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REGIONAL NUTRITION COMMITTEE X
Resolution No. 04, Series of 2018

**APPROVING AND ADOPTING OF THE REGIONAL BANTAY ASIN TASK FORCE STRATEGIC PLAN
2019-2022**

WHEREAS, as mandated by the Republic Act 8172 or An Act of Promoting Salt Iodization Nationwide (ASIN) Law, the Regional Bantay Asin Task Force (RBATF) X was organized;

WHEREAS, the efforts in Northern Mindanao to implement the National Salt Iodization Program (NSIP) and the RA 8172 were sporadic and not sustained.

WHEREAS, Region X has still existing pocket of deficiency since the proportion of median UIE <50 ug/L was $\geq 20\%$, even if the median is > 100 ug/L or with "mild" IDD based on the National Nutrition Survey 2013;

WHEREAS, the RNC X through Regional Nutrition Committee (RNC) Resolution No. 1 s. 2016 Streamlining of the Regional Bantay Asin Task Force Making the Task Force a Sub-Structure of the Regional Nutrition Committee (March 8, 2016) amending RNC Resolution No. 4 s. 2014 Reactivation/Reorganization of the Region X Bantay Asin Task Force (December 10, 2014) and was supported by the Regional Development Council X through the issuance of RDC X Resolution No. 22 s. 2015, efforts with the Regional Bantay Asin Task Force of Northern Mindanao were strengthened;

WHEREAS, the RBATF will act as the watchdog and first line of defense in ensuring that only adequately iodized salt will reach the households in Northern Mindanao;

WHEREAS, the updated Regional Bantay Asin Task Force X Strategic 2019 – 2022 will serve as living document in the implementation of plans and activities in achieving the goal of achieving Universal Salt Iodization in Northern Mindanao;

BE IT RESOLVED, THEREFORE, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, on motion duly seconded that the Regional Bantay Asin Task Strategic Plan 2019-2022 be adopted by the Regional Nutrition Committee X to achieve the goal of achieving Universal Salt Iodization in Northern Mindanao.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that the copies of this Resolution be forwarded to the Regional Development Council X through the Social Development Committee, RNC member agencies, members of the Task force, LGUs and other relevant partners and stakeholders for appropriate action and support.


RESOLVED FINALLY, that the National Nutrition Council X shall undertake the coordinative efforts in the implementation, monitoring and evaluation of the activities of the Task Force and lead in subjecting this Resolution to a policy review three years after its effectivity.

APPROVED, 19 June 2018
2018 1st Semester Meeting of the RNC – X
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