

**EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 005 - A - 2025**

**AN ORDER EXPANDING THE TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP  
(TWG) FOR ASEAN EVENTS IN LAPU-LAPU CITY**

**WHEREAS**, the Philippines will host the 44<sup>th</sup> Association of South East Asian Nations (ASEAN) Summit in 2026;

**WHEREAS**, on April 1, 2025, the Department of Foreign Affairs Region 7 informed then Mayor Junard "Ahong" Chan and Congresswoman Ma. Cynthia "Cindi" Chan that Lapu-Lapu City is one of the cities that will serve as sites for the hosting of ASEAN 2026 events;

**WHEREAS**, on July 7, 2025, the National Organizing Committee (NOC) for the ASEAN Summit made a courtesy call with Mayor Ma. Cynthia "Cindi" K. Chan, and notified the city government that the ASEAN event in Lapu-Lapu City will be held sometime in May 2026;

**WHEREAS**, it is an honor and privilege for Lapu-Lapu City to be the host city for the ASEAN Summit as it is an opportunity to showcase the history, culture, and capabilities of the city and the Oponganons;

**WHEREAS**, it is of utmost importance that the city government adequately prepare to host ASEAN-related events next year;

**NOW THEREFORE, I, MA. CYNTHIA "CINDI" K. CHAN**, Mayor for the City of Lapu-Lapu, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order the **expansion of the composition of the Lapu-Lapu City Technical Working Group (TWG) for the 44<sup>th</sup> ASEAN Summit** subject to the following terms and conditions:

**Section 1. Expanded Lapu-Lapu City ASEAN Summit TWG.** The Technical Working Group shall be composed of the following offices:

**Chairperson: HON. MA. CYNTHIA "CINDI" K. CHAN**  
City Mayor

**Vice-Chairperson: ATTY. DANILO ALMENDRAS**  
City Administrator





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**ATTY. MISAELEE M. TEJANO**

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**ATTY. CLARISSA BETH DEGAMO**

Acting Asst. Department Head, Office of the City Mayor

**MS. JUDITH FURUTA**

City Budget Officer

**MR. NOLI CERNIO**

OIC – Clearing Team

**MR. GARRY LAO**

OIC – Tourism Office

**ENGR. PERLA AMAR**

OIC – City Engineering Office; Head, CPDO

**MR. MARIO NAPULE**

OIC – City Traffic Management System

**DR. JANICE TOGONON**

City Veterinarian Office

**DR. ASHLEY ESPEDIDO**

OIC – City Health Office

**DR. NAGIEL BANACIA**

OIC – Disaster Risk Reduction Management Office

**MR. KYLE JASPER AYING**

OIC – Urban Poor Affairs Office

**MR. ALEJANDRO REMOROSA**

OIC – Clean and Green Office

**DR. NEILA AQUINO**

DILG City Director





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DPWH 6<sup>th</sup> Engineering District

**FSUPT. ARNEL S. ABELLA**

Bureau of Fire Protection - Lapu-Lapu City

**REPRESENTATIVE**

Philippine Coast Guard - Lapu-Lapu City Station

**REPRESENTATIVE**

ASEAN National Organizing Council / NOC ExeCom

**HON. JIMBOY IGOT**

Punong Barangay, Barangay Agus

**HON. EULOGIO MANAYON**

Punong Barangay, Barangay Babag

**HON. CELESTINO PANGATUNAN III**

Punong Barangay, Barangay Bankal

**HON. JASMINE MARIE CHAN - OLMSTEAD**

Punong Barangay, Barangay Basak

**HON. FELIX CASIO**

Punong Barangay, Barangay Buaya

**HON. ARSELITO PEJO**

Punong Barangay, Barangay Calawisan

**HON. NESTOR PAYPA**

Punong Barangay, Barangay Canjulao

**HON. CARL STEVE WEIGEL**

Punong Barangay, Barangay Gun-ob





**Members**

**HON. ROSE MACASAOL**

Punong Barangay, Barangay Ibo

**HON. JAIC TAMPUS**

Punong Barangay, Barangay Looc

**HON. EFREN AYING**

Punong Barangay, Barangay Mactan

**HON. ROSALINO ABING**

Punong Barangay, Barangay Maribago

**HON. BONIFACIO OMPAD, JR.**

Punong Barangay, Barangay

**HON. LYNDON GUBA**

Punong Barangay, Barangay Pajo

**HON. TIRSO TUMULAK**

Punong Barangay, Barangay Poblacion

**HON. CRISANTO ESTARDO**

Punong Barangay, Barangay Punta Engaño

**HON. RANULFO EMPERIO**

Punong Barangay, Barangay Pusok

**HON. RUBEN PATIGDAS**

Punong Barangay, Barangay Subabasbas

**Section 2. Duties and Responsibilities.** The Lapu-Lapu City TWG for ASEAN Summit shall perform the following:

- 2.1. Prepare plans for specific tasks that shall be assigned and/or delegated to the Lapu-Lapu City Government Unit by the ASEAN National Organizing Council (NOC) and the ASEAN NOC Executive Committee.
- 2.2. Implement the plans and tasks for the successful hosting of the ASEAN Summit in Lapu-Lapu City;





- 2.3.Recommend actions, activities, and policies, as may be necessary, to the city mayor to ensure the successful hosting of the ASEAN 2026;
- 2.4.Submit reports to the city mayor;
- 2.5.Coordinate with national government agencies, other local government units, business establishments, and other organizations to secure their assistance and support, jointly address concerns that fall within the mandate or jurisdiction of their office, and discuss and identify solutions to issues that may affect residents and establishments;
- 2.6.Intensify the conduct of the regular activities of their offices (e.g. road repairs, drainage clean-up, road clearing, stray dog impounding, profiling, etc.) to ensure the successful hosting of ASEAN 2026 in Lapu-Lapu City; and
- 2.7.Perform such other functions as may be directed by the city mayor.

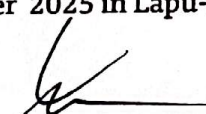
**Section 3. Meetings.** The TWG shall meet at least once a month or as the need arises as may be directed by the city mayor.

**Section 4. Separability Clause.** Should any provision of this Order be declared invalid or unconstitutional, the other provisions unaffected thereby shall remain valid and subsisting.

**Section 5. Effectivity.** This Order shall take effect immediately.

Let copies of this order be given to the offices and personnel concerned.

Issued this 1<sup>st</sup> day of December 2025 in Lapu-Lapu City, Philippines.

  
**HON. MA. CYNTHIA "CINDI" K. CHAN**  
City Mayor

