



**Executive Order No. 046**  
*Series 2022*

**AN ORDER CREATING A TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP FOR DEPLOYMENT FOR THE PROPAGATION OF GOLDEN RICE IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF CABARROGUIS**

**WHEREAS**, Golden Rice was developed by the Department of Agriculture – Philippine Rice Research Institute (DA PhilRice) in partnership with the International Rice Research Institute;

**WHEREAS**, one in five children from the poorest communities in the Philippines suffer from Vitamin A deficiency (VAD) affecting almost 190 million children worldwide;

**WHEREAS**, Golden Rice is genetically engineered to provide up to 50% of the estimated average requirements for vitamin A of young children;

**WHEREAS**, there is a need to create a technical working group to encourage Golden Rice Production in the community;

**NOW THEREFORE, I, AVELINO N. AGUSTIN, JR.**, Municipal Mayor of Cabarroguis, Quirino, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby create a Technical Working Group for deployment for the propagation of golden rice.

**Section I. Composition of Technical Working Group:**

Chairman	: <b>HON. AVELINO N. AGUSTIN</b>	- Municipal Mayor
Co-Chairman	: <b>MARIVIC T. MANANTAN</b>	- Municipal Agriculturist
Supply Team Leader	: <b>CONSUELO E. LAUDENCIA</b>	- Agricultural Technologist
Members	: <b>ARMANDO C. PASTOR</b> <b>RIO VIC A. GERON</b>	- Seed Grower - Agricultural Technologist
Demand Team Leader	: <b>LEONIDA M. LAITAN</b> <b>ELIZABETH A. CAMELLO, MD, MPH</b> <b>MABEL T. LORETE</b> <b>MARIVIC T. MANANTAN</b> <b>CONSUELO E. LAUDENCIA</b> <b>NASRIN I. SARAC</b>	- Farmer - Municipal Health Officer - Nutrition Officer III - Municipal Agriculturist - Agricultural Technologist - Agricultural Technologist
Advocacy Team Leader	: <b>LEONILA D. AURE</b>	- Municipal Planning and Development Coordinator
Member	: <b>HON. DANUEL S. GALGALENG</b> <b>ARMANDO C. PASTOR</b>	- Chairman Committee on Agriculture - MAFC
Monitoring and Evaluation Team Leader	: <b>DR. JESUSA C. BELTRAN, M&amp;E Lead,</b> <b>DA</b>	- Phil rice Central Experiment Station
Member	: <b>MARIVIC T. MANANTAN</b> <b>CONSUELO E. LAUDENCIA</b>	- Municipal Agriculturist - Agricultural Technologist

	<b>RIO VIC A. GERON</b>	- Agricultural Technologist
Secretariat	: <b>NASRIN I. SARAC</b>	- Agricultural Technologist
Advisers	: <b>JOY BARTOLOME A. DULDULAO,</b>	- Branch Director, DA Philrice, Isabela
	<b>DR. RONAN G. ZAGADO</b>	- Golden Rice Program Leader

**Section II. DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:** The Technical Working Group shall encourage Golden Rice Production in the Municipality.

**Section III. EFFECTIVITY.** This Order shall take effect immediately and shall remain valid unless otherwise revoked by the undersigned.

Done this 28<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2022 at Cabarroguis, Quirino.

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