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**OFFICE OF THE CITY MAYOR**  
*City of Naga*



**Executive Order No. 2015-014-A**

**CREATING THE HAPPY YOUTH MOVEMENT IN NAGA (HYMN) PROGRAM AND CONSTITUTING THE HYMN CITY COUNCIL TASKED TO ORGANIZE AND MOBILIZE CHAPTERS IN ALL TWENTY SEVEN (27) BARANGAYS OF THE CITY AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES:**

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to its mandate under the General Welfare Clause of the Local Government Code and backstopped by the City Ordinance on Child and Youth Welfare, particularly Ordinance No. 2012-035 (otherwise known as the Naga City Youth Code) the City Government of Naga sees the imperative need to galvanize its strong vigilance and guidance over Nagueño out-of-school youth (OSY) aged 15-30 years to transform them into responsible, civic-conscious and productive citizens of the barangay and the city;

**WHEREAS**, there is also a crucial need to form a cohesive interlinking among key stakeholders for a more comprehensive approach over initiatives, programs, projects and activities geared towards OSY development, involvement and engagement in the local community;

**WHEREAS**, given the immense, immeasurable and inexhaustible dynamism, vigor, creativity and energy waiting to be tapped among our youth, especially those who have a lot of idle and unproductive time, it shall be deemed essential that an all-inclusive and well-coordinated program to be called as the Happy Youth Movement in Naga (HYMN) be created and organized;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, JOHN G. BONGAT, Mayor of the City of Naga**, by virtue of the powers and authority vested in me by law, do hereby order the following:

**Section 1. Creation and Purpose.** The Happy Youth Movement in Naga (HYMN) is a far-reaching, city-wide, all-embracing program advocating youth empowerment and development, to be organized as a dynamic movement aimed at securing to our youth the blessings of democracy, and inculcating in them the values of civic-mindedness, health and wellness, resourcefulness, community- and nation-building. This will in effect drive them away from iniquitous vices and transform them into relevant and productive members of the community, future leaders and movers of our city.



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The target youth sector shall have the following qualifications:

1. He/she must be 15-30 years old;
2. He/she must be an OSY who is not yet enrolled under the Alternative Learning System (ALS), or who failed in the A & E examination, or who is a high school graduate but not presently enrolled in either tech-voc or college course, or has dropped out for whatever reason;
3. He/she must be unemployed, and has a lot of idle and unproductive time;
4. He/she must be a resident of Naga;
5. He/she must have an interest in skills development, sports, the performing, visual and/or literary arts;
6. He/she must be willing to be a youth volunteer to promote any or all of the following:
  - a) health and wellness, by being a blood donor or advocate of healthy lifestyle;
  - b) peace and order and DRRM, by enlisting himself/herself as member of BANKAT Youth;
  - c) environmental protection, by joining the Barangay Rabuz Youth;
  - d) sports development, by joining barangay and city sports events and competitions;
  - e) livelihood, by joining formal and/or informal skills training/entrepreneurship programs recognized by the city government;
  - f) the arts, by joining singing groups, dance clubs, visual arts groups, etc.

The above fields of interest shall be treated as the **six (6) thrusts** or key areas of OSY development under the HYMN Program, **falling under the three (3) pillars of HYMN, namely, i) Balik-Eskwela; ii) Discovery of Talent; and iii) Community Service.**

**Section 2. Composition of the HYMN City Council.** The Happy Youth Movement in Naga (HYMN) Council, to serve as the exclusive organizing, policy-making and executive body for the HYMN program, shall be composed of the following:

**Chairman:** City Mayor  
**Vice Chairman:** SP Chairman on Youth & Sports Development  
**Program Officer:** NCDDDB Executive Director  
**Executive Officer:** Lingkod Barangay Officer



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**Members:**

- Metro PESO Head
- CHO Head
- CPNO Head
- CEO Head
- GSD Head
- SCO Head
- CEPPIO Head
- ESSO Head
- Naga City Sports Office Coordinator
- Arts, Culture and Tourism Office Representative
- i-Serve Office Head
- Liga ng mga Barangay
- KSBK representative
- NOSYO President
- PWD Youth Representative
- LGBT Representative
- NCPC Representative

**Section 3. Functions.** – The HYMN City Council shall have the following functions:

- a. Formulate policies to effect the purposes and objectives in Section 1 hereof;
- b. Organize the HYMN in every barangay as a chapter with the following officers: President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Program Officer, and Public Information Officer, with the Punong Barangay (PB) as Adviser and the Sangguniang Barangay Chairperson on Youth Affairs as Barangay Executive Officer;
- c. Develop a database of all members per barangay;
- d. Create a profile of each HYMN member per zone/per barangay that indicates age, gender, educational attainment, favorite sport/skill/talent in music and the arts, and ambition in life;
- e. Formulate projects and activities in the areas of **health and wellness**, sports, skills and talent development, whether in music or the arts, etc.;
- f. Initiate and coordinate all significant pro-OSY activities, events, and programs that will cater towards drug use prevention, youth productivity and moral values orientation and recovery programs;
- g. Promote youth empowerment through active engagement in manual, intellectual, and psychomotor activities and social collaboration with other key sectors of the community;



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- h. Engender youth productivity through exposure in various technical skills-enhancing activities undertaken by the City Engineer's Office (CEO) and General Services Department (GSD), Metro PESO, DTL, etc.; and
- i. Perform such other activities consistent with or in pursuance of the above functions.

**Section 4. Funding.** The City Government shall allocate the amount necessary to cover the expenses for the implementation of the activities of the HYMN Program chargeable against the Youth Development Fund, the city sports and scholarships funds, peace and order fund, environment fund, **health and nutrition fund**, Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Fund (LDRRMF), arts and culture funds, livelihood and agriculture funds.

**Section 5. Effectivity.** This Executive Order shall take effect immediately.

Issued this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of August 2015 in the City of Naga.

**JOHN G. BONGAT**  
City Mayor

Attested:

  
**FLORENCIO T. MONGOSO, JR.**  
Department Head II and City Administrator