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

PO22CC-345

83rd Regular Session

ORDINANCE NO. SP- 3332 *, S-2024*

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. SP-3250, S-2023 "AN ORDINANCE CREATING A SPECIAL ACCOUNT OUT OF THE PROCEEDS COLLECTED BY THE QUEZON CITY HUMAN MILK BANK (QCHMB), SUCH AS THE BOTTLE FEE DEPOSIT, PASTEURIZED HUMAN MILK FEE, PASTEURIZATION OF BREAST MILK (BACTERIOLOGIC CULTURE) FEE, AND DONATIONS, ALL TO BE DEPOSITED IN A SPECIAL ACCOUNT TO BE KNOWN AS THE 'QUEZON CITY HUMAN MILK BANK SPECIAL ACCOUNT' UNDER THE GENERAL FUND"

Introduced by Councilors ALY MEDALLA, BERNARD R. HERRERA, GELEEN "Dok G" G. LUMBAD and MARIA ELEANOR "Doc Ellie" R. JUAN, O.D.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Tany Joe "TJ" L. Calalay, Dorothy A. Delarmente, M.D., Nikki V. Crisologo, Charm M. Ferrer, Fernando Miguel "Mikey" F. Belmonte, Candy A. Medina, Dave C. Valmocina, Tatay Rannie Z. Ludovica, Godofredo T. Liban II, Kate Galang-Coseteng, Albert Alvin "Chuckie" L. Antonio III, 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, Ram V. Medalla, 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, Ordinance No. SP-2195, S-2012, as amended by Ordinance No. SP-2238, S-2013, otherwise known as the "Quezon City Human Milk Bank Ordinance," mandated the creation of a Human Milk Bank Section within City-owned hospitals to promote breastfeeding and advance the right to health of women and their children;

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. SP-3250, S-2023 created a dedicated accounting ledger for the QCHMB funds under the General Fund to be exclusively maintained by the City Accounting Department and City Treasurer's Office in accordance with the Treasury Single Account Policy, under the Public Financial Management Reform Roadmap of the Department of Finance and the National Treasury;

WHEREAS, there is a need to rectify the terms used to provide clarity in organizing the special account.

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED:

SECTION 1. The title of Ordinance No. SP-3250, S-2023 is hereby amended to read as follows:

> *"AN ORDINANCE CREATING A SPECIAL ACCOUNT OUT OF THE PROCEEDS COLLECTED BY THE QUEZON CITY HUMAN MILK BANK (QCHMB), SUCH AS THE BOTTLE FEE, PROCESSING FEE OF PASTEURIZED HUMAN MILK, PASTEURIZATION OF BREAST MILK WITH BACTERIOLOGIC CULTURE FEE, AND DONATIONS, ALL TO BE DEPOSITED IN A SPECIAL ACCOUNT TO BE KNOWN AS THE 'QUEZON CITY HUMAN MILK BANK SPECIAL ACCOUNT' UNDER THE GENERAL FUND."*

SECTION 2. Section 1 of Ordinance No. SP-3250, S-2023 is hereby amended to read as follows:

> *"There is hereby created the 'Quezon City Human Milk Bank Special Account' under the General Fund, wherein proceeds collected by the Quezon City Human Milk Bank, specifically the Bottle Fee, Pasteurized Human Milk (100ml and 200 ml), Pasteurization of Breast Milk (Bacteriologic Culture) Fee, and donations, are to be deposited or credited."*

SECTION 3. If for any reason/s, any part or provision of this Ordinance shall be held unconstitutional or invalid, other parts or provisions hereof which are not affected thereby shall continue to be in full force and effect.

SECTION 4. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE. – This Ordinance shall take effect 15 days after publication in at least 1 newspaper of general circulation.

ENACTED: September 16, 2024.

GIAN G. SOTTO
City Vice Mayor
Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

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

APPROVED: OCT 31 2024

MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE
City Mayor

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Ordinance was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on September 16, 2024 and was PASSED on Third/Final Reading on September 23, 2024.

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