



Republic of the Philippines
QUEZON CITY COUNCIL
Quezon City
22nd City Council

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56th Regular Session

RESOLUTION NO. SP- **9585**, S-2024

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MAYOR, HONORABLE MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE, TO ENTER INTO A PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT WITH THE PHILIPPINE COMMISSION ON WOMEN (PCW) AS GAD LOCAL LEARNING HUB (GAD LLH) FOR THE YEAR 2024-2027

Introduced by Councilor MARIA ELEANOR "Doc Ellie" R. JUAN, O.D.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Tany Joe "TJ" L. Calalay, Dorothy A. Delarmente, M.D., Joseph P. Juico, Nikki V. Crisologo, Charm M. Ferrer, Fernando Miguel "Mikey" F. Belmonte, Aly Medalla, Dave C. Valmocina, Tatay Rannie Z. Ludovica, Godofredo T. Liban II, Kate Galang-Coseteng, Geleen "Dok G" G. Lumbad, Don S. De Leon, Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay, Atty. Anton L. Reyes, Edgar "Egay" G. Yap, Irene R. Belmonte, Nanette Castelo-Daza, Marra C. Suntay, Joseph Joe Visaya, Alfred Vargas, MPA, Shaira "Shay" L. Liban, Aiko S. Melendez, Mutya Castelo, Kristine Alexia R. Matias, Eric Z. Medina, Emmanuel Banjo A. Pilar, Vito Sotto Generoso, Victor "Vic" Bernardo, Jose Maria M. Rodriguez and Jhon Angelli "Sami" C. Neri

WHEREAS, the Philippine Commission on Women (PCW), as the national machinery for gender equality and women's empowerment, is mandated to capacitate all National Government Agencies (NGAs) and Local Government Units (LGUs) to effectively implement the provisions of Republic Act No. 9710, also known as the Magna Carta of Women, and further its efforts in promoting gender equality and women's empowerment;

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WHEREAS, the PCW developed the Local GAD Resource Program (LGRP) as part of its National GAD Resource Program (NGRP) to strengthen gender mainstreaming efforts at the regional and local levels, build partnership, and converge and replicate notable GAD efforts;

WHEREAS, the LGRP has 3 components – (a) Partnership and Convergence, (b) Replication Mechanisms, and (c) Provision of Direct Technical Assistance on Demand Basis and Development and Updating of GAD Tools;

WHEREAS, in line with the Replication Mechanisms component, which is designed to identify, showcase, and replicate notable GAD efforts of LGUs, the PCW has certified 2 programs of Quezon City, namely: (1) Human Milk Bank and (2) No Woman Left Behind, as Gender and Development (GAD) Local Learning Hub programs;

WHEREAS, in addition, the PCW likewise recertified its 2 current notable GAD programs, namely: (1) Quezon City Protection Center and (2) Social Hygiene and Sundown Clinics Program, as GAD LLH programs. As such, the City is expected to continue providing gender-responsive services to its constituents;

WHEREAS, a Partnership Agreement delineating the City and the PCW's duties and functions will solidify efforts in sustaining the implementation of the City's certified GAD programs and operationalize the provision of technical assistance to other LGUs and institutions in relation to notable GAD programs;

WHEREAS, other LGUs may likewise benefit largely from the City's Partnership Agreement with the PCW in terms of formulating similar programs/facilities, and the City may share its experiences with other LGUs in order to further gender and development efforts.

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 Partnership Agreement with the Philippine Commission on Women (PCW) as GAD Local Learning Hub (GAD LLH) for the Year 2024-2027.

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

ADOPTED: March 11, 2024.



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 March 11, 2024 and was CONFIRMED on March 18, 2024.


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