



OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 51ST REGULAR SESSION OF THE 14TH SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF LOON, PROVINCE OF BOHOL HELD ON THE 14TH DAY OF JULY 2020 AT JUAN M. RELAMPAGOS SESSION HALL, LOON, BOHOL-

PRESENT:

Hon. Lloyd Peter M. Lopez, M.D.	Vice Mayor, Presiding Officer
Hon. Pedro M. Literatus, Jr.	SB Member
Hon. Lydia L. Almasa	SB Member
Hon. Kristel P. Tecson	SB Member
Hon. Judy Marie H. Veloso	SB Member
Hon. Zaide Y. Coritico	SB Member
Hon. Timoteo L. Legitimas	SB Member
Hon. Priscila C. Branzuela	SB Member
Hon. Lucena C. Lanaja	LnB President, Ex-Officio Member
Hon. April Joseph L. Corciega	SKMF President, Ex-Officio Member

VIRTUAL PRESENCE:

Hon. Ana Lisa O. Go	SB Member
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MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 20-003
Series of 2020

AN ORDINANCE MANDATING ALL PERSONS WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF LOON TO WEAR FACE MASKS OR OTHER SIMILAR PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT DURING THE EXISTENCE OF A STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY OR SIMILAR DECLARATIONS, AND IMPOSING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF

Be it enacted, by the 14th Sangguniang Bayan of Loon in session duly assembled:

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE. This Ordinance shall be known as the “Mandatory Wearing of Face Masks or Other Similar Protective Equipment Ordinance in the Municipality of Loon”.

SECTION 2. RATIONALE. Section 15, Article II of the 1987 Philippine Constitution provides that the State shall protect and promote the right to health of the people and instill health consciousness among them. Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, authorizes the Municipal Mayor to carry out such emergency measures as may be necessary during and in the aftermath of man-made and natural disasters and calamities.

SECTION 3. DEFINITION. For purposes of this Ordinance, the following definition shall be adopted:

“Face Mask or Face Covering” – is any form of protective device that is firmly fastened over the face and covering at least the nose, mouth and chin and serves as a protection against transmission of coronavirus and similar diseases. It includes surgical masks, industrial masks, earloop masks, reusable or do-it-yourself masks, cloth masks, face shields, bandanas or scarves, handkerchiefs and other similar device that are sufficient in preventing the spread of communicable diseases.

SECTION 4. MANDATORY USE OF FACE MASK.

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Municipality of Loon during the existence of a State of Public Health Emergency or similar declarations.

- b) Any individual with contagious respiratory problem is required to use a face mask or face covering in all places with or without declaration of public health emergency.

SECTION 5. IMPLEMENTING OFFICES. This Ordinance shall be implemented and enforced by the local offices of the Philippine National Police (PNP), Philippine Coast Guard (PCG), Philippine Ports Authority (PPA), and the Department of Health (DoH) through the Municipal Health Office (MHO), as well as the Municipal Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council (MDRRMC), elected barangay officials, members of the Barangay Tanod, Barangay Health Workers, local traffic management personnel, and other individuals or groups deputized by the Municipal Mayor.

SECTION 6. PENALTY. Any person who violates this Ordinance shall be penalized the amount of Five Hundred Pesos (P 500.00) per offense.

SECTION 7. EFFECTIVITY. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its approval and due publication.

UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED.

I hereby certify to the correctness of the above-quoted ordinance.

FIDELINO P. CORITICO, LLB
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

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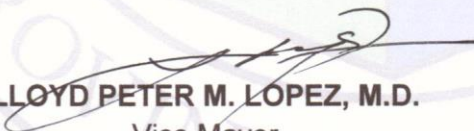
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