

Republic of the Philippines OUEZON CITY COUNCIL

Quezon City 22nd City Council

PR22CC-149

10th Regular Session

RESOLUTION NO. SP- 9065, S-2022

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MAYOR, HONORABLE MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE, TO ENTER INTO A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE UNITED NATIONS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME (UNDP) FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PROJECT "ACCELERATING NATIONALLY DETERMINED CONTRIBUTION (NDC) THROUGH CIRCULAR ECONOMY IN CITIES (ACE PROJECT)" IN QUEZON CITY.

Introduced by Councilors DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D., SHAIRA "Shay" L. LIBAN and VITO SOTTO GENEROSO.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Bernard R. Herrera, Tany Joe "TJ" L. Calalay, Joseph P. Juico, Nikki V. Crisologo, Charm M. Ferrer, Fernando Miguel "Mikey" F. Belmonte, Candy A. Medina, Aly Medalla, Dave C. Valmocina, Tatay Rannie Z. Ludovica, Godofredo T. Liban II, Kate Galang-Coseteng, Geleen "Dok G" G. Lumbad, Albert Alvin "Chuckie" L. Antonio III, Don S. De Leon, Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay, Atty. Anton L. Reyes, Edgar "Egay" G. Yap, Imee A. Rillo, Raquel S. Malañgen, Irene R. Belmonte, Nanette Castelo-Daza, Marra C. Suntay, Joseph Joe Visaya, Alfred Vargas, MPA, Ram V. Medalla, Aiko S. Melendez, Mutya Castelo, Maria Eleanor "Doc Ellie" R. Juan, O.D., Kristine Alexia R. Matias, Eric Z. Medina, Emmanuel Banjo A. Pilar, Victor "Vic" Bernardo, Alfredo "Freddy" Roxas and Noe Dela Fuente.

WHEREAS, the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) serves, in many respects, as the operational arm of the United Nations at the country level and works with partners in numerous countries to promote among other things sustainable development, eradication of poverty, advancement of women, good governance and the rule of law;

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WHEREAS, the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), represented by the Philippines Country Office, is interested in enhancing its development activities in advancing the transition of the country to a circular economy and supporting the commitments of the government under the 2015 Paris Agreement through the implementation of the project "Accelerating Nationally Determined Contribution (NDC) through Circular Economy in Cities (ACE Project)" funded by the Government of Japan;

WHEREAS, Quezon City is an important city in Metro Manila which considers environmental protection, sustainable development and economic growth as among the essential elements of its vision and strategy as a local government;

WHEREAS, the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) will provide circular economy equipment to the Quezon City Government based on technical specifications developed by UNDP in consultation with the Quezon City Government, in order to support the latter's transition to a circular economy, thereby authorizing the City Mayor to accept in behalf of the City Government the said circular economy equipment;

WHEREAS, the Parties wish to cooperate in areas of mutual concern to enhance the effectiveness of their development efforts;

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 United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) for the implementation of the project "Accelerating Nationally Determined Contribution (NDC) through Circular Economy in Cities (ACE Project)" in Quezon City.

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

ADOPTED: October 3, 2022.

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 October 3, 2022 and was CONFIRMED on October 10, 2022.

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