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# **CITY ON ALERT**

angub City Mayor Jennifer W. Tan signed Executive Order No. 038 series of 2020, on March 14, 2020 "AN ORDER CREATING AND ESTABLISHING COVID-19 CITY TASK FORCE OF TANGUB CITY, AND ENACT-ING EMERGENCY MEASURES TO PREVENT AND/OR CONTAIN THE SPREAD OF COVID-19 TO THE CITY" due to the alarming rate of COVID-19 pandemic cases reported at various places in the country.

The Department of Interior and Local Government (DILG) ordered the local government units to activate their Local COVID-19 Task Forces (LCTF) to spearhead the monitoring and implementation of control measures to prevent the spread of infectious disease including the deadly coronavirus disease (COVID-19) (Section 1). In response, the local government right away put up COVID-19 PRO-TECTION STATIONS at the entry and exit points: Sta. Maria highway boundary, Sumirap highway boundary, the Yjunction connecting Belvedere and Gala, Ozamiz City, and Silanga port. The frontliners who man these protection stations are composite personnel of the City Health Office, Philippine National Police, Keepers for Peace and Rescue Team (KPART), City Disaster Risk Reduction Management Office (CDRRMO.



## Gov.Philip Tan Issued EO No. 40

isamis Occidental Gov. Philip T. Tan issued Executive Order No. 40, on March 12, 2020, "AN ORDER IM-PLEMENTING PRESIDENTIAL PROCLAMATION NO. 922 DATED MARCH 8, 2020 AS WELL AS



REITERATING THE PROHIBITIONS AND PROTOCOLS IN DEALING WITH COVID-19" to curtail and eliminate the COVID-19 pandemic threat.

The order stipulated that all public and private employees are mandated to follow health and safety protocols. Public transportation, establishments and other places where people frequently gather should conduct daily infection protocols of frequently touched surfaces. Mass gatherings are postponed until further notice.

LGUs are directed to extend manpower and financial resources to the Department of Health and/or to the local health personnel implementing this order, and may use its emergency funds to defray the procurement of the needed supplies, medicines and equipment in order to take

response and measures to curtail and eliminate the COVID-19 threat. Any medical officer may ask assistance from AFP and/or PNP.

Barangay Health Emergency Response Teams (BHERTs) are to report new arrivals of those who travelled outside the country and the province of Misamis Occidental and gather information of their travel history.

A person who manifested the COVID-19 symptoms shall follow protocols. Hospitals are to organize and train COVID-19 response team, prepare an isolation room, and provide sufficient PPE's.

Gov. Tan reminded all officials and employees, in private and public institutions, local or national government, to strictly observe and implement this order for the protection and promotion of public health and safety.

Pursuant to this, the Gov. also issued Executive no. 42 on March 16, 2020 placing the entire province under General Community Quarantine.

#### Free Face Masks

April 3, 2020---Tangub City Women Association (TACEFIWA) donated 114 face masks to the City Social Welfare and Development Office for its beneficiaries as protective gear against COVID-19.



# From the MAYOR'S DESK

any things have been going on since the declaration of the State of Public Health Emergency by Pres. Duterte. All through those times we have seen the heroism of those people in the frontline, protecting and giving the best of themselves for the people.

COVID 19 was a health occurrence that turned into a crisis and eventually a pandemic that left a trail of nations scampering for a vaccine to cure the dreaded disease. There were those whose families were victims of said disease were left at a losing end totally unprepared.

However nature has a different take on this pandemic. When the Nations put a halt on their activities due to lockdowns, it gave Mother Earth the needed rest, blue skies and cleaner air in less than a month. Families converging and spending more time with each other at home for a longer period of time unimaginable in the 21<sup>st</sup> century.

The COVID 19 pandemic has certainly brought out so many interesting happenings. But for me what stood out most is that, this pandemic has defined us humans as to who we really are. For the common people, you will be defined by your cooperation and solidarity with your community and leaders. For the leaders, personal interest must be set aside and self-proclaimed heroes must be rejected. Remember, you will be defined by your SELFLESS MAGNANIMITY to your people.



DATE	EVENTS
March	
8	<ul> <li>President Rodrigo Roa Duterte declared Public Health Emergency.</li> </ul>
10	<ul> <li>Food Handling and COVID-19 Campaign.</li> </ul>
12	•Gov. Philip T. Tan issued Executive Order No. 40.
13	•City Government Activated Incident Command System.
14	•Mayor Jennifer W. Tan signed Executive Order No. 038.
15	<ul> <li>Press Conference: COVID-19 City Task Force Team explained EO 38</li> <li>Gov. Tan issued EO No. 41: Enacting Emergency- and/or Contingency Measures</li> </ul>
16	<ul> <li>•COVID-19 Lecture and Distribution of Vitamins for Employees.</li> <li>•Tangub LGU set - up COVID-19 Protection Stations at Tangub City borders.</li> <li>•Gov. Tan declared General Community Quarantine: EO 42</li> </ul>
17	•Live: Update from COVID-19 City Task Force Team on Executive Order No. 038.
18	<ul> <li>City Mayor visited Protection Stations.</li> <li>Live: Updates from City Health officer Dr. Janice C.Biete, Focal Person on PUMs and PUIs Jane Lasmarias, and DILG director Jaspher Guillen on COVID -19 Status in Tangub and activation of BHERTS.</li> <li>Tangub LGU's meeting with the Transport Sector of the City on EO 38</li> </ul>
19	•Live: Updates from Tangub City health Officer Dr. Janice C. Biete, and Focal Person on PUMs and PUIs Monitoring on the status of COVID-19 in the city.
20	<ul> <li>Live: Updates from the City Legal Officer on COVID-19 monitoring.</li> </ul>
22	•Live Streaming of Holy Mass
23	•Live: Updates from COVID-19 City Task Force Team on Fake News, Provincial Quarantine Passes •Food Assistance, and COVID-19 Protection Stations.
24	<ul> <li>First Wave Distribution of Food Packs to beneficia ries: Sikad-sikad, Habal-habal and Motorcab drivers in Tangub</li> <li>Live: Updates from COVID-19 City Task Force Team on Fake News, Provincial Quarantine Passes, Food Assistance, and COVID-19 Protection Sta- tions.</li> </ul>
25	<ul> <li>Tangub City Receives Personal Protective Equipment.</li> <li>Live Streaming of Holy Mass.</li> </ul>
26	<ul> <li>COVID-19 Updates from Atty. Bayalas and Atty. Peter Lasmarias on Fake News</li> <li>Live: Update from Misamis Occidental with Gov. Philip T. Tan on COVID-19 Status in Misamis Occidental.</li> </ul>
29	<ul> <li>Updates from Gov. Philip T. Tan on the COVID-19 positive patient.</li> <li>Live Streaming of Holy Mass</li> </ul>
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1	<ul> <li>Live: Updates on the status of Tangub City COVID-19 monitoring, beneficiaries of the second wave distribu- tion of food packs, Social Amelioration Program, bene- ficiaries of the Second wave distribution of food packs, second addendum to executive order 038, and dona- tions from good Samaritans.</li> <li>Live Streaming of Holy Mass.</li> </ul>	20	<ul> <li>Live: COVID-19 Updates with COVID-19 City Task Force Spokespersons</li> <li>City Government of Tangub turned over the food packs to ABC President for 2<sup>nd</sup> round distribution.</li> <li>Second round distribution of Food Packs.</li> <li>Stranded GADTC students from Lanao del Norte and Zamboanga del Sur returned home.</li> </ul>
2	<ul> <li>Misamis Occidental Quarantine is extended to April 14, 2020</li> <li>Mayor's Meeting with the barangay captains and barangay secretaries to resolve issues encountered during the first wave distribution of Food Packs.</li> <li>Second Wave Distribution of Food Packs</li> </ul>	21	<ul> <li>Live: Updates on the status of COVID-19 in Tangub, Second Round Distribution of food packs, schedule of Bayanihan Mobile Market, and Protec- tive Measures in the City Ordinance.</li> <li>Second day of Second Round distribution of Food packs</li> </ul>
	•Live: Updates from COVID-19 City Task Force Spokespersons.	22	•Live Streaming of Holy Mass.
5	•Live Streaming of Palm Sunday Mass •Live: COVID-19 Updates and Social Amelioration Program from Spokespersons and the CSWD Officer	23	•Tangub City's CSWD, barangay officials and GADTC family volunteers assisted the barangay beneficiaries in filling out the SAC form.
6	•Meeting with the Department Heads and those direct- ly involved in the status of relief pack distribution.	24	<ul><li>Live: COVID-19 Updates</li><li>Public Announcement on the distribution of Social</li></ul>
7	•Live: COVID-19 Updates from Mayor Jennifer W. Tan and Spokespersons.		Amelioration Program Cash Aid in Tangub City with Cong. Henry S. Oaminal, Mayor Jennifer W. Tan, CSWD Officer, DILG and PNP at Function hall 1.
8	<ul> <li>Live Streaming of Inahan sa Kanunayng Panabang of Holy Mass</li> <li>COVID-19 Updates with Gov. Philip T. Tan</li> <li>Status updates from Gov. Philip T. Tan on COVID-19 in Misamis Occidental.</li> </ul>		•Live: Update from COVID-19 City Task Force Spokespersons on the status of COVID-19 in Tangub, Nationwide General Community Quaran-
9			tine on low and moderate risk areas, and status of Social Amelioration Program.
13	<ul> <li>Mayor's Special Meeting with the city officials and department heads updating the status of the city.</li> <li>Bayanihan Mobile Market to the cluster barangays.</li> <li>Live: OVID-19 Updates from City Task Force Spokes-</li> </ul>	26	•Sunday of Holy Mass
		27	•Tangub CSWD distributed SAP cash aid to beneficiaries at cluster barangays.
14	•COVID-19 updates with Gov. Philip T. Tan and Atty. Peter Lasmarias.	28	•Briefing on the General Community Quarantine result from NEDA and adapting to the situation in Tangub City at Function Hall 1
	<ul> <li>Cong. Henry S. Oaminal gave cash allowance to Tan- gub barangay officials, CVOs, BHWs</li> <li>Tanduay Distillers., Inc. gave alcohol to the Province</li> </ul>	29	•Live Streaming of Holy Mass •Gov. Philip T. Tan extended GCQ to May 15, 2020.
	of Misamis Occidental including cities and municipali- ties.		•Urban Gardening: For Food Sufficiency.
	<ul> <li>Provincial Gov. Philip T. Tan's Special meeting with the Board Members, Municipal/City Mayor, Municipal/ City Heath Officers, Chief of Police and DILG on Ex- ecutive Order No. 45.</li> <li>Mayor Jennifer W. Tan shared food packs to the mayors and board members of Misamis Occidental.</li> </ul>	May 1	•Live: Updates from COVID-19 City Task Force Spokespersons on the status of COVID-19 in Tangub, 4th Addendum of the Executive Order No. 038, SAP cash aid distribution, barangay shopping passes, and classes.
15	<ul> <li>Live: COVID-19 Updates</li> <li>Live Streaming of Holy Mass</li> <li>Gov. Philip T. Tan issued EO 45-A and EO 46.</li> </ul>	5	•Citizen's Charter Presentation.
16	•Stranded GADTC Students from Tudela, Jimenez, Bonifacio, Plaridel, Ozamiz and Clarin, Misamis Occi-	6	<ul> <li>Orientation of Composite Contact Tracing Team at Function Hall 1.</li> <li>Live Streaming of Holy Mass.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>dental brought back home.</li> <li>Live: Update with COVID-19 CITY Task Force Spokespersons on the status of COVID-19 in Tangub, Social Amelioration Program, discussions on precau- tionary measures and returning residents.</li> </ul>	7 8	
17	•Live: Update from COVID-19 City Task Force Spokespersons on the status of COVID-19 in Tangub, Social Amelioration Program, mass gatherings, gradu- ation rites and ceremonies.	11	<ul> <li>-19 in Tangub, barangay quarantine passes, mobile market and urban gardening</li> <li>•Rural Transit to operate within the jurisdiction of Misamis Occidental only.</li> </ul>
18			<ul> <li>Citizen's Charter Presentation</li> <li>Stranded residents brought home by Tangub CDRRMO to their hometown in Jimenez.</li> <li>Stranded Residents from Ozamiz City were re- turned home by Tangub CDRRMO</li> </ul>
19	•Live Streaming of Holy Mass		

#### The City ENR/SWM office on COVID-19 Time By: Dioscoro G. Tigol Sr.

When the existing crisis on COVID-19 that poses horrible threats to human life, it is anticipated that household wastes may have been contaminated with the coronavirus from undetermined sources. Although there were reported cases of persons positive in rapid test but turned out negative during the confirmatory test, the City took some precautions to prevent possible transmission of virus from the wastes generated by the suspected or under quarantined persons. The city enforced the following enhancement of solid waste management scheme/program:

1. All sources of wastes (households & establishments) shall perform the mandatory proper solid waste segregation. Covid-19 Monitoring stations/ check points, isolation and holding areas are required to have its own separate containers with cover for the used/waste protective gears and other paraphernalia which are considered as special wastes. Close coordination of the city health office/COVID-19 coordinator of the city was being done.



2. All garbage personnel (collectors and sorters) were issued with hand gloves, mouth masks, alcohol, hand wash soap, rubber boots and plastic water container with faucet to clean –up and sanitize their hands every after work or before they eat their food.

3. Stainless knapsack sprayer and disinfectant liquid shall be provided to disinfect the solid waste before loading to the garbage truck and before final sorting at the city's Central Material Recovery Facility (CMRF).

**4.** All Covid-19 related waste, after being disinfected shall be separately loaded to avoid comingling with other wastes, and covered with nets during transportation to prevent flying off of plastics and others to the air.

5. All barangay MRFs are closely monitored to ensure compliance to the program in coordination with the barangay chairperson or his/her SWM focal person.

6. Open burning, including slash and burn ("kaingin") farming approach is strictly regulated pursuant to the Memorandum issued by the City Mayor, Hon. Jennifer W. Tan, to all 55 barangay chairmen, all local and national government offices, all concerned establishments and institutions within the jurisdiction of the City.

In addition to the enhanced solid waste management scheme, and in compliance to the call of the Environmental Management Bureau of the Department of Environment and Natural resources (EMB-DENR) to enhance wastewater management to combat Covid-19, the city requires all Wastewater Treatment Plants and Facilities in the city to install an adequate disinfection at the last stage of the

treatment process prior to discharge to any water body. The City also requires all establishments with personnel assigned in pollution control sanitation, medical/hospital/health -care waste management facilities with the proper and adequate Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) as prescribed by the Department of Health (DOH) and /or other authorized agencies.

As to the Urban Gardening Program of the City spearheaded by the City Agriculture office, the city ENR/SWM office produces plant pots out of waste plastic bottles from its collected garbage and ready to use by those who want to plant but no pots to be used. This is a diversion strategy of the recyclable wastes generated from different sources in the city.

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12	<ul> <li>Consultative Meeting with City/Municipal Mayors and City/Municipal Agriculturists on Financial Subsi- dy for Rice Farmers at Function Hall 1.</li> <li>Gov. Philip T. Tan gave cash allowance to Tangub City Front liners.</li> <li>Stranded Tangubanons in Lanao del Norte returned home.</li> <li>Live: COVID-19 Updates.</li> </ul>
14	<ul> <li>Cong. Henry S. Oaminal gave cash allowance to 55 barangay captains at Function Hall 1.</li> <li>DILG Director Richard Jasper Guillen's presentation on New Normal at Function Hall 1.</li> <li>COOP-NATCO Representative, Hon. Sabiniano S. Canama gave jackets to 55 barangay captains at Function Hall 1.</li> <li>Tangub City Rice Farmers received financial subsidy at Sinanduloy Gym.</li> </ul>
15	<ul> <li>Turn - over of three motorcycles to KPART personnel.</li> <li>Citizens' Charter Presentation</li> </ul>
18	•Updates from Tangub City COVID-19 City Task Force and City Health Officer, Dr. Janice C. Biete on the status of COVID-19 in Tangub, returning resi- dents who tested positive of rapid test, and suspect- ed COVID patient from Mahayag at Aruelo Hospital.
19	•Tangub City Prince Hypermart Construction Work- ers returned to their hometowns in Iligan City. -Demo Isolation Room supervised and inspected by Gov. Philip T. Tan.
20	•Live Streaming of Holy Mass.
21	•Live: COVID-19 updates with Mayor Jennifer W. Tan and City Tourism Officer, Dexter Dalagan on Misamisnons' first sweeper flight for repatriates from Manila sponsored by Province of Misamis Occidental
22	<ul> <li>A Stranded Senior Citizen transported by CDRRMC to his hometown-Lopez Jaena.</li> <li>Live: COVID-19 Updates.</li> <li>GADTC officially ended the semester A.Y. 2019-2020 and welcome A.Y. 2020-2021.</li> <li>First Batch of repatriated Misamisnons, arrived</li> </ul>
23	•Live: Updates from COVID-19 City Task Force Spokespersons, City Health Officer, Dr. Janice C. Biete, Tourism Officer, Dexter Dalagan on the status of COVID-19 in Tangub, repatriated Misamisnons who undergo 14-day quarantine period at home and at quarantine facility, preparations and protocols to be followed by returning residents before they come back home, discussion of 5 <sup>th</sup> addendum of the Exec- utive Oder No. 038
24	•Live Streaming of Holy Mass

# Food Packs Distribution Food Handling and COVID-19 Campaign



The Local Government of Tangub distributed food packs to the city constituents as a measure to contain the effects of COVID 19. The first round was composed of the first wave and the second wave. The sikad, habal-habal and sidecar drivers were the beneficiaries. The food packs contained 10 kilos of rice for those with five (5) family members and below, and 25 kilos for those with six (6) family members and above. Aside from rice, the pack contained ten pieces of tinapa, ten pieces of noodles, I kilo of dried fish, and 1/4 kilo of salt. The distribution started on March 24, 2020.

The second wave under the first round distribution was intended for all households, regardless of political color, social and economic status in life. The food packs contained 15 kilos rice, for those with less than six members and 25 kilos for those with more than six members. With rice came  $\frac{1}{2}$  kilos each of mongo and bihon, 6 pieces tinapa, and 1 kilo dried fish. The second round was again distributed to all households. The same quantity and types of goods went into the packs.



#### news tidbits... from p.9

**Cong. Oaminal gave financial assistance, April 14, 2020**---Deputy Speaker, 2nd District Congressman Henry S. Oaminal gave financial assistance to the barangay officials, CVO's and BHWs who are also battling to prevent the spread of the pandemic virus.



**Ree Antiseptic Alcohol, April** 14, 2020 ---Tanduay Distillers.,Inc. gave alcohol to the Province of Misamis Occidental including the Cities and Municipalities at Function Hall 1, Tangub City.



angub City officials, together with the Tourism Council conducted the "Food Handling and COVID-19 Information Campaign" on March 10, 2020 at Gov. Alfonso D. Tan College Conference Room. This was initiated by City Mayor Jennifer Wee. Tan. It was well attended by the food handlers and the barangay committee on sanitation and health in Tangub City. This campaign, through informative presentation and discussion of the speakers, raised awareness on Food Handling and Safety Procedures to prevent the proliferation of illnesses and viruses. Most importantly, the presentation provided insight, understanding and information on COVID-19.

Ms. Šonny Lyn. S. Alave, an advocate for healthy eating, shared her knowledge about Food Handling and Safety Procedures. She presented that there are four safety procedures to avoid food contamination and poisoning: Identify hazard and risks, follow enterprise hygiene, standards, procedures and practices, handle and store food stuffs and follow safety program.

Dr. Janice Biete, the City Health Officer, gave updates on the status of COVID-19. She relayed the Global report, Philippine report, and Misamis Occidental report of the number of reported confirmed covid-19 cases as of March 10, 2020. She also shared the Self Protection Measures. Most importantly, to avoid fake news, the advisory of the DOH is to remember the "NCOV" before you share.

- N- Never share unverified news/Articles
- C- Check your sources before sharing
- O- Only source of information from DOH official
- channels
- V- Verify news information at:
- www.doh.gov.ph/2019- nCOV

On the other hand, Ms. Yeni Ann Isabella W. Tan also spoke in statistics and data about COVID-19, how deadly the virus is, how it spreads and the symptoms and



implications of C orona Virus in the person's body. She also encouraged everyone to practice personal hygiene, the simple and most effective way to prevent such virus.

Mayor Jennifer W. Tan encouraged everyone especially the food handlers to boost the campaign in maintaining proper hygiene by following the procedures and measures discussed. To add, the city council, headed by Vice Mayor Alberto Penas, committed to conduct a quarterly inspection on every business establishment. Each establishment is provided with a "health board" that contains stars. A star is an indicator that the store has passed the health inspection. This is connected to the provision known as the "Food Safety Act of 2013" A JOINT DA-DOH ADMIN-ISTRATIVE ORDER WHICH IS TO PROTECT CONSUM-ER HEALTH AND FACILITATE MARKET ACCESS OF LO-CAL FOODS AND FOOD PRODUCTS.

"Dili lang pod ni para sa amoa, kundi para pod ni sa inyung negosyo ug customer. Take care and love your customer. You don't have to be afraid of big companies basta naa lay service that contains love and caring of the customer, and personal hygiene. Patas-un ang kinabuhi sa customer para taas ang kita" Mayor Jennifer W. Tan said.

#### Barangay Orientation on Social Amelioration Card Forms

**F**unction Hall 1, Tangub City, April 18,2020- -City Social Welfare and Development Officer, Virgilita Delos Santos conducted the Barangay Orientation on Social Amelioration Card Forms participated in by barangay officials and GADTC Family Volunteers and attended by Mayor Jennifer Wee-Tan; DILG Director Richard Jasper Guillen; Incident Commander, Hon. Gerry Anggot, and ABC President, Hon. Grace Tabalba.



Mrs. Virgilita Delos Santos presented and gave sample of the Social Amelioration Card Form. The participants were guided in filling out the form. She said that beneficiaries of SAP belong to the poorest of the poor who qualify based on the guidelines and criteria. DILG Director, Richard Jasper Guillen and Incident Post Commander, Gerry Anggot informed everybody on the process of cash aid distribution. Mayor Tan gave an inspiring message to everybody. Protocols were discussed and everyone was encouraged to follow them at all times. GADTC family volunteers were acknowledged for assisting the beneficiaries in filling out the SAC form.

## **SAP Cash Aid for Beneficiaries**



angub CSWD, headed by Mrs. Virgilita A. Delos Santos, government employees and volunteers, distributed SAP cash aid to beneficiaries at cluster barangays from April 27 to May 10, 2020. Tangub LGU provided police escort for safety and security of distribution.

Based on the data given by Mrs. Delos Santos, there are 7, 142 beneficiaries who received the cash aid.

**May 31, 2020----** Tambulig Municipal Mayor, Charlotte Dumanjug opens the borderlines, however they will follow the guidelines mandated by the Inter-Agency Task Force (IATF). She advised the public to follow health and safety protocols, and to avoid mass gatherings.

### **Stranded Students Brought Home**

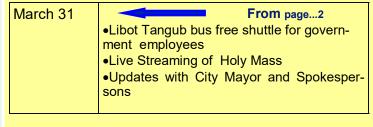


wo batches of students from Gov. Alfonso De. Tan College (GADTC) were brought home to their respective municipalities on two separate occasions in coordination with the City Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Office (CDRRMO). The first batch, composed of 15 students was brought to Tudela, Jimenez, Bonifacio, Plaridel, Clarin and Ozamiz City, all within Misamis Occidental, on April 16, 2020

The second batch of seven (7) students, was brought home on April 20, 2020 to Lanao del Norte and Zamboanga del Sur. The students followed health protocols and were provided with certification by City Health Officer Dr. Janice Biete that they were not persons under monitoring (PUM) or persons under investigation (PUI)

Mr. Dheo Pepito Pondoc, head of of GADTC Student Affairs Office facilitated the repatriation of the students. They were brought home using the vehicles of the city government.





### <u>egislative Corner</u>

#### City Ordinance 2020-03-008

**"A**n Ordinance on the Collection of Corresponding Barangay Clearance Fee in the Application for Any Business Related Transaction"

Author: Hon. Eva R. Ordeniza

Date Approved: March 31, 2020

Coverage – Issuance of Barangay Clearance for Business Permit and Locational Clearance

Rationale:

- Simplify the process of business registration
- Provide a more efficient and effective revenue collection Prompt and friendlier atmosphere for tax payers and investors

**Process:** The City Government issues and collects barangay clearance payment for business permit and locational clearance, the collection of which will be remitted to the concerned barangay not later than seven (7) working days of the ensuing month.

#### Lecture on COVID 19 And Vitamin C for Employees

**M**arch 16, 2020----City Mayor, Dr. Jennifer Wee-Tan ordered an information dissemination lecture on Novel Coronavirus (2019-nCoV) (COVID-19) by department through City Health Officer, Dr. Janice C. Biete at Aspiracion Hall (SP Session Hall) Tangub City. The lecture was participated in by the employees of the City Mayor's Office. On March 13, 2020, the information dissemination was attended by the office of the City Council, City Planning and Budget office, Accounting office, Assessor's office, Local Civil Registrar and City Social Welfare and Development. Other offices also have their own schedule.



Through informative presentation, the lecture was conducted to provide updates on the status of the zoonotic virus---COVID-19 and to discuss proper hand washing and proper cough etiquette. She also discussed the steps in proper hand washing and proper cough etiquette. As of March 15, 2020, according to the Philippine Report, there were 140 confirmed cases and 11 death. At the end of the lecture, all the participants were given Vitamin C to strengthen their immune system in fighting the virus. Dr. Biete encouraged everyone to cooperate per order of the Local Chief Executive for the safety and security of the city folks.

**City Mayor visits Frontliners** 



arch 18, 2020----Tangub City Mayor Dr. Jennifer Wee-Tan visited the COVID-19 PROTECTION STATIONS, the entry and exit points: Sta. Maria highway boundary, Sumirap highway boundary, the Y-junction connecting Belvedere and Gala, Ozamiz City and Silanga port (including coastal areas). City Health employees , Philippine National Police, Coastguards, Keepers for Peace and Accident Rescue Team, City Disaster Risk Reduction Management Officers, Department of Health and Red Cross Volunteers conduct checkpoints and health inspection of people coming in and going out of Tangub. She also inspected the precautionary measures. This is to strengthen the Executive Order NO. 038 series of 2020 to prevent and further contain the spread of COVID-19 and give information against the pandemic virus.

### Live Streaming of Holy Mass Amidst Covid-19



ost Rev. Martin Sarmiento Jomuad, D.D., Archbishop of Ozamiz, called for a suspension of Public Mass under Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Ozamiz on March 20, 2020 to support the call of the government in maintaining the social distancing to prevent and/or contain the spread of the pandemic virus---COVID-19. On March 22, 2020, to continue the spread of the gospel, the Parish Pastoral Council of Saint Michael's Parish Church in Tangub, through the initiative of the Parish Priest Father Ernest Colonag, assisted by Father Sandy Cometa, Rev. Elmo Melo, Lay Ministers, lectors and choir, conducted a Live Streaming Mass on the Facebook page of the City Government of Tangub, and simulcast on DXCT FM Radio Station and Dalit T.V. The live mass is in accordance with the request of the government of Tangub to strengthen the implementation of social distancing.

The parish pastoral council also informed the believers that their office at the convent is open and still accept mass offerings, to be read on the next Live Streaming Mass, as part of faith tradition.

## Mayor Tan Checks on PUMs



arch 23, 2020---Tangub City Mayor Jennifer W. Tan, City Health Officer Dr.Janice Castolo-Biete and City Tourism Officer Dexter Dalagan, visited the Persons Under Monitoring (PUMs) at Tangub City National High School.

These PUMs are 25 students and 4 teachers who were delegates to the 2020 National Festival of Talents (NFOT) held in Ilagan City, Isabela. They arrived in Tangub on March 15, 2020 and underwent 14-day quarantine period due to the implementation of Executive Order No. 038 Series of 2020 issued by the LGU of Tangub City

One of the PUMs, John Ricky Jubay, coach/trainer of the students said, "We are very happy with the support coming from the LGU Tangub especially with our needs from Laguindingan Airport to quarantine days in TCNHS. Aside from financial support during sa competition, if dili tungod sa LGU ug Province, dili mi makaapil. Also, with the support of the parents and TCNHS Family headed by Mrs. Myrna T. Barbon and our MAPEH Dept Head Mr. Stewart E. Hamac."

### **Tangub City Receives PPEs**



angub City, March 25, 2020---Governor Philip T. Tan turned over the Personal Protective Equipment (PPE): Thermal Scanner, Facemasks and Face Shields to the City of Tangub. These were used by the frontliners against health and safety risks while conducting checkpoints and health inspections of the people who are coming in and going out of the jurisdiction of Tangub at COVID-19 Protection Stations.

Mayor Jennifer W. Tan, chairman of the Tangub City Covid-19 City Task Force, and its co-chairman, Tangub City Health Officer, Dr. Janice Castolo-Biete received the equipment and distributed them to the frontliners.

**Pres. Duterte Proclamation No. 922 ...from p.1** t is the State's Policy to protect and promote the right to health of the people (Section 15, Article II of the Philippine Constitution) and the President of the Republic of the Philippines shall declare a State of Public Health Emergency in the event of an epidemic of National and/or International concern which threatens national security in order to mobilize government and non -governmental agencies to respond to the threat (Section 7 of R.A. No.1132).

**A**ccording to ANC News Report,"Philippine Health Secretary, Francisco Duque III, said the proclamation paves the way for easier procurement of medical supplies as well as powers for mandatory quarantine to contain the virus."

The State of Public Health Emergency shall remain in force and effect until lifted or withdrawn by the President (Section 5)

#### Covid-19 Special Issue ....from p.1

epartment of Health (DOH) and Philippine Red Cross (PRC) volunteers conduct checkpoints and health inspections of those who come in and go out of Tangub City's borders.

All 55 barangays with their Barangay Health Emergency Response Team (BHERTS) monitored their areas and submitted reports to the City Health Office. People at the coastal areas also watched who attempted to come within the jurisdiction of Tangub.

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		<ul> <li>Live: Updates with the Human Resource Management Officer, City Health Officer, and COVID-19 City Task Force Spokespersons on the status in Tangub, discussions of EO 38, and strategies on the release of 4Ps grant.</li> <li>Emergency meeting with the department heads and city councilors.</li> </ul>	

<b>May</b> 26	•Meeting with the barangay captains and Sk Chai at Function Hall 1
27	<ul> <li>Office of Civil Defense gave PPE to City Municipal DRRMC in Misamis Occidental</li> <li>Tangub LGU gave Food Assistance to Repatriated ed -OFWs who undergo home quarantine.</li> <li>Live: COIVD-19 Updates.</li> <li>Live Streaming of Holy Mass.</li> </ul>
28	<ul> <li>Repatriated OFWs and locally Stranded Individuals finally home.</li> <li>Misamis Occidental Borderline Update.</li> <li>Locally Stranded Individuals from Midsalip Zamboanga del Sur returned arrived .</li> </ul>
29	•Locally Stranded Individuals from Lanao de Norte returned home.
30	•Twenty-five (25) OFW repatriates arrived at Oza miz port.

# Tangub City finalizing Citizen's Charter

ANGUB CITY, Misamis Occidental, May 21 (PIA) —Twenty-four department heads, division and section heads have recently presented their respective frontline services for the city's Citizen's Charter before the city mayor, vice mayor and other city officials at Function Hall 1.

Some 209 frontline services were reviewed to be fine-tuned according to processing time, fees, procedures and actions of the divisions concerned.

City Mayor Jennifer Tan emphasized that these frontline services should be examined thoroughly as these become the clients' basis in availing of the local government's services.

Mayor Tan and the members of the Anti-Red Tape Unit (ARTU) chaired by City Development and Planning Officer Emerson Dablo with City Administrator Tessie Lomanta, City Legal Officer, Brendale Bayalas, Human Resource Management Officer Wilmar Cuambot and Dr. Maricelle Nueva, officer-in-charge of Gov. Alfonso Tan College critiqued the presentations.

The Citizen's Charter is a manual of frontline services of the local government to its clients. The Charter stipulates the various services of the government, the steps the clients do, the government action on the step, amount of time needed to complete the step, amount to be paid, if there is, and the person in charge. It is the official document that communicates in simple terms, service standards, pledge of an agency on the government services being provided to the citizens.

Other than communicating the service standards of the office, it also serves as the basis for establishing the government employees involved in unnecessary red tape and corruption.

In line with the Ease of Doing Business and Efficient Government Service Delivery Act of 2018, the President in his State of the Nation Address 2019 reiterated his directive to the government offices to fasttrack the programs to streamline and improve government service delivery. (CIO/PIA Misamis Occidental)

### **NEWS TIDBITS**

**Special Meeting, April 14, 2020---**Provincial Gov. Philip T. Tan's Special Meeting with the Board Members, Municipal and City Mayors, Municipal and City Health Officer, Chief of Police and DILG on the Executive OrderNo.45. Deputy Speaker, 2nd District Congressman Henry S. Oaminal also gave his message.



Captains given at Function Hall 1, Tangub City---Fifty-five barangay Captains received cash allowance from Deputy Speaker, Congressman Henry S. Oaminal. The distribution was attended by Tangub City officials headed by Mayor Jennifer Wee-Tan last May 14, 2020.



Tangub City Rice Farmers received Financial Subsidy for Rice Farmers received Financial Subsidy from Department of Agriculture at Sinanduloy Gym.



GADTC Family donated face shields last May 19, 2020 GADTC Supreme Student Council (SCC), faculty and staff donated 30 face shields to Tangub frontiners as protective gear in battling COVID-19 pandemic. They were received by City Health Officer, Dr. Janice C. Biete.



### **Bayanihan Mobile Market in Full Swing**



Bayanihan Mobile Market, facilitated by Market Supervisor, Pedro O. Ferraren, brought basic commodities within the reach of the scheduled cluster barangays. Other barangays also have their own schedule. The first cluster served was Hoyohoy and Banglay on April 13, 2020. The market was set up in Banglay.

Mayor Tan revived the Bayanihan Farm Cluster, a program intended for trading among remote barangays back in 2004, to Bayanihan Mobile Market.

"Our people from the upland barangays don't need to go down to the market to buy their basic needs. We bring the market to them. Nalipay ko sa maayong pag dawat sa mga katawhan. Daghang salamat sa mga participating vendors ug sa inyong presyong gihatag nga kaya ra sa bulsa sa mga katawhan." Mayor Tan said.

Tangub City Philippine National Police, government employees and barangay officials enforced the strict implementation of health and safety protocols in consonance with Executive Order No. 038.



**Ree Shuttle Bus Ride, April 1, 2020---**Libot Tangub shuttle bus was provided by the Local Government Unit of Tangub for free to shuttle employees within the borders of Tangub City.



**rban gardening for food sufficiency:** Ceremonial turnover of seedlings to the first 16 beneficiaries from Brgy 1, Tangub City for urban gardening was attended by City Mayor, Jennifer W. Tan, City Councilors, Tangub City Department of Agriculture personnel, headed by Mr. Jose Binondo at Function Hall 1 on April 30, 2020. The seedlings were delivered to the doorstep of every beneficiary. Binondo explained about the Program and distributed vegie seedlings: pechay, okra and seeds with a leaflet.

### **NEWS TIDBITS** Orientation For Contact Tracing Team



unction Hall 1, Tangub City, May 6, 2020--- Tangub City Health Officer, Dr. Janice C. Biete, conducted an Orientation and Discussion on Contact Tracing attended by Contact Tracing members: Nurses, Midwives, PNP, BFP, Sanitary Inspectors, BHERTS, HRH (Human Resource for Health) and CDRRMO.

### **Cash Allowance for Tangub Front liners**



isamis Occidental Gov. Philip T. Tan gave cash allowance to Tangub City front liners: Philippine National Police, health workers and 55 barangay captains as recognition of their efforts in protecting Tangubanons and Misamisnons against COVID-19 Pandemic last May 12, 2020 at Sinanduloy Gym.

"Salamat sa inyong pagsalig"- Gov. Philip Tan acknowledged the efforts of front liners for security and safety of Misamis Occidental.

*"It is not just money, but a recognition sa inyung gihimo karun for taking good care of Tangub City and Misamis Occidental,"* City Mayor Jennifer Tan told the front liners in her message.

### Stranded Tangubanons return home



welve (12) Tangubanons who were stranded in Lanao del Norte finally returned to Tangub City. They were

transported by the Municipal Disaster Risk Reduction Management personnel of Lala, Lanao del Norte and were picked up by Tangub CDRRMO at Aurora, Zamboanga del Sur on May 12, 2020. The returning residents followed health protocols and 14-day quarantine period.



he LGU of Tangub implemented Color-Coded Barangay Shopping Passes to limit the number of persons going out of their homes. The barangay officials gave out the shopping passes to every household.

Only persons with Barangay Passes and Valid I.D shall be allowed to buy food or attend to other basic necessities such as banking and bills payment (Section 8, Fourth Addendum to Executive Order No. 038). Orange pass is valid on Monday, Wednesday and Friday and Sunday 5am to 12noon. Blue pass is valid on Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday 1-9pm



ayor Jennifer W. Tan, with the city council, turned over food packs composed of rice, tinapa, bihon, bulad, mongo and dressed chicken to ABC President Grace Tabalba for the second round of distribution to all households in 55 barangays on April 20, 2020 at Sinaduloy Gym, Tangub City.

#### **Tangub City Welcomes OFW Repatriates**

wenty- five (25) OFW repatriates have finally arrived at Ozamiz port via 2GO vessel of St. Michael the Archangel on May 30, 2020. All were tested negative through a rapid test. Meanwhile, seventy-nine (79) Misamisnons arrived, and, also, they all tested negative.

Our salute to the Misamis Occidental government, headed by Governor Philip T. Tan, Sangguniang Panlalawigan and board members, Deputy Speaker Henry S. Oaminal, LGU leaders, medical front liners, drivers on 24 hours shifts to fetch our fellow residents despite late and the long night drive, and those who contributed their countless efforts for the success of this journey. SOURCE: Balik MisOcc

## **GADTC Adopts New Normal**

**Hi**gher Education Institutions (HIEs) are in the process of modification. Their academic responsibilities and endeavors have changed brought about by the COVID-19 outbreak. To abide by the recommendations and policies of the Commission on Higher Education (CHED), HEIs modify the academic system, apply necessary guidelines, and avail of flexible learning options to continue to deliver quality education adopting the New Normal.



Gov. Alfonso D. Tan College (GADTC) Administration employs New Normal alternative plans to deliver quality education toward students amidst global socio-economic, cultural, and health crises. It determines strategies for students to comply with requirements for the subject or degree program. The school avails of flexible learning: online classes and online learning. Each institute has a Facebook page to reach out to their students, and teachers created group chat on their classes. The instructors download handouts, instructional materials, online videos, reading materials, and activities for students' access through the internet, however lenient to their students per CHED's instruction. Mrs. Juris Rita P. Seclot, Head, Corporate Communication, and Promotion said that this is the time to maximize the use of social media, especially Facebook and YouTube. "GADTC Administration does not follow mass promotion" she added.



To comply with the memorandum sent by CHED Region X, GADTC conducted a Learning Management System Development Survey to be filled out by students. It revealed that less than 10% of the students have no gadgets. Some students have devices, but with poor connections, the result of which serves as a basis to organize plans and guidelines for students.

Teachers conducted orientation on Teaching and Learning in the New Normal Classes, management committee meetings, Zoom Series: Kumustahan with the Students, and a series of webinars to discuss content enrichment, technology advancement, online learning styles, online classes, and 21st-century teachers. In support to the government of Tangub, GADTC Management did the following:

1. They gave food packs to stranded students, and helped process their papers so they could be brought back to their respective hometowns using the local government vehicles.

2. They gave food and snacks, facemasks, face shields to the front liners.

3.Twenty (20) faculty volunteered to man the hotline **Hi**gher Education Institutions (HIEs) are in the to answer calls for the Balik Miss. Occ. Program of Misamis of modification. Their academic responsibilities and Occidental.

4.Forty (40) volunteers assisted in the orientation of the beneficiaries in accomplishing the requirements for So-



cial Amelioration Card for SAP aid cash distribution.

GADTC has ended the semester A.Y. 2019-2020 to welcome New Normal A.Y. 2020-2021. CHED also advises HIEs to ensure the safety of the students once classes start.

#### News tidbits from.p..9

ackets for Barangay Captains, May 14, 2020 ---Fiftyfive barangay Captains received jackets from COOP-NATCCO Representative, Sabiniano S. Canama at Function Hall 1, Tangub City.



**urnover of Motorcycles, Function Hall 1, Tangub City, May 15, 2020** ---Turn-over of three (3) Motorcycles from City Government of Tangub to Keepers for Peace and Rescue Team (KPART) Chief, Roel Deriada to be used for emergency response in midst of COVID-19 crisis.



wenty 20 GADTC faculty member volunteers are on the hotline, answering calls and concerns of the returning residents under Balik Miss. Occ. Program of Gov. Philip T. Tan. A repatriated OFW, who was stranded for two months in Manila, could not control the overflowing happiness when she finally returned home. The province still assists the stranded Misamisnons who wish to go home under Balik Mis. Occ. Program.



# Feature

OOK: PCpl Romulo A Cabal II of 1002nd Maneuver Company will represent the PNP in the forthcoming 2020 Australasian Police and Emergency Services Games which will be held in Wollongong, New South Wales, Australia on October 17 to 24, 2020. This after he emerged champion in the swimming competition during the 2nd Elimination Round held yesterday, March 9, 2020 at the NHQ, Camp Crame,

Quezon City

Source: Regional Mobile Force Battalion 10 Facebook Page





