



Republic of the Philippines
SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD
City Government of Pasig

Ordinance No. 29
Series of 2022

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 12, SERIES OF 2020, ENTITLED: "AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING THE MANDATORY WEARING BY ALL RESIDENTS OF FACE MASKS, WHENEVER ALLOWED TO GO OUT OF THEIR RESIDENCES AND ON PUBLIC PLACES WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF PASIG CITY DURING THE STATE OF NATIONAL EMERGENCY, PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES." AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 12, Series of 2020, provides for the strict mandatory wearing of all residents of face masks whenever allowed to go out of their residence and on public places within the territorial jurisdiction of Pasig City;

WHEREAS, by virtue of Executive Order No. 03 dated 12 September 2022, the President allowed the voluntary wearing of face masks in outdoor settings;

WHEREAS, though its Resolution No. 3, Series of 2022, the Inter-Agency Task Force for the Management of Emerging Infectious Disease (IATF) recommended the further liberalization of the face mask mandate to make the wearing of masks in indoor settings optional or voluntary, except in healthcare facilities, medical transport, and public transportation by land, sea and air;

WHEREAS, the President issued Executive Order No. 7 dated 28 October 2022 which adopted the same Resolution and further recommended that senior citizens, individuals with comorbidities, immunocompromised individuals, pregnant women, and unvaccinated individuals be highly encouraged to wear face masks in indoor settings;

WHEREAS, there is a need to amend the said Ordinance due to the latest directive from the national government and the policy of the voluntary wearing of face masks, both indoor and outdoor, is a positive step towards normalization, and a welcome development that would encourage activities and boost efforts toward the full reopening of the economy;

NOW, THEREFORE, IN REGULAR SESSION DULY ASSEMBLED, THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD RESOLVES, AS IT HEREBY RESOLVED, THAT:

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT TO SECTION 2. - Section 2 shall now be read as follows:



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"It is policy of the City Government of Pasig that the wearing of face masks in indoor and outdoor settings shall be voluntary except in the following settings: a.) Healthcare facilities, including but not limited to, clinics, hospitals, laboratories, nursing homes, and dialysis clinics; b.) Medical transport vehicles, such as ambulance and paramedic rescue vehicles; and c.) Public transportation by land, sea and air."

Mask wearing is still encouraged for the: a.) Elderly; b.) Individuals with comorbidities; c.) Immunocompromised individuals; d.) Pregnant women; e.) Unvaccinated individuals; and f.) Symptomatic individuals.

SECTION 2. AMENDMENT TO SECTION 3. - Section 3 shall now be read as follows:

"It shall be unlawful for any person to refuse the mandatory wearing of face masks in the following settings: a.) Healthcare facilities, including but not limited to, clinics, hospitals, laboratories, nursing homes, and dialysis clinics; b.) Medical transport vehicles, such as ambulance and paramedic rescue vehicles; and c.) Public transportation by land, sea and air."

SECTION 3. REPEALING CLAUSE. - All ordinances or portions of ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance, or inconsistent with the regulations of this Ordinance, are hereby repealed to the extent necessary to give this Ordinance full force and effect.

SECTION 4. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. - If for any reason, any section or provision of this Ordinance is held to be unconstitutional or invalid by competent authority, such judgment or action shall not affect or impair the other sections or provisions hereof.

SECTION 5. EFFECTIVITY. - This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED, this 3rd day of **November 2022** at Pasig City.

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City Councilor

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