



Republic of the Philippines  
 Province of Ilocos Norte  
**MUNICIPALITY OF NUEVA ERA**

**OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN**

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF NUEVA ERA, ILOCOS NORTE, HELD AT THE SESSION HALL ON DECEMBER 17, 2007 AT 10:00 O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING, MONDAY.

**PRESENT:**

HON. JOSEPH B. ARZADON	Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer
HON. CRISTETA A. FELIPE	SB Member
HON. MARLON P. PAHINAG	"
HON. REDENTOR B. VALERA	"
HON. CARDITO M. TAMAYO	"
HON. ARNEL B. FARIÑAS	"
HON. FERNANDO B. BALAGSO	"
HON. ELMER B. AZURIN	"
HON. ROGER O. ARZADON	"
HON. PETRONIO RIQUELMAN JR.	ABC President
HON. JOE PAT DOMINGO	SK Fed. President

**ABSENT:**

None

**MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 2007-06**

**AN ORDINANCE ORGANIZING THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL FOR THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN**

WHEREAS, the United Nations' Convention on the Rights of the child affirms the vulnerability of children, and their need for legal and other protective mechanisms before and after birth, and the vital role of international cooperation in securing child's rights;

WHEREAS, every child has an inherent right to life and the State has an obligation to ensure the child's survival and development;

WHEREAS, the Philippine Constitution guarantees the rights of children to assistance, including proper care and nutrition, and special protection from all forms of neglect, abuse, cruelty, exploitation and other conditions prejudicial to their development;

WHEREAS, the Municipal Government of Nueva Era is committed to uphold children's protection and shall pursue programs and mechanisms to ensure the protection and development of children as mandated by the Constitution;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved, that a program to support children's rights and development be adopted and pursued by the municipal government;

RESOLVED FURTHER that a council/committee under the municipal development council of Nueva Era is created to implement a program for the protection of children's rights and development with the following as members:

Municipal Mayor :	Chairman – Hon. Atty. Aldrin R. Garvida
Municipal Committee Chair on Women and Family:	Member SB Cristeta A. Felipe
Municipal Planning and Development Coordinator:	Member - Mr. Jorge T. Batugal
Municipal Social Welfare Officer :	Member - Mrs. Paz B. Acosta
Municipal School Superintendent :	Member - Mrs. Josefina M. Arzadon
Municipal Civil Registrar :	Member - Mrs. Lolita T. De Vera
Municipal Counsel :	Member - Atty. Marlyn Damasen
Municipal Federation of SK Pres.	Member - Hon. Joe Pat S. Domingo
Municipal Health Officer :	Member - Dr. Bernadette A. Eniaca, MD
Municipal Agriculture Officer :	Member - Mr. Felicisimo C. Maulit
ABC Municipal President :	Member - Hon. Petronio Riquelman Jr.
A member of the Finance Committee :	Member - Linda A. Bringas
Municipal Local Government Operations Officer :	Member - Miss Wilhelmina E. Pastor
Municipal President of Day Care Workers :	Member - Mrs. Ludy B. Cacayorin

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RESOLVED FURTHER THAT THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL FOR THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN AND THE LCPC SHALL PERFORM THE FOLLOWING FUNCTIONS:

1. Formulate municipal plans of action for children, incorporating projects and programs needing assistance by the barangay and ensure their integration into the municipal development plans.
2. Monitor and evaluate the implementation of municipal development plans.
3. Promptly address issues and concerns affecting children and youth.
4. Advocate passage of relevant child and youth protection ordinances.
5. Advocate increased support and resource allocation for children's programs and projects.
6. Provide technical assistance to community-based frontline workers through conduct of capability-building and human resource development activities.
7. Prepare contingency measures to protect children and their families from natural and man-made disasters.
8. Approve selection of pilot and expansion barangays for Local Council for the Protection of Children (LCPC) formation and development.

RESOLVED FINALLY to furnish copy of this ordinance to the Governor of the Province of Ilocos Norte thru the Sangguniang Panlalawigan, Province of Ilocos Norte for their information and reference.

Voting Profile:


In favor : Members: C. Felipe, M. Pahinag, R. Valera, C. Tamayo, A. Fariñas, F. Balagso, E. Azurin, R. Arzadon, P. Riquelman Jr. & JoePat Domingo

Against : N o n e

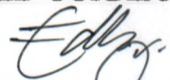
Abstained : N o n e

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ATTESTED:

  
**JOSEPH B. ARZADON**  
Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

  
**EDGARD G. BRINGAS**  
Secretary to the Sangguniang Bayan

APPROVED:

  
**ATTY. ALDRIN R. GARVIDA**  
Municipal Mayor