



Republic of the Philippines  
**CITY COUNCIL**  
Quezon City  
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PR2003-455

88<sup>th</sup> Regular Session

RESOLUTION NO. SP-**2413**, S-2004

A RESOLUTION URGING THE HONORABLE CITY MAYOR FELICIANO R. BELMONTE, JR., TO REQUEST MAYNILAD (MWSI) PRESIDENT RAFAEL ALUNAN III TO CAUSE THE EXAMINATION OF WATER SAMPLES IN THE DEPRESSED AREAS OF QUEZON CITY TO PRECLUDE THE OUTBREAK OF GASTROENTERITIS/DIARRHEA/CHOLERA.

Introduced by Councilors RAMON P. MEDALLA, VOLTAIRE GODOFREDO L. LIBAN III, ERIC Z. MEDINA, ANTONIO E. INTON, JR., ELIZABETH A. DELARMENTE, FRANZ S. PUMAREN, JORGE L. BANAL, WENCEROM BENEDICT C. LAGUMBAY, JULIAN M.L. COSETENG and ROMMEL R. ABESAMIS.

WHEREAS, more than five hundred (500) residents at the Foreshore Area in Tondo, Manila, lately fell ill to severe diarrhea with five (5) deaths primarily due to the contamination of water in the area by human waste through leakages in illegal water connections and old tertiary pipes, as per examination conducted by the Department of Health;

WHEREAS, Quezon City has the largest number and area of squatter colonies where there could be illegally-tapped water pipelines which are possible causes of leakages that could contaminate their water supply;

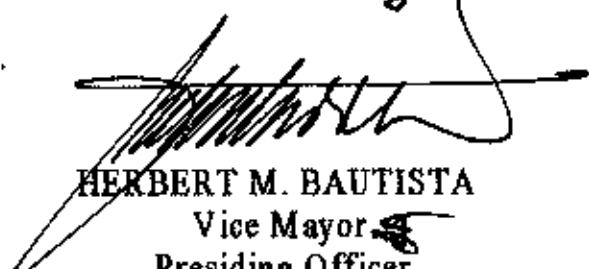
WHEREAS, considering that prevention is better than cure, there is a felt need for Maynilad Water Services, Inc. (MWSI) to conduct an examination of water samples in the City's depressed areas to determine the safety of drinking water thereat which otherwise could trigger the outbreak of gastroenteritis/diarrhea/cholera in Quezon City.

Eric Z. Medina

NOW, THEREFORE,

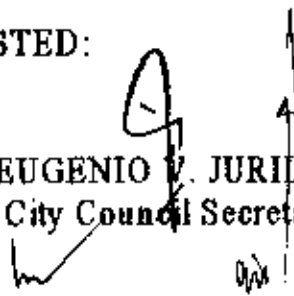
BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN SESSION ASSEMBLED, to urge, as it does hereby urge, Honorable City Mayor Feliciano R. Belmonte, Jr., to request Maynilad (MWSI) President Rafael Alunan III to cause the examination of water samples in the depressed areas of Quezon City to preclude the outbreak of gastroenteritis/diarrhea/cholera.

ADOPTED: February 10, 2004.



HERBERT M. BAUTISTA  
Vice Mayor  
Presiding Officer

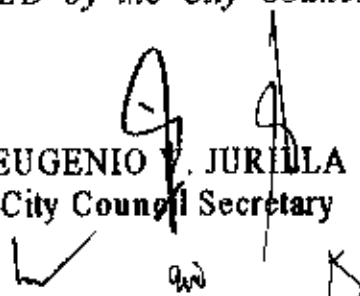
ATTESTED:



EUGENIO V. JURILLA  
City Council Secretary

CERTIFICATION

*This is to certify that this Resolution which was APPROVED on Second Reading on February 10, 2004, was CONFIRMED by the City Council on February 17, 2004.*



EUGENIO V. JURILLA  
City Council Secretary