



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
CITY GOVERNMENT OF MUNTINLUPA
CITY OF MUNTINLUPA
Office of the City Mayor

EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 13
SERIES OF 2023

**PROVIDING FOR THE CREATION OF THE
SEARCH FOR MOST RESILIENT BARANGAY PROGRAM,
ITS VALIDATION COMMITTEE COMPOSITION AND FUNCTIONS**

WHEREAS, Section 2, Article II of the 1987 Philippine Constitution provides that *“(t)he maintenance of peace and order, the protection of life, liberty, and property and the promotion of general welfare are essential for the enjoyment by all the people of the blessing of democracy;”*

WHEREAS, it is the policy of the State to adopt a disaster risk reduction and management approach that is holistic, comprehensive, integrated, and proactive in lessening the environmental impacts of disasters, including climate change, and in promoting the involvement and participation of all sectors and all stakeholders concerned, at all levels, especially the local community;

WHEREAS, the City of Muntinlupa established the 7K Agenda, which includes *Kapayapaan at Kaayusan*, focusing on traffic management, crime prevention and control, drug abuse prevention and control, fire safety, jail management, utilization of manpower complement to deter crimes, and disaster resilience and management;

WHEREAS, the active involvement and ardent participation of the Barangay Government is essential in ensuring the success of the 7K Agenda;

WHEREAS, it is deemed necessary to recognize the Barangay Governments that promote, excellently implement, and practice innovations on disaster risk reduction and management;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rozanno 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. Policy.

The Search for Most Resilient Barangay is an incentive and recognition-based program for all Barangay Governments in the City of Muntinlupa, placing merit in their continuing commitment to disaster risk reduction and management.





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Section 2. Creation.

The Search for the Most Resilient Barangay Validation Committee (Committee, for brevity) is hereby created, and it shall be composed of the following individuals, with their respective designations, namely:

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| (a) | Rozzano Rufino B. Biazon,
City Mayor | Chairperson; |
| (b) | Engr. Allan A. Cachuela,
City Administrator | Vice Chairperson; |
| (c) | Gloria C. Aguhar, CESO V,
Department of the Interior and Local Government
Muntinlupa Field Operations Office | Final Validator. |
| (d) | Erwin O. Alfonso, Ph.D.,
Department of Disaster Resilience and Management | Final Validator; |
| (e) | Analyn A. Mercado, RSW,
Social Services Department | Final Validator; |
| (f) | Engr. Dynadelle N. Aranda,
City Engineering Department | Final Validator; and |
| (g) | EnP. Alvin F. Veron,
City Planning and Development Office | Final Validator. |

To assist the Committee are the following, namely:

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| (h) | Melania M. Casanova,
City Accounting Department | Initial Validator; |
| (i) | Lorna B. Misa,
Environmental Protection and Natural Resources Office,
and Environmental Sanitation Center | Initial Validator; |
| (j) | Loreto J. Colcol,
Religious Sector Representative
Associations of Born-Again Christians, Inc. | Initial Validator; |
| (k) | Elvie Sanchez-Quiazon,
Philippine Chamber of Commerce and Industry,
Muntinlupa Chapter | Initial Validator; and |
| (l) | Jose David E. Adriano,
LDRRM Council TWG,
City Planning and Development Office | Initial Validator. |





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Membership in the Committee, among public officials, officers and employees, is a function of the office each member occupies. Hence, the resignation, removal, transfer, termination, severe incapacity, grave illness, death, or any other similarly-situated circumstance of the member shall entitle the successor to assume membership without the need for the issuance of another instrument or order.

For those from the private sector, in any of circumstances above-mentioned, the successor shall be named by the City Mayor from a list to be drawn, prepared and submitted by the remaining members. They shall be held by the same measure of fidelity, integrity and accountability as their peers from government service.

Section 3. Functions.

The Committee shall perform the following functions, namely:

- A. Chairperson, Vice Chairperson and Final Validators.
1. Conduct field validation upon the assessment of Initial Validators; and
 2. Review and deliberate on the result of the field validation and desk evaluation.
- B. Initial Validators.
1. Desk evaluate the self-assessment toolkit and documents submitted by each Barangay Government; and
 2. Submit the accomplished assessment toolkit and other reports as may be needed for final deliberation.
- C. Common Among All Members.
1. Develop a progressive assessment indicator that will serve as a standard for evaluating the nine Barangay Governments of the City of Muntinlupa; *provided, that* in the development and approval of the Performance Indicators, it shall take into consideration that each Barangay Government may not be similarly situated and that one (1) or more indicators may be inapplicable or extremely difficult to meet given the inherent limitations or circumstances;
 2. Review the assessment indicator consistent with the national standards and mandates for disaster risk reduction and management. The indicators shall remain performance and competency-based;





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3. Conduct an annual assessment of the Barangay Governments in the City of Muntinlupa and provide feedback mechanisms to enhance disaster-related competence and responses;
4. Submit and present to the Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council (LDRRMC) the copies of performance indicators and the result of the conducted assessment; and
5. Perform such other functions as may be necessary to carry out the purposes of this Executive Order properly.

Section 4. Indicators.

Each Barangay Government shall be assessed through five (5) major indicators, namely:

- (a) Functionality of the Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Committee;
- (b) Functionality of Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Office;
- (c) Resources Allocation and Utilization;
- (d) Early Warning System; and
- (e) Competency Assessment for four (4) thematic areas, namely:
 - (i) Disaster Prevention and Mitigation;
 - (ii) Disaster Preparedness;
 - (iii) Disaster Response; and
 - (iv) Disaster Recovery and Rehabilitation.

Section 5. Lead Implementer.

The Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council (LDRRMC), through the Department of Disaster Resilience and Management (DDRM), shall be the implementing body of the Search for Most Resilient Barangay. The DDRM shall consult, coordinate, and call on any other department or office, national agency, civil society organization, and private organization as it may deem necessary to assist in carrying out the responsibilities under this Executive Order.

All nine (9) Barangay Governments of the City of Muntinlupa shall undergo an annual mandatory assessment. The coverage for the Search for Most Resilient Barangay assessment will be based on the previous year's accomplishment.





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Section 6. Awards and Incentives.

The three (3) Barangay Governments garnering the highest points shall receive a plaque of recognition and cash incentives. The awards and incentives include, namely:

- (a) First Place Gold Plaque of Recognition and Two Hundred Thousand Pesos (Php 200,000.00);
- (b) Second Place Silver Plaque of Recognition and One Hundred Thousand Pesos (Php 100,000.00); and
- (c) Third Place Bronze Plaque of Recognition and Fifty Thousand Pesos (Php 50,000.00).

The cash incentives shall be used solely for disaster risk reduction and management activities programs, projects and activities of the winning Barangay Government.

Section 7. Separability Clause.

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

Section 8. Effectivity Clause.

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

DONE AND EXECUTED on this 27th day of April 2023 in the City of Muntinlupa.


ROZZANO RUFINO B. BIAZON
City Mayor 

