

Republic of the Philippines Province of Bohol MUNICIPALITY OF TRINIDAD

OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL MAYOR

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. <u>33</u> Series of 2023

AN ORDER CREATING THE WATER QUALITY MONITORING UNIT OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF TRINIDAD, BOHOL

WHEREAS, Section 20 of Republic Act (RA) 9275 otherwise known as the "Philippine Clean Water Act of 2004 provides that" LGUs shall share the responsibility in the management and improvement of water quality within their territorial jurisdictions".

WHEREAS, the local government unit shall, pursuant to Section 16 Republic Act 7160, or the Local Government Code of 1991 which provides that....the LGU shall ensure and support among others things, the preservation and enrichment of culture, *promote health and safety...*

WHEREAS, one of the top priorities of the current administration of the municipality, is to provide sufficient and safe access to clean drinking water to its constituents;

NOW THEREFORE, I, ATTY. ROBERTO C. CAJES, PhD., municipal mayor of Trinidad, Bohol, by virtue of the powers vested upon me by law, do hereby order the following:

Section 1. Creation of Water Quality Monitoring Team. – There is hereby created in the municipality a Water Quality Monitoring Team, which shall be composed of the following:

Team Leader: Mr. Leo G. Petarco - MENRO

Co-Team Leader: Ms. Princess Mary G. Apao-Sanitary Inspector

Members:

Avril Bryan Tinio - Municipal Administrator

Engr. Piolito G. Orioque - Municipal Engineer

Engr. Marvis G. Dellosa - MPDC

Section 2: Duties and Functions.- The Water Quality Monitoring Unit shall perform the following functions pursuant to Section 20 of RA 9295, viz:

- a) Monitoring of water quality;
- b) Emergency response;
- c) Compliance with the framework of the Water Quality Management Action Plan;
- d) To take active participation in all efforts concerning water quality protection and rehabilitation; and
- e) To coordinate with other government agencies and civil society and the concerned sectors in the implementation of measures to prevent and control water pollution.

Section 3: Institutional Coordination.- For the effective implementation of the Philippine Clean Water Act, the Unit shall establish coordination and collaborative linkages with relevant government and non-government agencies.

Section 4: Repealing Clause.- All executive orders which are inconsistent hereof, shall be deemed repealed, amended, or modified accordingly.

Section 5: Effectivity.- This executive order shall take effect immediately and let copy of hereof be furnished to the office of the Governor of Bohol.

ATTY. ROBERTO C. CAJES PhD. Municipal Mayor