ORDINANCE NO 02-036

ORDINANCE CREATING A PHILHEALTH CAPITATION FUND FROM THE PROCEEDS OF THE OUTPATIENT CONSULTATION AND DIAGNOSTIC BENEFIT PACKAGE TO BE PROVIDED BY THE PHILIPPINE HEALTH INSURANCE CORPORATION (PhilHealth) FOR QUALIFIED INDIGENT FAMILIES OF MUNTINLUPA CITY UNDER THE INDIGENT SECTOR COMPONENT OF THE NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM (NHIP).

Sponsored by:
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WHEREAS, the 1987 Philippine Constitution declares as a State policy to provide its territorial and political subdivisions genuine and meaningful local autonomy to enable them to attain their fullest development as self-reliant communities and as effective partners in the attainment of national goals;

WHEREAS, the State likewise declares that the vesting of duty, responsibility and accountability in local government units (LGUs) shall be accompanied with provision for reasonably adequate resources to effectively carry out their functions;

WHEREAS, in pursuit of these constitutional mandates, Congress has mandated the implementation of the Indigent Sector Component of the National Health Insurance Program (NHIP) or the Medicare para sa Masa;

WHEREAS, this priority program is aimed at “setting into motion a meaningful health care financing and delivery mechanism anchored on local government”;

WHEREAS, the Indigent Program of the National Health Insurance Program (NHIP) provides a mechanism to identify the qualified indigent families and to grant them membership to NHIP through full or partial government subsidies. It will enable them to access to medical service in all NHIP accredited providers;
WHEREAS, the Body, considering the beneficial features of RA 7875 as it will vastly improve the over-all health status of the population and ultimately, their general quality of life and rationalize the City Government’s expenditure for health, collectively agreed to adopt the National Health Insurance Program (NHIP) of the National Government;

WHEREAS, the creation of a Philhealth Capitation Fund (PCF) is necessary to attain the purpose and objectives of the Indigent Program;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED AS IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED, to create a Philhealth Capitation Fund from the proceeds of the outpatient consultation and diagnostic benefit package to be provided for by the Philippine Health Insurance Corporation (Philhealth) for qualified indigent families of Muntinlupa City under the indigent sector.

ENACTED, by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Muntinlupa this 7th day of February 2002, on its 21st Regular Session.

CONCURRED:

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ALLAN REY A. CAMILON
Councilor

I HEREBY CERTIFY, as to the correctness of the foregoing Resolution.

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Secretary
SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD

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