

REPUBLIKA NG FILIPINAS
TANGGAPAN NG SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD
Lungsod ng Bacolod

CITY ORDINANCE NO. 114
October 8, 1994

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A NIGHT MARKET IN THE CITY OF BACOLOD.

Be it ordained by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Bacolod, that:

WHEREAS, Night Market could be a source of livelihood for vendors and shall discourage sidewalk vending and solve the problem of the same;

WHEREAS, Night Market would be a place to sell bargain items and also a revenue for the government;

WHEREAS, Night Market will not compete with business establishment because its operation will start at 8:00 P.M. when all business establishments are already closed;

WHEREAS, Night Market will provide cheaper goods to our people and tourist;

WHEREAS, Night Market will create jobs, economic opportunity and business activity during night time;

WHEREAS, traffic along Gatuslao-Luzuriaga-Gatuslao-San Sebastian shall be closed from 8:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m. the following day, giving the area to the Night Market.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD OF BACOLOD, in session assembled, that:

SECTION 1 - A portion of Gatuslao-Luzuriaga-San Sebastian Streets Bacolod City is hereby designated as the Night Market area.

SECTION 2- Traffic from North to South shall be re-routed from 8:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m. the following day, taking the Luzuriaga Street, keeping Luzuriaga Gatuslao and San Sebastian Gatuslao Streets closed to traffic during those mentioned hours.

SECTION 3 - Definition of Terms- When used in this ordinance, the following terms shall have meanings, respectively assigned to them:

a) Night Market - a place designated by the city where various goods and wares are displayed for sale to the public during night time from 8:00 o'clock in evening to 6:00 o'clock in the morning.

b) Goods ----- items that are sold whether it be agricultural or marine products, dry goods, foods and the like.

c) Agricultural Products- items like vegetables, fruits, eggs, chicken, pork, meat, rootcrops, rice and corn.

SECTION 4 - Vendors allowed in this Night Market shall begin displaying their wares at exactly 8:00 p.m. and shall remove the same before 6:00 a.m. the following day.

SECTION 5 - A storage fee of P50.00 per day will be charged to the vendors whose vending paraphernalias are not removed during the prescribed period of time. Provided, that the vending paraphernalias should be kept in the Office of the Department of Public Services and that the vendors who are subject to this fee shall redeem the same within the hours between 10:00 o'clock in the morning to 12:00 noon. Otherwise, the DPS shall have a free hand to dispose of the same, with the proceeds going to the coffers of the city.

SECTION 6- Vendors should be encouraged to form a Night Market Vendors Association and shall assist in the maintenance of cleanliness, sanitation, peace and order of the area.

SECTION 7- The Department of Public Services is hereby empowered to have all unclaimed vending paraphernalias brought to the DPS Compound for storage, safekeeping and disposal. Provided, the proceeds thereof shall likewise go to the coffers of the city.

SECTION 8- The streets utilized as Night Market shall be divided into three (3) sections such as dry goods, marine products and agricultural products.

SECTION 9 - The Bacolod City Police Command shall assist the vendors in the maintenance of peace and order.

SECTION 10 - The Fire Department shall assist in cleaning the area with water every morning.

SECTION 11- Vendors shall obtain business permits under the peddlers category and automatically become members of the night market association which shall be formed by Night Market Vendors and shall follow all the guidelines set by the association.

SECTION 12 - A Special Committee on Awards shall be constituted to accept application for business to engage in Night Market, which shall be composed of the City Mayor or his duly authorized representative who shall act as Chairman, a representative from the Sangguniang Panlungsod as Vice -Chairman and from the City Treasurer's Office as member. The President of the Night Market Vendors Association shall be a member ex-officio of the Special Committee on Awards.

SECTION 13 - Only residents of Bacolod City for at least one (1) year as certified by their Barangay Captain are qualified to apply to engage business in the Night Market.

SECTION 14 - The Special Committee on Awards shall promulgate implementing guidelines and regulations relative to the operations of Night Market with power to adjudicate and decide on conflicts relative to awards, qualifications of vendors, fix the fees and other matters relating to Night Market operations.

SECTION 15- Repealing Clause - All existing ordinances contrary to this ordinance is hereby repealed.

SECTION 16 - Penal Clause - Any violation of this ordinance particularly Section 4 is punished by an imprisonment of Thirty (30) days and/or fine of P100.00 upon the discretion of the court.

SECTION 17 - Effectivity Clause - This ordinance shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in a newspaper of local circulation.

CARRIED BY THE VOTE OF:

Affirmative:

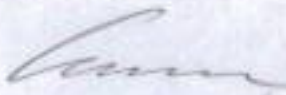
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Negative : None.

Absent : None.


Passed : October 8, 1994

Comments : Passed.
Councilor Arturo V. Parreño was out of the session when this resolution was passed.


EVELIO R. LEONARDIA
Vice Mayor
Presiding Officer

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ATTESTED:


ATTY. NILO T. ALEJANDRINO
Secretary to the Sanggunian

APPROVED: October 24, 1994


ALFREDO L. MANTELILANO, JR.
City Mayor

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