

25,000 benefit from QC livelihood program

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The **Quezon City Government** has provided financial grants to more than 25,000 residents through its Pangkabuhayang QC program which aims to help constituents recover from economic challenges of the pandemic.

The Pangkabuhayang QC is a livelihood training and capital assistance program that extends options for starting a business to displaced/resigned/reduced-salary employees, micro-entrepreneurs/vendors, persons with disabilities, laid-off overseas Filipino workers, unemployed solo parents and indigent residents of Quezon City.

According to **Mayor Joy Belmonte**, Pangkabuhayang QC is one of their flagship programs for economic recovery.

The program, she said, aims to help not just the individual beneficiaries but also their families as they build their micro and small businesses,

Some 25,407 beneficiaries received capital assistance amounting to P10,000 up to P20,000 depending on their business model during Phase 1 of the program.