



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD
CITY OF MANDALUYONG



RESOLUTION NO. 3613, S-2025

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE HONORABLE CITY MAYOR BENJAMIN S. ABALOS TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN THE MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WELFARE AND DEVELOPMENT (DSWD) REGARDING THE LAUNCHING OF THE LAWA AND BINHI PROJECT UNDER THE RISK RESILIENCY PROGRAM OF THE DSWD

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 10121 designated the DSWD as Vice-Chairperson for Disaster Response of the National Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council (NDRRMC).

WHEREAS, Section 2 of the said law provides among others, maximum care, assistance and services to individuals and families affected by disaster. It also mandated the implementation of preparedness and emergency rehabilitation projects to lessen the impact of disaster and facilitate resumption of normal social and economic activities;

WHEREAS, in response to increasing risk and exposure to hazards, exacerbated by climate change impacts, the Risk Resiliency Program (RRP) was created by the DSWD as a more climate responsive intervention program following the gradual onset of El Niño in 2024. It prioritized ensuring water availability and food security through LAWA and BINHI (Local Adaptation to Water Access and Breaking Insufficiency through Nutritious Harvest for the Impoverished) Project;

WHEREAS, under the LAWA and BINHI project, beneficiaries will be trained in the following: planting of climate-and-disaster-resilient crops and fruit-bearing trees, water sufficiency through construction of water harvesting facilities, ecological and environmental preservation; and other activities in line with the approved Local Climate Change Action Plan (LCCAP), Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Plan (LDRRMP), and other Local Development Plans;

WHEREAS, the DILG selected the City of Mandaluyong to be its partner for the implementation of the LAWA and BINHI project, the City will receive Twelve Million Nine Hundred Thousand Pesos (₱12,900,000.00) as its budget allocation for one thousand eligible beneficiaries;

WHEREAS, pursuant to the General Welfare Provision of the Local Government Code, every Local Government Unit must ensure the promotion of health and safety of its constituents;

WHEREAS, the City of Mandaluyong expressed its willingness to participate in the said program;

WHEREAS, to outline the responsibilities of both Parties, a Memorandum of Agreement must be executed;

WHEREAS, Section 22 of the Local Government Code gives Mandaluyong City, as represented by its Local Chief Executive, the power to enter into contracts, after being authorized by the Sanggunian.

NOW, THEREFORE, on motion duly seconded, the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Mandaluyong, in session duly assembled, RESOLVED, as it hereby RESOLVES, to authorize the Honorable City Mayor BENJAMIN S. ABALOS to enter into and sign the Memorandum of Agreement, with the Department of Social Welfare and Development regarding the launching of the LAWA and BINHI Project under the Risk Resiliency Program of the DSWD.


RESOLVED, that copy of this Resolution be furnished to the Office of the City Mayor, the City Social Welfare and Development Department, and other concerned departments of the City.

ADOPTED on this 24th day of March 2025, in the City of Mandaluyong.

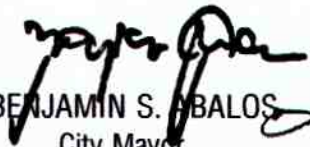
I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING RESOLUTION WAS ADOPTED BY THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD OF MANDALUYONG IN A REGULAR SESSION HELD ON THE DATE AND PLACE FIRST ABOVE GIVEN.


MA. TERESA S. MIRANDA
Sanggunian Secretary

ATTESTED BY:


CARMENITA A. ABALOS
City Vice Mayor &
Presiding Officer

APPROVED BY:


BENJAMIN S. ABALOS
City Mayor

Date: MAR 26 2025