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RESOLUTION NO. SP- 5963 , S-2014

A RESOLUTION INTERPOSING NO OBJECTION TO THE ONE HUNDRED FORTY-TWO (142) BARANGAYS OF QUEZON CITY TO RE-PROGRAM A PORTION OF THEIR RESPECTIVE UNEXPENDED QUICK RESPONSE FUND (QRF) FOR THE YEAR 2011-2012 NOW FORMING PART OF THEIR RESPECTIVE SPECIAL TRUST FUND AND FOR A MINIMUM OF FIFTY THOUSAND PESOS (P50,000.00) BUT NOT EXCEEDING ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND PESOS (P100,000.00) FOR THE PURPOSE OF TRANSFERRING THEM TO THE LOCAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT FUNDS (LDRRMF) OF SELECTED BARANGAYS IN THE PROVINCE OF LEYTE DECLARED AS UNDER THE STATE OF CALAMITY BY HIS EXCELLENCY, PRESIDENT BENIGNO S. AQUINO III, UNDER PROCLAMATION NO. 682 DUE TO TYPHOON YOLANDA FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUPPORTING ITS RECOVERY AND REHABILITATION PROGRAMS IN ORDER THAT SITUATION AND LIVING CONDITIONS OF PEOPLE THEREIN MAY BE NORMALIZED AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LIGA NG MGA BARANGAY, QUEZON CITY CHAPTERS OPERATION PLAN AGAPAY SA KAPATID NA BARANGAY (OPLAN: AKAP BARANGAY) AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Introduced by Councilor RICARDO B. CORPUZ.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Anthony Peter D. Crisologo, Dorothy A. Delarmente, Victor V. Ferrer, Jr., Alexis R. Herrera, Precious Hipolito Castelo, Voltaire Godofredo L. Liban III, Roderick M. Paulate, Ramulfo Z. Ludovica, Ramon P. Medalla, Estrella C. Valmocina, Gian Carlo G. Sotto, Franz S. Pumanen, Jose Mario Don S. De Leon, Jaime F. Borrez, Jesus Manuel C. Suntay, Marvin C. Rillo, Raquel S. Malatigen, Jessica Castelo Daza, Bayani V. Hipol, Jose A. Visaya, Julianne Alyson Rae V. Medalla, Godofredo T. Liban II, Andres Jose G. Yllana, Jr., Allan Butch T. Francisco, Karl Edgar C. Castelo, Diorella Maria G. Sotto, Rogelio "Roger" P. Juan, Melencio "Bobby" T. Castelo, Jr. and Donato C. Matias.

WHEREAS, His Excellency, President Benigno S. Aquino III, through Proclamation No. 682 dated 11 November 2013 declared the Province of Leyte, among others, as under the state of calamity, proclaiming among others that:

"All departments and other concerned government agencies are hereby directed to implement and execute rescue, recovery, relief and rehabilitation work in accordance with pertinent operational plans and directives.

All departments and other concerned government agencies are also directed to coordinate with, and provide or augment the basic services and facilities of affected local government units."

WHEREAS, per Proclamation No. 682 and NDCC Memorandum Order No. 4 Series of 1998 dated 4 March 1998 the Province of Leyte is still under a state of calamity;

WHEREAS, obliged by a deep sense of moral obligation, the Liga ng mga Barangay, Quezon City Chapter, will conduct relief and recovery program on 29 May 2014 to 1 June 2014 to the selected barangays in the Province of Leyte who were devastated by the wrath of Typhoon Yolanda dubbed as OPLAN: AKAP BARANGAY;

WHEREAS, the OPLAN: AKAP BARANGAY will be participated in by the one hundred forty two (142) Barangays of Quezon City and a considerable amount of money is needed in order for this altruistic endeavor to be realized;

WHEREAS, Rule 18, Sections 1 and 2 of the Implementing Rules and Regulations of Republic Act 10121 provides that:

"RULE 18 - LOCAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT FUND

Section 1. Utilization of the LDRRMF - The present Local Calamity Fund shall henceforth be known as the Local Risk Reduction and Management Fund (LDRRMF). Not less than five percent (5%) of the estimated revenue from regular sources shall be set aside as the LDRRMF to support disaster risk management activities such as, but not limited to, pre-disaster preparedness programs including training, purchasing life-saving rescue equipment, supplies and medicines, for post-disaster activities, for the payment of premiums on calamity insurance and construction of evacuation centers. The LDRRMC shall monitor and evaluate the use and disbursement of the LDRRMF based on the, LDRRMP as incorporated in the local development plans and annual work and financial plan. Upon the recommendation of the LDRRMO and approval of the sanggunian concerned, the LDRRMCC may transfer the said fund to support disaster risk reduction work of the LDRRMCs which are declared under state of calamity.

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Section 2. Quick Response Fund - Of the amount appropriated for LDRRMF, thirty percent (30%) shall be allocated as Quick Response Fund (QRF) or stand-by fund for relief and recovery programs in order that situation and living conditions of people in communities or areas stricken by disasters, calamities, epidemics, or complex emergencies, may be normalized as quickly as possible.”;

WHEREAS, in accordance with paragraph 3.0 of COA Circular No. 2012-002 the purpose of LDRRMF, among others, is as follows:

“3.4. Relief and recovery programs in areas communities and areas stricken by disasters, calamities, epidemics and complex emergencies.”;

WHEREAS, on 13 May 2014, the Quezon City Disaster Risk Reduction Management Council (QCDRRMC) has approved the Liga ng mga Barangay Quezon City Chapter's OPLAN: AKAP BARANGAY;

WHEREAS, the release of a portion of the unexpended Quick Response Fund for the years 2011-2012 now forming part of their respective special trust fund of the participating Barangays of Quezon City has already been approved by the City Mayor in accordance with the Implementing Rules and Regulations of Republic Act No. 10121;

WHEREAS, the unexpended Quick Response Fund (QRF) by the 142 Barangays of Quezon City in the year 2011-2012 now forming part of their respective trust fund needs to be re-programmed and be used in the recovery and rehabilitation mission of the different Barangays in the province of Leyte to support them to be governmentally operational in order that situation and living conditions of people therein may be normalized as quickly as possible and for other purposes;

WHEREAS, evidently, the relief operations to be undertaken on the above-mentioned dates which aims to improve the hapless situation of these ill-fated barangays in Leyte necessarily justifies the re-programming of the unexpended portion of the Quick Response Fund (QRF) of the 142 Barangays of Quezon City for the victims of Typhoon Yolanda;

WHEREAS, the 142 Barangays of Quezon City has an unexpended Quick Response Fund (QRF) in their budget year 2011-2012 now forming part of their respective trust fund and the reprogramming of which for the purpose mentioned may be properly authorized by the City Council of Quezon City under its plenary powers stated in Section 458 of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991.

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NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to interpose, as it does hereby interpose no objection for the one hundred forty-two (142) barangays of Quezon City to re-program a portion of their respective unexpended Quick Response Fund (QRF) for the year 2011-2012 now forming part of their respective Special Trust Fund and for a minimum of fifty thousand pesos (P50,000.00) but not exceeding one hundred thousand pesos (P100,000.00) for the purpose of transferring them to the Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Funds (LDRRMF) of selected barangays in the Province of Leyte declared as under the state of calamity by His Excellency, President Benigno S. Aquino III, under Proclamation No. 682 due to Typhoon Yolanda for the purpose of supporting its recovery and rehabilitation programs in order that situation and living conditions of people therein may be normalized as quickly as possible in accordance with the Liga ng mga Barangay, Quezon City Chapters Operation Plan Agapay sa Kapatid na Barangay (Oplan: Akap Barangay) and for other purposes.

RESOLVED, FURTHER, that the liquidation of the amount disbursed per barangay be done in accordance with Memorandum Circular No.9 Series of 2014 issued by the Honorable City Mayor and government accounting and auditing rules.

RESOLVED, FINALLY, to furnish copies of this Resolution to the 142 barangays of Quezon City for their perusal and guidance.

ADOPTED: June 9, 2014.


DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE
President Pro-Tempore
Acting Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:


Atty. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS III
City Gov't. Asst. Dept. Head III

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Resolution was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on June 9, 2014 and was CONFIRMED on June 16, 2014.


Atty. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS III
City Gov't. Asst. Dept. Head III 