## QC Council bags three-peat for Most Outstanding Sangguniang Panlungsod

FOR three consecutive terms, the Quezon City Council has been hailed as the Most Outstanding Sangguniang Panlunsod in Metro Manila for its "progressive performance on legislating measures responsive to the needs of the community" by the Department of Interior and Local Government (DILG).

Vice Mayor Joy Belmonte, head of the QC Sangguniang Panlungsod, was grateful for receiving the 2018 Local Legislative Award for the Highly Urbanized Category at the regional level.

"We would like to thank DILG for bestowing the Most Outstanding Sangguniang Panlungsod award to Quezon City Council in the National Capital Region," Belmonte said in her acceptance speech. "This is for our diligent coucilors as well as Mayor Herbert Bautista's executive agenda for the whole city."

Meanwhile, Quezon City Council recently authorized Mayor Bautista to



Quezon City Vice Mayor Joy Belmonte (center) receives the plaque for the Most Outstanding Sangguniang Panlungsod in National Capital Region with the members of the Quezon City Council (second row, from left) Liga ng mga Barangay President Alfredo Roxas, Coun. Donny Matias, Coun. Godofredo Liban 3rd, Coun. Marivic Co-Pilar, Coun. Marra Suntay, Coun. Aly Medalla, Coun. Oliviere Belmonte, Coun. Hero Bautista, Coun. Eric Medina, Coun. Roger Juan, and Coun. Joe Visaya; (first row, from left) Coun. Allan Francisco, SK Federation President Noe Dela Fuente, Coun. Gian Sotto, Coun. Estrella Valmocina, Coun. Godofredo Liban 2nd, Coun. Franz Pumaren, Coun. Beth Delarmente, Coun. Rannie Ludovica, Coun. Raquel Malañgen, and Coun. Eufemio Lagumbay.

grant P1 million in financial aid to JCI Senate Philippines Inc., a community service organization based in the city.

City Resolution 7648-2018, introduced by Councilor Godofredo Liban 2nd, reads that JCI is an accredited organization in QC that conducts various sustainable programs, projects, and activities that benefit the residents. The grant will be utilized by JCI for the improvement of its clubhouse and programs, projects, and activities for the benefit of its members and beneficiaries, the resolution reads.