



Republic of the Philippines  
Province of Misamis Oriental  
MUNICIPALITY OF OPOL

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**OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN**

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 47<sup>TH</sup> REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF OPOL FOR THE TERM 2022- 2025 HELD ON JUNE 26, 2023 AT THE SB SESSION HALL, OPOL, MISAMIS ORIENTAL

PRESENT: Hon. Danilo E. Daroy, Jr. - Municipal Vice-Mayor  
Presiding Officer  
Hon. Glee A. Jacalan - Municipal Kagawad  
Hon. Danilo O. Daroy - Municipal Kagawad  
Hon. Eliezer A. Vacalares, Jr. - Municipal Kagawad  
Hon. Dante D. Roble, Sr. - Municipal Kagawad  
Hon. Chizarina M. Ortigoza - Municipal Kagawad  
Hon. Roland B. Alfeche - Municipal Kagawad  
Hon. Palmero F. Ebonia - Municipal Kagawad  
Hon. Rhally Mae G. Piit - Municipal Kagawad  
Hon. Jeffrey P. Puasan - Indigenous Peoples Mandatory Representative (IPMR)

ABSENT: Hon. Celestine Richie C. Caayupan - SK Federation President

**Resolution No. 2023- 200**

**A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE MUNICIPAL SOCIAL WELFARE AND DEVELOPMENT OFFICE (MSWDO) CHILD PROTECTION SAFEGUARDING POLICY**

**WHEREAS**, under Section 2 of Republic Act No. 9262, otherwise known as the "Anti-Violence Against Women and Their Children Act of 2004", the State values the dignity of women and children and guarantees full respect for human rights. The State also recognizes the need to protect the family and its members particularly women and children, from violence and threats to their personal safety and security;

**WHEREAS**, Section 16 of the Local Government Code expressly states that every local government unit shall exercise the powers expressly granted, those necessarily implied therefrom, as well as powers necessary, appropriate, or incidental for its efficient and effective governance, and those which are essential to the promotion of the general welfare;

**WHEREAS**, Section 17 of the Code provides that local government units shall endeavor to be self-reliant and shall continue exercising the powers and discharging the duties and functions currently vested upon them. They shall also discharge the functions and responsibilities of national agencies and offices devolved to them pursuant to the Code. Local government units shall likewise exercise such other powers and discharge such other functions and responsibilities as are necessary, appropriate, or incidental to efficient and effective provisions of the basic services and facilities enumerated therein;

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Section 17 (b) (2) (iv) of the Code, the local government units shall provide basic services and facilities such as, but not limited to, social welfare services which include programs and projects on child and youth welfare, family and community welfare, women's welfare, welfare of the elderly and disabled persons; community-based rehabilitation programs for vagrants, beggars, street children, scavengers, juvenile delinquents, and victims of drug abuse; livelihood and other pro-poor projects; nutrition services; and family planning services;

**WHEREAS**, in an urgent letter dated June 19, 2023, the Local Chief Executive, Mayor Jayfrancis D. Bago, requested the Honorable Members of the Sangguniang Bayan of Opol to issue a Resolution adopting the Child Protection Safeguarding Policy of the Municipal Social Welfare and Development Office (MSWDO);

**WHEREAS**, the MSWDO's Child Protection Safeguarding Policy aims to promote good practice by providing children and young people with appropriate safety and protection while under its custody and care;

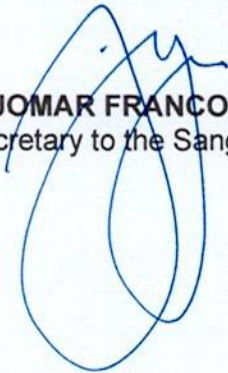


**WHEREFORE**, in a motion presented by Hon. Roland B. Alfeche, and duly seconded by Hon. Eliezer A. Vacalares, Jr.; it was

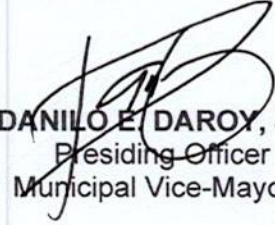
**RESOLVED, AS THE BODY HEREBY RESOLVES**, to approve the Resolution Adopting the Municipal Social Welfare and Development Office (MSWDO) Child Protection Safeguarding Policy.

**-Approved-**

**I HEREBY CERTIFY** to the correctness of the foregoing Resolution. This is to certify further that this Resolution remains effective and has not been amended, revoked, or suspended.

  
**JOMAR FRANCO D. BAGO**  
Secretary to the Sangguniang Bayan I

**ATTESTED BY:**

  
**DANILO E. DAROY, JR.**  
Presiding Officer  
Municipal Vice-Mayor