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QUEZON CITY COUNCIL
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RESOLUTION NO. SP-**8392**, S-2020

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MAYOR, HONORABLE MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE, TO EXTEND FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE IN BEHALF OF THE QUEZON CITY GOVERNMENT TO EACH INFORMAL SETTLER FAMILIES (ISFs) LIVING IN DANGER AREAS WHO WILL BE RELOCATED TO ANY GOVERNMENT RESETTLEMENT SITES, TO BE TAKEN FROM THE APPROPRIATION FOR GRANTS, AIDS AND SUBSIDIES UNDER THE OFFICE OF THE CITY MAYOR OR FROM ANY AVAILABLE FUNDS.

Introduced by Councilors MARIVIC CO-PILAR 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, Eden Delilah "Candy" A. Medina, Ramon P. Medalla, Mikey F. Belmonte, Estrella C. Valmocina, 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, 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, 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, Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the "Local Government Code of 1991," provides that every local government unit shall exercise the powers expressly granted, those necessarily implied therefrom, as well as powers necessary, appropriate, or incidental of its efficient and effective governance, and which are essential to the promotion of the general welfare. Within their respective territorial jurisdictions, local government units shall ensure and support, among other things, promote health and safety, enhance economic prosperity and social justice, and preserve the comfort and convenience of the inhabitants;

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. SP-2771, S-2018, otherwise known as the "Quezon City Comprehensive Socialized Housing Code of 2018," defines danger areas as a location where the presence of a hazard may cause loss of life, injury or other health impacts, and property damage. It includes esteros, railroad tracks, garbage dumps, riverbanks, shorelines, waterways, public spaces such as sidewalks, roads, parks, playgrounds, transmission lines, fault lines, and areas prone to fire, liquefaction and landslides;

WHEREAS, those living in the said danger areas are mostly underprivileged and homeless citizens or individuals or families whose income or combined household income falls within the poverty threshold as defined by the National Economic and Development Authority, and who do not live in housing facilities;

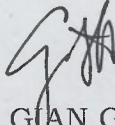
WHEREAS, the Updated Local Shelter Plan of the Quezon City Government for the period 2020-2025 has identified almost 10,000 Informal Settler Families (ISFs) living in danger areas, where 6,000 of those are targeted to be relocated for the next six (6) years;

WHEREAS, the need to address the welfare of those ISFs living in danger areas is an urgent matter the City Council should act upon.

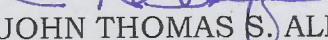
NOW, THEREFORE,

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 extend financial assistance in behalf of the Quezon City Government to each Informal Settler Families (ISFs) living in danger areas who will be relocated to any government resettlement sites, to be taken from the appropriation for grants, aids and subsidies under the Office of the City Mayor or from any available funds.

ADOPTED: December 7, 2020.

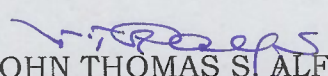

GIAN G. SOTTO
City Vice Mayor
Presiding Officer

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 December 7, 2020 and was CONFIRMED on December 14, 2020.


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

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