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QUEZON CITY COUNCIL
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22nd City Council

PR22CC-1251

107th Regular Session

RESOLUTION NO. SP- 9995, S-2025

A RESOLUTION RATIFYING THE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE IN THE AMOUNT OF THREE MILLION PESOS (PHP 3,000,000.00) EXTENDED TO THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT OF ALBAY DUE TO THE CONTINUOUS UNREST OF THE MAYON VOLCANO

Introduced by Councilor CHARM M. FERRER

Co-Introduced by Councilors Bernard R. Herrera, Tany Joe "TJ" L. Calalay, Dorothy A. Delarmente, M.D., Joseph P. Juico, Nikki V. Crisologo, 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" 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, Shaira "Shay" L. Liban, Aiko S. Melendez, Mutya Castelo, Maria Eleanor "Doc Ellie" R. Juan, O.D., Kristine Alexia R. Matias, RN, Eric Z. Medina, Emmanuel Banjo A. Pilar, Vito Sotto Generoso, Victor "Vic" Bernardo, Jose Maria M. Rodriguez and Jhon Angelli "Sami" C. Neri

WHEREAS, at 12:00 noon of 8 June 2023, Alert Level 3 was raised in the Mayon Volcano which means there is an "increased tendency towards hazardous eruption." This indicates that the Mayon Volcano in the province of Albay is experiencing a magmatic eruption of summit lava dome, increasing the likelihood of lava flows and dangerous Pyroclastic Density Currents (PDCs) which may affect the volcano's upper middle slopes and that explosive activity might occur within the following days or weeks;

WHEREAS, the Albay Provincial Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council issued Advisory 14 which established a 6-km radius Permanent Danger Zone (PDZ) within the vicinity of the volcano, causing families and individuals to be evacuated due to the danger of lava flows, rockfalls and other volcanic hazards;

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WHEREAS, the Albay Provincial Public Safety and Emergency Management Office (APSEMO) issued Provincial Resolution No. 0607-2023 declaring the Province of Albay under State of Calamity;

WHEREAS, based from the past Mayon Volcano Operation Activity or Monitor Report 111-2023 dated 28 September 2023 of the Albay Provincial Disaster Operations Center, there were 3,391 families comprised of 12,115 individuals in 29 evacuation sites and 1,113 evacuated livestock due to volcanic activities of Mayon;

WHEREAS, one (1) municipality is affected and it is expected that the situation will continue for several months. Given the limited resources of the Provincial Government of Albay, they are in need of resources that includes: 1) Construction Materials for latrines; 2) Large Water Containers; 3) Food Packs; 4) Hygiene Kits; and 5) Medicines, among others;

WHEREAS, the financial assistance to the provincial government of Albay was successfully disbursed as per the agreed terms and the funds were formally received by the authorized representatives of the Provincial Government of Albay on 2 August 2024;

WHEREAS, this Resolution aims to formally ratify the financial assistance provided to the Provincial Government of Albay, ensuring that all relevant actions and procedures related to the disbursement and receipt of the funds are properly acknowledged and recorded;

WHEREAS, this ratification will serve as the official record of the City Council's approval and recognition of the financial assistance extended to the Provincial Government of Albay;

WHEREAS, Section 33 of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, provides for the "cooperative undertakings among Local Government Units by grouping themselves, consolidating or coordinating their efforts, services and resources for the purposes commonly beneficial to them."

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to ratify, as it does hereby ratify, the financial assistance in the amount of Three Million Pesos (Php3,000,000.00) extended to the Provincial Government of Albay due to the continuous unrest of the Mayon Volcano.

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RESOLVE FURTHER, that the said amount shall be sourced from the City's Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Fund for fiscal year 2023.

RESOLVED FINALLY, that a copy of this Resolution be furnished to the Quezon City Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council, the Sangguniang Panlungsod and other offices or departments concerned for their information, guidance and reference.

ADOPTED: February 10, 2025.



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 February 10, 2025 and was CONFIRMED on February 17, 2025.


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



