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ORDINANCE NO. SP-2474, S-2016

AN ORDINANCE DECLARING P. TUAZON EXTENSION, BARANGAY ESCOPA II, QUEZON CITY AS NO ENTRY ZONE FOR HEAVY VEHICLES WITH MORE THAN FOUR (4) WHEELS AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION THEREOF.

Introduced by Councilor JOSE MARIO DON S. DE LEON.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Anthony Peter D. Crisologo, Dorothy A. Delarmente, Victor V. Ferrer Jr., Alexis R. Herrera, Precious Hipolito Castelo, Voltaire Godofredo L. Liban III, Ranulfo Z. Ludovica, Ramon P. Medalla, Estrella C. Valmocina, Allan Benedict S. Reyes, Gian Carlo G. Sotto, Eufemio C. Lagumbay, Jaime F. Borres, Jesus Manuel C. Suntay, Vincent DG. Belmonte, Jessica Castelo Daza, Bayani V. Hipol, Jose A. Visaya, Julienne Alyson Rae V. Medalla, Godofredo T. Liban II, Allan Butch T. Francisco, Karl Edgar C. Castelo, Candy A. Medina, Diorella Maria G. Sotto, Marivic Co-Pilar, Rogelio "Roger" P. Juan, Melencio "Bobby" T. Castelo, Jr., Donato C. Matias and Ricardo B. Corpuz.

WHEREAS, Section 458 (a) (5) (v) of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, empowers the Sangguniang Panlungsod to enact ordinances to regulate the use of streets, avenues, alleys, sidewalks, bridges, parks and other public places and approve the construction, improvement, repair and maintenance of the same;

WHEREAS, Section 458 (a) (5) (vi) of the same law likewise empowers the Sangguniang Panlungsod to approve ordinances that regulate traffic on all streets and bridges; prohibit encroachments or obstacles thereon and when necessary in the interest of public welfare;

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Barangay of Barangay Escopa II, passed Resolution No. 14, Series of 2014, entitled:

"A Resolution respectfully urging the City Council to create an ordinance prohibiting the entry and passage of heavy vehicles such as trucks having more than four tires and the likes, along P. Tuazon Extension, Barangay Escopa 2, District III, Quezon City, for order, peace, safety and for other purposes."

WHEREAS, P. Tuazon Extension is a narrow road, with a steep incline, bounded residential homes, and is considered a thickly populated area especially now with the completion of Bistekville 3 in that area;

WHEREAS, the heavy vehicles passing through the said road pose a potential risk to the pedestrians as well as the properties of the residents therein, especially the children and senior citizens who normally traverse the street;

WHEREAS, it is incumbent upon the City Government to regulate the traffic situation and road conditions within its jurisdiction, for the welfare and safety of its residents.

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

SECTION 1. Title - "An Ordinance declaring P. Tuazon Extension, Barangay Escopa II, Quezon City as a No Entry zone for heavy vehicles with more than four (4) wheels and providing penalties for violation thereof."

SECTION 2. Coverage - The entire stretch of P. Tuazon Extension in Barangay Escopa II, Quezon City.

SECTION 3. Enforcement - This Ordinance shall be enforced and implemented by the Department of Public Order and Safety (DPOS), and by the Barangay Public Security Officer (BPSO) of said Barangay.

The DPOS is likewise hereby mandated to install a "No Entry for Heavy Vehicles" sign.

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SECTION 4. Penalty - A penalty of One Thousand Four Hundred Pesos (Php 1,400.00) shall be imposed on any person or persons found violating the provisions of this Ordinance.

SECTION 5. Repealing Clause - All ordinances, resolutions, local executive orders, rules and regulations, or any part thereof inconsistent herewith are deemed repealed, modified or amended accordingly.

SECTION 6. Separability Clause - In case any provision of this Ordinance is declared unconstitutional or invalid, the other provisions hereof which are not affected thereby shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 7. Effectivity Clause - This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its approval.

ENACTED: January 18, 2016.

VINCENT DG. BELMONTE
President Pro-Tempore
Acting Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

Atty. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS III
City Gov't. Asst. Dept. Head III

APPROVED: 14 MAR 2016

HERBERT M. BAUTISTA
City Mayor

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Ordinance was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on January 18, 2016 and was PASSED on Third/Final Reading on January 25, 2016.

Atty. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS III
City Gov't. Asst. Dept. Head III

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