

Republic of the Philippines **QUEZON CITY COUNCIL**

Quezon City
22nd City Council

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44th Regular Session

RESOLUTION NO. SP- 9441, S-2023

A RESOLUTION GRANTING AUTHORITY TO THE CITY MAYOR, HONORABLE MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE, TO ENTER INTO AND SIGN, FOR AND IN BEHALF OF THE QUEZON CITY GOVERNMENT, THE USUFRUCTUARY AGREEMENT WITH THE METROPOLITAN MANILA DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (MMDA) FOR THE CONSTITUTION OF A USUFRUCT ON THE FOOTBRIDGES THAT MMDA CONSTRUCTED IN QUEZON CITY

Introduced by Councilors KRISTINE ALEXIA R. MATIAS, VITO SOTTO GENEROSO and VICTOR "Vic" BERNARDO

Co-Introduced by Councilors Bernard R. Herrera, Tany Joe "TJ" L. Calalay, Dorothy A. Delarmente, M.D., Joseph P. Juico, Nikki V. Crisologo, Charm M. Ferrer, Candy A. Medina, Aly Medalla, Dave C. Valmocina, Tatay Rannie Z. Ludovica, Godofredo T. Liban II, Kate Galang-Coseteng, 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, Imee A. Rillo, 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., Eric Z. Medina, Emmanuel Banjo A. Pilar, Alfredo "Freddy" Roxas and Julian Marcus D. Trono

WHEREAS, the Metropolitan Manila Development Authority (MMDA), created under Republic Act No. 7924, is tasked with the delivery of metro-wide services assisting its 17 Local Government Units (LGUs) in making Metro Manila a livable, ecologically-friendly and dynamic urban center;

WHEREAS, the MMDA has constructed fifty-eight (58) footbridges all over the territorial jurisdiction of Quezon City, to provide pedestrians safe and accessible means of crossing major roads and avenues;

WHEREAS, the Quezon City Government manifested its desire to administer and maintain these footbridges and develop them for the benefit of the constituents of the City;

WHEREAS, a usufruct agreement between them will allow the Quezon City Government the use, administration, maintenance and development of the fifty-eight (58) footbridges that were constructed by the MMDA;

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WHEREAS, the usufructuary agreement will also allow the Quezon City Government to develop the footbridges by itself or through a partnership with third parties for commercial use, active transport, greening, wayfinding and tourism, environmental monitoring, and other administrative, educative and communication purposes;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Sections 22(c) and 455(b)(1)(vi) of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, prior authorization by the Quezon City Council is necessary before the Honorable Mayor can sign the usufructuary agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to grant, as it does hereby grant, authority to the City Mayor, Honorable Ma. Josefina G. Belmonte, to enter into and sign, for and in behalf of the Quezon City Government, the Usufructuary Agreement with the Metropolitan Manila Development Authority (MMDA) for the constitution of a usufruct on the footbridges that MMDA constructed in Quezon City.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that a copy of the Usufructuary Agreement be made an integral part of this Resolution.

ADOPTED: September 25, 2023.

GIAN G. SOTTO City Vice Mayor Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

ATTY. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS, 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 September 25, 2023 and was CONFIRMED on October 2, 2023.

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