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19th City Council

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40th Regular Session

RESOLUTION NO. SP- 6105, s. 2014

A RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING TO THE CITY MAYOR, HONORABLE HERBERT M. BAUTISTA, THE PROCUREMENT OR PURCHASE BY THE CITY GOVERNMENT OF BOOKS PERTAINING TO CLIMATE CHANGE AND DISASTER PREPAREDNESS, TO BE DISTRIBUTED FOR THE USE OF ALL PUBLIC ELEMENTARY AND HIGH SCHOOL LIBRARIES IN QUEZON CITY, AS WELL AS THE CITY-OWNED LIBRARY AND ITS BRANCHES.

Introduced by Councilor CANDY A. MEDINA.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Anthony Peter D. Crisologo, Ricardo T. Belmonte, Jr., Dorothy A. Delarmente, Victor V. Ferrer, Jr., Alexis R. Herrera, Precious Hipolito Castelo, Voltaire Godofredo L. Liban III, Roderick M. Poulate, Ramulfo Z. Ludovica, Ramon P. Medalla, Estrella C. Valmocina, Allan Benedict S. Reyes, Gian Carlo G. Sotto, Franz S. Pumaren, Eufemio C. Laganbay, Jose Mario Don S. De Leon, Jaime F. Borres, Jesus Manuel C. Suintay, Marvin C. Rillo, Vincent DG. Belmonte, Raquel S. Malafgen, 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, Marivic Co-Pilar, Rogelio "Roger" P. Juan, Melencio "Bobby" T. Castelo, Jr., Donato C. Matias and Ricardo B. Corpuz.

WHEREAS, climate change and the unmitigated environmental degradation have been found by scientists to cause destructive calamities, both natural and man-made, thereby causing injuries, death and suffering to humanity;

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WHEREAS, to lessen the adverse impacts of said hazards and related disasters, the city government must institute some precautionary measures through disaster preparedness by way of providing books or reading materials that will enhance the knowledge or understanding of the people, especially the youth, about disasters such as flood, earthquake, fire, and the like;




WHEREAS, the books pertaining to climate change and disaster preparedness are helpful and essential to students of elementary and high school as they would become more aware and prepared in the event of any disaster or any eventualities and other emergency situations;

WHEREAS, to make the said books accessible to students, it is imperative that all public elementary and high school libraries in Quezon City, as well as the city-owned library and its branches, be given copies thereof;

WHEREAS, Section 14 of Republic Act No. 10121, otherwise known as the "Philippine Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Act of 2010", provides that:

The DepEd, the CHED, the Technical Education and Skills Development Authority (TESDA), in coordination with the OCD, the National Youth Commission (NYC), the POST, the DENR, the DILG-BFP, the DOH, the DSWD and other relevant agencies, shall integrate disaster risk reduction and management education in the school curricula of secondary and tertiary level of education, including the National Service Training Program (NSTP), whether private or public, technical-vocational indigenous learning, and out-of-school youth courses and programs x-x-x"

WHEREAS, in DepEd Order No. 83, S-2011, Secretary Armin A. Luistro of the Department of Education, encourages the involvement of the students, their families and their communities in preparing for disasters as an effective method of raising their awareness about risk reduction.




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NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to recommend, as it does hereby recommend to the City Mayor, Honorable Herbert M. Bautista, the procurement or purchase by the city government of books pertaining to climate change and disaster preparedness to be distributed for the use of all public elementary and high schools libraries in Quezon City, as well as the city-owned library and its branches.

ADOPTED: September 15, 2014.



MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE
Vice Mayor
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 September 15, 2014 and was CONFIRMED on September 23, 2014.


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