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QUEZON CITY COUNCIL

Quezon City
20th City Council

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ORDINANCE NO. SP- **2611**, S-2017

AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING ANY INDIVIDUAL FROM COLLECTING PARKING FEE OR ANY FORM OF PAYMENT FROM THE DRIVER OR OWNER OF MOTOR VEHICLE WHO TEMPORARILY LEAVE THEIR MOTOR VEHICLES IN PUBLIC ROADS, STREETS AND OTHER PUBLIC PLACES WITHIN QUEZON CITY AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF.

Introduced by Councilor ERIC Z. MEDINA.

Co-introduced by Councilors Anthony Peter D. Crisolago, Lena Marie P. Juico, Elizabeth A. Delarmente, Victor V. Ferrer, Jr., Oliviere T. Belmonte, Alexis R. Herrera, Precious Hipolito Castelo, Voltaire Godofredo L. Liban III, Ramon P. Medalla, Estrella C. Valmocina, Roderick M. Paulate, Allan Benedict S. Reyes, Gian Carlo G. Sotto, Kate Abigail G. Coseteng, Jose Mario Don S. De Leon, Franz S. Pumaren, Eufemio C. Lagumbay, Marvin C. Rillo, Raquel S. Malañgen, Irene R. Belmonte, Ivy Xenia L. Lagman, Marra C. Suntay, Jose A. Visaya, Karl Edgar C. Castelo, Julienne Alyson Rae V. Medalla, Godofredo T. Liban II, Allan Butch T. Francisco, Marivic Co-Pilar, Melencio "Bobby" T. Castelo, Jr., Rogelio "Roger" P. Juan, Diorella Maria G. Sotto, Donato C. Matias, and Ricardo B. Corpuz.

WHEREAS, it has been observed that a number of unidentified persons are roaming around or standing-by in public roads, streets and other public places in Quezon City and acting as parking attendants;

WHEREAS, these parking attendants, who are usually not connected with the City or Barangay Government, are regular mainstay of commercial areas where people usually drop by for eating, pleasure, entertainment, purchase of grocery items, family affair and other important events, and other business transactions;

WHEREAS, due to limited parking space, public roads, streets and other public places are frequently being used for temporary parking by the customers of business establishments and other persons employed in, or transacting with, private/government offices; X

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WHEREAS, erring parking attendants are taking advantage of the situation and requiring the driver or owner of motor vehicle to pay for parking fee ranging from Fifty Pesos (P50.00) to One Hundred Pesos (P100.00) without official receipt as if they are duly authorized personnel of the government to collect such fee;

WHEREAS, roads, streets and other public places are intended for public use and beyond the commerce of men, hence, collecting parking fee or any form of payment by unauthorized persons for the temporary use thereof is certainly unlawful;

WHEREAS, pursuant to the General Welfare Clause of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991 and in the exercise of its police power, the City Council may enact Ordinances to promote public order and safety and to wipe out any form of wrongful activities.

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED:

SECTION 1. It is hereby prohibited for any individual to collect parking fee or any form of payment from the driver or owner of motor vehicle who temporarily leave their motor vehicles in public roads, streets and other public places within Quezon City.

For the purpose of this Ordinance, "individual" shall refer to any person not officially connected either with the City or Barangay Government and unauthorized to collect parking fee.

SECTION 2. The prohibition provided in the preceding section shall, however, not be interpreted as to allow parking of motor vehicles along public roads, streets and other public places. The City or Barangay Government may still regulate parking therein subject to existing traffic Laws, Ordinances or Rules.

SECTION 3. All Punong Barangays of Quezon City and the District Director of the Quezon City Police District (QCPD) shall be responsible for the strict implementation of this ordinance.

SECTION 4. Any person found to be violating the provision of Section 1 hereof shall be penalized as follows:

- a) 1st Offense - Fine of One Thousand Five Hundred Pesos (Php1,500.00) or an Imprisonment of three (3) months at the discretion of the court.




- b) 2nd Offense - Fine of Three Thousand Pesos (Php3,000.00) or an imprisonment of six (6) months at the discretion of the court.
- c) 3rd Offense - Fine of Five Thousand Pesos (Php5,000.00) or an imprisonment of one (1) year, or both such fine and imprisonment at the discretion of the court.


SECTION 5. The Implementing Rules and Regulation will be formulated by the Head of the Department of Public Order and Safety (DPOS), the Chairperson of the Quezon City Council's Committee on Transportation, and the President of the Liga ng mga Barangay before the implementation of this Ordinance.

SECTION 6. This Ordinance shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in a newspaper of general circulation.

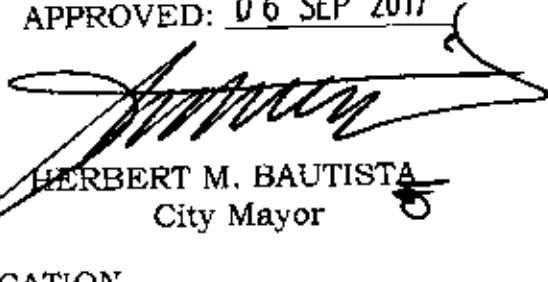
ENACTED: July 17, 2017.


MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE
Vice Mayor
Presiding Officer

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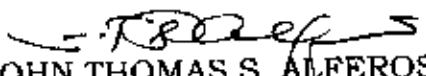

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APPROVED: 06 SEP 2017


HERBERT M. BAUTISTA
City Mayor

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Ordinance was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on July 17, 2017 and was PASSED on Third/Final Reading on August 7, 2017.


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