



Republic of the Philippines
QUEZON CITY COUNCIL

Quezon City
22nd City Council

PO22CC-045

4th Regular Session

ORDINANCE NO. SP- 3140, S-2022

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY MAYOR, HONORABLE MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE, TO AUGMENT CERTAIN ITEMS OF THE 2022 APPROPRIATIONS OF THE SAME EXPENSE CLASSIFICATION IN THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF ONE BILLION SEVEN HUNDRED SIXTY-ONE MILLION SEVEN HUNDRED NINETY-SEVEN THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-NINE PESOS (PHP1,761,797,129.00), IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 21 OF THE GENERAL PROVISIONS CONTAINED UNDER ORDINANCE NO. SP-3063, S-2021, ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE ANNUAL BUDGET OF THE QUEZON CITY GOVERNMENT FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2022 IN THE AMOUNT OF THIRTY BILLION FIVE HUNDRED MILLION PESOS (PHP30,500,000,000.00) COVERING THE VARIOUS EXPENDITURES FOR THE OPERATION OF THE CITY GOVERNMENT AND APPROPRIATING THE NECESSARY FUNDS FOR THE PURPOSE".

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

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" 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, Vito Sotto Generoso, Victor "Vic" Bernardo, Alfredo "Freddy" Roxas and Noe Dela Fuente.

WHEREAS, in 2021, the 21st Quezon City Council enacted Ordinance No. SP-3063, S-2021, entitled "An Ordinance Approving The Annual Budget Of The Quezon City Government For Calendar Year 2022 In The Amount Of Thirty Billion Five Hundred Million Pesos (Php30,500,000,000.00) Covering The Various Expenditures For The Operation Of The City Government And Appropriating The Necessary Funds For The Purpose";

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WHEREAS, Section 21, Paragraph 1 of the General Provisions of Ordinance No. SP-3063, S-2021, provides that:

“Section 21. Savings and Augmentation. Subject to the approval by the City Mayor, augmentation or realignment of savings from funds or an item of expenditure duly appropriated herein may be allowed, provided, however, that the said augmentation or re-alignment shall be made only within the same expense classification.”

WHEREAS, Section 336 of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, mandates that “Funds shall be available exclusively for the specific purpose for which they have been appropriated. No ordinance shall be passed authorizing any transfer of appropriations from one item to another. However, the local chief executive or the presiding officer of the sanggunian concerned may, by ordinance, be authorized to augment any item in the approved annual budget for their respective offices from savings in other items within the same expense class of their respective appropriations”;

WHEREAS, there are certain necessary items of expenditures in the current operations that cannot be adequately met by existing appropriations and there are identifiable savings in certain items of appropriations that are no longer needed and cannot be expended during the current year. Hence, as per Certification dated August 12, 2022 of the City Budget Officer, Ms. Marian Orayani, augmentation is necessary to further use the said funds in response to needs of the City and for other purposes”.

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

SECTION 1. The City Mayor is hereby authorized to augment certain items of the 2022 Appropriations of the same expense classification in the amount of One Billion Seven Hundred Sixty-One Million Seven Hundred Ninety-Seven Thousand One Hundred Twenty-Nine Pesos (Php1,761,797,129.00), in accordance with Section 21 of the General Provisions contained under Ordinance No. SP-3063, S-2021.

The saving and augmentation documents are incorporated herein and made an integral part of this Ordinance.

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SECTION 2. All ordinances, local issuances, or rules inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

SECTION 3. If for any reason, any provision of this Ordinance is declared unconstitutional or invalid, the remaining provisions not affected thereby shall continue to be in full legal force and effect.

SECTION 4. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its approval.

ENACTED: August 22, 2022.



GIAN G. SOTTO
City Vice Mayor
Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:



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


APPROVED: SEP 12 2022



MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE
City Mayor

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Ordinance was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on August 22, 2022 under and was PASSED on Third/Final Reading on August 30, 2022.



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

