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Municipality of Bulakan



OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL MAYOR

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 20-2020

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AN ORDER REQUIRING THE WEARING OF FACE MASKS BY ALL PERSONS IN PUBLIC PLACES WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF BULAKAN.

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2020 President Rodrigo Roa Duterte declared that the entire Luzon is under Enhanced Community Quarantine due to the outbreak of COVID-19 that threatens public health.

WHEREAS, the pandemic affects the lives of many people not only within the Philippines but also throughout the world;

WHEREAS, has already issued an Executive Order ACTIVATING TASK FORCE TO PROTECT AGAINST THE THREAT OF CORONA VIRUS DISEASE (COVID-19) IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF BULAKAN, BULACAN;

WHEREAS, the wearing of face masks with proper sanitation is significant to prevent the transmission of the disease;

NOW, THEREFORE, I VERGEL C. MENESES, Municipal Mayor of Bulakan, Province of Bulacan, by virtue of the power vested in me by law, do hereby order **REQUIRING THE WEARING OF FACE MASK BY ALL PERSON IN PUBLIC PLACES WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF BULAKAN, BULACAN:**

SECTION I. Definition of Terms:

1. Face Mask – a mask worn to prevent the inhalation of fumes, or to avoid spreading germs.
2. Public Places – is a place that is generally open and accessible to people. Roads (including the pavement), public squares, parks and beaches are typically considered public space. To a limited extent, government building which are open to the public, such as public libraries are public spaces, although they tend to have restricted areas and greater limits upon use.

SECTION II. Mandatory Wearing of Face Mask. As part of the precautionary measures against COVID19 adopted by the Municipal Government of Bulakan, all persons within the jurisdiction are directed to wear face mask to prevent the transmission and contamination of the disease during the Enhanced Community Quarantine.

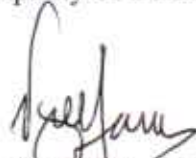
SECTION III. Enforcement. The Philippine National Police (PNP) is hereby mandated to enforce the full extent of this order, as well as all barangay officials, and other forces.

SECTION IV. Penalty. Those who will violate this order shall be punishable in accordance with the penalties and fines provided under Section 10 of Republic Act No. 11332 or the Mandatory Reporting of Notifiable Disease and Health Events of Public Health Concern Act.

SECTION V. Separability Clause. Any provision of this Order declared by a court of competent jurisdiction as invalid or unconstitutional, the remaining probation not otherwise adversely affected thereby shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION VI. Effectivity. This Executive Order shall take effect immediately upon signing.

DONE, this 15th day of April 2020 at Municipality of Bulakan, Province of Bulacan.



VERGEL C. MENESES

Municipal Mayor