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Minutes of the 16th Regular Session of the Sangguniang Panlungsod, this city, held on
April 24, 2017

RESOLUTION NO. 160
Series of 2017

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE HEALTHCARE WASTE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM FOR THE CITY OF BAYBAY THAT PROVIDES PRACTICAL GUIDANCE FOR THE PROPER HANDLING, PRE-TREATMENT, TREATMENT, STORAGE, TRANSPORT AND DISPOSAL OF HOSPITAL AND OTHER HEALTHCARE WASTES.

WHEREAS, Section 17 of the Local Government Code mandates LGUs to provide an efficient and effective solid waste collection and disposal system under a comprehensive environmental management program;

WHEREAS, Republic Act 9003 or the Ecological Solid Waste Management Act of 2000, ensures the proper segregation, collection, transport, storage, treatment and disposal of all solid waste through the formulation and adoption of the best environmental practices in ecological waste management;

WHEREAS, Republic Act 8749 or the Philippines Clean Air Act of 1999 declares that it is the policy of the State to maintain a quality of air that protects human health and welfare;

WHEREAS, Republic Act 9275 or the Philippines Clean Water Act of 2004 declares that it is the policy of the State to provide for a comprehensive program for water pollution focusing on pollution prevention to ensure the quality of all water resources in the country for ecological protection, public health, and quality of life;

WHEREAS, the Joint DENR and DOH Administrative Order 02, S. 2005 recognizes the provisions of the above-mentioned Acts, hence, provides the Policies and Guidelines on Effective and Proper Handling, Collection, Transport, Treatment, Storage, and Disposal of Healthcare Wastes;

WHEREAS, LGU-Baybay City recognizes that all toxic and hazardous wastes could pose adverse impacts on the environment and health of the populace, so hereby adopts and adheres to the provisions of the above-mentioned Acts for the proper handling and disposition of toxic and hazardous wastes, including persistent organic pollutants and health care/hospital wastes, as defined in Section 15 of City Ordinance No. 001, S. 2015 of the Environment Code of the City of Baybay;

WHEREAS, this Guidance covers all healthcare wastes in the City generated from all but not limited to hospitals and healthcare units/clinics (medical, dental, maternity & lying-in, dispensaries, veterinary), laboratories (medical, bio-medical, bio-tech, nuclear medicine, pharmaceutical), dialysis centers, funeral mortuary/autopsy, nursing homes, animal research, testing, blood banks and blood collection services, medical schools and other medical research institutions.

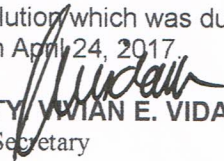
WHEREFORE, on motion of Honorable SP Member Vicente Victor G. Veloso and duly seconded by SP Members Atty. Ernesto M. Butawan and Arturo Elisa O. Astorga, be it;

RESOLVED, as it hereby does RESOLVE, to adopt the Healthcare Waste Management System for the City of Baybay that Provides Practical Guidance for the Proper Handling, Pre-treatment, Treatment, Storage, Transport and Disposal of Hospital and other Healthcare Wastes;

RESOLVED FURTHER, that certified copies of this resolution be furnished to all offices and other agencies concerned for their information and appropriate action.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.


I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing resolution which was duly adopted during the regular session of the Sangguniang Panlungsod, this city, held on April 24, 2017.


ATTY. WIAN E. VIDALLON
SP Secretary

ATTESTED & CERTIFIED
TO BE DULY ADOPTED:


EDGARDO R. OMPO
SP Member, Presiding Officer

APPROVED BY HER HONOR:


CARMEN L. CARI
City Mayor