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(City Council)

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RESOLUTION NO. ~~SP-1246~~ S-99

A RESOLUTION URGING THE HONORABLE CITY MAYOR ISMAEL A. MATHAY, JR., TO TRANSFER AND RELOCATE THE MOLAVE YOUTH HOME TO PROVIDE A HEALTHIER SHELTER CONDUCTIVE FOR REHABILITATION OF YOUTH OFFENDERS.

Introduced by Councilor WILMA AMORANTO-SARINO.

WHEREAS, pursuant to PD 603, otherwise known as the "Child and Youth Welfare Code" and with authority by Presidential Proclamation No. 1461, the Molave Youth Home was established on August 19, 1976;

WHEREAS, the primary objective of the institution is to provide temporary security and care for youth offenders who have pending cases in Court so as to remove them from the unwholesome atmosphere of a jail as wards of the State and not criminals;

WHEREAS, these youthful offenders need a new, healthy, respectable environment, and homely atmosphere to help them gain self-respect;

WHEREAS, at present, there is an average of eighty (80) to one hundred (100) youth offenders staying in three (3) choked and inconvenient quarters, without any isolation room for ill-wards and exposing others to the disease nor provided with medical facilities and staff;

WHEREAS, the very purpose of the concept of rehabilitating these youthful offenders through homelife training, special education, livelihood program and health sports activities has been defeated because of the very unproportional size of the area erected on a Two Thousand (2,000) square meters space;

WHEREAS, considering the volume of the wards detained at the Molave Youth Home, the same is no longer fit and could hardly accommodate their primary needs, such as medical attention, fitness center, skills training, multi-purpose hall and other facilities needed for rehabilitation;

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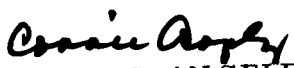
WHEREAS, there is an urgent need to transfer, relocate and provide a new healthy and homely atmosphere and shelter to these youthful offenders for them to feel that they are still part of the community and society;

NOW, THEREFORE,



BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, to urge, as it does hereby urge, the Honorable Ismael A. Mathay, Jr., to transfer and relocate the Molave Youth Home to provide a healthier shelter conducive for rehabilitation of youth offenders.

RESOLVED, FURTHER, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded immediately to the Office of the City Mayor and Social Services and Development Department for their information and guidance.

ADOPTED: August 24, 1999.


CONNIE S. ANGELES
Vice Mayor
Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:


EUGENIO V. JURILLA
City Council Secretary


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