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City Government of Pasig

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**AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE PASIG CITY DRUG RECOVERY CLINIC  
AT THE PASIG CITY GENERAL HOSPITAL**

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**WHEREAS**, the 1987 Philippine Constitution provides that the duty of the State is to safeguard the well-being of its citizenry particularly the youth, from the harmful effects of dangerous drugs;

**WHEREAS**, Republic Act No. 9165, otherwise known as the Dangerous Act prescribes the guidelines for the formulation and implementation of a comprehensive anti-dangerous-drug program which includes among other things the treatment and rehabilitation of drug dependents;

**WHEREAS**, Pasig City is implementing various programs and intensive campaign intended to reduce the drug problem in the city and in the process has already declared half of its barangays as drug-cleared and has been declared as the leading anti-drug council in Metro Manila;

**WHEREAS**, despite its achievements, Pasig City continues to expand its efforts to be more self-reliant in its anti-drug campaign and has identified the area of treatment and rehabilitation needing a more serious attention;

**WHEREAS**, Republic Act 9165, otherwise known as "Comprehensive Dangerous Drug Act of 2002", mandates the Department of Health to regulate, oversee and monitor the integration, coordination and supervision of all drug rehabilitation, intervention, aftercare and follow up programs, projects and activities as well as the establishment, operations, maintenance and management of Drug Abuse Treatment and Rehabilitation Centers nationwide;

**WHEREAS**, to complement the city's efforts on the campaign against illegal drugs, and as a pre-requisite to accreditation from the Department of Health (DOH), a proposal for the establishment of a Pasig City Recovery Clinic is hereby presented;

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED THAT:**

**SECTION 1.** There is hereby established a Pasig City Drug Recovery Clinic at the Pasig City General Hospital (PCGH-DRC)

**SECTION 2. PURPOSE** – It is the goal of the PCGH -DRC to respond to the needs for a wide range of care for drug reformists, drug dependents and surrenderees on a non-residential basis.



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**SECTION 3. SCOPE** - The PCGH-DRC will be exclusively for diagnosis, treatment and management of drug dependents on an outpatient basis. It may also provide temporary shelter for patients in crisis for not more than 24 hours. It shall not provide services to patients with primary psychotic behavior. However, patients with borderline psychosis may be treated in the Center provided that there is a psychiatrist's order and if it poses no harm to other patients.

**SECTION 4: NATURE OF INSTITUTION** - the PCGH-DRC is a health facility that is operated and maintained by the City Government of Pasig and is based in the Pasig City General Hospital. It shall work in close coordination with other existing anti-drug-related offices in the city government such as the Anti-Drug Council of Pasig City (ADCOP) and Substance Abuse Treatment Hub of Pasig City (SATOP). Steps will be taken in defining roles and responsibilities of each office for efficient working relationship.

**SECTION 5. QUALITY OF SERVICE AND CAPABILITY** - PCGH-DRC shall comply with the standards set by the Department of Health in their Manual of Operation for Drug Abuse Treatment and Rehabilitation Center and will work towards accreditation by the appropriate office of DOH prior to operation. Standards in personnel requirement, physical plant and equipment shall be met.

**SECTION 6. APPROPRIATION** - The sum of FIVE MILLION PESOS shall be allocated for PCGH-DRC annually.

**SECTION 7. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE** - If any provision of this Ordinance is declared unconstitutional or invalid, the provisions not affected thereby shall continue to be in full force and effect.

**SECTION 8. REPEALING CLAUSE** - All previous ordinances and provisions inconsistent with this Ordinance shall be deemed repealed and modified accordingly.

**SECTION 9. EFFECTIVITY** - This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval.

APPROVED, this 27th day of June 2019 at Pasig City.

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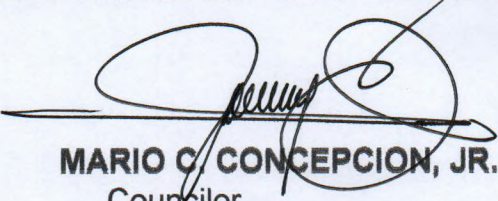


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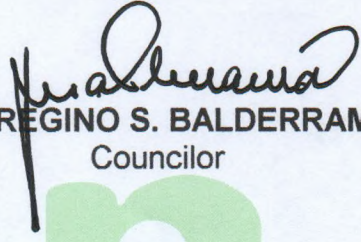
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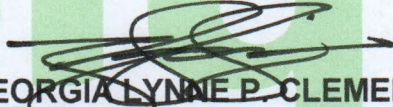
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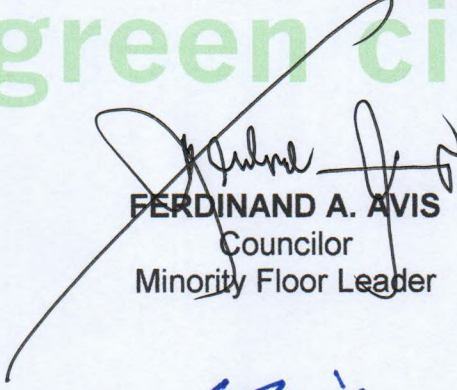
  
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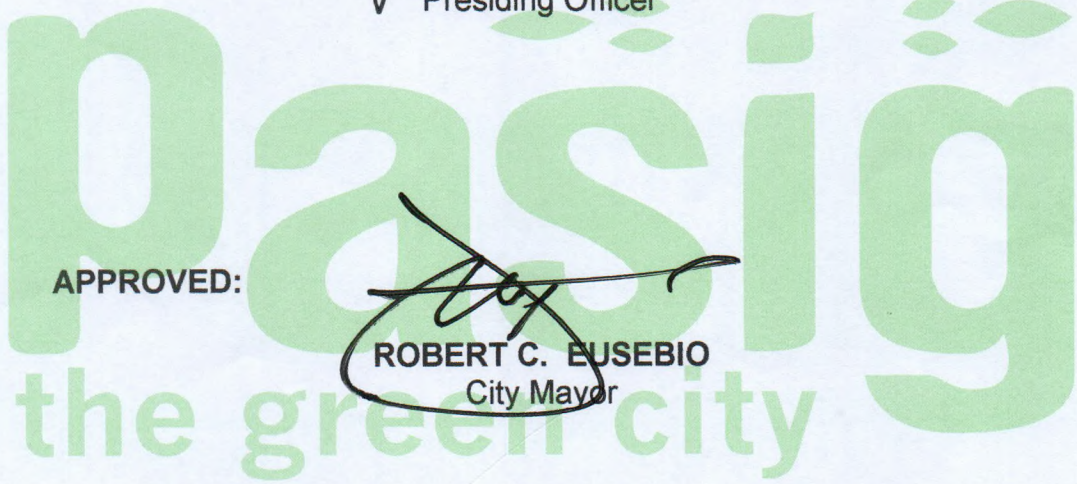
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