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AN ORDINANCE NAMING THE BRIDGE CONNECTING UMBEL STREET OF BARANGAY KALUSUGAN, QUEZON CITY, AS BETTY GO BELMONTE BRIDGE.

Introduced by Councilors ANTONIO E. INTON, JR., DIORELLA MARIA SOTTO-DE LEON, AIKO MELENDEZ-YLLANA, JESUS MANUEL C. SUNTAY, ALMA F. MONTILLA, JANET M. MALAYA, RICARDO R. DEL ROSARIO, RESTITUTO B. MALAÑGEN, WILMA AMORANTO-SARINO, VINCENT P. CRISOLOGO, VICTOR V. JR., ELIZABETH Α, DELARMENTE, BERNADETTE HERRERA-DY, ROMMEL R. ABESAMIS, VOLTAIRE GODOFREDO L. LIBAN III, RAMON P. MEDALLA, ALLAN "BUTCH" T. FRANCISCO, ERIC Z. MEDINA, MARY ANN L. SUSANO, JORGE L. BANAL, JULIAN M.L. COSETENG, FRANZ S. PUMAREN, WENCEROM BENEDICT C. LAGUMBAY, DANTE M. DE GUZMAN, XYRUS L. LANOT and JUNIE MARIE L. CASTELO.

WHEREAS, Section 13, paragraph (b) (2) of the Local Government Code of 1991, authorizes the sanggunian of highly urbanized cities, in consultation with the National Historical Institute (NHI) to change the name of city roads, avenues, boulevards, thoroughfares and bridges and, in fact, such consultation was made with the NHI on the matter;

WHEREAS, Betty Go Belmonte was a well respected person known for her boundless faith in God and abiding concern for her fellowmen;

WHEREAS, Betty Go Belmonte has touched the lives of many people and have been involved in numerous humanitarian activities among the youth, including the disabled persons;

WHEREAS, Betty Go Belmonte transcended the confines of the Filipino-Chinese Community from which she sprung, drawing it closer to the mainstream of Philippine society, becoming a positive factor in Philippine life and in the words of a noted Filipino writer, a "Filipino extraordinaire;"

WHEREAS, in order to honor her for her great accomplishments and contributions to the society, it is most befitting to use her name in the bridge along Gumamela Street, Barangay Roxas connecting Barangay Kalusugan, Quezon City.

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