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ORDINANCE NO. SP- 340 - S-99

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING QUEZON CITY ORDINANCE NO. 7613, S-68, AS AMENDED BY ORDINANCE NO. 8633, S-71, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE CLOSING, OBSTRUCTING, PREVENTING OR, OTHERWISE, REFUSING TO THE PUBLIC OR VEHICULAR TRAFFIC, THE USE OF OR FREE ACCESS TO ANY SUBDIVISION OR COMMUNITY STREET WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF QUEZON CITY, SO AS TO INCLUDE IN SUCH PROHIBITION THE EXACTION OF FINES IN ANY FORM FOR THE USE THEREOF AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF.

Introduced by Councilors JESUS C. SUNTAY and JORGE L. BANAL.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Vincent P. Crisologo, Elizabeth A. Delarmente, Rommel R. Abesamis, Winston "Winnie" T. Castelo, Ma. Fresca M. Biglang-awa, Godofredo T. Liban II, Marciano P. Medalla, Eric Z. Medina, Julian M.L. Coseteng, Marcel C. Rillo, Ramon G. Mathay and Bayani V. Hipol.

WHEREAS, police power is conferred upon the local government units (LGU) under Section 16 of the Local Government Code, which provides for the General Welfare Clause, to wit: "Every local government unit shall exercise the powers expressly granted, those necessarily implied therefrom, as well as powers necessary and proper for governance such as to promote health and safety, enhance prosperity, improve public morals maintain peace and order, and preserve the comfort and convenience of their inhabitants therein ;

WHEREAS, Section One of Quezon City No. 8633, Series of 1971, otherwise known as "An Ordinance amending Ordinance No. 7613, Series of 1968, prohibiting the closing, obstructing, preventing, or otherwise refusing to the public or vehicular traffic, the use of free access to any subdivision or community street within the jurisdiction of Quezon City, so as to include in such prohibition the exaction of fees, in any form for the use thereof," provides that Section One of Ordinance No. 7613, Series of 1968, is hereby amended to read as follows;

"Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation, to close, obstruct, prevent or otherwise refuse to the public or vehicular traffic the use of or free access to any subdivision or community street within the jurisdiction of Quezon City, or to exact fees in any form for the use thereof."

WHEREAS, this measure is intended to keep subdivision roads and street within the jurisdiction of Quezon City accessible to the public in an effort to provide a solution to the worsening traffic situation by increasing the penalties for violation of Ordinance No. 8633, Series of 1971;

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