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RESOLUTION NO. SP-9108, S-2022

A RESOLUTION STRONGLY SUPPORTING THE CITY GOVERNMENT'S CALL TO ACTION FOR EDUCATION RECOVERY AND ENCOURAGING INTERVENTIONS FROM THE LOCAL AND NATIONAL GOVERNMENT, NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS, PRIVATE SECTOR, AND OTHER EDUCATION STAKEHOLDERS.

Introduced by Councilors ALY MEDALLA, NOE DELA FUENTE, DOROTHY A. DELARMENTE, M.D., JOSEPH P. JUICO, ATTY. ANTON L. REYES, ALBERT ALVIN "Chuckie" L. ANTONIO III, IRENE R. BELMONTE, ALFRED VARGAS, MPA and VICTOR "Vic" BERNARDO.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Bernard R. Herrera, 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, Geleen "Dok G" G. Lumbad, Don S. De Leon, Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay, Edgar "Egay" G. Yap, Imee A. Rillo, Raquel S. Malañgen, Nanette Castelo-Daza, Marra C. Suntay, Joseph Joe Visaya, Ram V. Medalla, Shaira "Shay" L. Liban, Aiko S. Melendez, Mutya Castelo, Maria Eleanor "Doc Ellie" R. Juan, O.D., Kristine Alexia R. Matias, Emmanuel Banjo A. Pilar, Vito Sotto Generoso and Alfredo "Freddy" Roxas.

WHEREAS, Section 1, Article XIV of the 1987 Philippine Constitution provides that "The State shall protect and promote the right of all citizens to quality education at all levels, and shall take appropriate steps to make such education accessible to all";

WHEREAS, the Quezon City Government share a common goal ensuring that all Filipinos are able to realize their full potential and contribute meaningfully to a cohesive nation;

WHEREAS, with over 500,000 students, the Quezon City is one of the largest population of public and private school learners in the Philippines;

WHEREAS, prior to the pandemic, the Quezon City learners were assessed to be of average performance in the low proficiency level in the National Achievement Tests and Basic Education Exit Assessment;

WHEREAS, the City Government fully supports the call for learning continuity, however, efforts to ensure access to remote learning were not enough to compensate for the impact of the pandemic based on international reports and recent local assessments in reading and mathematics;

WHEREAS, there is an urgent need from various sectors, the national and local government, non-governmental organizations, the private sector, and other stakeholders to respond to the growing learning crisis and identify and implement impactful and direct interventions to mitigate the effects of learning losses.

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to strongly support, as it does hereby strongly support, the city government's call to action for education recovery and encouraging interventions from the local and national government, non-governmental organizations, private sector, and other education stakeholders.

ADOPTED: November 21, 2022.

ERIC Z. MEDINA
President Pro-Tempore
Acting Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

Atty. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS III
City Government Dept. Head III

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Resolution was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on November 21, 2022 and was CONFIRMED on November 28, 2022.

Atty. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS III
City Government Dept. Head III