



Republic of the Philippines
Province of Capiz
MUNICIPALITY OF TAPAZ
-oOo-



OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

Executive Order No. 20-03-13
Series of 2020

**"IMPLEMENTATION OF GENERAL LOCKDOWN
WITHIN THE MUNICIPALITY OF TAPAZ"**

WHEREAS, President Rodrigo Roa Duterte on March 8, 2020 issued Proclamation No. 922 declaring the country under the *State of Public Health Emergency*, and the World Health Organization (WHO) already declared CoVid-19 as a public health emergency of international concern;

WHEREAS, preventive measures are already imposed by the Local Government Unit of Tapaz through Executive Order No. 20-03-10, Series of March 13, 2020 to safeguard the residents against the spread of the disease;

WHEREAS, the increasing number of cases and alarming morbidity caused by CoVid-19, the difficulty of procuring test kits, and the absence of confirmatory mechanism, great sacrifice is necessary to ensure the protection of health of the residents;

WHEREAS, a number of residents returned in the municipality coming from the areas where there are confirmed CoVid-19 cases which increase the threat to the public health of the entire municipality;

NOW THEREFORE, I, ROBERTO O. PALOMAR, *Municipal Mayor* of the Municipality of Tapaz, Capiz, Philippines, by virtue of the power vested in me by law as the Local Chief Executive, do hereby order **"IMPLEMENTATION OF GENERAL LOCKDOWN WITHIN THE MUNICIPALITY OF TAPAZ"**, to wit:

Section 1: GENERAL LOCKDOWN: Municipal borders are hereby declared closed to all mode of transportation and commuters. Entry and exit of the residents and nonresidents are prohibited in the territorial jurisdiction of the municipality, except for the following;

1. National and local government officials, and employees in the performance of their official functions;
2. Medical staff, emergency responders, and social welfare staff while doing their duty ;
3. Personnel of banks, lending, and other financial Institution, and/or those operator/owner of POS in the municipality;
4. Members of the Philippine National Police, Philippine Army, and other security personnel on duty;
5. Delivery vehicles of agricultural products, basic goods and commodities, and other perishable merchandise;
6. Personnel, vehicles and equipment of private contractor undertaking government projects in the municipality;
7. Persons under medical emergency, existing medical condition, and/or while purchasing non-available medical supply in the municipality;

Section 2: MANDATORY QUARANTINE: All persons coming from neighboring provinces who were allowed entry shall be declared Persons Under Monitoring (PUMs), they

BOSS/USG AM 3/20/2020
DLG

MBD - Ang 3/20/2020
MTD - Jim 21/20/2020

PNP - Ang 3/20/20

shall undergo a mandatory fourteen day (14) quarantine in an area designated by the local government;

Section 3: PUBLIC FACILITY: Public market and establishment selling basic commodities shall remain open, however, sellers and buyers must exercise proper protective measures such as wearing mask and gloves, social distancing, and constant sanitization of the area;

Section 4: PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION AND INTERNAL TRAVEL: Travel within the municipality is hereby discouraged except for the purchase of food, medical, and emergency supplies. Unnecessary travel from one barangay to another shall be restricted, those who travel shall require to present a Quarantine Pass to be issued by their respective Punong Barangays;

Section 5: QUARANTINE PASS: No person shall be allowed to travel without a Quarantine Pass coming from the Office of the Punong Barangay concerned, subject to the following conditions;

1. A Quarantine Pass shall be valid for single use only;
2. Holder of Quarantine Pass shall return the document issued to their respective Barangay for proper checking;
3. A Quarantine Pass is not transferable to any person;

Section 6: PENALTY: Municipal residents who travel without a Quarantine Pass shall be required to return to their respective home. In case such resident continue his travel, the person shall be considered as Person Under Monitoring (PUM) and may be required to undergo fourteen (14) day quarantine period. In case the violator refuse to commit himself for quarantine, an arrest shall be effected by the proper authorities for violation of R.A. 11332 or the "Mandatory Reporting of Notifiable Diseases and Health Events of Public Health Concern Act."

Section 6: EFFECTIVITY: This executive order shall be valid effective 5:00 o'clock in afternoon, March 21, 2020 and until lifted by this office.

FURTHERMORE, let copies of this Executive Order be furnished to all concerned for their information and guidance.

So Ordered this 20th day of March, 2020 at Tapaz Municipal Hall, Tapaz, Capiz.


ROBERTO O. PALOMAR
Municipal Mayor