



Republic of the Philippines  
**QUEZON CITY COUNCIL**

Quezon City  
21<sup>st</sup> City Council

PR21CC-765

49<sup>th</sup> Regular Session

RESOLUTION NO. SP-**8378**, S-2020

A RESOLUTION ENJOINING ALL THE 142 BARANGAYS OF QUEZON CITY TO DONATE THE BARANGAY BUDGET INTENDED FOR THE TRADITIONAL CHRISTMAS PARTIES OR SIMILAR CELEBRATIONS DURING THE HOLIDAY SEASON TO THE UNDERPRIVILEGED CONSTITUENTS ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY COVID-19 PANDEMIC.

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*Introduced by Councilor DONATO "Donny" C. MATIAS.*

*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, Matias John T. Defensor, Wincerom 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.*

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WHEREAS, on March 12, 2020, the World Health Organization declared the COVID-19 outbreak caused by the SARS-CoV2 virus as a global pandemic due to the extent of its geographic range;

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WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020, the Sangguniang Panlungsod adopted Resolution No. SP-8141, Series of 2020, declaring a State of Calamity in Quezon City due to the pandemic;

WHEREAS, Proclamation No. 929, dated March 16, 2020 was implemented, declaring a State of Calamity throughout the Philippines due to COVID-19 virus;

WHEREAS, on March 17, 2020, the National Government enforced Enhanced Community Quarantine (ECQ) over Luzon including Metro Manila, for the Local Government Units (LGUs) to act swiftly in order to contain the spread of the virus;

WHEREAS, the imposition of the community quarantine impedes public transportation, mass gatherings, and commerce which remarkably leads to widespread unemployment and extraordinary damage to our economy;

WHEREAS, the City Mayor, Honorable Ma. Josefina G. Belmonte, issued Executive Order No. 40, Series of 2020 enjoining the offices of the City Government to donate the amount intended for Christmas party to the underprivileged;

WHEREAS, in support to the Honorable City Mayor's objective and in view of the adversities that a lot of our residents are going through, it would be unsuitable for the Barangay Government offices to celebrate the traditional Christmas parties during this holiday season, that is, November and December 2020;

WHEREAS, the budget that would have to be expended on Christmas parties or any other similar celebrations would be worthy as donations to the underprivileged during this extremely challenging phase in our nation's history.

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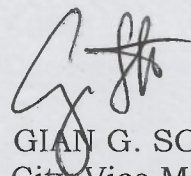
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NOW, THEREFORE,

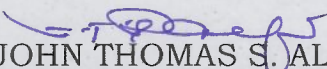
BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to enjoin, as it does hereby enjoin, all the 142 Barangays of Quezon City to donate the barangay budget intended for the traditional Christmas parties or similar celebrations during the holiday season to the underprivileged constituents adversely affected by COVID-19 pandemic.

ADOPTED: December 1, 2020.



GIAN G. SOTTO  
City Vice Mayor  
Presiding Officer

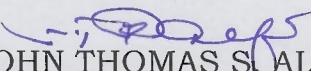
ATTESTED:



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 December 1, 2020 and was CONFIRMED on December 7, 2020.



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

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