

## Republic of the Philippines OUEZON CITY COUNCIL

Quezon City 19<sup>th</sup> City Council

PR19CC-1002

64th Regular Session

RESOLUTION NO. SP-\_6412\_\_\_, S-2015

A RESOLUTION EXTENDING WARMEST CONGRATULATIONS TO SAYAWATHA TEAM PILIPINAS FOR WINNING THE BRONZE MEDAL AT THE INTERNATIONAL CHEER UNION (ICU) WORLD CHEERLEADING CHAMPIONSHIPS - CHEERDANCE HIP-HOP DIVISION, AND THE GOLD MEDAL IN THE U.S. ALL STAR FEDERATION (USASF) DANCE WORLDS COMPETITION - OPEN HIP-HOP DIVISION, LAST APRIL 2015.

Introduced by Councilor DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Andres Jose G. Yllana, Jr., Lena Marie P. Juico, Victor V. Ferrer, Jr., Alexis R. Herrera, Precious Hipolito Castelo, Voltaire Godofredo L. Liban III, Roderick M. Paulate, Ranulfo Z. Ludovica, Ramon P. Medalla, Estrella C. Valmocina, Allan Benedict S. Reyes, Gian Carlo G. Sotto, Franz S. Pumaren, Eufemio C. Lagumbay, Jose Mario Don S. De Leon, Jaime F. Borres, Jesus Manuel C. Suntay, Marvin C. Rillo, Raquel S. Malañgen, Jessica Castelo Daza, Bayani V. Hipol, Jose A. Visaya, Julienne Alyson Rae V. Medalla, Godofredo T. Liban II, Allan Butch T. Francisco, Karl Edgar C. Castelo, Candy A. Medina, Diorella Maria G. Sotto, Marivic Co-Pilar, Rogelio "Roger" P. Juan, Melencio "Bobby" T. Castelo, Jr., Donato C. Matias and Ricardo B. Corpuz.

WHEREAS, the International Cheer Union (ICU) World Cheerleading Championships is the pinnacle of all cheerleading competitions in the world. It has been called the 'Olympics' of cheerleading and it is every cheerleader's dream to set foot in the higgest arena for the sport. It was founded in 2004 and is recognized by SportAccord as the world governing body of Cheer and the authority on all matters related to it;

WHEREAS, the U.S. All Star Federation (USASF) is the governing body for all star cheerleading and dance in the United States. It was founded in December 2003 by cheerleading competition sponsors National Cheerleaders Association, Universal Cheerleaders Association, Cheersport, and America's Best to develop a standard set of safety rules and competition regulations and conduct the Cheerleading Worlds. In late 2006, it created the International All-Star Federation (IASF), its international governing body for cheerleading

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WHEREAS, Sayawatha Dance Troupe was founded in 1995 as an extracurricular club in Miriam College High School (MCHS), Quezon City. Derived from "Sayaw ng mga Diwata," it became synonymous with MCHS students who were passionate about dance, specifically Hip-Hop or Street Dance;

WHEREAS, Sayawatha Dance Troupe are no stranger to dance competitions as they join around five in a year with strong performances. They have won several local cheer dance competition, among those is the first Skechers Dance Battle in 2005, 2013 and 2014 championships of Smart Jump In Dance-Off competition high school category, and 2014 National Dance Competition (NDC) All-girl High School Hip-Hop Division, which became their springboard to the world stage;

WHEREAS, Sayawatha Dance Troupe brought home Gold and Bronze awards after winning in two international dance competitions held at the Walt Disney World Resort in Orlando, Florida, U.S.A. They were named as Sayawatha Team Pilipinas during their stint in the international competition;

WHEREAS, Sayawatha Team Pilipinas bagged a bronze medal at the ICU World Cheerleading Championships- Cheerdance Hip-Hop Division held from April 23-24, 2015;

WHEREAS, Sayawatha Team Pilipinas also bagged a gold medal in the USASF Dance Worlds Competition- Open Hip-Hop Division last April 26, 2015;

WHEREAS, both competitions bring together the best dance and cheerleading groups around the world to compete and showcase their moves.

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## NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to extend, as it does hereby extend, the warmest congratulations to Sayawatha Team Pilipinas for winning the bronze medal at the International Cheer Union (ICU) World Cheerleading Championships - Cheerdance Hip-Hop Division, and the gold medal in the U.S. All Star Federation (USASF) Dance Worlds Competition - Open Hip-Hop Division.

ADOPTED: June 15, 2015.

ANTHOMY PETER BY CRISOLOGO
Acting Vice Mayor
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 15, 2015 and was CONFIRMED on June 22, 2015.

Atty. JOHN THOMAS STALFEROS III

City Gov't. Asst. Dept. Head III