

Republic of the Philippines QUEZON CITY COUNCIL

Quezon City 21st City Council

PR21CC-622

34th Regular Session

RESOLUTION NO. SP-8232, S-2020

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MAYOR, HONORABLE MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE, TO ENTER INTO A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH PAYMAYA PHILIPPINES, INC., REPRESENTED BY ITS CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER, MR. PAOLO AZZOLA, FOR PURPOSES OF DISTRIBUTING FINANCIAL AID TO QUALIFIED BENEFICIARIES OF KALINGANG QC WITH THE OBJECTIVE OF MITIGATING THE EFFECTS OF COVID-19 PANDEMIC IN THE COMMUNITY BY PROVIDING FINANCIAL AID TO THE LOW INCOME AND VULNERABLE RESIDENTS OF QUEZON CITY.

Introduced by Councilors FRANZ S. PUMAREN and DONATO "Donny" C. MATIAS.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Bernard R. Herrera, Lena Marie P. Juico, Dorothy A. Delarmente, M.D., Nicole Ella V. Crisologo, Victor V. Ferrer, Jr., Winston "Winnie" T. Castelo, Atty. Bong Liban, Eden Delilah "Candy" A. Medina, Ramon P. Medalla, Mikey F. Belmonte, Estrella C. Valmocina, Kate Galang-Coseteng, Matias John T. Defensor, Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay, Jorge L. Banal, Sr., Peachy V. De Leon, Imee A. Rillo, Marra C. Suntay, Irene R. Belmonte, Resty B. Malañgen, Ivy L. Lagman, Hero M. Bautista, Jose A. Visaya, Karl Castelo, Patrick Michael Vargas, Shaira L. Liban, Ram V. Medalla, Allan Butch T. Francisco, Marivic Co Pilar, Melencio "Bobby" T. Castelo, Jr., Rogelio "Roger" P. Juan, Diorella Maria G. Sotto-Antonio, Eric Z. Medina, Freddy S. Roxas and Noe Dela Fuente.

WHEREAS, on March 8, 2020 President Rodrigo Roa Duterte issued Proclamation No. 922 "Declaring a State of Public Health Emergency throughout the Philippines" because of the COVID-19 pandemic;

WHEREAS, on 13 March 2020, the Quezon City Council declared Quezon City to be under a State of Calamity due to the pandemic;

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WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 11469, otherwise known as the "Bayanihan to Heal as One Act", declared a State of National Emergency over the entire country;

WHEREAS, Paymaya Philippines Inc. (PayMaya) is ready and willing to offer its service to the Quezon City Government, free of charge, for purposes of electronically disbursing the financial aid program namely: Kalingang QC to the respective beneficiaries with PayMaya accounts;

WHEREAS, the Quezon City Government has allocated an amount of Two Billion Two Hundred Fifty Million Pesos (Php2,250,000,000.00) for purposes of distributing financial aid to qualified beneficiaries of Kalingang QC and Quezon City Social Amelioration Program with the objective of mitigating the effects of COVID-19 pandemic in the community by providing financial aid to the low income and vulnerable residents of Quezon City;

WHEREAS, under the Kalingang QC Program, qualified Senior Citizens, Solo Parents and Persons with Disability (PWD) who belong to the vulnerable sector of the City will receive the amount of Two Thousand Peso (Php2,000) cash, as financial aid from the Quezon City Government;

WHEREAS, to expedite the process of distributing the financial aid program of the City through the most expeditious means which include alternative mode of payment and other electronic means;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Sections 22 (c) and 455 (b)(1)(vi) of the Local Government Code of 1991, prior authorization by the Sangguniang Panlungsod is necessary before the City Mayor can enter into a contract.

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to authorize, as it does hereby authorize, the City Mayor, Honorable Ma. Josefina G. Belmonte, to enter into a Memorandum of Agreement with PayMaya Philippines, Inc., represented by its Chief Operating Officer, Mr. Paolo Azzola, for purposes of distributing financial aid to qualified beneficiaries of Kalingang QC with the objective of mitigating the effects of COVID-19 pandemic in the community by providing financial aid to the low income and vulnerable residents of Quezon City.





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RESOLVED FURTHER, that a copy of the subject Memorandum of Agreement shall form an integral part of this Resolution.

ADOPTED: June 29, 2020.

GIAN G. SOTTO City Vice Mayor Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

Atty. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS III City Government Dept. Head III

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Resolution was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on June 29, 2020 and was CONFIRMED on July 6, 2020.

Atty. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS III City Government Dept. Head III

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