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CITY OF IMUS | PROVINCE OF CAVITE
OFFICE OF THE CITY MAYOR

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 53
Series of 2022

**AN ORDER UPDATING THE MINIMUM CRITICAL PREPAREDNESS
GUIDELINES FOR DISASTER PREPAREDNESS**

WHEREAS, the City Government, through the CDRRMC, in adherence to the National Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Framework as mandated by RA 10121, otherwise known as the Philippine Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Act, has formulated its Minimum Critical Preparedness Guidelines to ensure the public safety of the city before, during and after a disaster.

WHEREAS, the CDRRMO has defined the natural hazards which have the biggest impact to the city, namely; Typhoon, Heavy Rainfall brought by Habagat and which caused flooding and flash flood, and the Ground Shaking Hazard which may occur anytime because of the Philippine West Valley Fault.

WHEREAS, with the presence of these hazards, the city needs to be aware and prepare for such eventualities to reduce or minimize the risk to persons and properties.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Alex L. Advincula, Chairperson of CDRRMC, City Mayor, City of Imus, Province of Cavite, by virtue of the powers vested in me, order the Updating of the Minimum Critical Preparedness Guidelines for Disaster Preparedness and hereby reestablishes the CITY OF IMUS EARLY WARNING SYSTEM;

Section 1. Definition- Minimum Critical Preparedness referred to in this order is a situation wherein the city has assessed a possible threat of disaster and needs to prepare at a minimum level in order to give enough time for the residents of the affected barangays to be safe and make an orderly evacuation if possible.

Section 2. The Minimum Critical Preparedness Guidelines are as follows:

- (a) The OPLAN LISTO Minimum Critical Preparedness issued by the Department of Interior and Local Government shall be adopted.



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- (b) An emergency meeting of the CDRRMC shall be called upon immediately when a possible typhoon threatens the CALABARZON or NCR and flooding incident may occur in the city, for preparation.
- (c) PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT RELATIVE TO BAD WEATHER CONDITIONS:
- b.1 Automatic suspension of Classes and Office Work within the City shall be guided by Executive Order No. 66 series of 2012 issued by Malacañang and other related issuances of the Office of the President and/or DepEd.
- b.2 No Public Storm Warning Signal issued by PAGASA but with Bad Weather Condition, or in Heavy Rainfall occurrence and Flooding shall be subject to the recommendation of the IMUS CDRRMO.
- b.3 All Public Announcement relative to the potential threat in order to avoid casualty due to bad weather conditions shall be announced from 12:00 midnight to 4:00 am through City Information's Office and IMUS CDRRMO upon directive of the CDRRMC Chairperson.
- b.4 Announcement made by the Provincial Governors of Cavite from the Office of the President shall be enjoined and announced by the City Government's concern office.
- (d) The Incident Commander shall be designated by the Chairman of the CDRRMC, being the Responsible Official for response operation.
- (e) PRE-EMPTIVE EVACUATION – When a critical situation is imminent based on the typhoon forecast, such as heavy rainfall that may cause heavy flooding or flash flood, a recommendation of the CDRRMO shall be submitted to CDRRMC to conduct a Pre-Emptive Evacuation.
- (f) The conduct of PRE-EMPTIVE EVACUATION shall be announced by the BARANGAY CAPTAIN ONE HOUR before the operation, assisted by the CDRRMO Search and Rescue Team and Barangay Emergency Response Team.



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- (g) **FORCED EVACUATION** – A typhoon forecast was issued by PAG-ASA declaring the alert level of PSWS No. 3 and 4 in Cavite which may result to displacements or a continuous heavy rainfall occurring for more than 12 hours which may result to Flash Flood, a **FORCED EVACUATION** shall be recommended by the CDRRMO to the Chairman of the for its official directives.
- (h) The conduct of **FORCED EVACUATION** shall be announced by the **BARANGAY CAPTAIN** to be assisted by the Search and Rescue Teams of CDRRMO, PNP-IMUS, BFP, BHERT, and other **RECOGNIZED VOLUNTEER GROUPS**.
- (i) **SECURITY AND SAFETY** – The PNP SAR shall conduct a round-the-clock Security and Safety Patrol to the evacuated areas for monitoring.
- (j) **LOGISTIC PREPARATION**- All vehicles which may be used for rescue, transport, and relief operation, including issued Hand-Held Radios to non-response component of the CDRRMC and other equipment (hand tools or machines) purchased by the City Government shall be centralized in the Command Operation Center of the CDRRMO one day before the prepositioning operation for Response.
- (k) **MANPOWER** – The concerned Response Component of the CDRRMC, whether **LEAD** or **SUPPORT** Office, shall create a Response Team to augment the Response Operation of the **INCIDENT COMMAND POST**;
- (l) **CDRRMC 24 HOUR SET-UP** – The members of the CDRRMC shall be obliged to report to the City Hall for a possible convening and the corresponding response to be called or directed by the Chairperson of the CDRRMC;
- (m) **MANDATORY COMPLIANCE** – All departments, offices, and other units identified in these Guidelines are strictly enjoined to observe the guidelines.



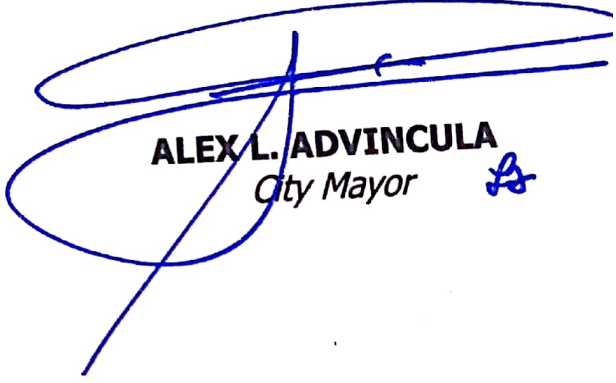
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Section 3. Recovery And Rehabilitation Stage – An hour after it has been determined that the danger no longer exists, the CDRRMC shall convene for a Rapid Assessment in order to prepare for the Recovery and Rehabilitation Process.

Section 4. Separability Clause- If any provision of this Order shall be held invalid or unconstitutional, the remaining provisions thereof not affected thereby shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 5. Effectivity – This Executive Order shall take effect immediately upon the approval hereof and shall remain in full force and effect unless sooner revoked or amended by the Local Chief Executive.

DONE and **SIGNED** this 9th day of September 2022, City of Imus.


ALEX L. ADVINCULA
City Mayor 