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20<sup>th</sup> City Council  
Quezon City

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PROPOSED ORDINANCE NO. SP-\_\_\_\_\_, 5-2019

**AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE TANDANG SORA SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL LOCATED AT DENMARK STREET, UPPER BANLAT, BARANGAY TANDANG SORA, QUEZON CITY**

Introduced by: JULIENNE ALYSON RAE V. MEDALLA

**WHEREAS**, Section 1, Article XIV of the 1987 Philippine Constitution provides that "the State shall protect and promote the right of all citizens to quality education at all levels and shall take appropriate steps to make such education accessible to all;"

**WHEREAS**, Section 17 of Republic Act 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991 provides that local government units shall provide basic services and facilities including the establishment of school buildings;

**WHEREAS**, RA 10533 or the Enhanced Basic Education Act of 2013 broadened the goals of basic education to include college preparation, vocational and technical career opportunities as well as creative arts, sports and entrepreneurial employment. This will be through the Senior High School Program where students will choose one among these Tracks: Academic, Technical-Vocational, Sports, and Arts and Design;

**WHEREAS**, in view thereof, there is a need to establish additional schools to accommodate students and to effectively implement the Senior High School Program;

**WHEREAS**, the Local School Board (LSB), through Resolution No. 2, Series of 2018 recommends to establish a senior high school located at Upper Banlat, Barangay Tandang Sora and name the same as Tandang Sora Senior High School;

**WHEREAS**, Tandang Sora, whose full name was Melchora Aquino, is known as the "Mother of Katipunan" who aided the revolutionaries and served as witness during the Cry of Balintawak. She is neither a soldier nor a revolutionary, but her unwavering loyalty and genuine desire to help made her an important part of the revolution;

**WHEREAS**, in honor of her legacy, the senior high school to be established at Barangay Tandang Sora shall be named as the Tandang Sora Senior High School.

**NOW THEREFORE**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL IN SESSION ASSEMBLED:**

**SECTION 1.** There is hereby established under the Quezon City Schools Division Office a public high school, located at Upper Banlat, Barangay Tandang Sora, to be known as the TANDANG SORA SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL.

**SECTION 2.** The supplemental funds necessary for the construction, maintenance, and operation of the said public school, as determined by the Local School Board, shall be taken from the Special Education Funds of Quezon City or from any available funds of the City.

**SECTION 3.** In case any provision of this Ordinance is declared unconstitutional or invalid, the other provisions hereof which are not affected thereby shall continue to be in full force and effect.

**SECTION 4.** This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its approval.

Adopted \_\_\_\_\_, 2019.

Submitted by:

**JULIENNE ALYSON RAE V. MEDALLA**  
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