ORDINANCE NO. 2020-072

AN ORDINANCE MANDATING THE CLOSURE OF PUBLIC AND PRIVATE RECREATIONAL FACILITIES IN THE CITY OF MUNTINLUPA TO EFFECTIVELY IMPLEMENT SOCIAL DISTANCING DURING THE PERIOD OF COMMUNITY QUARANTINE.

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WHEREAS, on March 12, 2020 the World Health Organization (WHO) declared COVID-19 a "pandemic";

WHEREAS, the Department of Health has elevated the outbreak as Code Red Sub-Level 2 due to the "continued and accelerated spread of the COVID-19 as has been observed within NCR;

WHEREAS, Resolution No. 11 (Series of 2020) issued by the Inter-Agency Task Force for the Management of Emerging Infectious Disease was adopted by His Excellency, President Rodrigo Roa Duterte, effectively placing the entire NCR under community quarantine;

WHEREAS, one of the means to effectively contain the spread of the virus is to implement social distancing and community quarantine by restricting the movement of people and encouraging them to stay at home during this serious health crisis now being faced by NCR and the entire country;

WHEREAS, various policies like the declaration of curfew, classes suspensions in schools, regulations in the public and private transport, alternative work arrangement in the public sector and adjusted work schedules in the private sector are being implemented to keep people home.
NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED by the 9th Sangguniang Panlungsod of Muntinlupa in session assembled that:

SECTION 1. Short Title. This ordinance shall be known as the Closure of Recreational Facilities for Social Distancing;

SECTION 2. Scope. This Ordinance shall apply to all recreational facilities, whether public or private, within the jurisdiction of the City.

SECTION 3. Definition of Terms. The following terms when used in this ordinance shall mean:

a. **Recreational Facilities** - means facilities that provide a means for relaxation, play, or amusement which include but not limited to spas, saunas, steam baths, swimming pools, fitness gyms, entertainment or karaoke bars, located in country clubs, hotels, condominiums. resorts and athletic activities such as basketball, volleyball, football, softball, badminton and similar sports that entail close person to person contact.

SECTION 4. Prohibition. All recreational facilities both private and public and other establishments which require close person to person contact in the City of Muntinlupa are hereby mandated to cease operations during the community quarantine period which is from March 16 to April 14, 2020;

SECTION 5. Penalty. Any establishment found violating this ordinance shall be closed and its business permit suspended unless it executes a written undertaking that it will not violate the provisions of this ordinance during the community quarantine period.

SECTION 6. Effectivity. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

ENACTED, by 9th Sangguniang Panlungsod this 16th day of March, 2020 on its 36th Regular Session.

CONCURRED:

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

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Date: 8 MAR 2020