



**Executive Order No. 019**  
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**AN ORDER RECONSTITUTING THE LOCAL COMMITTEE ON ANTI-TRAFFICKING AND VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN AND THEIR CHILDREN (LCAT-VAWC)**

**WHEREAS**, Republic Act 9208 declares that the State shall give the highest priority to the enactment of measures and development programs that will promote human dignity, protect the people from violence and exploitation, eliminate trafficking in persons and mitigate involuntary migration and servitude of persons;

**WHEREAS**, Republic Act 9262 mandates the protection of women and children from violence, recognizes the dignity of women and their children being organized from the National, down to the Local Government Unit;

**WHEREAS**, Joint Memorandum Circular No. 2010-1, dated October 18, 2010 of the Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG), Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD) and the Department of Justice (DOJ) directed the creation of Local Committee on Anti-Trafficking and Violence Against Women and their Children (LCAT-VAWC) in all Local Government Units;

**WHEREAS**, the Local Committee is created primarily to establish and strengthen the local structure that will address the problem of Human Trafficking and Violence Against Women and their Children;

**NOW THEREFORE, I, AVELINO N. AGUSTIN, JR.**, Municipal Mayor of Cabarroguis, Quirino, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order the local committee on Anti-Trafficking and Violence Against Women and their Children (LCAT-VAWC) in the Municipality of Cabarroguis, Quirino.

**Section I. RECONSTITUTION OF THE LOCAL COMMITTEE ON ANTI-TRAFFICKING AND VIOLENCE AGAINST WIMEN AND THEIR CHILDREN (LCAT-VAWC).** The Local Government on Anti-Trafficking and Violence Against Women and their Children (LCAT-VAWC) in the Local Government of Cabarroguis id hereby reconstituted with the following composition:

Chairperson	: <b>HON. AVELINO N. AGUSTIN, JR.</b>	- <i>Municipal Mayor</i>
Co – Chairperson	: <b>HON. FRANCISCO M. DULNUAN, JR.</b>	- <i>Municipal Vice Mayor</i>
Members	: <b>HON. FLORENCIO L. VALDEZ, JR.</b>	- <i>Chairman Committee on Health, Social Welfare, Women/Family/Senior Citizen</i>
	<b>LEONILA D. AURE</b>	- <i>Municipal Planning and Development Coordinator</i>
	<b>GERALDINE R. PUGONG, RSW</b>	- <i>Municipal Social Welfare and Development Officer</i>
	<b>ELIZABETH A. CAMELLO, MD, MPH</b>	- <i>Municipal Health Officer</i>
	<b>HERMINIGILDA T. GAMET</b>	- <i>PESO Assistant Manager</i>
	<b>DAHLIA M. FLORES</b>	- <i>Municipal Local Government Operation Officer</i>
	<b>PMAJ ROMEL W. LAMBERT</b>	- <i>Chief of Police</i>
	<b>RUEL M. MAUYAO</b>	- <i>Municipal Budget Officer</i>
	<b>SEBASTIAN S. IGNACIO</b>	- <i>Public Schools District Supervisor</i>
	<b>MELBIE B. MALTO</b>	- <i>Overseas Filipino Worker Representative</i>
	<b>GEORGINA BANIHAN</b>	- <i>RIC Federation President</i>
	<b>JHAZAVEE C. LADDARAN</b>	- <i>Youth Representative</i>



**SECTION II. SECRETARIAT.** The Municipal Social Welfare and Development Office shall serve as the Secretariat of the LCAT-VAWC.

**SECTION III. FUNCTIONS AND RESPONSIBILITIES.** The Local Committee on Anti-Trafficking and Violence Against Women and their Children shall have the following functions:


1. Institute policies and programs to protect women and children who are victims of trafficking and violence;
2. Create and establish systems on Surveillance, investigation, and rescue to ensure effective and efficient coordination;
3. Undertake information, education and advocacy campaign against trafficking of persons and VAWC;
4. Coordinate with the Regional and National Committee on Anti-Trafficking and Violence Against Women and their Children on any course of action that may facilitate and may prevent trafficking and VAWC, and properly administer the comprehensive rehabilitation and reintegration of victims of trafficking and VAWC;
5. Monitor and oversee the strict implementation of RA 9208, RA 9262, and other related laws for the protection of women and Children; and
6. The LCAT-VAWC shall also implement the programs and activities as laid down and or stated in the national plan of action.

**SECTION IV. MEETINGS.** The Committee shall meet at least once every quarter or as often as necessary.

**SECTION V. REPEALING CLAUSE.** All rules and regulations or part thereof in conflict with or inconsistent with the provisions of this Order are hereby repealed, amended, or modified accordingly.

**SECTION VI. EFFECTIVELY.** This Order shall take effect immediately upon approval thereof and shall remain in full force and effect unless sooner revoked or amended by the Local Chief Executive.

Done this 14<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2022 at Cabarroguis, Quirino.

  
**AVELINO N. AGUSTIN, JR.**  
*Municipal Mayor*