Constitution declares that the State shall adopt an integrated and comprehensive approach to health development which shall endeavor to make essential goods, health and other services available to all people at affordable cost; priority for the needs of the underprivileged, sick, elderly, disabled, women and children shall be recognized. Likewise, it shall be the policy of the State to provide free medical care to paupers;

WHEREAS, to implement the aforementioned constitutional provisions, the Philippine Congress enacted Republic Act 7875, "An Act Instituting a National Health Insurance Program (NHIP) and Establishing the Philippine Health Insurance Program (Philhealth)" for the purpose;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Administrative Order No. 277 dated June 25, 1996 is issued by the Office of the President, the National Government and the Local Government Unit are directed to ensure speedy implementation for the National Health Insurance Program (NHIP);

WHEREAS, the Indigent Program of the National Health Insurance Program (NHIP) provides a mechanism to identify the qualified indigent families and to grant them membership to NHIP through full or partial government subsidies. It will enable them access to medical service in all NHIP accredited providers;

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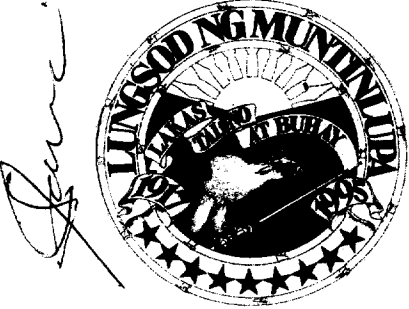
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WHEREAS, the Body, considering the beneficent features of RA 7875 as it will vastly improve the over-all health status of the population and ultimately, their general quality of life and rationalize the Municipal Government's expenditure for health, collectively agreed to adopt the National Health Insurance Program (NHIP) of the National Government;

WHEREAS, the City Government of Muntinlupa, through the Honorable Mayor Jaime R. Fresnedi and the Honorable Members of the Sangguniang Panlungsod committing and agreeing to shoulder the premium needed to cover indigent families of Muntinlupa City;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to adopt the National Health Insurance Program of the National Government and its Implementing Rules and Regulation for In-patient and Out-patient services to cover indigent families of Muntinlupa City.

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED, by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Muntinlupa that the Honorable Mayor Jaime R. Fresnedi be authorized to enter and sign into a Memorandum of Agreement for and in behalf of the City Government of Muntinlupa with the Philippine Health Insurance Corporation, represented by its President, Mr. Francisco T. Duque III, MD., M.Sc. adopting NHIP of the National Government and provide health care services to the indigent families of Muntinlupa City.

RESOLVED FURTHER THAT, the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Muntinlupa shall cause the enactment of an ordinance allocating funds from its appropriations for health services to finance its counterpart LGU subsidy.

RESOLVED, FINALLY, to furnish copy of this Resolution to the President of the Philippines, HER EXCELLENCY GLORIA MACAPAGAL-ARROYO, the President and Chief Executive Officer of the Philippine Health Insurance Corporation, MR. FRANCISCO T. DUQUE III and the HON. MAYOR ATTY. JAIME R. FRESNEDI for their information.

ADOPTED, by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Muntinlupa this 7<sup>th</sup> day of February 2002, on its 21<sup>st</sup> Regular Session.

CONCURRED:

ALDRIN L. SAN PEDRO  
Councilor

VICTOR L. ULANDAY  
Councilor

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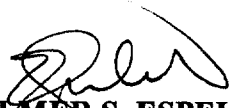


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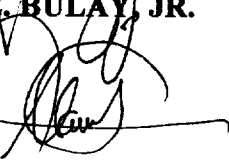
  
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I HEREBY CERTIFY, as to the correctness of the foregoing Resolution.

ATTY. ISIDORO L. SORIANO, JR.  
Secretary  
SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD

ATTESTED:

ATTY. JO JASON T. ALCARAZ PCM  
City Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

ATTY. JAIME R. FRESNEDI  
City Mayor

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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