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**QUEZON CITY COUNCIL**  
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RESOLUTION NO. SP-8199, S-2020

A RESOLUTION URGING ALL FOOD ESTABLISHMENTS WITH SIT-IN/DINE-IN SERVICES IN QUEZON CITY TO STRICTLY IMPLEMENT SOCIAL DISTANCING PROTOCOLS GIVEN TO THEM, INCLUDING THE PLACING OF AREA DIVIDERS BETWEEN SEATS TO PREVENT PHYSICAL CONTACT.

*Introduced by Councilors KATE GALANG-COSETENG and FRANZ S. PUMAREN.*

*Co-Introduced by Councilors Bernard R. Herrera, Lena Marie P. Juico, Dorothy A. Delarmente, M.D., Tany Joe "TJ" L. Calalay, Nicole Ella V. Crisologo, Victor V. Ferrer, Jr., Winston "Winnie" T. Castelo, Atty. Bong Liban, Eden Delilah "Candy" A. Medina, Mikey F. Belmonte, Estrella C. Valmocina, Matias John T. Defensor, Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay, Jorge L. Banal, Sr., Peachy V. De Leon, Imee A. Rillo, Marra C. Suntay, Irene R. Belmonte, Resty B. Malañgen, Ivy L. Lagman, Hero M. Bautista, Jose A. Visaya, Karl Castelo, Patrick Michael Vargas, Shaira L. Liban, Ram V. Medalla, Allan Butch T. Francisco, Marivic Co Pilar, Melencio "Bobby" T. Castelo, Jr., Rogelio "Roger" P. Juan, Diorella Maria G. Sotto-Antonio, Donato "Donny" C. Matias, Eric Z. Medina, Freddy S. Roxas and Noe Dela Fuente.*

*WHEREAS, Section 15, Article II, of the 1987 Philippine Constitution provides that the State shall protect and promote the right to health of the people and instill health consciousness among them;*

*WHEREAS, on March 6, 2020, President Rodrigo R. Duterte issued Proclamation No. 922, S-2020 declaring a State of Public Health Emergency throughout the country to address the COVID-19 threat to public health and national security, and to strengthen the whole-of-government approach in containing the outbreak in the country;*

*WHEREAS, upon recommendation of the Inter-Agency Task Force for the Management of Emerging Infectious Disease in the Philippines (IATF) the President directed the adoption of stringent social distancing and community quarantine measures and guidelines in the National Capital Region (NCR) effective March 15, 2020 to contain the spread of COVID-19;*

*WHEREAS, Presidential Proclamation No.929, S-2020 signed on March 16, 2020, declared a State of Calamity throughout the country due to COVID-19 for a period of six (6) months and enjoined all government agencies and the LGUs to render full assistance to and cooperation with each other, and to mobilize the necessary resources to undertake critical, urgent and appropriate disaster response aid and measures in a timely manner to curtail and eliminate the threat of COVID-19;*

*WHEREAS, on April 30, 2020, President Rodrigo R. Duterte issued Executive Order No.112, S-2020 entitled: Imposing an Enhanced Community Quarantine in High-Risk Geographic Areas of the Philippines and a General Community Quarantine in The Rest of the Country from 01 to 15 May 2020, Adopting the Omnibus Guidelines on the Implementation thereof, and for Other Purposes;*

*WHEREAS, on May 15, 2020 during the 37<sup>th</sup> Inter-Agency Task Force Meeting, the IATF approved the Omnibus Guidelines on the Implementation of the community Quarantine in the Philippines, in order to harmonize and codify existing policies of the IATF and member-agencies pertaining to community, which shall be applied to all regions, provinces, cities, municipalities and barangays placed under community quarantine;*

*WHEREAS, the Honorable City Mayor Ma. Josefina G. Belmonte issued a Memorandum on 14 June 2020 allowing limited dine-in operations for food establishments starting June 15, 2020 with several guidelines for entry and exit, store layout, and customer orders and interaction, among others;*

*WHEREAS, food establishments are directed to observe physical distancing by having the customers to be seated one seat apart, or a minimum of one-meter distance from another and wherein physical distancing is not feasible, impermeable dividers should be placed between seats to prevent physical contact;*

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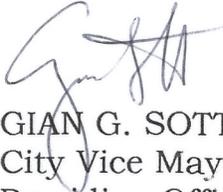
WHEREAS, in order to avoid community transmission, food establishments with sit-in/dine-in establishments should strictly implement the social distancing protocols given to them, including the placing of area dividers between seats to prevent physical contact.

NOW, THEREFORE,

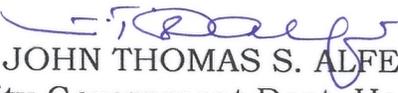
BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to urge, as it does hereby urge, all food establishments with sit-in/dine-in services in Quezon City to strictly implement social distancing protocols given to them, including the placing of area dividers between seats to prevent physical contact.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that the City Health Department, through its Sanitation Division, monitors the compliance of these establishments on the social distancing protocols pursuant to the existing Ordinances, Executive Orders and related laws.

ADOPTED: June 15, 2020.

  
GIAN G. SOTTO  
City Vice Mayor  
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 June 15, 2020 under Suspended Rules and was CONFIRMED on the same date.

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



