



Republic of the Philippines
QUEZON CITY COUNCIL

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67th Regular Session

RESOLUTION NO. SP- **8579**, S-2021

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MAYOR, HONORABLE MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE, TO ENTER INTO A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH THE DEVELOPMENT ACADEMY OF THE PHILIPPINES (DAP) FOR THE CONSULTANCY/TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE, MONITORING AND RIGHT IMPLEMENTATION OF THE ALTERNATIVE LEARNING SYSTEM - EDUCATION AND SKILLS TRAINING (ALS-EST) PROJECT IN SUPPORT TO EDUCATION, ACCESS TO THE EMPLOYMENT AND LIVELIHOOD OPPORTUNITIES OF THE OUT-OF-SCHOOL YOUTH OF QUEZON CITY.

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, Matias John T. Defensor, Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay, Jorge L. Banal, Sr., Peachy V. De Leon, Imee A. Rillo, Marra C. Suntay, 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, Donato "Donny" C. Matias, Eric Z. Medina, Freddy S. Roxas and Noe Dela Fuente.

WHEREAS, the Department of Education (DepEd) has identified as a priority the provision of Alternative Learning System (ALS) for youth and adults that are out of school or have not been able to complete basic education;

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WHEREAS, to improve its effectiveness, the Department of Education (DepEd) is intensifying the implementation of the ALS program by integrating the education and skills training components into one program;

WHEREAS, the Department of Education, through the Development Academy of the Philippines (DAP) consultancy/technical assistance, is monitoring the implementation of the Alternative Learning System - Education and Skills Training (ALS-EST) Project that will support the education, employment, and livelihood needs of out-of-school youth in Quezon City;

WHEREAS, the concept of an integrated education and skills training program for the alternative learning system has been formalized through DepEd Order No. 46 S.2017 entitled "Framework for the Pilot Implementation of the Alternative Learning System - Education and Skills Training" or the ALS-EST framework;

WHEREAS, given that the program will require initiating a collaboration process among different institutions/organizations, as well as developing framework and benchmark content of the skills training component which does not fall within the immediate capacity of DepEd and DAP, it is more effective, economical and advantageous for the government to engage the service of another government agency for the implementation of the project;

WHEREAS, the Development Academy of the Philippines (DAP) is a government institution, duly organized and existing under and by virtue of Presidential Decree No. 205, which fosters and supports the developmental forces at work in the nation's economy through selective human resource development programs, research, data collection, and information services, to the end that optimization of wealth may be achieved in a manner congruent with the maximization of public security and welfare;

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WHEREAS, the purpose of the Development Academy of the Philippines (DAP) is to promote, carry on and conduct scientific, interdisciplinary, and policy-oriented research, education, training, consultancy, and publication in the broad fields of economics, public administration, and the political and social sciences generally, involving the study, determination, interpretation and publication of economic, political and social facts and principles bearing upon development problems of local, national or international significance;

WHEREAS, the Development Academy of the Philippines (DAP) will assist and monitor the implementation of Alternative Learning System - Education and Skills Training (ALS-EST) Project and review, approve, and accept the project deliverables program;

WHEREAS, it is the policy of the local government of Quezon City to extend partnership and cooperation with non-government organizations in addressing social, educational, and economic issues which affect its constituents;

WHEREAS, the Quezon City Government desires to expand and implement properly the Alternative Learning System - Education and Skills Training (ALS-EST) Project, an intervention that aims to provide assistance for education and workforce development systems that reach larger numbers of out-of-school youth and prepare them to immediate jobs and long-term success;

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.

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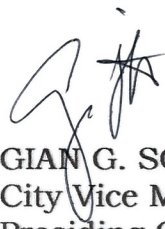
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NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to authorize, as it does hereby authorize, the City Mayor, Honorable Ma. Josefina G. Belmonte, to enter into a Memorandum of Agreement with the Development Academy of the Philippines (DAP) for the consultancy/technical assistance, monitoring and right implementation of the Alternative Learning System - Education and Skills Training (ALS-EST) Project in support to education, access to the employment and livelihood opportunities of the out-of-school youth of Quezon City.

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

ADOPTED: June 7, 2021.



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 7, 2021 and was CONFIRMED on June 14, 2021.


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

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