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ORDINANCE NO. SP- 3010 , S-2021

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING AND INSTITUTIONALIZING THE SEAL OF GOOD YOUTH GOVERNANCE FOR THE SANGGUNIANG KABATAAN OF QUEZON CITY AND ALLOCATING FUNDS FOR THE PURPOSE OF THE SEAL OF GOOD YOUTH GOVERNANCE INCENTIVE.

Introduced by Councilor NOE DELA FUENTE.

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Resty B. Malañgen, Ivy L. Lagman, Patrick Michael Vargas,
Shaira L. Liban, Ram V. Medalla, Allan Butch T. Francisco,
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WHEREAS, it is a declared policy of the State under Section 2 of Republic Act No. 10742, otherwise known as the "Sangguniang Kabataan Reform Act of 2015", that the State shall establish adequate, effective, responsive and enabling mechanisms and support systems that will ensure the meaningful participation of the youth in local governance and nation-building;

WHEREAS, in order to ensure good governance at the level of Sangguniang Kabataan, it is imperative that all shall espouse responsible good governance taking into consideration the parameters of effective governance, transparency, accountability and youth participation;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 8(h) of Republic Act No. 10742 which provides that the Sangguniang Kabataan shall prepare plans and execute projects and programs of specific advocacies like good governance, climate change adaptation, disaster risk reduction and resiliency, youth employment and livelihood, health and anti-drug abuse, gender sensitivity, and sports development;

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WHEREAS, at present, there exists no established mechanism that would serve as an assessment tool or barometer appropriately suited for the independent Sangguniang Kabataan system of administrative governance, planning and execution of SK projects and programs;

WHEREAS, the Quezon City Youth Parliament agreed collectively to formulate a mechanism that would assess and monitor the system of administrative governance in the level of the Sangguniang Kabataan;

WHEREAS, the idealism of QC Sangguniang Kabataan officials in governance is highly laudable and truly deserves appropriate recognition as they apply resourceful and dynamic means of leadership and governance that is indeed worthy of emulation;

WHEREAS, the Panlungsod na Pederasyon ng Sangguniang Kabataan deems it proper to formally recognize and set a standard of excellence in the administration and implementation of SK projects and programs through the establishment of the Seal of Good Youth Governance (SGYG) for the Sangguniang Kabataan so as to realize the aforementioned objectives and likewise achieve the targeted Local Youth Development Plan (LYDP), in line with the Philippine Youth Development Plan (PYDP) and the local development plans of the Local Government unit.

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

SECTION 1. COVERAGE. - All One Hundred Forty-Two (142) barangays within the territorial jurisdiction of Quezon City shall be covered by the provisions of this ordinance.

SECTION 2. The Seal of Good Youth Governance (SGYG) is an award, incentive, honor, and recognition-based program for all Sangguniang Kabataan (SK) to elevate the practice of governance that values transparency, accountability, participation, and performance in an institutionalized status. SGYG is awarded to SKs who were able to achieve a satisfactory rating in the following performance indicators:

- 1. Good Planning with a Comprehensive Development Plan and Executive Legislative Agenda;
- 2. Maximizing constituent involvement in the social, cultural, and economic programs and initiatives of the SKs;











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- 3. Sound Fiscal Management with COA findings or observations, status of implementation of audit findings, SK annual budget, the updated local revenue code, and annual and quarterly statement of receipts and expenditures;
- 4. Transparency and Accountability in compliance with the Anti-Red Tape Act; and full disclosure of local budget and finances preparation, bids and public offerings;
- 5. Project Performance Indicator Benchmarks inclusion to determine the successful implementation and impact of projects by SKs through a globally recognized system of performance monitoring;
- 6. Education and Training given by the SK's to their constituents to politically and economically empower them, such as but not limited to: vocational training, voter's education, among others;
- 7. Effective Collaboration with various governmental and non-governmental organizations in the formulation and implementation of the SKs various programs;
- 8. Professionalization of the local SK organization and its processes. Including the participation of SK official in formal training and education necessary to the performance of their duty; and
- 9. Local Grievance and Dispute Resolution Machinery in resolving inter or intra-barangay youth disputes, as well as grievances against their local SKs, through a formal process of setting complaints and stresses of their constituents.

SECTION 3. Sangguniang Kabataan with Seal of Good Youth Governance (SGYG) shall be entitled to a Cash Award, as support fund to finance the local development initiative in furtherance of both national and local goals and strategic thrusts.

SECTION 4. CREATION OF A TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP. - There shall be created a technical working group to be composed of the following:

- a. City Mayor or his/her duly authorized representative;
- b. City Vice Mayor or his/her duly authorized representative;
- c. City Councilor, Chairperson Committee on Youth and Sports;
- d. City Council Secretary;
- e. Local Youth Development Officer;



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- f. Barangay Community Relations Department;
- g. City Budget Officer;
- h. City Accountant;
- i. DILG Quezon City Field Officer Director

SECTION 5. The budgetary allocation for the annual implementation of Seal of Good Youth Governance (SGYG) shall be appropriated and every year thereafter to be taken from any available funds of the City Mayor subject to existing accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

SECTION 6. IMPLEMENTING RULES AND REGULATIONS. - Within sixty (60) days from the approval of this Ordinance, the Technical Working Group shall formulate and issue the appropriate rules and regulations necessary for the effective and efficient implementation of this Ordinance.

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

ENACTED: February 22, 2021.

GIAN G. SOTTO City Vice Mayor Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

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

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APPROVED:

MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE City Mayor

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Ordinance was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on February 22, 2021 and was PASSED on Third/Final Reading on March 1, 2021.

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

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