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RESOLUTION NO. SP- 2941, S²⁰⁰⁵

A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE QUEZON CITY HEALTH DEPARTMENT TO DEVELOP AND IMPLEMENT PROGRAMS FOR THE PROMOTION OF BREASTFEEDING IN THE CITY.

Introduced by Councilors BERNADETTE HERRERA-DY, RESTITUTO B. MALAÑGEN, RAMON P. MEDALLA, FRANCISCO A. CALALAY, JR., WINSTON "Winnie" T. CASTELO and ANTONIO E. INTON, JR.

WHEREAS, most experts agree that breast milk meets the complete nutritional needs of infants and is the best first food, fostering optimal brain development and growth and providing stronger immune systems which better protect against common illnesses;

WHEREAS, because of its considerable health benefits to infants, breastfeeding is recommended by the World Health Organization and UNICEF;

WHEREAS, breastfeeding is also known to provide mothers with health benefits, such as reduce risk of breast and ovarian cancer.

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, to request, as it does hereby request, the Quezon City Health Department to develop and implement programs in the promotion of breastfeeding to nourishing mothers in Quezon City.

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RESOLVED, FURTHER, that copy of this Resolution be furnished the Quezon City Health Department for their information and guidance.

ADOPTED: May 24, 2005.


ATTESTED:


EUGENIO V. JURILLA
City Council Secretary


ERIC Z. MEDINA
President Pro-Tempore
Acting Presiding Officer

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Resolution which was APPROVED on Second Reading on May 24, 2005, was CONFIRMED by the City Council on May 31, 2005.


EUGENIO V. JURILLA
City Council Secretary

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