

Republic of the Philippines QUEZON CITY COUNCIL

Quezon City 21st City Council

PR21CC-722

42nd Regular Session

RESOLUTION NO. SP-__8305___, S-2020

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MAYOR, HONORABLE MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE, TO ENTER INTO A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE J. AMADO ARANETA FOUNDATION, INC., (JAAF) FOR PROVIDING A SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM FOR THE SELECTED PUBLIC SCHOOL GRADE 12 STUDENTS.

Introduced by Councilor IRENE R. BELMONTE.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Bernard R. Herrera, Lena Marie P.
Juico, Dorothy A. Delarmente, M.D., Tany Joe "TJ" L.
Calalay, 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, Franz S. Pumaren, Kate
Galang-Coseteng, Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay,
Jorge L. Banal, Sr., Peachy V. De Leon, Imee A. Rillo,
Marra C. Suntay, Resty B. Malañgen, 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, Donato "Donny" C. Matias, Eric Z. Medina,
Freddy S. Roxas and Noe Dela Fuente.

WHEREAS, Section 1, Article XIV of the 1987 Philippine Constitution provides that "The State shall protect and promote the right of all citizens to quality education at all levels, and shall take appropriate steps to make such education accessible to all";

WHEREAS, the Quezon City Government and the J. Amado Araneta Foundation (JAAF), the social development arm of the Araneta Group, recognize that private-public partnership is essential in pursuing corporate sustainability especially amidst the COVID-19 pandemic;

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WHEREAS, the J. Amado Araneta Students Excellence Awards and Scholarship, also known as the Parangal ni Amading Program, honors and supports the top public high school graduates of the City through a semesterly stipend for four (4) years;

WHEREAS, a total amount of Php20,000.00 per school year per awardee can be used for educational needs such as supplies, tuition and other fees, dormitory, transportation, daily living allowance, and as the awardee may deem fit;

WHEREAS, the primary role of the City Government under the partnership is to provide the necessary information and support for the design, administration and implementation, and evaluation of the program;

WHEREAS, both parties endeavor to support and promote each other's policies and programs pursuant to the objectives set out in the Memorandum of Understanding;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 455 (b)(1)(vi) of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, the City Mayor shall represent the City in all its business transactions and sign in its behalf all bonds, contracts and obligations and such other documents upon the authority of the Sangguniang Panlungsod or pursuant to law or ordinance.

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 Understanding with the J. Amado Araneta Foundation, Inc., (JAAF) for providing a scholarship program for the selected public school Grade 12 students.

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

ADOPTED: September 28, 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 September 28, 2020 and was CONFIRMED on October 5, 2020.

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

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