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QUEZON CITY COUNCIL

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21st City Council

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41st Regular Session

RESOLUTION NO. SP- **8294**, S-2020

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MAYOR, HONORABLE MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE, TO ENTER INTO A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH THE NATIONAL TEACHERS COLLEGE IN PROVIDING JUNIOR AND SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH OF THE CITY ACCESS TO ONLINE AND REMOTE LEARNING MODALITIES.

Introduced by Councilor IRENE R. BELMONTE.

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, Franz S. Pumaren, Kate Galang-Coseteng, Matias John T. Defensor, Wencerom Benedict C. Lagumbay, Jorge L. Banal, Sr., Peachy V. De Leon, Imee A. Rillo, Marra C. Suntay, Resty B. Malañgen, Ivy L. Lagman, Hero M. Bautista, Jose A. Visaya, Patrick Michael Vargas, Shaira L. Liban, 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, Freddy S. Roxas and Noe Dela Fuente.

WHEREAS, on 8 March 2020, President Rodrigo Roa Duterte declared a State of Public Health Emergency in the Philippines through Proclamation No. 922 to facilitate measures to address the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) pandemic;

WHEREAS, in a Special Session held on 13 March 2020, the Quezon City Council adopted Resolution No. SP-8141, Series of 2020, which declared a State of Calamity in Quezon City due to COVID-19;

WHEREAS, in view of the prevailing public health situation that has significantly affected the education sector, national education authorities have implemented "blended or hybrid learning" a combination of online distant learning, in-person delivery of printed materials to the learners, and usage of television and radio broadcast, as alternative to face-to-face learning;

WHEREAS, the National Teachers College (NTC), a Private Higher Education Institution expressed its desire to provide Junior and Senior High School youth of the City access to quality education through online and remote learning modalities;

WHEREAS, NTC can facilitate student's access to Government Educational Subsidy Program such as the Education Service Contracting (ESC) Program for Junior High School and the Senior High School Voucher Program;

WHEREAS, the NTC has offered to extend educational opportunities to Junior and Senior High School students of the LGU, to be known as PROJECT TALA: TULOY ARAL LINANG ALALAY Scholarship Program. Under this program, the Department of Education will shoulder part of the tuition cost of NTC's distance learning curriculum for deserving students through the voucher system;

WHEREAS, the Quezon City Government graciously accepted the promotion of the aforesaid program for its constituents;

WHEREAS, both parties endeavor to support and promote each other's policies and programs pursuant to the objectives set out in the Memorandum of Agreement;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 455 (b)(1)(vi) of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, the City Mayor shall represent the City in all its business transactions and sign in its behalf all bonds, contracts and obligations and such other documents upon the authority of the Sangguniang Panlungsod or pursuant to law or ordinance.

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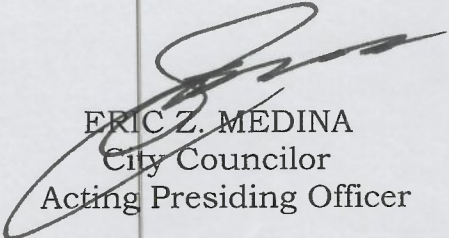
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NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to authorize, as it does hereby authorize, the City Mayor, Honorable Ma. Josefina G. Belmonte, to enter into a Memorandum of Agreement with the National Teachers College in providing Junior and Senior High School youth of the City access to online and remote learning modalities.

ADOPTED: September 21, 2020.


ERIC Z. MEDINA
City Councilor
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 September 21, 2020 and was CONFIRMED on September 28, 2020.


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

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