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RESOLUTION NO. SP-9354, S-2023

A RESOLUTION EXTENDING THE SINCEREST CONGRATULATIONS AND COMMENDATION TO MS. CHYNNA MAMAWAL FOR REPRESENTING THE COUNTRY AND SHOWCASING FILIPINO FASHION AND ART IN THE GLOBAL SCENE DURING THE 2023 VANCOUVER FASHION WEEK

Introduced by Councilor WENCEROM BENEDICT C. LAGUMBAY

Co-Introduced by Councilors Tany Joe "TJ" L. Calalay, Dorothy A. Delarmente, M.D., Joseph P. Juico, Charm M. Ferrer, 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, 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, Eric Z. Medina, Emmanuel Banjo A. Pilar, Vito Sotto Generoso, Victor "Vic" Bernardo, Alfredo "Freddy" Roxas and Julian Marcus D. Trono

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WHEREAS, Vancouver Fashion Week has grown to be the second largest fashion week in North America and the fastest growing fashion week in the world. With its global perspective and highly multicultural approach, it is dedicated to cultivating the success of both established designers and award-winning emerging designers;

WHEREAS, Chynna Mamawal is a much-lauded Filipino fashion designer known for her fanciful, dreamy and whimsical feminine aesthetics;

WHEREAS, Chynna's designs are an intricate blend of elements that are both delicate and modern. Her collections are inspired by our country's resplendent culture, and are recognized for their vibrant colors, luxurious and intricate beadwork, and flowy, lacelike silhouettes;

WHEREAS, Chynna's commitment to her craft and her country has made her one of the most respected fashion designers in the Philippines. Her unique designs and innovative approach to fashion have inspired a new generation of designers and fashion enthusiasts, and she has pushed the boundaries of Philippine fashion with her work;

WHEREAS, her work is recognized by the Philippine fashion industry, describing her as the "Designer to the Stars". Apart from her work in fashion, Chynna is a firm believer of promoting Filipino talent and works closely with local master cutters, bead artisans, sewers and craftsmen in creating her designs;

WHEREAS, on April 6, 2022, Chynna received from Vancouver Fashion Week an exclusive invitation to showcase her designs. She officially accepted the invitation and started conceptualizing, sketching and fabricating all the clothes from January 2023 to April 2023;

WHEREAS, she had an exhibit on April 10, 2023 to April 14, 2023 and her show was held on April 15, 2023 at the David Lam Hall, No. 50 E. Pender Street, Vancouver, Canada where forty-five (45) other different designers from all over the world also showcased their designs. She dominated the 2023 Vancouver Fashion Week and was dubbed as the "Collection of the Season";

WHEREAS, Chynna's work is a celebration of femininity and grace and she is often lauded for her efforts to promote Philippine fashion on the global stage. Her designs have been featured in several local and international fashion magazines such as Forbes, Vogue Italia, Vogue Mexico and Elle Canada.

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to extend, as it does hereby extend, the sincerest congratulations and commendation to Ms. Chynna Mamawal for representing the country and showcasing Filipino fashion and art in the global scene during the 2023 Vancouver Fashion Week.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that the awardee be formally recognized at a specific date and time and be issued a Plaque/ Scroll of Recognition for the purpose.

RESOLVED FINALLY, that a copy of this Resolution be furnished to the awardee in an awarding ceremony called for the purpose.

ADOPTED: June 19, 2023.

BERNARD R. HERRERA
City Councilor
Acting 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 June 19, 2023 and was CONFIRMED on June 26, 2023.

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