QC embraces contactless traffic ticketing

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With cities like Manila and Parañaque already using no-contact traffic apprehension schemes, the local government of Quezon City on Monday launched its own version of the system.

the no-Contact apprehension Program (NCAP) is intended to enhanced road safety, ease traffic congestion and instill discipline among motorists, Quezon City Mayor Joy Belmonte said.

“Road safety is our priority in Quezon City and with the launch of NCAP, we commit to putting the safety of our constituents first,” Belmonte said.

“We are not chasing this program to earn (revenues for) the city government. When there is no ticket, it is better for everyone because it means all motorists are disciplined,” she said.

NCAP will utilize modern cameras with artificial intelligence (AI) technology to capture, photograph, and record the conduction stickers and license plates of vehicles whose drivers were violating road regulations.

When the cameras detect a traffic violation, the system will generate a notice of violation or NOV to be sent to the local government unit for review and approval.