

Belmonte to curb corruption in Quezon City

QUEZON City Vice Mayor Josefina "Joy" Belmonte assured the residents of Quezon City that the city will be rid of corruption if she would be elected as mayor in the upcoming local elections this May.

"I survived nine years of being a vice mayor without taking a single cent of the people's money. And I will prove the cynics wrong. Quezon City is ready to be cleaned up," said Belmonte.

Belmonte also boasted about her track record saying that her performance as a leader could be proven through the programs and ordinances she has made in her three terms of being the Quezon City vice mayor and presiding officer of the city council.

"I did not do anything wrong. You can easily check my track record to see if I have done something," said the vice mayor.

"The question is, what have you done? It's easy to create platforms, it's easy to say that these are what you will do, but how can we guarantee that you are capable of fulfilling those? For me, I am proud to say that my track record is impeccable," Belmonte stressed.

In October last year, Belmonte pledged to stamp out corruption in Quezon City in accordance with the "Bantay Korapsyon" advocacy campaign of the Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG).