

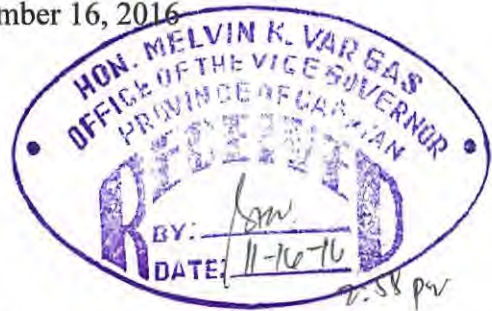
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November 16, 2016

**Dr. Rosalinda P. Callang**  
Secretary to the Sanggunian  
Sangguniang Panlalawigan, Province of Cagayan  
Capitol Hills, Tuguegarao City



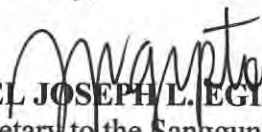
**Madam:**

Pursuant to Section 54 of the Local Government Code, we are now submitting for review and action the attached legislative measure enacted by the Sangguniang Panlungsod on October 11, 2016 , to wit:

**CITY ORDINANCE NO. 18-2016 – “CITY ORDINANCE KNOWN AS THE DENTAL HEALTH CARE AND TREATMENT OF ALL STUDENTS OF PUBLIC ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOLS IN TUGUEGARAO CITY”**

Thank you.

Yours truly,

  
**JOEL JOSEPH L. EGIPTO**  
Secretary to the Sanggunian



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**SEVENTH CITY COUNCIL**

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 13<sup>TH</sup> REGULAR SESSION  
 OF THE SEVENTH CITY COUNCIL OF TUGUEGARAO CITY, CAGAYAN  
 HELD ON OCTOBER 11, 2016, 9:00 A.M., TUESDAY,  
 AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL

**PRESENT:**

Hon. Bienvenido C. De Guzman II	City Vice Mayor, Presiding Officer
Hon. Danilo L. Baccay	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member
Hon. Jude T. Bayona	-do-
Hon. Kendrick S. Calubaquib	-do-
Hon. Arnel T. Arugay	-do-
Hon. Winnoco R. Abraham	-do-
Hon. Imogen Claire M. Callangan	-do-
Hon. Mary Marjorie P. Martin-Chan	-do-
Hon. Raymund P. Guzman	-do-
Hon. Grace B. Arago	-do-
Hon. Anthony C. Tuddao	-do-
Hon. Jose Pedro G. Velasco	-do-

**ABSENT:**

Hon. Maila Rosario T. Que	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member (on Vacation Leave)
Hon. Gilbert S. Labang	-do- (on Vacation Leave)

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Sponsor: **HON. RAYMUND P. GUZMAN**

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**WHEREAS**, the government is for the people, hence, it shall reach out to address the major health problems of public elementary and high school students.

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**SECTION 2. DEFINITION OF TERMS.** As used in this Ordinance, the following terms shall mean:

1. **DENTAL SERVICE** – includes all services provided by the Dentist of the City relating to the teeth of any elementary and high school students of the City
2. **PUBLIC ELEMENTARY AND HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS** – those who belong to the government or public schools in Tuguegarao City

**SECTION 3. OBJECTIVES.** The general objective of the Ordinance is to safeguard and maintain the dental health of the public elementary and high school students in Tuguegarao City whereas the special objectives are as follows:

- a. To render dental services;
- b. To institute preventive measures for the control of dental caries among public elementary and high school students;
- c. To promote and create interest in dental health through Health Education;
- d. To enrich Curriculum Development through integration of dental education in school instructions; and,
- e. To conduct dental research and/or studies by requiring each school to put up a herbal garden.

**SECTION 4. MANAGEMENT AND CREATION OF A DENTAL HEALTH CARE UNIT.** The organization, management, monitoring and evaluation of this project is hereby conferred to the City Health Office with full authority to administer, implement, monitor and evaluate this project subject to existing laws, rules and regulations.

A “DENTAL HEALTH CARE UNIT” is hereby created under the direct supervision of the City Health Office. The City Health Officer is tasked to assign a person in charge for the implementation of this project who will act as the “Chairman.”

The Chairman shall be responsible for the adequate and effective implementation of this Ordinance and shall submit a year-end report to the Sangguniang Panlungsod.

**SECTION 5. PROGRAMS, ACTIVITIES AND HEALTH SERVICES.** The Dental Health Care Unit shall conduct the following programs, activities and services to the different elementary and secondary schools in the City:

**1. Dental Health Services**

**I. Preventive Dental Care**

- a. Oral Prophylaxis
- b. Fluoride Application
- c. Pits and Fissure Sealant

**II. Curative Treatment**

- a. Temporary Filling
- b. Permanent Filling
- c. Light Cure Filling
- d. Gum Treatment
- e. Extraction

**III. Oral Examination**

**IV. Tooth Brushing Drills**

**V. Referral of complicated cases**

**VI. Such any other health care and treatment services as may be determined by the City Health Office**

2. **Yearly dental check-up and treatment.** A yearly dental check-up and treatment shall be conducted by the City Health Office through the Dental Health Care Unit to the different elementary and secondary schools in the City.



3. **Mobile Dental Clinic.** In partnership with the Department of Health, the dental mobile clinic shall go around the different elementary and secondary schools in the City to conduct dental health care and treatment services including but not limited to the dental health services as provided in Section 5 of this Ordinance.
4. **Dental Health Education.** The Dental Health Care Unit shall conduct dental health care seminars/workshops in the different elementary and secondary schools in the City on proper health care and hygiene.
5. Such any other programs, activities and health services to promote the Dental Health Care Program of the City Government.

**SECTION 6. APPROPRIATIONS.** The funding of this project shall be appropriated in the Annual Budget and any Supplemental Budget of the City.

**SECTION 7. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE.** For whatever reason any section or provision of this Ordinance is declared illegal or unconstitutional, other section/s and/or provisions hereof which are not affected shall continue to be in full force and effect.

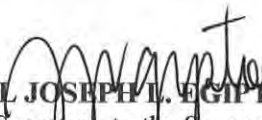
**SECTION 8. REPEALING CLAUSE.** All Ordinances, Resolutions, Memoranda or Executive orders not consistent with this Ordinance are hereby repealed and/or modified accordingly.

**SECTION 9. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE.** This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon approval.

On motion of Hon. Raymund P. Guzman, duly seconded by Hon. Danilo L. Baccay and without any objection, **CITY ORDINANCE NO. 18-2016** was **APPROVED** in plenary under suspended rules.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY TO THE CORRECTNESS OF THE FOREGOING:

  
**JOEL JOSEPH T. EGIPIO, Ph.D.**  
 Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

  
**HON. BIENVENIDO C. DE GUZMAN II**  
 City Vice Mayor  
 Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

  
**HON. JEFFERSON P. SORIANO**  
 City Mayor  
 Date: 11/15/16

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## SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE PROVINCIAL BOARD HELD ON THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 2016 AT THE SESSION HALL OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN, PROVINCIAL CAPITOL, TUGUEGARAO CITY.

### PRESENT:

Hon. Melvin K. Vargas, Jr., *Vice Governor/Presiding Officer*  
Hon. Christopher T. Barcena, *Board Member*  
Hon. Jesus Florencio A. Vargas, *Board Member*  
Hon. Arnold T. Layus, Jr., *Board Member*  
Hon. Vilmer V. Vilorio, *Board Member / Floor Leader*  
Hon. Perla C. Tumaliuan, *Board Member*  
Hon. Rosauro Rodrigo G. Resuello, *Board Member*  
Hon. Rodrigo C. de Asis, *Board Member*  
Hon. Maila Rosario S. Ting-Que, *Ex-Officio Member (PCL President)*

### ABSENT:

Hon. Maria Olivia B. Pascual, *Board Member - On Official Business*  
Hon. Jean Alphonse D. Ponce, *Board Member*  
Hon. Karen Kaye T. Turingan, *Board Member*  
Hon. Hilario Larry S. Ting, *Ex-Officio Member (LnB President) - On Official Time*

### RESOLUTION NO. 2016-9-205

#### A RESOLUTION APPROVING CITY ORDINANCE NO. 18 - 2016 OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD OF TUGUEGARAO CITY, CAGAYAN


City Ordinance No. 18 - 2016 of the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Tuguegarao City, Cagayan, *entitled*: "CITY ORDINANCE KNOWN AS THE DENTAL HEALTH CARE AND TREATMENT OF ALL STUDENTS OF PUBLIC ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOLS IN TUGUEGARAO CITY", is hereby given a favorable review, it being within the powers of the Sangguniang Panlungsod to enact.

On motion, duly seconded, be it

Returned Approved, to the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Tuguegarao City, Cagayan, its City Ordinance No. 18 - 2016, for their information and guidance.

CARRIED.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the above-quoted resolution.

  
ROSALINDA P. CALLANG, DPA  
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

  
MELVIN K. VARGAS, JR., DPA  
Vice Governor/ Presiding Officer