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REPORTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 22ND

PRESENT:

HON. CESAR L. INES JR.

*Municipal Vice Mayor  
and Presiding Officer*

THE COMPREHENSIVE

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AN ORDINANCE INSTITUTIONALIZING  
RABIES PREVENTION AND CONTROL

in hazard and imminent danger to  
incidence of rabies caused by dog

the public as exemplified by the intolerable  
bites;

if not eradicated, by implementing

**WHEREAS** rabies can be controlled

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a concerned and comprehensive rabies control

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MAXIMO A. ACBAY  
DR. DAHLIA A. LOYOLA

**WHEREAS**, this Municipal Government is mandated by RA 7160, RA 9482 (The Anti-Rabies Act of 2007), RA 8485 (The Animal Welfare Act of 1998), DILG Memorandum Circular Nos. 2011-30 & 2014-56, Cavite Provincial Ordinance Nos. 02-95 (as amended) and 130-2015 and other applicable rules and regulations, to strengthen and strictly enforce anti-rabies program and campaign;

  
AMABLE M. LONTOK  
CESAR L. INES JR.

**WHEREAS**, it is the bounden duty of this Municipal Government to safeguard public health and safety of the constituents by regulating the possession, ownership and/or keeping of animals;

  
HUBERTO ANHUGO  
MARVIC M. PAKINGAN

**WHEREAS**, by virtue of Executive Order No. 21, Series of 2017, the Municipal Mayor has organized the Municipal Rabies Control Committee of the Municipal Government of Carmona;

  
ROEL Z. MANARIN  
FERMIN M. LEVARDO

**WHEREAS**, after due consultations, series of committee meetings and public hearing conducted, the joint Committees on Health and Environmental Protection and Agriculture have gathered public support on the issue at hand meriting its enactment;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, BY THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, THAT:**

  
BERNIE A. ORTIZ  
REBECCA L. REYES

**Section 1. Short Title.** This Ordinance shall be known and cited as the "**Carmona Rabies Prevention and Control Ordinance**".

**Section 2. Declaration of Policy.** The Municipal Government of Carmona hereby declares to protect and enhance the health and safety of Carmonians by institutionalizing the Comprehensive Rabies Prevention and Control Program of this Municipal Government.

**Section 3. Scope.** This Ordinance shall cover all matters pertinent to the promotion of the health and safety of the people. A system for the control, prevention of the spread, and eventual eradication of human and animal rabies shall be provided and the need for responsible pet ownership shall be established within the Municipal Government of Carmona, Cavite.

**Section 4. Definition of Terms.** For purposes of this Ordinance, the following terms shall mean:

  
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- a. **Animal Health Worker** – refers to the person (frontline animal health worker) who will take care of the health of the animals.
- b. **Animal or human barbiturates** – refer to drugs that depress the function of the central nervous system.
- c. **Animal pound** – refers to a public enclosure for stray animals.



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ination of dogs, cats and veterinarian and trained individual such as animal health worker under the direct supervision of a licensed government veterinarian. The services of the said trained individual shall be limited only to rabies vaccination of dogs/cats and only during government mass vaccination campaigns.

d. **Animal vaccination** - refers to rabies vaccination of all other animals

**Bitten** - refers to an act by which a dog/cat seizes, cuts or grips with its teeth where the skin of a person has been wounded, pierced or scratched.

**Cat** - refers to a common quadruped domestic animal belonging to the *Order Carnivora* (male or female), scientifically known as *felis domesticus*.

**Direct supervision** - refers to range supervision where physical presence of the veterinarian within the barangay is necessary.

**Dog** - refers to a common quadruped domestic animal belonging to the *Order Carnivora* (male or female), scientifically known as *canis familiaris*.

**Euthanasia** - refers to the process of painless death to dog/cat and other animals.

**Impounding** - refers to seizing and holding of animals in the custody of the law.

**MRPCP** - shall mean Municipal Rabies Prevention and Control Program.

**Neutering** - refers to the removal of the testicles in male dogs and cats.

**Pet owner** - refers to any person who possesses, has title to or an interest in, harbors or has control, custody or possession of the animal.

**Pre-exposure Prophylaxis (PREP)** - refers to rabies vaccination administered before an exposure to rabies to those who are at high risk of getting rabies.

**Post-exposure Prophylaxis (PEP)** - refers to an anti-rabies treatment administered after an exposure to rabies, which include local wound care with or without anti-rabies immunizing agent.

markets, streets, etc.

q. **Rabies** - refers to a highly fatal disease caused by a lyssa virus,

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r. **Rabies transmission** - refers to the transmission or passage of the rabies virus through a bite by an infected animal, or through contamination with virus-laden saliva on breaks in the skin and of mucous membranes such as the eyes, the

eyes, the lips, the mouth, or the

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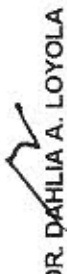
mucous membranes such as the genital organs.

a. Rabies Vaccines



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DR. DAHLIA A. LOYOLA

**a. Municipal Mayor**

- i. As Honorary Chairman, shall lead, recommend and assist in the formulation of policies and guidelines on all matters pertaining to rabies prevention and control measures.
- ii. Approve policy guidelines towards the attainment of goals and objectives of this Ordinance.
- iii. Recommend the appropriation of funds for the implementation of programs, projects and activities.
- iv. Conduct regular meetings of the Council.
- v. Decide with finality on all matters pertaining to the program.
- vi. Ensure that the IRRs of RA 9482 (Rabies Act of 2007), RA 8485 (Animal Welfare Act of 1998), Municipal Rabies Prevention and Control Program (MRPCP), and the provisions of this Ordinance are properly and effectively implemented.

**b. Municipal Health Office (MHO)**

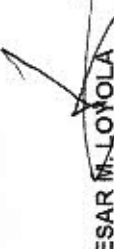

- i. Strictly implement the Program or MRPCP in compliance with RA 9482 (The Anti-Rabies Act of 2007), RA 8485 (The Animal Welfare Act of 1998), DILG Memorandum Circular Nos. 2011-30 and 2014-56, and Cavite Provincial Ordinance Nos. 02-95 (as amended) and 130-2015 and other pertinent laws, rules and regulations.
- ii. Formulate policies and guidelines on all matters pertaining to rabies prevention and control measures for approval of the Municipal Mayor.
- iii. Ensure the availability and adequate supply of DOH pre-qualified human anti-rabies vaccine in animal bite treatment centers at all times and shall coordinate with other implementing agencies and concerned CSOs for this purpose.
- iv. Provide Post-Exposure Treatment at the minimum expense to individuals bitten by animals suspected of being rabid which will consist of the initial vaccine and immunoglobulin dose.
- v. Provide Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis to high-risk personnel, such as, but not limited to, laboratory staff, veterinarians, animal handlers, vaccinators and other persons working with rabies virus for free.
- vi. Coordinate with the Municipal Agriculture Office in the development of appropriate health education strategies to inform the public on rabies prevention and control and responsible pet ownership.
- vii. Maintain a human rabies surveillance system.
- viii. Encourage collaborative activities with the MRPCP members and other concerned sectors.

  
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