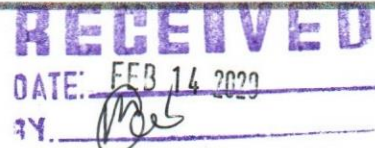
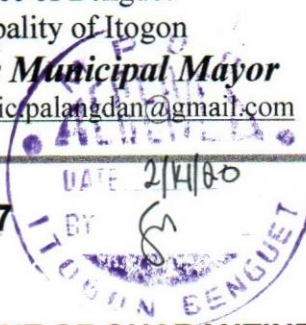




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SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OFFICE
ITOGON, BENGUET

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 07
Series of 2020



ORDERING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF QUARANTINE CHECKPOINTS IN ALL POINTS OF ENTRY AND EXIT IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF ITOGON TO PREVENT THE SPREAD OF AFRICAN SWINE FEVER VIRUS IN THE LOCALITY.

WHEREAS, the African Swine Fever is a severe highly contagious disease affecting pigs, and while it is not a threat to human health, it can cause a serious and massive economic and production loss to our local swine producers, hog raisers and local entrepreneurs engaged in the sale of pork and pork by-products;

WHEREAS, through subsequent Administrative Issuances, the Department of Agriculture provided guidelines governing zoning and movement protocols for swine, pork and pork by-products from within or outside disease outbreak areas;

WHEREAS, live pigs from two towns of the Province of Benguet were confirmed positive with the African Swine Fever while some from three (3) barangays of the municipality were suspected to have been infected with the disease, but while awaiting results of the tests being undertaken by the Department of Agriculture, there is need for a more stringent actions to prevent the entry and possible spread of the dreaded disease in the Municipality of Itogon considering its proximity to the infected towns;

NOW THEREFORE, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, I, **ATTY. VICTORIO T. PALANGDAN**, Municipal Mayor of the Municipality of Itogon, Benguet Province, hereby **ORDER** as follows:

Section 1. Establishment of Quarantine Checkpoints. The Anti-ASF Task Force, through the Itogon Municipal Police Station assisted by the concerned Barangay Officials with their respective Barangay Tanods shall establish quarantine checkpoints at the following locations:

1. Along the Baguio-Itogon Highway boundary at Tuding;
2. Along the Baguio-Benguet Provincial Road Boundary at Virac;
3. Along the Baguio-Philex Road at Kias, Virac;
4. Along the Benguet-Vizcaya Road particularly at the Beckel-Loacan Boundary;
5. Guisset ComPAC, Tinongdan Junction;
6. Quarantine checkpoints shall also be established in all areas where police precincts are located.

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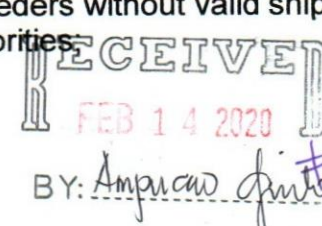
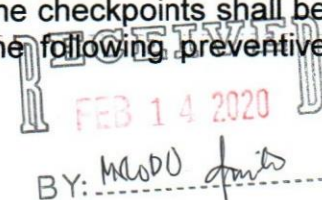
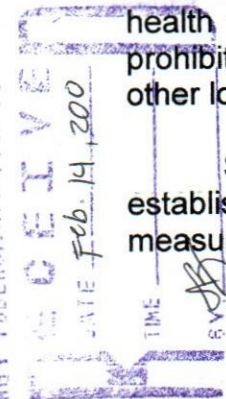
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Provided finally that the Punong Barangays of Tinongdan, Dalupirip and Ampucao shall mobilize their respective Sangunian Members, community brigades, barangay tanods, health workers and even residents to ensure the none entry of live pigs and those prohibited under Section 2.1 from Kayapa, Nueva Vizcaya, San Manuel Pangasinan and other lowland municipalities which are adjacent to the afore-mentioned barangays.

Section 2. Purpose of Quarantine Checkpoints. Quarantine checkpoints shall be established in the afore-mentioned locations to ensure that the following preventive measures are implemented:

1. Prevention of entry to the municipality of the following:
 - a. Live pigs including piglets, fatteners and breeders without valid shipping or travel documents issued by competent authorities.

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- b. Pork in large quantities including processed pork meats and such other pork by-products purposely for sale or to be served during occasions or social gatherings without valid and proper documents issued by the local veterinary officer, the NMIS and other competent authorities from its place of origin;
 - c. Pork and pork by-products from ASF infected provinces, cities or municipalities;
 - d. Genetic materials such as semen, embryo or ova;
 - e. Commercial or in-house mixed feeds specially those which are used as swill feeds;
 - f. Vehicles used in delivery of pigs and other farm related inputs unless these were properly disinfected;
 - g. Animal manure and/or compost fertilizer containing the same without necessary documents or certification from ASF-free origin;
2. Prevent the exit from the municipality of the following:
- a. Live pigs intended for slaughter coming from an area within the 1 Km. radius where suspected ASF case exists unless these pigs had undergone the weekly ASF test prescribed under DA Administrative Circular No. 10, series of 2019 and were declared free from the disease;
 - b. Live pigs, pork and pork by-products coming from an area declared as ground zero due where suspected or confirmed cases of ASF occurs;
 - c. Personnel protective equipment used by authorities or personnel who were in contact with suspected ASF infected pigs including its surrounding premises.

Section 3. Disposal Procedures. In the vent that ASF infected swine , pork or pork by-products have been determined during the conduct of checkpoints, this matter shall be coordinated immediately to the Provincial ASF Task Force through the Office of the Provincial Agriculturist, the Department of Agriculture and to the Office of the Municipal Mayor for the execution of appropriate disposal and disinfection procedures.

Section 4. Separability Clause. If for any reasons, this Order or parts hereof are declared invalid or unconstitutional by competent authority, other parts hereof not affected thereby shall continue to be in force and effect.

Section 5. Repealing Clause. All Executive Orders and/or Issuances inconsistent herewith or parts hereof are deemed repealed and/or modified accordingly.

Section 6. Effectivity. This Executive Order shall take effect immediately.

DONE this 14th day of February, 2020 at Itogon, Benguet.

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