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LOCALIZING THE NATIONAL GREENING PROGRAM (NGP) THROUGH THE ESTABLISHMENT AND INSTITUTIONALIZATION OF A MUNICIPAL GREENING PROGRAM IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF ITOGON, PROVINCE OF BENGUET.

WHEREAS, the President, His Excellency Benigno Aquino III, issued Executive Order Numbered 26 which ordered and mandated the creation and establishment of a National Greening Program (NGP) “to pursue sustainable development for poverty reduction, food security, and biodiversity.”

WHEREAS, one of the major development programs of the Local Government Unit of Itogon, as incorporated and institutionalized in its Executive-Legislative Agenda; and as further lumped under its Six (6) Point Development Agenda is on environmental protection and conservation as considerable of its land area are made critical due to denudation and lack of vegetation which need to be urgently re-vegetated, enhance and stabilized;

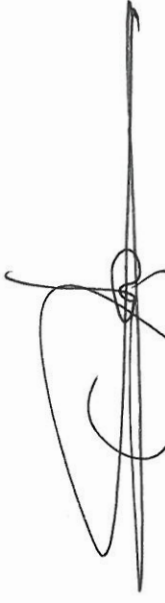
WHEREAS, in order to fully attain the objectives of both the National Greening Program of the National Government and the local agenda of the Municipal Government of Itogon on the same development priority, there is a need to establish and institutionalize a local initiative that which provides and creates a complimentary-convergence of all environmental and greening programs of all concerned stakeholders in the locality;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, OSCAR MAINGPES CAMANTILES, by virtue of the power and authority vested upon me by law as the Local Chief Executive of the Local Government of Itogon, do hereby localize the National Greening Program (NGP) through the establishment and institutionalization of a Municipal Greening Program in the Municipality of Itogon; to wit:

Section 1: Establishment and Institutionalization of a Municipal Greening Program:
 The Municipal Greening Program of the Local Government Unit of Itogon is hereby established and institutionalized by virtue of this Order.

Section 2: Creation and Composition of the Municipal Greening Program Committee (MGPC) : A Municipal Greening Program Committee is hereby created which shall be composed of the following:

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| Chairman | : | The Local Chief Executive |
| Vice Chairman | : | The Municipal Environment and Natural Resources Officer |
| Members | : | The Municipal Planning Development Officer |
| | : | Chairman – SB Committee on Environment And Natural Resources; |
| | : | All Barangay Captains of the Nine (9) |


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- : One duly authorized representative of the Hydro-electric plants/firms in the municipality such as, Aboitiz, HedCor, NGCP, PSALM, SRPC, and etc.
- : The Districts Supervisors of DepEd Itogon (Districts I and II)
- : The President of the Small-Scale Mining Federation In the Municipality of Itogon;
- : SK Federation President;
- : President of the FISCA;
- : OSCA Head;
- : President of the Women's Federation;
- : President of Day Care Workers;
- : President of Barangay Health Workers;
- : President of Barangay Nutrition Scholars;
- : One (1) Representative from each of the national Government line agencies, such as DILG; PNP; BFP; NCIP; DAR; DA
- : One (1) Representative from the EMB-DENR;
- : One (1) Representative from the MGB-DENR;

**Section 3: Duties and Functions of the Municipal Greening Program Committee:
The MGPC shall have the following duties and functions:**

- 1.) To formulate and develop a holistic, strategic and complimentary Environment Conservation and Protection Development Plan (ECPDP) towards the attainment of sustainable development in the municipality, which shall form integral part of the Comprehensive Development Plan (CDP) of the Municipality as thematic-environmental protection plan, upon its due approval by the Municipal Development Council.
- 2.) To closely coordinate with all concerned national governmental line agencies mandated to ensure the full implementation of the National Greening Program as set forth under Executive Order Number 26;
- 3.) To identify open and denuded land areas regardless of classification as enumerated under Section 2 of Executive Order No. 26 and the delineation thereof for re-vegetation and slope stabilization purposes; in close coordination with the concerned private or government entities which own or have direct control and supervision of said subject land for reforestation;



Section 4: Creation and Composition of a MGPC Executive Committee: An Executive Committee of the Municipal Greening Program Committee is hereby created which shall be composed of the following:

- Chairman : The Local Chief Executive;
- Co-Chairman : Municipal Environment and Natural Resources Officer;
- Members : Chairman SB Committee on Environment;
- : Municipal Planning and Development Officer;
- : ABC President

Section 5: Duties and Functions of the MGPC Executive Committee: The MGPC Executive Committee shall have the following duties and functions:

- 1.) To act for and behalf of the Municipal Greening Program Committee, which due to inevitable circumstances constrain the latter to convene and act on matters that it should urgently address and attend to;
- 2.) To perform other duties and functions which the committee may require from time to time.

Section 6: Jurisdiction and Area of the MGPC members which have already existing sites for greening and reforestation: A committee member, if it has already identified an area for reforestation and had prepared and approved a corresponding environmental protection and conservation plan shall be directly responsible with the implementation thereof. Said plan shall be incorporated as major part and parcel of the Environment Conservation and Protection Development Plan as mentioned under Section 3.1 of this Order.

Section 7: Funding: The Local Sanggunian, through the recommendation of the Chairman of the MGPC, as proposed by the committee itself shall allocate funds for the furtherance of the municipal greening program of the Municipality. The committee members, such as the mining firms and water-based industries shall also allocate funds for the implementation of their respective environment conservation and protection plans which are incorporated in the mother plan of the municipality.

DONE in the Municipality of Itogon, Province of Benguet this 18th day of January 2013.

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