

Republic of the Philippines  
**QUEZON CITY COUNCIL**

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

PO21CC-127

22<sup>nd</sup> Regular Session

ORDINANCE NO. SP- 2919, S-2020

*AN ORDINANCE DECLARING EVERY LAST WEEK OF SEPTEMBER AS FAMILY WEEK IN QUEZON CITY AND PROVIDING FOR ITS ANNUAL OBSERVANCE AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

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*Introduced by Councilors ESTRELLA C. VALMOCINA, FRANZ S. PUMAREN, DONATO "Donny" C. MATIAS, ERIC Z. MEDINA, HERO M. BAUTISTA and RESTY B. MALAÑGEN.*

*Co-Introduced by Councilors 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, 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, Irene R. Belmonte, Ivy L. Lagman, Jose A. Visaya, Karl Castelo, Patrick Michael Vargas, Shaira L. Liban, Ram V. Medalla, Allan Butch T. Francisco, Melencio "Bobby" T. Castelo, Jr., Rogelio "Roger" P. Juan, Diorella Maria G. Sotto-Antonio, Freddy S. Roxas and Noe Dela Fuente.*

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WHEREAS, Section 12, Article II of the Constitution of the Philippines provides that: "The State recognizes the sanctity of family life and shall protect and strengthen the family as a basic autonomous social institution;"

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WHEREAS, Section 1, Article XV of the Constitution also provides that: "The State recognizes the Family as the foundation of the nation. Accordingly, it shall strengthen its solidarity and actively promote its total development";

WHEREAS, Article 149, Chapter V of the Family Code of the Philippines, provides that: "The family, being the foundation of the nation, is a basic social institution which public policy cherishes and protects. Consequently, family relations are governed by law and no custom, practice or agreement destructive of the family shall be recognized or given effect";

WHEREAS, Proclamation No. 60, Series of 1992 declares the last week of September of every year as Family Week;

WHEREAS, to give life to the mandate of the constitution and laws, there is a need to call public attention and ensure citywide awareness of the importance of the family.

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED:

SECTION 1. It is hereby declared the last week of September as "Family Week" and shall be observed and celebrated every year in Quezon City.

SECTION 2. The Office of the City Mayor will spearhead to designate the concerned office/s in observance of the said activity.

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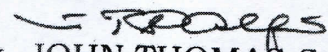
SECTION 3. The amount of One Million Pesos (Php1,000,000.00) is hereby appropriated to be drawn from the general funds of the Office of the City Mayor.

ENACTED: February 17, 2020.



GIAN G. SOTTO  
City Vice Mayor  
Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

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


APPROVED: MAR 09 2020



MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE  
City Mayor

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Ordinance was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on February 17, 2020 and was PASSED on Third/Final Reading on March 2, 2020.

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

