



REPUBLIKA NG PILIPINAS
TANGGAPAN NG SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD
Lungsod ng Bacolod

CITY ORDINANCE NO. 100
July 29, 1993

AN ORDINANCE CREATING THE BACOLOD TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT COUNCIL (BTMC).

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Bacolod through Resolution No. 302, Series of 1992 has created a study group committee on Traffic and Transportation;

WHEREAS, the main functions of the study group committee is to conduct studies and traffic experiments and to submit its findings and recommendations to the Sangguniang Panlungsod;

WHEREAS, Bacolod City, a highly urbanized city, is a fast growing metropolis. Considering that it is now the convention city of the South, traffic management and engineering must be considered as one of the priority areas;

WHEREAS, records of the LTO-Bacolod show that population of vehicles for the last 5 years has an average increase of 3,000 units per year;

WHEREAS, the study group on traffic and transportation is recommending the creation of the Bacolod Traffic Management Council (BTMC) to undertake, on a permanent basis, long term study, monitoring and assessment of the traffic and transportation problems of the City.

Be it ordained by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Bacolod that:

Section 1 - Title. An ordinance creating the Bacolod Traffic Management Council defining its composition, functions and responsibilities.

Section 2 - The composition of the Bacolod Traffic Management Council shall be as follows:

- 2.1 City Mayor or his duly authorized representative;
- 2.2 A member of the Sangguniang Panlungsod to be chosen from among its members;
- 2.3 Bacolod Chief of Police or his duly authorized representative;
- 2.4 City Engineer or his duly authorized representative;
- 2.5 City Planning and Development Officer or his duly authorized representative;
- 2.6 A duly authorized representative of the Integrated Bar of the Philippines Negros Occidental Chapter;
- 2.7 A duly authorized representative of the Hotel and Restaurant Association of Negros (Tourism Oriented Organization);

- 2.8 A duly authorized representative of the United Architects of the Philippines. (UAP - Bacolod - Chapter);
- 2.9 Land Transportation Office - District Head or his duly authorized representative;

Section 3 - Functions of the BTMC:

- 3.1 BTMC shall assist the City Government of Bacolod in the planning of traffic related programs, projects and activities.
- 3.2 The BTMC shall serve as an advisory body to the Bacolod PNP Traffic Division.
- 3.3 The BTMC shall assist the City Government and the Bacolod PNP in the effective implementation of the Traffic rules and ordinances of the city.
- 3.4 The BTMC shall conduct an effective study on Traffic and Transportation Management and Traffic Engineering of the City of Bacolod and, upon authority of the Sangguniang Panlungsod, shall conduct traffic experiments for the furtherance of the Traffic Development Programs of the City.
- 3.5 The BTMC shall assist the Sangguniang Panlungsod in the formulation, study and updating of Traffic Ordinances of the City to conform to the present and future Traffic conditions of the City of Bacolod.
- 3.6 The BTMC shall call on NGOs and other professional groups as may be necessary who can assist them to undertake safety and educational programs such as, but not limited to, drivers' seminars, traffic sequence information campaign, in-school educational seminars, and other programs related to traffic safety.
- 3.7 The BTMC shall undertake programs to uplift the welfare of the traffic police personnel of the City of Bacolod.
- 3.8 The BTMC shall regularly submit every 6 months a report of its activities and programs and recommendations to the Office of the Mayor and the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Bacolod City for appropriate action.

Section 4 - Funding. A budget of P120,000.00 per annum for the operational and administrative expenses of BTMC is hereby appropriated.

Section 5 - Effectivity. This ordinance shall take effect after its publication.

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CARRIED BY THE VOTE OF:

Affirmative:

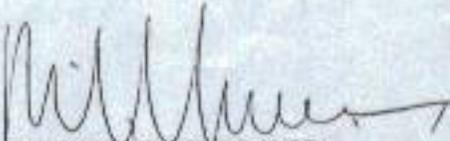
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Juanito S. Amihan, Jr., Napoleon A. Cordova,
Constancio G. Legaspi, Luzviminda S. Valdez,
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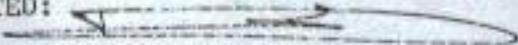
Absent : Councilor Josquin L. Torre - On Official Travel.
Councilor Mario V. Salazar, Jr.

Passed : July 29, 1993.

Comments : P a s s e d .
Councilors Alfredo G. Jalbuena, Jr., and
Jovito H. Sayson were no longer around when
this ordinance was passed.


ROLANDO V. VILLAMOR
Acting Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:


ATTY. NILO T. ALEJANDRINO
Secretary to the Sanggunian

APPROVED: _____, 1993.

ALFREDO L. MONTELIBANO, JR.
City Mayor