

Republic of the Philippines QUEZON CITY COUNCIL

Quezon City 22nd City Council

PR22CC-396

29th Regular Session

RESOLUTION NO. SP- 9241, S-2023

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MAYOR, HONORABLE MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE, TO ENTER INTO A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH THE LAND TRANSPORTATION OFFICE (LTO) FOR THE UNIFORMITY AND PROPER COORDINATION IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF INTERCONNECTIVITY OF ITS SYSTEM, THROUGH THE OTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCIES (OGA) PORTAL OF THE LAND TRANSPORTATION MANAGEMENT SYSTEM (LTMS) OR AN APPLICATION PROGRAMMING INTERFACE (API).

Introduced by Councilors RAM V. MEDALLA, DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D., and KATE GALANG-COSETENG. Co-Introduced by Councilors 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, Geleen "Dok G" G. Lumbad, Albert Alvin "Chuckie" L. Antonio III, Don S. De Leon, Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay, Atty. Anton L. Reyes, Edgar "Egay" G. Yap, Raquel S. Malañgen, Irene R. Belmonte, Nanette Castelo-Daza, Marra C. Suntay, Joseph Joe Visaya, Alfred Vargas, MPA, Shaira "Shay" L. Liban, 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 Julian Marcus D. Trono.

WHEREAS, on 13 March 2023, the 22nd Quezon City Council enacted Ordinance No. SP-3172, S-2023, otherwise known as the Metro Manila Traffic Code of 2023, adopting the Metro Manila Council Resolution No. 2023-02 that provides for a system of interconnectivity among the cities and government offices involved in the transport and traffic management in Metro Manila;

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WHEREAS, the Metro Manila Council Resolution No. 2023-02 empowers the 17 Local Government Units (LGUs) of Metro Manila, the Metropolitan Manila Development Authority (MMDA) and the Land Transportation Office (LTO) to have a single ticketing system with an interconnectivity that harmonizes the implementation of traffic laws in Metro Manila;

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 4136, otherwise known as the Land Transportation and Traffic Code, as amended by Republic Act No. 10930, mandates LGUs, MMDA and other agencies lawfully issuing traffic violation tickets to report, within reasonable time, the details of a traffic violation to the LTO, which shall serve as the repository of all traffic violation records;

WHEREAS, LTO has its own enterprise-wide Land Transportation and Management System (LTMS) which is a web-based portal programmed exclusively for the implementation of paperless and online transactions, improvement of the delivery of service to clients, enhancement of the agency's efficiency, promotion of transparency and accountability in all transactions, and increase in inter-agency coordination, cooperation and public partnership;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Republic Act No. 4136, as amended by Republic Act No. 10930, which provides that LTO shall serve as the repository of all traffic violation records, said law desires to implement the interconnectivity of its LTMS with LGUs, MMDA and other agencies lawfully issuing traffic violation ticket to facilitate the authentication and verification of alarm and apprehension;

WHEREAS, MMDA and other LGUs need to interconnect their traffic apprehension system with the LTMS' Driver's Licensing System (DLS) and Motor Vehicle Inspection and Registration System (MVIRS), create an alarm in the system, through its Law Enforcement and Traffic Adjudication System (LETAS), and ensure the effective implementation of its mandated function;

WHEREAS, Section 43 of Ordinance No. SP-3172, S-2023 states that, to establish interconnectivity with the LTMS, the Quezon City Government shall enter into Memorandum of Agreement and Data Sharing Agreements with LTO, MMDA, other LGUs in Metro Manila and other agencies lawfully issuing traffic violation tickets;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 455(b)(1)(vi) of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, the City Mayor shall represent the City in all its business transactions and sign in its behalf all bonds, contracts, and obligations and such other documents upon authority of the Sangguniang Panlungsod or pursuant to law or ordinance.

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NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to authorize, as it does hereby authorize, the City Mayor, Honorable Ma. Josefina G. Belmonte, to enter into a Memorandum of Agreement with the Land Transportation Office (LTO) for the uniformity and proper coordination in the implementation of interconnectivity of its system through the Other Government Agencies (OGA) portal of the Land Transportation Management System (LTMS) or an Application Programming Interface (API).

RESOLVED FURTHER, that the authority granted herein shall include the authority to enter into any agreement referenced within the subject Memorandum of Agreement, or any other agreement necessary for the full implementation of the same.

RESOLVED FINALLY, that a copy of the subject Memorandum of Agreement shall form an integral part of this Resolution.

ADOPTED: April 3, 2023.

BERNARD R. HERRERA City Councilor Acting Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

ATTY. JOHN THOMAS SALFEROS, III City Government Department Head III (City Council Secretary)

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Resolution was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on April 3, 2023 and was CONFIRMED under Suspended Rules on the same date.

ATTY. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS, III
City Government Department Head III
(City Council Secretary)