



Republic of the Philippines  
**CITY GOVERNMENT OF MUNTINLUPA**  
 Sangguniang Panlungsod ng Muntinlupa



**RESOLUTION NO. 2023-229**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MAYOR ROZZANO RUFINO B. BIAZON TO REPRESENT AND SIGN IN BEHALF OF THE CITY GOVERNMENT OF MUNTINLUPA A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT (MOA) WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WELFARE AND DEVELOPMENT-NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION (DSWD-NCR) REPRESENTED BY OFFICER-IN-CHARGE REGIONAL DIRECTOR MICHAEL JOSEPH J. LORICO FOR THE DELIVERY OF SOCIAL PENSION TO INDIGENT SENIOR CITIZEN IN NEED.**

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Sponsored by:

- Hon. Coun. Allan Rey a. Camilon*
- Hon. Coun. Atty. Raul R. Corro*
- Hon. Coun. Paty Katy C. Boncayac*
- Hon. Coun. Rachel Katriel Ann C. Arciaga*
- Hon. Coun. Jedidiah R. Presnedi, LPT*
- Hon. Coun. Ting D. Niefes*
- Hon. Coun. Mark Lester M. Baes*
- Hon. Coun. Francis Ian T. Bagatsing*
- Hon. Coun. Luvi P. Constantino*
- Hon. Coun. Engr. Mamerto T. Sevilla, Jr.*
- Hon. Coun. Engr. Arlene D. Hilapo*
- Hon. Coun. Cornelio M. Martinez*
- Hon. Coun. Rodolfo W. Moidez, Jr.*
- Hon. Coun. Walter A. Arcilla*

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**WHEREAS**, Section 16 of Republic Act (R.A.) No 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991 (LGC), provides that, ***“Every local government unit (LGU) shall exercise powers expressly granted, those necessarily implied therefrom, as well as powers necessary, appropriate, or incidental for its efficient and effective governance, and those which are essential to the promotion of the general welfare;”***

**WHEREAS**, Article 86(b)(1)(vi) of the Rules and Regulations implementing the LGC (LGC-IRR), provides that, ***“(b) For efficient, effective, and economical governance the purpose of which is the general welfare of the city and its inhabitants pursuant to Section 16 of the Code, the City Mayor shall: (1) Exercise general supervision and control over all programs, projects, services, and activities of the City, and in this connection, shall: Xxx (vi) Represent the City in all its business transactions and sign in its behalf all bonds, contracts, and obligations, and such other documents upon authority of the Sangguniang Panlungsod or pursuant to law or ordinance.”;***

**WHEREAS**, under the Expanded Senior Citizens Act of 2010 or RA 9994, ***the Social Pension for Indigent Senior Citizens is an additional government assistance which aims to: improve the condition of indigent senior citizens by augmenting their daily subsistence and medical needs; reduce incidence of hunger; and protect them from neglect, abuse, deprivation and natural and man-made disasters;***



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**WHEREAS**, pursuant to the eligibility criteria which is determined by the DSWD, indigent senior citizens shall be entitled to a monthly stipend amounting to **Five Hundred Pesos (Php500)** to augment their daily subsistence and other medical needs. The distribution of the pension/benefit to the indigent senior who have passed the eligibility criteria/evaluation of the DSWD is downloaded to the local government unit which is better equipped to efficiently distribute the same albeit the latter has no participation in the evaluation of potential beneficiaries;

**WHEREAS**, a Memorandum of Agreement the Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD) is urgently needed so that the allocation for the social pension will be transferred to the City coffers for distribution according to the master list of eligible senior citizens prepared by the DSWD;

**WHEREAS**, the pay-out scheme shall adhere to Memorandum Circular No. 17 series of 2022 of the DSWD which provides for the the most cost effective and efficient modality for distribution of the stipend to the beneficiary;

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED**, by the **10<sup>th</sup> Sangguniang Panlungsod of Muntinlupa**, to authorize the **City Mayor Rozzano Rufino B. Biazon** to represent and sign in behalf of the City Government of Muntinlupa a **Memorandum of Agreement (MOA)** with the **Department of Social Welfare and Development-National Capital Region (DSWD-NCR)** represented by Officer-In-Charge Regional Director **Michael Joseph J. Lorico** for the delivery of **Social Pension** to Indigent Senior Citizen in need.

**ADOPTED**, by the **10<sup>th</sup> Sangguniang Panlungsod of Muntinlupa** this **17<sup>th</sup>** day of **April 2023**, on its **41<sup>st</sup> Regular Session**.

**CONCURRED:**

**DISTRICT 1:**

*(Official Leave)*  
**COUN. ALEXSON V. DIAZ**  
 Member

*(Signature)*  
**COUN. PATY KATY C. BONCAYAO**  
 Member

*(Signature)*  
**COUN. RACHEL KATRIEL ANN C. ARCIAGA**  
 Member

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**COUN. IVEE RHIA A. TADEFA**  
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**COUN. ALLAN REY A. CAMILON**  
 Member

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**COUN. JEDIDIAH R. PRESNEDI, LPT**  
 Member

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**COUN. TING NIEFES**  
 Member





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**COUN. MARK LESTER M. BAES**  
*Member*

**COUN. FRANCIS IAN T. BAGATSING**  
*Member*

**COUN. LUVI P. CONSTANTINO**  
*Member*

**COUN. ENGR. MAMERTO T. SEVILLA, JR.**  
*Member*

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**COUN. ENGR. MARISSA C. RONGAVILLA**  
*Member*

**COUN. ENGR. ARLENE D. HILAPO**  
*Member*

**COUN. CORNELIO M. MARTINEZ**  
*Member*

**COUN. RODOLFO W. MOLDEZ, JR.**  
*Member*

**COUN. WALTER A. ARCILLA**  
*President*  
*Sectoral Representative*  
*Association of Barangay Chairman*

*(Official Leave)*  
**COUN. KENICHI D. TAKAGI, JR.**  
*President*  
*Sectoral Representative*  
*Federation of Sangguniang Kabataan*

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

**CECILIA C. LAZARTE**  
*Secretary to the Sanggunian*





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ATTESTED:

*[Signature]*  
COUN. ATTY. RAUL R. CORRO  
Acting City Vice-Mayor/Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

*[Signature]*  
ARTEMIO A. SIMUNDAC  
Acting City Mayor

Date: 02 MAY 2023

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