

## Republic of the Philippines **QUEZON CITY COUNCIL**

**Quezon City** 18th City Council

PR2011-82

17th Regular Session RESOLUTION NO. SP- 5056, S-2011

A RESOLUTION URGING THE QUEZON CITY GOVERNMENT TO HOLD COMMEMORATIVE ACTIVITIES IN CELEBRATION OF THE EDSA REVOLUTION AT THE BENIGNO AQUINO, JR. MONUMENT IN QUEZON CITY.

Introduced by Councilors RODERICK M. PAULATE, JOSEPH P. JUICO and JESUS MANUEL C. SUNTAY.

Co-introduced by Councilors Francisco A. Calalay, Jr., Dorothy A. Delarmente, Anthony Peter D. Crisologo, Ricardo T. Belmonte, Jr., Alexis R. Herrera, Precious Hipolito Castelo, Alfredo D. Vargas III, Eden "Candy" A. Medina, Julienne Alyson Rae V. Medalla, Godofredo T. Liban II, Julian ML. Coseteng, Allan Benedict S. Reyes, Jaime F. Borres, Jose Mario Don S. De Leon, Gian Carlo G. Sotto, Eufemio C. Lagumbay, Edcel B. Lagman, Jr., Jessica Castelo Daza, Raquel S. Malangen, Vincent DG. Belmonte, Marvin C. Rillo, Ranulfo Z. Ludovica and John Ansell R. De Guzman.

WHEREAS, February is the month of momentous import for the country, as this is the month when EDSA Revolution was committed to national memory in our yearly celebration;

WHEREAS, the assassination of Benigno "Ninoy" Aquino was a catalyst of the historic 1986 EDSA Revolution, which restored freedom and democracy to the Filipino people, and his widow Corazon C. Aquino served as the 11th President of the Republic of the Philippines, from 1986-1992, while his son, our current President Benigno S. Aquino III now serves the country as our leader;

WHEREAS, the monument to the late Benigno Aquino, Jr. former Senator of the Republic of the Philippines, on Quezon Avenue corner West Avenue, Quezon City, is a testament to the struggles, achievements and triumph of the Filipino people in restoring faith in the institutions of democracy in the country, and to the EDSA Revolution which united and healed a broken Filipino People;

WHEREAS, it is only fitting that the Quezon City Government hold activities in celebration of the EDSA Revolution from February 21 to 25, 2011, culminating in the laying of the commemorative wreath at the Benigno Aquino, s or 5 Jr. Monument, in honor of the hero who inspired the Revolution.

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## NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to urge, as it does hereby urge the Quezon City Government to hold commemorative activities in celebration of the EDSA Revolution through the holding of week-long activities celebrating the country's freedom from martial law, and culminating in ceremonial wreath-laying at the Benigno Aquino, Jr. Monument in Quezon Avenue, corner West Avenue of Quezon City.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that copies of this Resolution be furnished to the City Mayor, City Planning and Development Office, Cultural and Tourism Affairs Office, and the Aquino family through His Excellency, President Benigno S. Aquino III, for their information and appropriate action.

ADOPTED: February 14, 2011.

ALLAN BENEDICT S. REYES
City Councilor
Acting Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

DOROTHY D. LAGRADA, DPA City Secretary

## CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Resolution was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on February 14, 2011 under Suspended Rules and was CONFIRMED on the same date.

DOROTHY D. LAGRADA, DPA City Secretary