Republic of the Philippines Province of Ilocos Sur MUNICIPALITY OF NARVACAN

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

70th Regular Session
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RESOLUTION NO. 97-98-23 Series of 1997

RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE NATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM AND ALLOCATING FUNDS THEREOF

- whereas, the National Health Insurance Program (NHIP) is a government priority project created by RA 7875 aimed to provide financial access to adequate and appropriate quality health care services a goods to Filipinos;
- WHEREAS, the NHIP seeks to achieve this program through the expansion of coverage of its existing MEDICARE Program that will cover qualified indigent component of the NHIP providing thus free meaningful and substantial medical benefit packages necessary to alleviate their health conditions;
- whereas, the NHIP will vastly improve the overall health status of the community and ultimately the people's quality of life, and thus will rationalize the municipality's expenditures for health services;
- WHEREAS, the implementation of the indigent component of the NHIP will be on a partnership basis between the local government unit and the national government through the sharing of the premium contributions and collaboration in the actual implementation of the programs;
- WHEREAS, to expedite the implementation of the program, the Sangguniang Bayan authorizes the Hon. Mayor Edgardo D. Zaragoza to enter into a Memorandum of Agreement with the Philippine Health Insurance Corporation to ensure the earlt implementation of the program in this municipality;

NOW THEREFORE, on motion of Kgd. Loreto Car, duly seconded by the Body, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED to adopt the National Health Insurance Program and allocate appropriate funds thereof to ensure smooth implementation of the program;

RESOLVED FINALLY that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the President and Chief Executive Officer of the Philippine Health Insurance Corporation at the Philippine Health Insurance Center, Medical Arts Bldg., East Avenue, Diliman, Quezon City for appropriate action.

UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED.

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