

Republic of the Philippines
Quezon City
23rd CITY COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE 46th REGULAR SESSION

held on

MONDAY, MAY 11, 2026, AT THE SESSION HALL

City Vice Mayor GIAN G. SOTTO – Presiding Officer

The following were present:

1st DISTRICT

Councilor Tany Joe “Tj” L. Calalay, *2nd Asst. Minority Floor Leader*
Councilor Bernard R. Herrera, *President Pro-Tempore*
Councilor Dorothy A. Delarmente, M.D., *Minority Floor Leader*
Councilor Joseph P. Juico
Councilor Charm M. Ferrer, CPA, MPA, JD, *3rd Asst. Majority Floor Leader*
Councilor Nicole “Nikki” V. Crisologo

2nd DISTRICT

Councilor Mikey F. Belmonte
Councilor Candy A. Medina
Councilor Atty. Voltaire Godofredo “Bong” Liban III, *2nd Asst. Majority Floor Leader*
Councilor Aly Medalla, *Majority Floor Leader*
Councilor Dave C. Valmocina

3rd DISTRICT

Councilor Albert Alvin “Chuckie” L. Antonio III, *1st Asst. Majority Floor Leader*
Councilor Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay

4th DISTRICT

Councilor Atty. Vicente Belmonte Jr.
Councilor Edgar “Egay” G. Yap
Councilor Nanette Castelo Daza
Councilor Imee Rillo
Councilor Atty. Jesus Miguel Suntay
Councilor Raquel S. Malañgen*

5th DISTRICT

Councilor Joseph Joe Visaya
Councilor Aiko Melendez
Councilor Alfred Vargas, MPA
Councilor Karl Edgar Castelo
Councilor Shaira “Shay” L. Liban
Councilor Ram V. Medalla

6th DISTRICT

Councilor Maria Eleanor “Doc Ellie” R. Juan, O.D.
Councilor Emmanuel Banjo A. Pilar
Councilor Kristine Alexia Matias, RN
Councilor Victor “Vic” D. Bernardo
Councilor Vito Sotto Generoso
Councilor Erwin Rey “Cocoy” A. Medina

SECTORAL REPRESENTATIVES

Councilor Jose Maria “Mari” M. Rodriguez, *President, Liga ng mga Barangay, Quezon City Chapter*
Councilor Jhon Angelli “Sami” C. Neri, *President, Sangguniang Kabataan Federation, Quezon City Chapter*

*arrived after the roll call

Absent:

Councilor Ranulfo “Tatay Rannie” Z. Ludovica
Councilor Geleen “Dok G” Lumbad
Councilor Atty. Christoffer Allan “Tope” Liquigan
Councilor Don S. De Leon, *1st Asst. Minority Floor Leader*
Councilor Luigi D. Pumaren

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I. OPENING PRAYER

Councilor Castelo Daza led the opening prayer.

II. NATIONAL ANTHEM

The Community Singing of the Philippine National Anthem.

III. COUNCILORS' CREED

The members of the City Council recited the Philippine Councilors' Creed led by Councilor Rillo.

IV. CALL TO ORDER

The 46th Regular Session was called to order at 2:34 P.M. by the Presiding Officer, Vice Mayo Sotto.

V. ROLL CALL

The Secretariat, Atty. Duero, called the roll.

The following council members were present during the roll call, namely: Councilors Calalay, Herrera, Delarmente, Juico, Ferrer, Crisologo, Belmonte (Mikey), Medina (Candy), Atty. Liban (Bong), Medalla (Aly), Valmocina, Antonio, Lagumbay, Atty. Belmonte (Vicente), Yap, Castelo Daza, Rillo, Suntay, Visaya, Melendez, Vargas, Castelo (Karl), Liban (Shay), Medalla (Ram), Juan, Pilar, Matias, Bernardo, Generoso, Medina (Cocoy), Rodriguez, Neri, and the Presiding Officer, Vice Mayor Sotto.

There being a quorum, the Body proceeded with the day's order of business.

VI. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE 44th AND 45th REGULAR SESSIONS, HELD ON APRIL 27, 2026 AND MAY 4, 2026, RESPECTIVELY

There being no correction, observation, and modification, on motion, duly seconded, the minutes of the 44th Regular Session and 45th Regular Session, held on April 27, 2026 and May 4, 2026 were **APPROVED**.

VII. INFORMATIONAL MATTERS

No informational matters are included in the day's agenda.

VIII. PRIVILEGE HOUR

There being no council member who opted to avail of the privilege hour, on motion, duly seconded, the same was dispensed with.

In the meantime, as requested by the Majority Floor Leader, a quick recess was declared for the presentation of the scroll of recognition to the respective recipients and a photo op.

After which, the session resumed and proceeded with the order of the day.

MINUTES, 46th REGULAR SESSION, MONDAY, MAY 11, 2026**IX. CALENDAR OF BUSINESS*****A.1 FOR THIRD & FINAL READING OF AN ORDINANCE AND FOR CONFIRMATION OF RESOLUTIONS (APPROVED ON SECOND READING DURING THE 43RD REGULAR SESSION, HELD ON APRIL 22, 2026):******a. FOR THIRD AND FINAL READING***

1. PR23CC-393 – AN ORDINANCE RENAMING THE PAYATAS CONTROLLED DISPOSAL FACILITY (PCDF) TO QUEZON CITY CLOSED DISPOSAL SITE (QCCDS) *(Introduced by Councilors VITO SOTTO GENEROSO and ALY MEDALLA)*

(Co-Introduced by Councilors Tany Joe “TJ” L. Calalay, Bernard R. Herrera, Dorothy A. Delarmente, M.D., Joseph P. Juico, Candy A. Medina, Atty. Voltaire Godofredo “Bong” Liban III, Geleen “Dok G” Lumbad, Atty. Christoffer Allan “Tope” Liquigan, Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay, Don S. De Leon, Atty. Vicente Belmonte Jr., Edgar “Egay” G. Yap, Nanette Castelo Daza, Imee Rillo, Atty. Jesus Miguel Suntay, Joseph Joe Visaya, Karl Edgar Castelo, Shaira “Shay” L. Liban, Ram V. Medalla, Maria Eleanor “Doc Ellie” R. Juan, O.D., Emmanuel Banjo A. Pilar, Kristine Alexia Matias, RN, Victor “Vic” D. Bernardo, Erwin Rey “Cocoy” A. Medina, Jose Maria “Mari” M. Rodriguez, and Jhon Angelli “Sami” C. Neri)

APPROVED/PASSED on third/final reading.

b. FOR CONFIRMATION

1. PR23CC-428 – A RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING ALL BARANGAYS IN QUEZON CITY TO ACTIVELY SUPPORT, PROMOTE, AND COORDINATE WITH THE QUEZON CITY VETERINARY DEPARTMENT IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF ITS SPAY AND NEUTER (KAPON) PROGRAMS *(Introduced by Councilors DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D. and JOSE MARIA “Mari” M. RODRIGUEZ)*

(Co-Introduced by Councilors Tany Joe “TJ” L. Calalay, Bernard R. Herrera, Joseph P. Juico, Candy A. Medina, Atty. Voltaire Godofredo “Bong” Liban III, Aly Medalla, Geleen “Dok G” Lumbad, Atty. Christoffer Allan “Tope” Liquigan, Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay, Don S. De Leon, Atty. Vicente Belmonte Jr., Edgar “Egay” G. Yap, Nanette Castelo Daza, Imee Rillo, Atty. Jesus Miguel Suntay, Joseph Joe Visaya, Karl Edgar Castelo, Shaira “Shay” L. Liban, Ram V. Medalla, Maria Eleanor “Doc Ellie” R. Juan, O.D., Emmanuel Banjo A. Pilar, Kristine Alexia Matias, RN, Victor “Vic” D. Bernardo, Vito Sotto Generoso, Erwin Rey “Cocoy” A. Medina, and Jhon Angelli “Sami” C. Neri)

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2. PR23CC-432 – A RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE IMPLEMENTATION AND STRENGTHENING OF MENTAL HEALTH AND WELL-BEING PROGRAMS FOR FEMALE YOUTH IN QUEZON CITY *(Introduced by Councilors JHON ANGELLI “Sami” C. NERI, DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D., AIKO MELENDEZ and CANDY A. MEDINA)*

(Co-Introduced by Councilors Tany Joe “TJ” L. Calalay, Bernard R. Herrera, Joseph P. Juico, Atty. Voltaire Godofredo “Bong” Liban III, Aly Medalla, Geleen “Dok G” Lumbad, Atty. Christoffer Allan “Tope” Liquigan, Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay, Don S. De Leon, Atty. Vicente Belmonte Jr., Edgar “Egay” G. Yap, Nanette Castelo Daza, Imee Rillo, Atty. Jesus Miguel Suntay, Raquel S. Malañgen, Joseph Joe Visaya, Karl Edgar Castelo, Shaira “Shay” L. Liban, Ram V. Medalla, Maria Eleanor “Doc Ellie” R. Juan, O.D., Emmanuel Banjo A. Pilar, Kristine Alexia Matias, RN, Victor “Vic” D. Bernardo, Vito Sotto Generoso, Erwin Rey “Cocoy” A. Medina, and Jose Maria “Mari” M. Rodriguez)

3. PR23CC-433 – A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING AND ENCOURAGING THE STRENGTHENING OF WOMEN’S MENTAL HEALTH AND LIFE-CYCLE CARE PROGRAMS IN QUEZON CITY *(Introduced by Councilors DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D., AIKO MELENDEZ, CANDY A. MEDINA and JHON ANGELLI “Sami” C. NERI)*

(Co-Introduced by Councilors Tany Joe “TJ” L. Calalay, Bernard R. Herrera, Joseph P. Juico, Atty. Voltaire Godofredo “Bong” Liban III, Aly Medalla, Geleen “Dok G” Lumbad, Atty. Christoffer Allan “Tope” Liquigan, Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay, Don S. De Leon, Atty. Vicente Belmonte Jr., Edgar “Egay” G. Yap, Nanette Castelo Daza, Imee Rillo, Atty. Jesus Miguel Suntay, Raquel S. Malañgen, Joseph Joe Visaya, Karl Edgar Castelo, Shaira “Shay” L. Liban, Ram V. Medalla, Maria Eleanor “Doc Ellie” R. Juan, O.D., Emmanuel Banjo A. Pilar, Kristine Alexia Matias, RN, Victor “Vic” D. Bernardo, Vito Sotto Generoso, Erwin Rey “Cocoy” A. Medina, and Jose Maria “Mari” M. Rodriguez)

4. PR23CC-465 – A RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING INTERFAITH DIALOGUE, COOPERATION, AND MUTUAL RESPECT AMONG RELIGIOUS COMMUNITIES IN QUEZON CITY *(Introduced by Councilors DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D. and TANY JOE “TJ” L. CALALAY)*

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5. PR23CC-467 – A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE “QUEZON CITY AIR QUALITY MANAGEMENT PLAN (QC AQMP),” SUBJECT TO EXISTING LAWS, RULES AND REGULATIONS *(Introduced by Councilor VITO SOTTO GENEROSO)*

(Co-Introduced by Councilors Tany Joe “TJ” L. Calalay, Bernard R. Herrera, Dorothy A. Delarmente, M.D., Joseph P. Juico, Candy A. Medina, Atty. Voltaire Godofredo “Bong” Liban III, Aly Medalla, Geleen “Dok G” Lumbad, Atty. Christoffer Allan “Tope” Liquigan, Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay, Don S. De Leon, Atty. Vicente Belmonte Jr., Edgar “Egay” G. Yap, Nanette Castelo Daza, Imee Rillo, Atty. Jesus Miguel Suntay, Joseph Joe Visaya, Karl Edgar Castelo, Shaira “Shay” L. Liban, Ram V. Medalla, Maria Eleanor “Doc Ellie” R. Juan, O.D., Emmanuel Banjo A. Pilar, Kristine Alexia Matias, RN, Victor “Vic” D. Bernardo, Erwin Rey “Cocoy” A. Medina, Jose Maria “Mari” M. Rodriguez, and Jhon Angelli “Sami” C. Neri)

Items **1 to 5** were **CONFIRMED**.

A.2 FOR THIRD & FINAL READING OF ORDINANCES AND FOR CONFIRMATION OF RESOLUTIONS (APPROVED ON SECOND READING DURING THE 44TH REGULAR SESSION, HELD ON APRIL 27, 2026):

a. FOR THIRD AND FINAL READING

1. PO23CC-139 – AN ORDINANCE DESIGNATING ONE-WAY TRAFFIC AND ONE-SIDE PARKING SCHEME ON SELECTED STREETS WITHIN BARANGAY BAGUMBUHAY, QUEZON CITY AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF *(Introduced by Councilors DON S. DE LEON, GELEEN “Dok G” LUMBAD, ATTY. CHRISTOFFER ALLAN “Tope” LIQUIGAN, ALBERT ALVIN “Chuckie” L. ANTONIO III, WENCEROM BENEDICT C. LAGUMBAY and LUIGI D. PUMAREN)*

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2. PO23CC-141 – AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF AN APPROPRIATE TRAFFIC SCHEME, A ONE-WAY TRAFFIC FLOW, AND A ONE-SIDE PARKING ON SPECIFIC STREETS OF BARANGAY WEST KAMIAS, QUEZON CITY, AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF *(Introduced by Councilors DON S. DE LEON, GELEEN “Dok G” LUMBAD, ATTY. CHRISTOFFER ALLAN “Tope” LIQUIGAN, ALBERT ALVIN “Chuckie” L. ANTONIO III, WENCEROM BENEDICT C. LAGUMBAY and LUIGI D. PUMAREN)*

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Items **1 & 2** were **APPROVED/PASSED** on third/final reading.

b. FOR CONFIRMATION

1. PR23CC-392 – A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE QUEZON CITY GOVERNMENT, REPRESENTED BY THE CITY MAYOR, HONORABLE MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE, AND ON BEHALF OF THE QUEZON CITY YOUTH DEVELOPMENT OFFICE (QCYDO), TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN THE MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT (MOA) WITH VARIOUS PRIVATE EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS UNDER THE QUEZON CITY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM *(Introduced by Councilors NICOLE “Nikki” V. CRISOLOGO and ALY MEDALLA)*

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2. PR23CC-486 – A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE STRONG SUPPORT OF THE QUEZON CITY COUNCIL FOR THE PASSAGE INTO LAW OF SENATE BILL NO. 1822, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE NATIONAL AUTISM CARE, SUPPORT, AND INCLUSION ACT, A MEASURE APPROVED BY THE SENATE WHICH SEEKS TO EXPAND SERVICES, PROTECTION, AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR FILIPINOS WITH AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER (ASD) *(Introduced by Councilors DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D., JOSE MARIA “Mari” M. RODRIGUEZ, JHON ANGELLI “Sami” C. NERI, EMMANUEL BANJO A. PILAR and AIKO MELENDEZ)*

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3. PR23CC-490 – A RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE STRENGTHENING OF ACCESS TO LEGAL AID AND JUSTICE FOR VULNERABLE SECTORS IN QUEZON CITY *(Introduced by Councilors AIKO MELENDEZ, ATTY. CHRISTOFFER ALLAN “Tope” LIQUIGAN, ATTY. JESUS MIGUEL SUNTAY and DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D.)*

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4. PR23CC-673 – A RESOLUTION EXTENDING THE SINCEREST CONGRATULATIONS OF THE QUEZON CITY GOVERNMENT, HEADED BY THE CITY MAYOR, HONORABLE MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE, THE CITY VICE MAYOR, HONORABLE GIAN G. SOTTO, AND THE HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE 23RD QUEZON CITY COUNCIL TO JOHN DANIEL CIMANES FOR WINNING THE GOLD AWARD IN THE COMMERCIALIZATION CATEGORY AT THE INNOVATION CONGRESS (ICON) AND THE INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH CONFERENCE ON PHARMACEUTICAL AND ALLIED SCIENCES 3.0 (IRCPAS3.0) HELD IN KUALA LUMPUR, MALAYSIA ON MARCH 26-28, 2026 *(Introduced by Councilors ALY MEDALLA and NICOLE “Nikki” V. CRISOLOGO)*

(Co-Introduced by Councilors Tany Joe “TJ” L. Calalay, Bernard R. Herrera, Dorothy A. Delarmente, M.D., Joseph P. Juico, Charm Ferrer, CPA, MPA, JD, Mikey F. Belmonte, Dave C. Valmocina, Atty. Christoffer Allan “Tope” Liquigan, Albert Alvin “Chuckie” L. Antonio III, Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay, Don S. De Leon, Luigi D. Pumaren, Atty. Vicente Belmonte Jr., Nanette Castelo Daza, Imee Rillo, Atty. Jesus Miguel Suntay, Joseph Joe Visaya, Aiko Melendez, Alfred Vargas, MPA, Karl Edgar Castelo, Shaira “Shay” L. Liban, Ram V. Medalla, Maria Eleanor “Doc Ellie” R. Juan, O.D., Kristine Alexia Matias, RN, Victor “Vic” D. Bernardo, Vito Sotto Generoso, Erwin Rey “Cocoy” A. Medina, and Jose Maria “Mari” M. Rodriguez)

5. PR23CC-674 – A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MAYOR, HONORABLE MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE, TO ALLOW THE USE OF THE QUEZON CITY COMMUNITY CENTER, FREE OF CHARGE TO ACCREDITED NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS (NGOs) PEOPLE’S ORGANIZATIONS (POs) AND OTHER ACCREDITED ORGANIZATIONS IN QUEZON CITY.

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6. PR23CC-728 – A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MAYOR, HONORABLE MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE, TO ENTER INTO A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION RELATIVE TO THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE BASIC EDUCATION FACILITIES PROGRAM, INCLUDING LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT (LGU)-LED CONSTRUCTION AND PROCUREMENT ARRANGEMENTS FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL FACILITIES IN QUEZON CITY *(Introduced by Councilors ALY MEDALLA and NICOLE “Nikki” V. CRISOLOGO)*

(Co-Introduced by Councilors Tany Joe “TJ” L. Calalay, Bernard R. Herrera, Dorothy A. Delarmente, M.D., Joseph P. Juico, Charm Ferrer, CPA, MPA, JD, Mikey F. Belmonte, Dave C. Valmocina, Atty. Christoffer Allan “Tope” Liquigan, Albert Alvin “Chuckie” L. Antonio III, Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay, Don S. De Leon, Luigi D. Pumaren, Atty. Vicente Belmonte Jr., Nanette Castelo Daza, Imee Rillo, Atty. Jesus Miguel Suntay, Joseph Joe Visaya, Aiko Melendez, Alfred Vargas, MPA, Karl Edgar Castelo, Shaira “Shay” L. Liban, Ram V. Medalla, Maria Eleanor “Doc Ellie” R. Juan, O.D., Kristine Alexia Matias, RN, Victor “Vic” D. Bernardo, Vito Sotto Generoso, Erwin Rey “Cocoy” A. Medina, and Jose Maria “Mari” M. Rodriguez)

Items **1 & 6** were **CONFIRMED**.

MINUTES, 46th REGULAR SESSION, MONDAY, MAY 11, 2026**B. BARANGAY BUDGET**FOR CONFIRMATION**FY 2026 BARANGAY ANNUAL BUDGET**

1. STA. TERESITA	DISTRICT I	₱ 35,765,639.97
2. SALVACION	DISTRICT I	₱ 17,849,643.35
3. DAMAYAN	DISTRICT I	₱ 18,139,397.16
4. PROJECT 6	DISTRICT I	₱ 26,871,817.20
5. SOCORRO	DISTRICT III	₱ 94,364,310.88

The barangay annual budgets of the foregoing barangays were **CONFIRMED**, **except** for **Barangays Salvacion** and **Project 6**, for they did not submit the requirements needed by the Committee on Laws.

FY 2026 SK ANNUAL BUDGET

1. KATIPUNAN	DISTRICT I	₱ 2,407,685.40
2. CLARO (QUIRINO 3-B)	DISTRICT III	₱ 1,257,453.76
3. BOTOCAN	DISTRICT IV	₱ 1,753,121.13
4. HORSESHOE	DISTRICT IV	₱ 1,489,545.36
5. CAPRI	DISTRICT V	₱ 2,426,389.45

The SK annual budgets of the foregoing barangays were **CONFIRMED**.

C. BUSINESS FOR THE DAY1. FIRST READING:a. PROPOSED ORDINANCE

1. PO23CC-197 – AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE TITLE AND CERTAIN PROVISION OF ORDINANCE NO. 2869, S-2019 ENTITLED “AN ORDINANCE ORGANIZING AND ESTABLISHING THE QC SOLO PARENT AFFAIRS OFFICCE (QC-SPAO) SUBJECT TO ALL LEGAL AND EXISTING LAWS, RULES AND REGULATIONS AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”, DECLARING THE QUEZON CITY SOLO PARENTS AFFAIRS OFFICE AS AN ATTACHED OFFICE OF THE SOCIAL SERVICES DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT (SSDD), AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES
(Introduced by Councilor JOSEPH JOE VISAYA)

REFERRED to the Committees on Civil Service, Appointments & Reorganization (main committee), Social Services, Appropriations, and on Laws, Rules & Internal Government.

MINUTES, 46th REGULAR SESSION, MONDAY, MAY 11, 2026b. PROPOSED RESOLUTIONS

1. PR23CC-810 – A RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A QUEZON CITY SISTER CITY KNOWLEDGE TRANSFER AND GLOBAL BEST PRACTICES *(Introduced by Councilors DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D. TANY JOE "TJ" L. CALALAY, CANDY A. MEDINA, JOSE MARIA "Mari" M. RODRIGUEZ, JHON ANGELLI "Sami" C. NERI and WENCEROM BENEDICT C. LAGUMBAY)*

REFERRED to the Committees on International Affairs (main committee) and on Laws, Rules & Internal Government.

2. PR23CC-811 – URGING THE PROMOTION OF WALKABLE NEIGHBORHOOD DESIGN IN QUEZON CITY TO CREATE SAFER, HEALTHIER, AND MORE PEOPLE-FRIENDLY COMMUNITIES *(Introduced by Councilors JOSE MARIA "Mari" M. RODRIGUEZ, JHON ANGELLI "Sami" C. NERI, DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D., DON S. DE LEON and ATTY. JESUS MIGUEL SUNTAY)*

REFERRED to the Committees on City Planning, Building & Zoning (main committee), Public Works & Infrastructure, and Laws, Rules & Internal Government.

3. PR23CC-812 – A RESOLUTION URGING THE INSTITUTIONALIZATION OF A FAMILY CAREGIVER SUPPORT AND RESPITE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FOR SENIOR CITIZENS IN QUEZON CITY *(Introduced by Councilors DON S. DE LEON, ERWIN REY "Cocoy" A. MEDINA, AIKO S. MELENDEZ, CANDY A. MEDINA and DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D.)*

REFERRED to the Committees on Senior Citizens Affairs (main committee), Social Services, and on Laws, Rules & Internal Government.

4. PR23CC-813 – A RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE INSTITUTIONALIZATION OF A QUEZON CITY SISTER CITY ACTION PLAN AND THE ANNUAL SISTER CITY SUMMIT *(Introduced by Councilors CANDY A. MEDINA, TANY JOE "TJ" L. CALALAY, ATTY. JESUS MIGUEL SUNTAY and DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D.)*

REFERRED to the Committees on International Affairs (main committee) and on Laws, Rules & Internal Government.

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5. PR23CC-814 – A RESOLUTION URGING THE ADOPTION OF A QUEZON CITY AGE-FRIENDLY COMMUNITIES FRAMEWORK FOR SENIOR CITIZENS (*Introduced by Councilors DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D., JOSE MARIA “Mari” M. RODRIGUEZ, JHON ANGELLI “Sami” C. NERI, WENCEROM BENEDICT C. LAGUMBAY and DON S. DE LEON*)

REFERRED to the Committees on Senior Citizens Affairs (main committee) and on Laws, Rules & Internal Government.

6. PR23CC-815 – A RESOLUTION URGING THE QUEZON CITY LOCAL GOVERNMENT TO CONDUCT A COMPREHENSIVE ASSESSMENT AND ALIGNMENT OF ALL EVACUATION CENTERS AND IDENTIFIED TEMPORARY EVACUATION SITES IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LIGTAS PINOY CENTERS ACT (REPUBLIC ACT NO. 12076) AND ITS IMPLEMENTING RULES AND REGULATIONS (*Introduced by Councilors DON S. DE LEON, ERWIN REY “Cocoy” A. MEDINA, ATTY. JESUS MIGUEL SUNTAY, JOSE MARIA “Mari” M. RODRIGUEZ and DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D.*)

REFERRED to the Committees on Disaster Risk Reduction (main committee), Public Works & Infrastructure, and on Laws, Rules & Internal Government.

7. PR23CC-816 – RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE PILOT IMPLEMENTATION OF BODY-WORN CAMERAS FOR SELECT QUEZON CITY ENFORCEMENT PERSONNEL TO PROMOTE TRANSPARENCY, ACCOUNTABILITY, AND PUBLIC TRUST IN LAW ENFORCEMENT OPERATIONS (*Introduced by Councilors DON S. DE LEON, DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D., ERWIN REY “Cocoy” A. MEDINA, ATTY. JESUS MIGUEL SUNTAY and ATTY. CHRISTOFFER ALLAN “Tope” A. LIQUIGAN*)

REFERRED to the Committees on Public Order & Security (main committee) and on Laws, Rules & Internal Government.

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Meanwhile, a minute recess was declared.

When the session resumed, Councilor Generoso moved to deliberate first on PO23CC-062, the first item under second reading of the proposed ordinances.

Hearing no objection, the motion was carried.

PO23CC-062 – AN ORDINANCE INSTITUTIONALIZING “OPENINFRA” THROUGH MULTI-STAKEHOLDER OVERSIGHT IN LOCAL INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS, PROVIDING FOR ITS FUNCTIONS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES (*Introduced by Councilor VITO SOTTO GENEROSO*)

The Committee on Laws, Rules & Internal Government recommended approval, with amendments and/or remarks:

- to adopt the amended version of the proposed measure; and
- to include all Councilors present as Co-Introducers of the measure.

The Committee on City Planning, Building and Zoning recommended approval, with amendments and/or remarks:

- to include Councilors Joseph P. Juico and Bernard R. Herrera as Main Co-Introducers; and
- to include all Councilors present as Co-Introducers.

The Committee on Public Affairs & Mass Media Information and People’s Participation recommended approval, with amendments and/or remarks:

- that an updated and refined version of the ordinance will be submitted to the Office of the Secretary to the Sanggunian to further improve clarity and ensure effective implementation; and
- to include all Councilors present as Co-Introducers.

The Committee on Public Works & Infrastructure recommended approval, with amendment:

- to include all Councilors present as Co-Introducers of the measure.

Councilor Generoso, thereupon, moved to approve PO23CC-062 on its second reading.

Proceeding with the discussion, the Proponent manifested that:

- The measure is rooted in a simple but important principle: the people have the right to know how public funds are spent and how infrastructure projects are delivered in the city.
- Clear, accessible, and regularly updated information strengthens transparency, accountability, and public trust.

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- The proposed ordinance establishes the City Infrastructure Committee led by the City Mayor as Chairperson; the City Administrator and City Engineer as Co-Chairpersons; and the City Architect as Vice-Chairperson, who will oversee the QC “Openinfra” dashboard, a user-friendly platform where the public can access key details of infrastructure projects, including cost, design, contractors, timelines, and progress.
- The measure also creates a Multi-Sector Advisory Council on Infrastructure, ensuring that the civil society, the private sector, and government work together in monitoring these projects.
- In line with the 1987 Constitution, the measure promotes full public disclosure, meaningful participation, and responsive governance.
- The program requires the regular uploading of infrastructure documents, quarterly public reporting, and integration with the QC Freedom of Information System.
- It also ensures that no project proceeds without the proper consultation and approval of the Sangguniang Panlungsod.
- It institutionalizes the “Openinfra” dashboard as the city’s official transparency and public oversight mechanism, helping prevent corruption, delays, and substandard implementation while ensuring that the infrastructure funds are used efficiently and for the intended purpose.
- This initiative also aligns with Quezon City’s commitment under the open government partnership, advancing open participatory and accountable governance.
- It is a meaningful step towards a more transparent and participatory accountability in Quezon City, where every infrastructure project truly reflects the needs of the people.

As an advocate of good governance, the Presiding Officer indicated that this legislation is very close to his heart. He commended and fully supported Councilor Generoso for initiating this “Openinfra” ordinance, which focuses on transparency, accountability, efficiency, and inclusivity. He also praised the ordinance’s provision for an oversight group that will monitor, audit, and provide the public with full access to information about local infrastructure projects. For him, this is a perfect measure that needs to be strengthened and properly implemented to win the fight against corruption in the city and the whole country. He further hoped that the measure would serve as a benchmark for other cities and LGUs to use as a tool to fight corruption.

Similarly, Councilor Herrera expressed gratitude and support to Councilor Generoso for this very good measure. He noted that many infrastructure projects funded by the national government are implemented in the city without proper coordination (a certificate of coordination), leading to issues that may go unnoticed by the city government. Through this measure, these problems could now be addressed.

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The Majority Floor Leader recalled that during the Committee on Laws hearing, the Quezon City Information Technology Development Department (ITDD) and the Office of the City Administrator presented the proposed full dashboard to the City Council members. She praised this laudable initiative as a concrete step toward transparency, expressed full support for the ordinance's passage, and commended Councilor Generoso for this valuable legislation.

Councilor Juico stated that he is one with the Proponent, highlighting the dashboard's people's participation and reporting mechanisms. It is one way of empowering their constituents to monitor infrastructure projects and a good step toward promoting transparency and accountability through public involvement.

In addition, the Presiding Officer stated that the measure would make the government more responsive and, if properly implemented with clear rules, sufficient resources, and active participation, could serve as a model for other LGUs. He also thanked the Quezon City Council for its support.

With no other manifestations, the discussion was terminated, and the following revisions were adopted:

- To adopt all the amendments made at the committee level.
- The refined version of the ordinance shall be submitted to the Secretary to the Sanggunian, incorporating the enhanced *Whereas* clauses to strengthen its legal basis, transparency, accountability, and participatory governance in alignment with the national laws and policies.
- The title shall be revised to reflect its purpose of promoting transparency, participatory monitoring, and accountability in public infrastructure projects.
- To convert the Multi-Stakeholder Oversight Group into "**InfraCom**" to strengthen coordination, technical oversight, transparency, accountability for representation and implementation, and monitoring of the infrastructure projects; and to add **Ex-Officio members** to the "InfraCom."
- To adopt the "Openinfra" dashboard as the official transparency in the public oversight mechanism for all Quezon City Government-funded infrastructure projects.
- To include all councilors present as co-introducers of the measure.

Finally, as moved and seconded, **PO23CC-062** was **APPROVED** on its second reading, as amended.

Afterwards, the **Presiding Officer, Vice Mayor Sotto, yielded the Chair to Councilor Bernard Herrera.**

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8. PR23CC-817 – A RESOLUTION URGING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF A HEATWAVE AND EXTREME WEATHER PROTECTION PROGRAM FOR SENIOR CITIZENS IN QUEZON CITY (*Introduced by Councilors DON S. DE LEON, JOSE MARIA "Mari" M. RODRIGUEZ, DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D., CANDY A. MEDINA, and ERWIN REY "Cocoy" A. MEDINA*)

REFERRED to the Committees on Senior Citizens Affairs (main committee), Health & Sanitation, and on Laws, Rules & Internal Government.

9. PR23CC-818 – A RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE STRENGTHENING OF THE QUEZON CITY-RISHON LEZION SISTER CITY PARTNERSHIP THROUGH A STARTUP ECOSYSTEM AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP COLLABORATION PROGRAM (*Introduced by Councilors WENCEROM BENEDICT C. LAGUMBAY, ATTY. JESUS MIGUEL SUNTAY, TANY JOE "TJ" L. CALALAY and DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE M.D.*)

10. PR23CC-819 – A RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE STRENGTHENING OF THE QUEZON CITY-SHENYANG SISTER CITY PARTNERSHIP THROUGH INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AND INNOVATION DISTRICT COLLABORATION (*Introduced by Councilors ATTY. CHRISTOFFER ALLAN "Tope" A. LIQUIGAN, TANY JOE "TJ" L. CALALAY, ATTY. JESUS MIGUEL SUNTAY, ERWIN REY "Cocoy" A. MEDINA and DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D.*)

Items **9 & 10** were **REFERRED** to the Committees on International Affairs (main committee), Trade, Commerce & Industry, and on Laws, Rules & Internal Government.

11. PR23CC-820 – URGING THE PROMOTION OF GREYWATER RECYCLING SYSTEMS IN QUEZON CITY TO IMPROVE WATER CONSERVATION, SUSTAINABILITY, AND URBAN RESILIENCE (*Introduced by Councilors ERWIN REY "Cocoy" A. MEDINA, DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D., DON S. DE LEON and ATTY. JESUS MIGUEL SUNTAY*)

REFERRED to the Committees on Energy, Water & Other Natural Resources (main committee), Environment & Climate Change Adaptation, and on Laws, Rules & Internal Government.

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12. PR23CC-821 – RESOLUTION URGING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A QUEZON CITY MISSING PERSONS DIGITAL INFORMATION PORTAL TO STRENGTHEN DATA SHARING, COORDINATION, AND PUBLIC PARTICIPATION IN THE SEARCH AND SAFE RECOVERY OF MISSING PERSONS IN QUEZON CITY (*Introduced by Councilors DON S. DE LEON, JOSE MARIA "Mari" M. RODRIGUEZ, ATTY. JESUS MIGUEL SUNTAY, JHON ANGELLI "Sami" C. NERI and DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D.*)
13. PR23CC-822 – RESOLUTION URGING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A QUEZON CITY MISSING PERSONS RAPID ALERT SYSTEM TO STRENGTHEN THE IMMEDIATE SEARCH, INFORMATION DISSEMINATION, AND SAFE RECOVERY OF MISSING CHILDREN, SENIÓR CITIZENS, AND OTHER VULNERABLE PERSONS IN QUEZON CITY (*Introduced by Councilors DON S. DE LEON, DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D., ATTY. JESUS MIGUEL SUNTAY and JOSE MARIA "Mari" M. RODRIGUEZ*)

Items **12 & 13** were **REFERRED** to the Committees on Public Order & Security (main committee), Information & Communications Technology or Cyber Technology, and on Laws, Rules & Internal Government.

14. PR23CC-823 – A RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE STRENGTHENING OF THE QUEZON CITY-CHIBA, JAPAN SISTER CITY PARTNERSHIP THROUGH A DISASTER RESILIENCE AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS PROGRAM (*Introduced by Councilors TANY JOE "TJ" L. CALALAY, DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D., JOSE MARIA "Mari" M. RODRIGUEZ, DON S. DE LEON and WENCEROM BENEDICT C. LAGUMBAY*)

REFERRED to the Committees on International Affairs (main committee), Disaster Risk Reduction, and on Laws, Rules & Internal Government.

15. PR23CC-824 – A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MAYOR, HONORABLE MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN THE MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WELFARE AND DEVELOPMENT, FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE SOCIAL PENSION FOR INDIGENT SENIOR CITIZENS PROGRAM FOR FISCAL YEAR 2026 IN QUEZON CITY, SUBJECT TO THE COMPLIANCE TO ALL EXISTING LAWS, RULES AND REGULATIONS (*Introduced by Councilor JOSEPH JOE VISAYA*)

REFERRED to the Committees on Senior Citizens Affairs (main committee), Social Services, and on Laws, Rules & Internal Government.

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16. PR23CC-825 – A RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING THE POVEDA SENIOR HARDCOURT OF SAINT PEDRO POVEDA COLLEGE FOR WINNING THE GOLD MEDAL IN THE ALL-GIRL SENIOR GROUP STUNTS CATEGORY AND THE SILVER MEDAL IN THE ALL-GIRL SENIOR CHEER CATEGORY AT THE NATIONAL CHEERLEADING CHAMPIONSHIPS, HELD ON MARCH 28, 2026 (*Introduced by Councilors DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D., ERWIN REY "Cocoy" A. MEDINA and JHON ANGELLI "Sami" C. NERI*)
17. PR23CC-826 – A RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING TEAM PILIPINAS-ENCIENDE OF SAINT PEDRO POVEDA COLLEGE FOR WINNING THE GOLD MEDAL AT THE IAS F DANCE WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS AND THE SILVER MEDAL AT THE INTERNATIONAL CHEER UNION (ICU) WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS, BRINGING HONOR AND PRIDE TO THE PHILIPPINES (*Introduced by Councilor CANDY A. MEDINA*)

Items **16 & 17** were **REFERRED** to the Committee on Laws, Rules & Internal Government.

18. PR23CC-827 – A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A CERTIFICATE OF EXCEPTION TO STI EDUCATION SERVICES GROUP, INC., FOR THE EXPANSION OF A FIVE (5) STOREY COLLEGE BUILDING WITH ROOF DECK, LOCATED AT LOTS 4, 5, 6, BLOCK 42, REGALADO HIGHWAY AND ADRIAN STREET, NORTH FAIRVIEW, DISTRICT V, QUEZON CITY, ALLOWING DEVIATION FROM THE RESTRICTIONS PROVIDED UNDER QUEZON CITY ORDINANCE NO. SP-2502, S2016, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE COMPREHENSIVE ZONING ORDINANCE OF 2016 (*Introduced by Councilor KRISTINE ALEXIA MATIAS, RN*)

REFERRED to the Committees on City Planning, Building & Zoning (main committee) and on Laws, Rules & Internal Government.

19. PR23CC-828 – A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL USE PERMIT TO PASCUAL LINER INC. FOR THE OPERATION OF TRANSPORT GARAGE/PARKING (AS BUILT), LOCATED AT 004 ZABARTE AVENUE, ZABARTE SUBDIVISION, BRGY. KALIGAYAHAN, DISTRICT V, QUEZON CITY (*Introduced by Councilor ATTY. JESUS MIGUEL SUNTAY*)

REFERRED to the Committees on Transportation (main committee), City Planning, Building & Zoning, and on Laws, Rules & Internal Government.

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20. PR23CC-829 – RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE SINCEREST CONGRATULATIONS AND COMMENDATION OF THE HONORABLE CITY MAYOR MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE, THE CITY VICE MAYOR, HONORABLE GIAN G. SOTTO AND THE HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE 23RD CITY COUNCIL, HONORING THE 140TH BIRTH ANNIVERSARY OF KA FELIX Y. MANALO, IN RECOGNITION OF HIS ENDURING LEGACY IN FAITH, COMMUNITY BUILDING, AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT (*Introduced by Councilors NANETTE CASTELO DAZA and KARL EDGAR CASTELO*)

REFERRED to the Committee on Laws, Rules & Internal Government.

2. **SECOND READING:**

PO23CC-062 – AN ORDINANCE INSTITUTIONALIZING “OPENINFRA” THROUGH MULTI-STAKEHOLDER OVERSIGHT IN LOCAL INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS, PROVIDING FOR ITS FUNCTIONS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES (*Introduced by Councilor VITO SOTTO GENEROSO*)

The Committee on Laws, Rules & Internal Government recommended approval, with amendments and/or remarks:

- to adopt the amended version of the proposed measure; and
- to include all Councilors present as Co-Introducers of the measure.

The Committee on City Planning, Building and Zoning recommended approval, with amendments and/or remarks:

- to include Councilors Joseph P. Juico and Bernard R. Herrera as Main Co-Introducers; and
- to include all Councilors present as Co-Introducers.

The Committee on Public Affairs & Mass Media Information and People’s Participation recommended approval, with amendments and/or remarks:

- that an updated and refined version of the ordinance will be submitted to the Office of the Secretary to the Sanggunian to further improve clarity and ensure effective implementation; and
- to include all Councilors present as Co-Introducers.

The Committee on Public Works & Infrastructure recommended approval, with amendment:

- to include all Councilors present as Co-Introducers of the measure.

The foregoing measure was earlier tackled and approved on its second reading after the referral of PR23CC-816 (First Reading).

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PO23CC-127 – AN ORDINANCE RATIONALIZING THE FUNCTIONAL STRUCTURE OF THE CITY CIVIL REGISTRY DEPARTMENT (CCRD) BY CREATING THE “PETITIONS SECTION” UNDER THE RECORDS MANAGEMENT AND ARCHIVING DIVISION, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSED (*Introduced by Councilor JOSEPH JOE VISAYA*)

The Committee on Laws, Rules & Internal Government recommended approval, with amendment and/or remarks:

- to remove the word "governor" in Section 2.I.b of the order of business; and
- to include all Councilors present as Co-Introducers of the measure.

The Committee on Civil Service, Appointments and Reorganization recommended approval, with amendment:

- to include all Councilors present as Co-Introducers of the measure.

On motion of Councilor Visaya, duly seconded, **PO23CC-127** was **APPROVED** on its second reading, with the following manifestations from the Proponent, and the adoption of the amendments made:

- Over the years, the volume of petitions for corrections, change of name, acknowledgment of paternity, legitimation, and court-directed updates has significantly increased.
- The responsibilities of the City Civil Registry Department have expanded due to laws such as Republic Act No. 9048, Republic Act No. 10172, and Republic Act No. 9255, as well as programs like Operation Birthright, thereby necessitating more focused manpower and a more efficient workflow.
- The creation of the Petition Section is expected to streamline the handling of requests, reduce delays, and ensure the accurate and timely delivery of civil registry services to constituents.
- The City Civil Registry Department currently has one hundred thirty-one (131) plantilla positions. To cope with the increasing demand for services, the measure proposes the creation of an additional section with fifteen (15) new positions under the Records Management and Archiving Division, to be known as the Petition Section.
- The Human Resource Management Department (HRMD) reviewed the proposed measure and expressed no objection to the creation of the new section, noting that all recommendations and requirements have been incorporated. Likewise, endorsed the proposal for appropriate Council action.
- With the assurance and clear operational leadership presented by the City Civil Registry Department, the Department will continue to deliver reliable public service.

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- The proposed measure further strengthens the Department’s capacity to serve the public and respond to the increasing demands on its operation.

Amendments:

- To remove the word “governor” in Section 2.I.b.
- To adopt all amendments made at the committee level.
- To include all councilors present as co-introducers of the measure.

PO23CC-173 – AN ORDINANCE OMNIBUSLY AMENDING QUEZON CITY ORDINANCE NO. SP-3095, S-2022, ENTITLED “AN ORDINANCE GRANTING ASSISTANCE TO DISPLACED WORKERS, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES” (*Introduced by Councilor CANDY A. MEDINA*)

- Amended version is attached on pages 115-122 of the order of business;

This measure was reverted to 2nd Reading upon the request of the proponent, Councilor Candy A. Medina, through GC26-1625, during the 42nd Regular Session held on April 20, 2026, under Other Matters.

On motion of Councilor Medina (Candy), duly seconded, **PO23CC-173** was **APPROVED** on its second reading, with the following manifestations from the Lady Proponent, and the adoption of the amendments made:

- The Quezon City Government recognizes the vital role of workers in sustaining the local economy and supporting the continued development of the city.
- The proposed ordinance aims to amend SP-3095, S-2022, to provide financial assistance to eligible workers in Quezon City, particularly those belonging to low-income and vulnerable sectors who are experiencing financial difficulties due to illness, emergencies, temporary loss of income, and other economic challenges.
- The Alagang Quezon City Plus Program aims to provide a structured support mechanism that will extend financial assistance to qualified workers during times of need, while promoting social protection and worker welfare.
- Through the proposed ordinance, Quezon City Government seeks to institutionalize the provision of financial assistance to qualified workers and ensure that support mechanisms remain accessible, responsive, and aligned with the City’s commitment to inclusive growth and social protection.
- The copies of the Certification of Availability of Funds were furnished to the Committee on Appropriations, the Committee on Laws, and the City Secretary.

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- The title of the ordinance should be read as “AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. SP-3095, S-2022, ENTITLED “AN ORDINANCE GRANTING ASSISTANCE TO DISPLACED WORKERS, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.”
- In Section 3. Definition of Words and Phrases: the term shall not extend where applicable to cases resulting from employment-related issues, including but not limited to habitual absenteeism or conviction for drug-related offenses, subject to relevant laws and regulations.
- To remove the term “one-time” in Section 5 Assistance and add the provision as follows: “The financial assistance in the amount of Five Thousand Pesos (PhP5,000.00) may be released on a staggered basis, subject to evaluation by the Quezon City Government, taking into consideration the current financial condition and continued need of the displaced worker. Provided that a one-time lump sum disbursement may be granted where the circumstances of the displaced worker warrant immediate financial relief as determined by PESO.”
- To include all councilors present as co-introducers of this measure.

The Acting Presiding Officer, Councilor Herrera, expressed appreciation to the Lady Proponent for comprehensively explaining all the amendments in the measure.

PO23CC-193 – AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE ANNUAL COMMEMORATION OF WORKERS’ MONTH EVERY MAY IN QUEZON CITY, IN RECOGNITION OF THE DIGNITY OF LABOR AND FOR THE CONTINUED PROMOTION AND PROTECTION OF THE RIGHTS, WELFARE, AND GENERAL WELL-BEING OF WORKERS (*Introduced by Councilor CANDY A. MEDINA*)

- Amended version is attached on pages 127-130 of the order of business;

The Committee on Laws, Rules & Internal Government recommended approval, with amendments and/or remarks:

- an amended version of the measure will be submitted; and
- to include all Councilors present as Co-Introducers of the measure.

The Committee on Labor, Employment & Overseas Filipino Workers recommended approval, with amendments and/or remarks:

- that the representative from QC-Public Employment Office (PESO) expressed full support to the ordinance; and
- to include Councilors Vito Sotto Generoso, Dorothy A. Delarmente, M.D., and Bernard R. Herrera as Co-Introducers of the measure.

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On motion of Councilor Medina (Candy), duly seconded, **PO23CC-193** was **APPROVED** on its second reading, with the following manifestations from the Lady Proponent, and the adoption of the amendments made:

- Workers are the backbone of economic growth and social development, which contribute significantly to the progress and stability of Quezon City.
- Across all sectors, their labor skills and dedication sustain industry, deliver essential services, and drive local development. As such, it is imperative to recognize their invaluable role and ensure that their rights, welfare, and well-being are continuously upheld and protected.
- The observance of Workers' Month every May aligns with the national celebration of labor, particularly the commemoration of Labor Day, and provides an opportunity for the Local Government to highlight programs and policies, raise awareness on labor rights, promote safe and fair working conditions, and strengthen partnerships among government agencies, employers, and workers' organizations.
- The proposed ordinance aims to institutionalize the annual commemoration of Workers' Month in Quezon City as a means of reaffirming the City's commitment to the dignity of labor.
- Through organized activities, information campaigns, and employment welfare programs, the City aims to further empower workers, address their concerns, and recognize their contributions to society.

Amendments:

- To adopt all the amendments made during the Committee on Laws and other committee meetings.
- To include all councilors present as co-introducers of the measure.

RECOMMENDED VERSION:

PR23CC-095 - A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A CERTIFICATE OF EXCEPTION TO MQMC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION (MEGA Q-MART), FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND OPERATION OF A PROPOSED TWO (2) STOREY ICE PLANT, LOCATED AT LOTS 6 & 7-A ERMIN GARCIA STREET, BARANGAY E. RODRIGUEZ, SR., DISTRICT 3, QUEZON CITY, ALLOWING DEVIATION FROM THE RESTRICTIONS PROVIDED UNDER ORDINANCE NO. SP-2502, S-2016, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE QUEZON CITY COMPREHENSIVE ZONING ORDINANCE OF 2016 (*Introduced by Councilor WENCEROM BENEDICT C. LAGUMBAY*)

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ORIGINALLY PROPOSED VERSION:

PR23CC-095 - A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A CERTIFICATE OF EXCEPTION TO MQMC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION (MEGA Q-MART), FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND OPERATION OF A TWO (2) STOREY ICE PLANT (AS BUILT), LOCATED AT LOT 7, NO. 732 ERMIN GARCIA STREET, BARANGAY E. RODRIGUEZ, SR., DISTRICT 3, QUEZON CITY, ALLOWING DEVIATION FROM THE RESTRICTIONS PROVIDED UNDER ORDINANCE NO. SP-2502, S-2016, AS AMENDED, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE QUEZON CITY COMPREHENSIVE ZONING ORDINANCE OF 2016 (*Introduced by Councilor WENCEROM BENEDICT C. LAGUMBAY*)

The Committee on Laws, Rules & Internal Government recommended approval, with amendment and/or remarks:

- to adopt the amended version of the proposed measure;
- to adopt all amendments made during previous committee hearings; and
- to include all Councilors present as Co-Introducers of the measures.

The Committee on City Planning, Building & Zoning recommended approval, with remark:

- that the proponent, Councilor Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay will provide the amendments during the Committee on Laws, Rules & Internal Government hearing.

After moving for its approval, Councilor Lagumbay manifested the following:

- MQMC Development Corporation (MEGA Q-MART) is applying for a Certificate of Exception. In accordance with the provisions of Section 55, Article VIII, in relation to Sections 71 and 73, Article IX of Ordinance No. SP-2502, SP-2016, an exception or deviations from the provisions of the Zoning Ordinance may be allowed only upon authorization from the City Council.
- The proposed project will not adversely affect public health, safety, and welfare, and is in keeping with the general pattern of development in the community.
- The Sangguniang Barangay and the concerned homeowners have not objected to the proposed project.
- The Applicant has complied with the requirements prescribed by law, such as project evaluation, project description, TCT and RPT, TIN registration, barangay resolution certifying that there is no objection to the project, neighborhood consent, environmental impact study, Special Power of Attorney, the DENR Certificate of Non-Coverage, DPWH certificate, MMDA comment, architectural plan, lot plan, site development plan, and structural stability of the program.

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- The proposed resolution has been thoroughly discussed and approved by the different committees it has gone through.
- An amended version of the proposed measure was already submitted for the reference of the City Council.

Meanwhile, Councilor Medalla (Aly) inquired from the Proponent whether the amended and signed Project Evaluation Sheet had already been issued.

Councilor Lagumbay stated that there was an amended project evaluation for the adjustments to the project when it was first heard in the Committee on Laws. He added that the amended project evaluation sheet would be submitted to the City Council once signed by the Zoning Administration Unit (ZAU). However, during the Committee on Laws hearing, it was manifested that they had already complied with the request and the requirements mandated by law.

The Proponent also concurred with the clarification made by the Majority Floor Leader and the Acting Presiding Officer (Councilor Herrera) that the amended project evaluation sheet was not available at the moment.

In a recent Committee on Laws hearing, Councilor Lagumbay confirmed that a representative from the ZAU was present and signified compliance with relevant requirements; hence, there is no reason they will not sign the said new project evaluation.

Councilor Liban (Bong) suggested to the Proponent to lay the proposed resolution on the table to allow time for the submission of the amended project evaluation sheet. Consequently, a recess was declared. When the session resumed, PR23CC-095 was **LAI**D on the **TABLE**.

However, at the latter part of the session, as moved and duly seconded, **PR23CC-095** was **LIFTED** from the **TABLE**.

As mentioned earlier, Councilor Lagumbay reiterated that a new project evaluation complying with all Zoning Ordinance requirements would be submitted within the day, as requested by the Council members.

The Acting Presiding Officer (Councilor Herrera) placed on record the assurance of the Proponent to submit the requested new project evaluation within the day.

Upon recognition, Councilor Juico recalled that, based on their conversation with the ZAU head, there is a stipulation that the applicant complied with the 3-meter easement from waterway requirement in the revised plan for the cold storage facility.

On the other hand, Councilor Lagumbay clarified that the facility is a mini ice plant, not a cold storage, and confirmed that, apart from the project evaluation, the applicant complied with the required 3-meter setback from the original plan that they submitted before, and has adjusted the project to 3 meters more so that it would be away from the waterways.

There being no other clarifications, the deliberation was terminated.

Whereupon, as moved and seconded, **PR23CC-095** was **APPROVED** on its second reading with amendments **to adopt the amended version of the ordinance, including the amended version submitted to the Secretary to the Sanggunian, and to include all the councilors present as co-introducers of the measure.**

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PR23CC-311 - A RESOLUTION RENEWING THE SPECIAL PERMIT OF GAMEEXPERIENCE ENTERTAINMENT CORP. FOR THE OPERATION OF E-GAMES (SPECIALTY GAMES) LOCATED AT G/F GREENHILLS TOWN CENTER, GRANADA ST. COR. VALENCIA ST., BARANGAY VALENCIA, DISTRICT IV, QUEZON CITY, SUBJECT TO THE RULES AND REGULATIONS PROMULGATED BY THE PHILIPPINE AMUSEMENT AND GAMING CORPORATION (PAGCOR) (*Introduced by Councilor ATTY. JESUS MIGUEL SUNTAY*)

The Committees on Laws, Rules & Internal Government, and Games and Amusements recommended approval, with amendment:

- to include all Councilors present as Co-Introducers of the measure.

PR23CC-385 - A RESOLUTION RENEWING THE SPECIAL PERMIT OF GAMEEXPERIENCE ENTERTAINMENT CORP., FOR THE OPERATION OF ELECTRONIC GAMES, LOCATED AT G/F GREENHILLS TOWN CENTER, GRANADA STREET, CORNER VALENCIA STREET, BARANGAY VALENCIA, DISTRICT IV, QUEZON CITY, SUBJECT TO THE RULES AND REGULATIONS PROMULGATED BY THE PHILIPPINE AMUSEMENT AND GAMING CORPORATION (PAGCOR) (*Introduced by Councilor ATTY. JESUS MIGUEL SUNTAY*)

The Committees on Laws, Rules & Internal Government; and Games and Amusements recommended approval, with amendment:

- to include all Councilors present as Co-Introducers of the measure.

On omnibus motion of Councilor Suntay, duly seconded, **PR23CC-311** and **PR23CC-385** (under the same company/applicant and same location) were **APPROVED** on second reading, with the following manifestations and an amendment **to include all councilors present as co-introducers of the said measures:**

- The proposed resolutions intend to renew the special permit of GAMEEXPERIENCE ENTERTAINMENT CORP., for the operation of electronic specialty games and electronic games located at the Ground Floor Greenhills Town Center, Granada Street corner Valencia Street, Barangay Valencia, District IV, Quezon City. PR23CC-311 deals with specialty games, while PR23CC-385 is e-games.
- The Applicant already submitted all necessary requirements, such as a notarized letter of intent, owner and authorized representative ID, gaming license from PAGCOR, Letter of No Objection and GRAC resolution, copy of business permit, copy of previous special permit, barangay clearance, certificate of payment of taxes, and lease contract.

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PR23CC-383 - A RESOLUTION URGING THE APPROPRIATE DEPARTMENTS OF THE QUEZON CITY GOVERNMENT TO UNDERTAKE LAWFUL AND NECESSARY MEASURES FOR THE PROPER ADMINISTRATION OF CERTAIN ROAD LOTS, EASEMENT LOTS, AND OPEN SPACE IN DEL NACIA VILLE IV, BARANGAY SAUYO, DISTRICT 6, QUEZON CITY, AND RECOGNIZING THE INTEREST AND RIGHTS OF THE QUEZON CITY GOVERNMENT OVER THE SAME (*Introduced by Councilor VICTOR "Vic" D. BERNARDO*)

The Committees on Laws, Rules & Internal Government; and City Planning, Building and Zoning recommended approval.

The Committee on Subdivision Planning and Real Estate recommended approval, with amendments and/or remarks:

- that the City General Services Department or any representative from the Subdivision Administration and Regulation Division of the City Planning and Development Department must be present during the next hearing; and
- to include all Councilors present as Co-Introducers.

On motion of Councilor Bernardo, duly seconded, **PR23CC-383** was **APPROVED** on its second reading, with the following manifestations from the Proponent, and amendments **to include Councilors Pilar, Matias, and Sotto as main introducers and all other councilors as co-introducers of the measure:**

- The Del Nacia Ville IV Homeowners Association formally approached and conveyed its grievances and requests to the City Council through the Proponent on water service arrangements, causing inflated charges for residents, as well as the management and control of specific road lots, easements, and open spaces within the subdivision intended for community and public use.
- The proposed resolution urges the concerned offices of the Quezon City Government to undertake lawful and necessary measures for the proper administration of specific road lots, easements, and open spaces within the said subdivision.
- These issues are the subject of hearings and decisions before the Human Settlements Adjudication Commission (HSAC) that handles disputes involving subdivision projects, including open spaces. In its rulings, the Commission recognized and addressed the nature of subdivision road lots and open spaces as facilities intended for common use, and also tackled the prevailing water service arrangements within the subdivision.
- The documents presented during the hearings reveal a significant difference in water rates compared to adjacent areas directly serviced by the public water concessionaire, which has a direct and substantial impact on the daily living expenses of the residents.

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- The Quezon City Government, as the recipient of the Deed of Donation for various road lots, easements, and open spaces within Del Nacia Ville IV, possesses a legitimate interest and the legal right to manage and ensure the orderly administration and maintenance of these areas in accordance with existing laws.

The Acting Presiding Officer highlighted the importance of the proposed resolution.

PR23CC-423 - A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MAYOR, HONORABLE MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE, TO ENTER INTO A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH THE PHILIPPINE SPORTS COMMISSION FOR THE RELEASE OF CASH INCENTIVES TO THE QUEZON CITY GOVERNMENT FOR WINNING 4TH PLACE IN THE OVERALL OFFICIAL MEDAL TALLY IN THE BATANG PINOY 2025 NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS HELD IN GENERAL SANTOS CITY
(Introduced by Councilor VITO SOTTO GENEROSO)

The Committees on Laws, Rules & Internal Government; and Youth and Sports recommended approval, with amendment:

- to include all Councilors present as Co-Introducers of the measure.

On motion of Councilor Generoso, duly seconded, **PR23CC-423** was **APPROVED** on its second reading, with the following manifestations from Proponent, and the adoption of the amendment **to include all councilors present as co-introducers of the measure:**

- The proposed resolution seeks to authorize the City Mayor to enter into a Memorandum of Agreement with the Philippine Sports Commission concerning the cash incentives to be awarded to the Quezon City Government.
- The Batang Pinoy 2025 National Championships, a flagship national sports event organized by the Philippine Sports Commission, was held in General Santos City from October 25 to 31, 2025, showcasing the talents and sportsmanship of the country's young athletes. The Philippine Sports Commission (PSC) grants incentives to the top five (5) local government units based on the overall official medal tally, to be used for grassroots sports promotion, development, and talent identification programs.
- The Quezon City Government participated in the Batang Pinoy 2025 National Championships and placed fourth in the overall official medal tally.
- The proposed resolution serves to formalize the City's participation and acknowledge the incentive program of the Philippine Sports Commission for the top-performing local government units in the event. It likewise recognizes the Quezon City Government's accomplishment as one of the top-tier finishers in the competition.
- The proposed resolution serves as a testament to the City's continuous support for grassroots sports development and reinforces its commitment to future sporting success.

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PR23CC-768 - A RESOLUTION CONCURRING THE SECONDMENT OF DR. JOSE EDGARDO A. GOMEZ, JR. AS CITY DEPARTMENT HEAD III OF THE CITY PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT (CPDD) OF QUEZON CITY (*Introduced by Councilor ATTY. VOLTAIRE GODOFREDO "Bong" LIBAN III*)

The Committees on Laws, Rules & Internal Government; and Civil Service, Appointments & Reorganization recommended approval, with amendment:

- to include all Councilors present as Co-Introducers of the measure.

On motion of Councilor Liban (Bong), duly seconded, **PR23CC-768** was **APPROVED** on its second reading, with the following manifestations from the Proponent, and the adoption of the amendment **to include all councilors present as co-introducers of the measure:**

- The proposed resolution concurs with the secondment of Dr. Jose Edgardo A. Gomez, Jr. as City Department Head III of the City Planning and Development Department (CPDD).
- Civil Service Commission Memorandum Circular No. 12, s. 2024 expressly provides that the secondment to a mandatory Department Head position in a local government unit requires the concurrence of the majority of all the members of the Sanggunian through a resolution.
- Dr. Jose Edgardo A. Gomez, Jr. possesses the necessary qualifications, experience, and expertise in the field of urban planning, governance, and development management, and he is deemed competent to discharge the duties and responsibilities of the City Government Department Head III of the CPDD.
- They have discussed it thoroughly in the committee, and the Head of the CPDD was present in the gallery.

A short recess was declared for a photo op, and when the session resumed, the Body proceeded with the next item on the order of business.

PR23CC-503 - A RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF ELECTRONIC WASTE (E-WASTE) AND BATTERY COLLECTION OR TAKE-BACK PROGRAMS IN QUEZON CITY TO PROMOTE SAFE DISPOSAL AND ENVIRONMENTALLY RESPONSIBLE WASTE MANAGEMENT (*Introduced by Councilors DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D., ATTY. JESUS MIGUEL SUNTAY, WENCEROM BENEDICT C. LAGUMBAY and DON S. DE LEON*)

The Committees on Laws, Rules & Internal Government; and Environment and Climate Change Adaptation recommended approval, with amendment:

- to include all Councilors present as Co-Introducers of the measure.

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On motion of Councilor Delarmente, duly seconded, **PR23CC-503** was **APPROVED** on its second reading, with the following manifestations from the Proponent, and **the adoption of the amendments made in the committees, and including all councilors present as co-introducers of the measure:**

- As technology continues to evolve, electronic devices are replaced more frequently. Old gadgets, broken appliances, and used batteries were often discarded with ordinary household waste, raising serious concerns because many electronic components contain hazardous materials, such as heavy metals and chemicals, which could harm human health and the environment if not properly disposed of.
- The proposed resolution encourages the establishment of accessible e-waste and battery collection or take-back programs in Quezon City Government. Through designated collection points, periodic collection drives, and partnerships with retailers, manufacturers, and recyclers, residents were provided with safe and responsible means of disposing of their electronic waste. In doing so, environmental risks were reduced, and greater awareness and responsibility in managing the growing stream of electronic waste in the community were promoted.

PR23CC-512 - A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE STRONG SUPPORT OF THE QUEZON CITY GOVERNMENT FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 1025, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE “PHILIPPINE NATIVE TREES CONSERVATION ACT,” AUTHORED BY THE BAGONG HENERASYON PARTYLIST REPRESENTATIVE ROBERT NAZAL, WHICH SEEKS TO PROTECT, CONSERVE, AND PROMOTE THE SUSTAINABLE USE OF NATIVE TREE SPECIES IN THE PHILIPPINES (*Introduced by Councilors DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D., TANY JOE “TJ” L. CALALAY, BERNARD R. HERRERA, WENCEROM BENEDICT C. LAGUMBAY and CANDY A. MEDINA*)

The Committees on Laws, Rules & Internal Government; and Environment and Climate Change Adaptation recommended approval, with amendment:

- to include all Councilors present as Co-Introducers of the measure.

On motion of Councilor Delarmente, duly seconded, **PR23CC-512** was **APPROVED** on its second reading, with the following manifestations, and **the adoption of the amendments made in the committees, and including all councilors present as co-introducers of the measure:**

- The proposed resolution expresses the strong support of the Quezon City Government for House Bill No. 1025, otherwise known as the “Philippine Native Trees Conservation Act.” Native trees were recognized as vital components of the ecological system. They sustain biodiversity, protect watersheds, provide habitat for wildlife, and help regulate the climate by storing carbon and improving air quality.

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- House Bill No. 1025 seeks to establish a national framework dedicated specifically to the protection, conservation, and propagation of native tree species in the Philippines. The measure recognizes native trees as critical natural assets and promotes mapping, conservation programs, nursery seed banks, and educational initiatives that would ensure their survival for generations to come.
- The House Bill No. 1025 was sponsored by Bagong Henerasyon Party List Representative Robert Nazal. The Quezon City Government and the Quezon City Council expressed their strong support for the proposed bill.
- The Acting Presiding Officer (Councilor Bernard R. Herrera) manifested his full support for the proposed resolution.

PR23CC-527 - A RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF COMMUNITY COOLING AND HYDRATION STATIONS IN QUEZON CITY DURING PERIODS OF EXTREME HEAT (*Introduced by Councilors DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D., JHON ANGELLI “Sami” C. NERI, ATTY. CHRISTOFFER ALLAN “Tope” LIQUIGAN and JOSE MARIA “Mari” M. RODRIGUEZ*)

The Committee on Laws, Rules & Internal Government recommended approval, with amendment and/or remarks:

- to amend the title to be read as:

A RESOLUTION STRONGLY SUPPORTING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF COMMUNITY COOLING AND HYDRATION STATIONS IN QUEZON CITY DURING PERIODS OF EXTREME HEAT;

- to amend the dispositive portion to align with the amended title;
- to add Whereas clause to be read as:

Whereas, this resolution strongly supports the Heat Action Plan of Quezon City and the Enhanced Local Climate Change Action Plan (ELCCAP) 2021-2050; and

- to include all Councilors present as Co-Introducers of the measure.

The Committees on Environment & Climate Change Adaptation; and Health & Sanitation recommended approval, with amendment:

- to include all Councilors present as Co-Introducers of the measure.

Similarly, on motion of Councilor Delarmente, duly seconded, **PR23CC-527** was **APPROVED** on its second reading, with the following manifestations and modifications:

- The resolution encourages barangays to identify shaded or indoor spaces such as barangay halls, covered courts, community centers, and transport terminals that may serve as temporary cooling areas for residents and commuters.

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- The private establishments, such as malls, restaurants, and commercial buildings, are likewise encouraged to voluntarily allow residents and commuters to access shaded or cooled areas or provide drinking water stations during the period of extreme heat.
- This initiative is simple, practical, and community-driven, but its impact could be significant in protecting the health and safety of the people.
- By preparing the communities for extreme heat, it strengthens the city's resilience and demonstrates its commitment to safeguarding public health in the face of climate challenges.
- **Amendments:**
 - o To adopt all the amendments made during the committee meetings, especially in the Committee on Laws, modifying the title and the *Whereas* clauses.
 - o To include all the councilors present as co-introducers of the measure.

PR23CC-726 - A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MAYOR, HON. MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE, TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WELFARE AND DEVELOPMENT–NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION (DSWD-NCR) FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE SUPPLEMENTARY FEEDING PROGRAM (SFP) IN QUEZON CITY FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2026 (*Introduced by Councilor JOSEPH JOE VISAYA*)

The Committee on Laws, Rules & Internal Government recommended approval, with amendment:

- to include all Councilors present as Co-Introducers of the measure.

The Committee on Social Services recommended approval, with amendments and/or remarks:

- that Ms. Diana Ross Caranto and Ms. Wrindle Serdenia, both Nutritionist-Dietitians from the Social Services Development Department, discussed the importance of Supplementary Feeding Program implementation for children enrolled in the Early Childhood Development Centers in Quezon City;
- that it was discussed, that this proposed measure is for the implementation of the SFP from June-December 2026, and that the funding will be from the DSWD-NCR; and
- to include all Councilors present as Co-Introducers.

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On motion of Councilor Visaya, duly seconded, **PR23CC-726** was **APPROVED** on its second reading, with the following manifestations and modifications, **adopting all the amendments made in the committee and including all the councilors present as co-introducers of the measure:**

- The measure is firmly anchored on Republic Act No. 11037, otherwise known as the “Masustansyang Pagkain Para sa Batang Pilipino Act,” institutionalizing a comprehensive national feeding program aimed at addressing undernutrition among Filipino children.
- Through this program, nutritious meals shall be provided to eligible child beneficiaries enrolled in Child Development Centers for a feeding period of 180 days, promoting improved nutritional status, better health outcomes, and enhanced child development.
- Under the proposed Memorandum of Agreement, the Department of Social Welfare and Development shall provide funding support of One Hundred Ten Million Four Hundred Forty Thousand Five Hundred Pesos (PhP110,440,500.00) for the implementation of the Supplementary Feeding Program in Quezon City, including the procurement and delivery of food commodities and other necessary program support for the 180-day feeding period.
- The City Legal Department has reviewed the Memorandum of Agreement and found the same to be in order and consistent with the existing laws, rules, and regulations.
- This substantial national government investment underscores the importance of the program, reflecting strong intergovernmental collaboration in ensuring that eligible child beneficiaries enrolled in Child Development Centers receive adequate nutritional support essential to their growth and development.
- The Quezon City Government, through the Social Services Development Department (SSDD), the Child Development Centers, the Quezon City Health Department, and other concerned offices, commits to effectively coordinate, implement, monitor, and ensure the successful delivery of this vital program to the communities.
- With this partnership, Quezon City affirms that the welfare of the children remains a priority and that this meaningful investment in child nutrition is an investment in the future of the city.

D. REVIEW & CONSIDERATION OF BARANGAY MATTERS*a. BARANGAY ORDINANCES & RESOLUTIONS:*

1. BARANGAY RESOLUTION NO. RAV-015, SERIES OF 2026 OF PINYAHAN: “A RESOLUTION ADOPTING QUEZON CITY ORDINANCE NO. SP-2732, SERIES OF 2018, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE "ANTI-PUBLIC DRINKING ORDINANCE OF QUEZON CITY," AND AUTHORIZING THE PUNONG BARANGAY TO REQUEST JOINT ENFORCEMENT ASSISTANCE FROM THE QUEZON CITY TASK FORCE DISIPLINA AND PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE STATION 10, QCPD”
2. BARANGAY RESOLUTION NO. RAV-016, SERIES OF 2026 OF PINYAHAN: “A RESOLUTION ADOPTING AND ENACTING QUEZON CITY ORDINANCE NO. SP-2350 RE: "AN ORDINANCE REGULATING AND PROHIBITING EXCESSIVE, UNNECESSARY, AND UNREASONABLY LOUD SOUNDS" WITHIN BARANGAY PINYAHAN, AND AUTHORIZING THE PUNONG BARANGAY TO CONDUCT JOINT OPERATIONS WITH THE PNP AND TASK FORCE DISIPLINA FOR ITS ENFORCEMENT”
3. BARANGAY RESOLUTION NO. RAV-017, SERIES OF 2026 OF PINYAHANA: “A RESOLUTION PROHIBITING PERSONS FROM ROAMING, LOITERING, OR STAYING TOPLESS OR HALF-NAKED IN PUBLIC PLACES WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF BARANGAY PINYAHAN, AND REQUESTING JOINT ENFORCEMENT ASSISTANCE FROM THE QUEZON CITY TASK FORCE DISIPLINA AND PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE STATION 10, QCPD”
4. BARANGAY RESOLUTION NO. RAV-018, SERIES OF 2026 OF PINYAHANA: “A RESOLUTION ADOPTING QUEZON CITY ORDINANCE NO. SP-2184, SERIES OF 2012, AS AMENDED, IMPOSING CURFEW HOURS FOR MINORS WITHIN BARANGAY PINYAHAN, AND REQUESTING JOINT ENFORCEMENT ASSISTANCE FROM THE QUEZON CITY TASK FORCE DISIPLINA AND PHILIPPINE NATIONAL POLICE STATION 10, QCPD”
5. EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 02, SERIES OF 2025 OF BARANGAY NOVALICHES PROPER: “REORGANIZING THE GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT (GAD) FOCAL POINT SYSTEM OF BARANGAY NOVALICHES PROPER AND DEFINING ITS DUTIES AND FUNCTIONS”
6. BARANGAY EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 11, SERIES OF 2025 OF NOVALICHES PROPER: “AN EXECUTIVE ORDER REORGANIZING BARANGAY DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL (BDC) OF BARANGAY NOVALICHES PROPER, DISTRICT V, QUEZON CITY”

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7. EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 13, SERIES OF 2025 OF BARANGAY NOVALICHES PROPER: “REORGANIZING THE BARANGAY PEACE AND ORDER COMMITTEE (BPOC) OF BARANGAY NOVALICHES PROPER, IDENTIFYING THE MEMBERSHIP, THEIR DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES AND OTHER PURPOSES”
8. EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 2, SERIES OF 2026 OF BARANGAY NOVALICHES PROPER: “AN EXECUTIVE ORDER INSTITUTIONALIZING THE "TAPAT KO, LINIS KO" PROGRAM UNDER THE GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT (GAD) COMMITTEE TO PROMOTE CLEANLINESS, COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION, AND GENDER-RESPONSIVE ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT”
9. RESOLUTION NO 164, S-2025 OF BARANGAY WEST KAMIAS: “A RESOLUTION APPROVING AND SUPPORTING THE MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT (MOA) BETWEEN BARANGAY WEST KAMIAS AND THE 4P'S BENEFICIARIES FOR COOPERATION IN PROMOTING THE WELFARE AND RIGHTS OF CHILDREN”
10. RESOLUTION NO 165, S-2025 OF BARANGAY WEST KAMIAS: “A RESOLUTION APPROVING AND SUPPORTING THE MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT (MOA) BETWEEN BARANGAY WEST KAMIAS AND KABABAIHAN NG WEST KAMIAS IN SUPPORT OF PROGRAMS FOR THE WELFARE OF CHILDREN AND YOUTH”
11. RESOLUTION NO 166, S-2025 OF BARANGAY WEST KAMIAS: “A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PUNONG BARANGAY OF BARANGAY WEST KAMIAS TO ENTER INTO A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT (MOA) WITH THE K10TH VENDORS ASSOCIATION FOR SUPPORT TO THE BARANGAY FEEDING AND CHILDMINDING PROGRAMS”
12. RESOLUTION NO 167, S-2025 OF BARANGAY WEST KAMIAS: “A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PUNONG BARANGAY OF BARANGAY WEST KAMIAS TO ENTER INTO A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT (MOA) WITH MEGA QMART FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF A NUTRITION SUPPORT PROGRAM FOR CHILDREN UNDER THE CHILD MINDING AND SAGIP PROGRAM”
13. EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. E-012, S-2026 OF BARANGAY TALIPAPA: “AN EXECUTIVE ORDER RE-ESTABLISHING BARANGAY VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN (VAW) DESK OF THE BARANGAY TALIPAPA, DISTRICT 6, QUEZON CITY”
14. EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. E-013, S-2025 OF BARANGAY TALIPAPA: “AN EXECUTIVE ORDER RE-ESTABLISHING A BARANGAY SENIOR CITIZEN'S DESK OF THE BARANGAY TALIPAPA, DISTRICT 6, QUEZON CITY”

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15. EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. E-014, S-2026 OF BARANGAY TALIPAPA: “AN EXECUTIVE ORDER RE-ESTABLISHING THE KASAMBAHAY DESK OF BARANGAY TALIPAPA, DISTRICT VI, QUEZON CITY AND DESIGNATING ITS KASAMBAHAY DESK OFFICER”
16. EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. E-015, S-2026 OF BARANGAY TALIPAPA: “AN EXECUTIVE ORDER RE-ESTABLISHING THE ANTI-SEXUAL HARASSMENT (ASH) DESK OF BARANGAY TALIPAPA, QUEZON CITY”
17. EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. E-016, S-2026 OF BARANGAY TALIPAPA: “AN EXECUTIVE ORDER UPDATING THE COMPOSITION AND ROLES OF THE BARANGAY DISASTER RISK REDUCTION MANAGEMENT COUNCIL (BDRRMC) OF BARANGAY TALIPAPA, DISTRICT 6, QUEZON CITY”
18. BARANGAY RESOLUTION NO. 45, SERIES OF 2026 OF PROJECT 6: “A RESOLUTION AMENDING SANGGUNIANG BARANGAY RESOLUTION NO. 33, SERIES OF 2026, RECALIBRATING THE WORK-FROM-HOME SCHEDULE FROM MONDAY TO FRIDAY TO BETTER ADDRESS THE VOLUME OF PUBLIC SERVICE REQUESTS”
19. BARANGAY RESOLUTION NO. 33, SERIES OF 2026 OF PROJECT 6: “A RESOLUTION FORMALLY ADOPTING QUEZON CITY MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 5, SERIES OF 2026, PRESCRIBING STRICT ENERGY-SAVING WORK ARRANGEMENTS AND GUIDELINES FOR BARANGAY PERSONNEL AND RESOURCES”
20. RESOLUTION NO. 193, SERIES OF 2026 OF BARANGAY COMMONWEALTH: “A RESOLUTION REQUIRING ALL BUSINESS ESTABLISHMENTS WITHIN BARANGAY COMMONWEALTH DISTRICT II, QUEZON CITY, TO MAINTAIN AND INSTALL AT LEAST ONE (1) FUNCTIONAL PORTABLE FIRE EXTINGUISHER/S PREFERABLY 10 LBS ABC TYPE PROPERLY PLACED AND REGULARLY MAINTAIN, AS A MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS FOR THE ISSUANCE AND RENEWAL OF BARANGAY BUSINESS CLEARANCE OR PERMIT”
21. ORDINANCE NO. 005, SERIES OF 2026 OF BARANGAY KAMUNING: “AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FREE DENTURES TO BARANGAY RESIDENTS. OTHERWISE KNOWN AS "NGITING KAMUNING: A DENTAL CARE PROGRAM," AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THE PURPOSE”
22. EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 06, S-2026 OF BARANGAY KALUSUGAN: “AN EXECUTIVE ORDER ORGANIZING THE BARANGAY TASK FORCE ON THE UPDATING AND MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS OF BARANGAY INHABITANTS (RBI)

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23. EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 07, S-2026 OF BARANGAY KALUSUGAN:
“A RESOLUTION OFFICIALLY UNDERTAKING AND INSTITUTIONALIZING REGULAR PHYSICAL FITNESS AND WELLNESS ACTIVITIES INCORPORATING GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT FOR SENIOR CITIZENS, PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES (PWDs), AND OTHER SECTORS IN BARANGAY KALUSUGAN”
24. BARANGAY RESOLUTION NO. 021, SERIES OF 2025 OF ROXAS:
“A RESOLUTION INTEGRATING PEACE AND ORDER INITIATIVES WITH ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION”
25. BARANGAY RESOLUTION NO. 027, SERIES OF 2025 OF ROXAS:
“A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONDUCT OF WATER SEARCH AND RESCUE (WASAR) TRAINING FOR BARANGAY ROXAS, QUEZON CITY”
26. BARANGAY EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 070, SERIES OF 2025 OF LAGING HANDA: “CONSTITUTION OF THE BARANGAY DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL OF BARANGAY LAGING HANDA”
27. BARANGAY RESOLUTION NO. 028, SERIES OF 2026 OF LAGING HANDA: “A RESOLUTION FOR THE STRICT IMPLEMENTATION OF QUEZON CITY ORDINANCE SP-3214, S-2023: AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE PREVENTION AND ELIMINATION OF ALL FORMS OF CHILD LABOR AND AFFORDING SOCIAL PROTECTION FOR THE VICTIMS AND THEIR FAMILIES, AND IMPOSING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF, ALSO KNOWN AS ‘ANTI-CHILD LABOR ORDINANCE’ OF QUEZON CITY”

Items 1 to 27 were **REFERRED** to the Special Review Committee on Barangay Ordinances.

b. BARANGAY CASE:

1. COPY OF A COMPLAINT LETTER AGAINST A BARANGAY SK CHAIRPERSON, WITH CONTROL NO. GC-1747.

REFERRED to the Special Investigative Committee on Administrative Cases Against Elective Barangay Officials.

MINUTES, 46th REGULAR SESSION, MONDAY, MAY 11, 2026**E. OTHER MATTERS**1. RESOLUTION CONFIRMED UNDER SUSPENDED RULES, DURING THE 45TH REGULAR SESSION, HELD ON MAY 4, 2026:

- a. PR23CC-809 – A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MAYOR, HONORABLE MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE, TO ACCEPT AND SIGN THE DEED OF DONATION ENTERED INTO BY AND BETWEEN THE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT (OP), AS DONOR, AND THE QUEZON CITY GOVERNMENT, AS DONEE, FOR THE DONATION AND ACCEPTANCE OF FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE IN THE AMOUNT OF TWENTY-EIGHT MILLION FOUR HUNDRED THOUSAND PESOS (PHP28,400,000.00), REPRESENTING PHP200,000.00 PER BARANGAY, SOURCED FROM THE SOCIO-CIVIC PROJECTS FUND (SCPF), FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE AND BARANGAY DEVELOPMENT PRIORITIES *(Introduced by Councilors JOSE MARIA “Mari” M. RODRIGUEZ, ALY MEDALLA and DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D.)*

(Co-Introduced by Councilors Tany Joe “TJ” L. Calalay, Bernard R. Herrera, Joseph P. Juico, Charm Ferrer, CPA, MPA, JD, Nicole “Nikki” V. Crisolago, Mikey F. Belmonte, Candy A. Medina, Atty. Voltaire Godofredo “Bong” Liban III, Dave C. Valmocina, Atty. Christoffer Allan “Tope” Liguigan, Albert Alvin “Chuckie” L. Antonio III, Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay, Luigi D. Pumaren, Atty. Vicente Belmonte Jr., Edgar “Egay” G. Yap, Nanette Castelo Daza, Imee Rillo, Atty. Jesus Miguel Suntay, Raquel S. Malañgen, Joseph Joe Visaya, Alfred Vargas, MPA, Karl Edgar Castelo, Shaira “Shay” L. Liban, Ram V. Medalla, Maria Eleanor “Doc Ellie” R. Juan, O.D., Emmanuel Banjo A. Pilar, Kristine Alexia Matias, RN, Victor “Vic” D. Bernardo, Vito Sotto Generoso, and Jhon Angelli “Sami” C. Neri)

2. COMMITTEE REPORT SUBMITTED BY THE COMMITTEE ON GAMES & AMUSEMENTS, CHAIRED BY COUNCILOR DAVE C. VALMOCINA, INTERPOSING NO OBJECTION TO THE REQUEST OF ACTING PUNONG BARANGAY ANNA LISA T. SANTOS OF BARANGAY OBRERO TO HOLD THREE (3) DAYS COCKFIGHTS (PINTAKASI) ACTIVITY ON JUNE 11, 13, AND 14, 2026, AT MAKABAYAN MIDDLE COURT, IN CONNECTION WITH THE CELEBRATION OF THEIR BARANGAY FEAST AS PART OF THEIR FUND-RAISING ACTIVITY.

Items **1 & 2** were **CONFIRMED**.

X. CLOSING PRAYER

Councilor Suntay led the closing prayer.

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XI. ADJOURNMENT

There being no other items to be discussed, on motion, duly seconded, the day’s session was adjourned.

SESSION ADJOURNED: 4:30 P.M.

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