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QC gov't extends business hours

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THE Quezon City government has extended its business hours from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. after implementing a modified work schedule to help ease traffic congestion in Metro Manila.

According to Mayor Joy Belmonte, the city government is abiding by Metro Manila Development Authority (MMDA) Resolution 24-08, mandating local government units to adopt a 7 a.m. to 4 p.m work schedule.

The modified working hours will help ease road congestion as government workers adjust their travel time. They are also expected to be on the road ahead of private sector employees during morning and afternoon rush hours.

However, Belmonte ordered all departments, offices, and units to ensure the uninterrupted delivery of government services, programs, and projects between the transaction hours of 7 a.m to 5 p.m.