REPUBLIKA NG PILIPINAS TANGGAPAN NG SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD LUNGSOD NG BAKOLOD -000-

CITY ORDINANCE NO. 1064 February 21, 2024

AN ORDINANCE DECLARING AS AN ANNUAL CELEBRATION THE "PASIDUNGOG PARA SA MGA DALAYAWON NGA MGA ESTUDYANTE KAG HUMALAMPANG", PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, on December 9, 2023, the very first "Pasidungog Para sa mga Dalayawon nga mga Humalampang kag Estudyante" was a resounding success which certainly served as the beacon in making certain its celebration in the decades to come;

WHEREAS, the purpose of this ordinance is to make more effective and efficient the celebration of our academic and sports achievers by establishing a proper and ready venue, ensuring the cost efficient production of medals, trophies, and certificates, and all other ancillary preparations to always make the annual celebration a success;

WHEREAS, this ordinance shall serve as an avenue for the three (3) ordinances respectively pertaining to bar and board topnotchers, high school academic achievers, and sports achievers in the international, national, and local stages;

WHEREAS, the ordinances referred to by the immediately preceding paragraph are: City Ordinance No. 880, or otherwise known as the "SPORTS INCENTIVES ORDINANCE OF BACOLOD CITY"; City Ordinance No. 1006, or otherwise known as the "BACOLOD TOPNOTCHERS INCENTIVE ORDINANCE", and City Ordinance No. 08-15-723, or otherwise known as the "HONOR STUDENTS INCENTIVES ORDINANCE OF BACOLOD CITY", as amended.

WHEREAS, the funding provided for in the said ordinances refer only to the incentives granted to the awardees and exclude the costs and necessary expenses in the preparations for awarding ceremonies;

WHEREAS, the incentives and recognition set forth in the aforementioned ordinances shall now be collectively awarded, recognized, and celebrated at a single event which shall be held annually, on a date that shall be decided by the Committee;

NOW THEREFORE, LET IT BE ORDAINED AS IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD IN SESSION THAT:

ARTICLE 1. SHORT TITLE. This Ordinance shall be known as the "PASIDUNGOG PARA SA MGA DALAYAWON NGA MGA HUMALAMPANG KAG ESTUDYANTE".

ARTICLE 2. This Ordinance shall consolidate the awarding, recognition, and celebration of the three (3) Ordinances in a single event. The Ordinances mentioned are:

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- 1) City Ordinance No. 880 or "AN ORDINANCE GRANTING SCHOLARSHIP FOR YOUTH EXCELLENCE IN SPORTS AND GIVING OF INCENTIVES TO WINNERS OF REGIONAL, NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL YOUTH SPORTS EVENTS, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES";
- 2) City Ordinance No. 1006 or "AN ORDINANCE GRANTING CASH INCENTIVES TO EXAMINEES WHO EXCELLED IN EITHER THE BAR OR BOARD EXAMINATION AND DECLARED TOPNOTCHERS BY EITHER THE SUPREME COURT OF THE PHILIPPINES OR THE PROFESSIONAL REGULATIONS COMMISSIONS RESPECTIVELY, PROVIDING FUNDS THEREFOR AND OTHER PURPOSES"; and
- 3) City Ordinance No. 08-15-723, as amended, or "AN ORDINANCE GRANTING AWARDS AND INCENTIVES TO THE GRADUATING HONOR STUDENTS OF ALL PUBLIC AND PRIVATE ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOLS IN THE CITY OF BACOLOD AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES".

ARTICLE 3. CREATION OF THE PASIDUNGOG COMMITTEE AND THEIR DUTIES.

Section 1. The Pasidungog Committee is hereby created for the implementation and monitoring of this ordinance. The Committee shall be composed of the following:

Chairperson - City Mayor

Vice-Chair - Chairperson, SP Committee on Youth and Sports

Members - At least one (1) representative from the:

- a. General Services Office
- b. City Treasurer's Office
- c. City Public Information Office
- d. Public Order and Safety Officer (POSO)
- e. City Budget Office
- f. Professional Regulations Commission (PRC)
- g. Department of Education (DepEd) Division of Bacolod City
- h. Office of the Youth and Sports Development
- i. NOPPSCEA
- i. Bacolod City Sports Council

Section 2. The members of said committee shall perform the following duties:

a. The representatives from the Professional Regulations Commission (PRC), the Department of Education (DepEd) Division of Bacolod City, and Office of the Youth and Sports Development shall periodically, the frequency of which shall be determined by the Committee, be requested with reports of the names of the awardees falling under their respective jurisdictions;

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- b. The City Public Information Office shall be responsible for the information dissemination regarding this ordinance and the appropriate public promotion of the event;
- c. The Committee shall meet regularly, or as often as necessary, to ensure the proper execution of the activity and to set the schedule and venue thereof.

ARTICLE 4. SCHEDULE. The schedule of the awarding ceremony shall be held every December on a date to be determined by the Committee.

ARTICLE 5. VENUE. The venue shall be subject to change on a regular basis, upon the deliberation and discretion of the Committee.

ARTICLE 6. APPROPRIATIONS. Necessary funds are hereby appropriated from the General Fund and other available funds of the City Government for the implementation of this ordinance. Funds in the amount of **TWO MILLION PESOS (PHP 2,000,000.00)** shall be allocated annually by the City to defray the expenses for the conduct of the awarding ceremony.

ARTICLE 7. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. If it is declared that a portion of, or all the provisions found in this Ordinance is unconstitutional, the same shall be inoperable. Except to the remainder not so affected which shall maintain in full force and effect.

ARTICLE 8. This Ordinance shall take effect 15 days after publication.

CARRIED BY THE VOTE OF:

Affirmative:

Councilors:

Cindy T. Rojas, Em L. Ang, Al Victor A. Espino, Vladimir S. Gonzalez, Renecito S. Novero, Jason Isidro S. Villarosa, Claudio Jesus Raymundo A. Puentevella, Celia Matea R. Flor, Psyche Marie E. Sy,

Danna Marie C. Barzo.

Negative: None.

Official Travel: Vice Mayor El Cid M. Familiaran.

Official Leave: Councilors Simplicia Z. Distrito and Lady Gles Gonzales-Pallen.

Absent: None.

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Passed: February 21, 2024 (86th Regular Session of the 11th Council).

Comments: Passed.

Councilor Israel P. Salanga was not around when this ordinance was

passed.

ATTESTED:

ATTY: VICENTE C. PETIERRE JII Secretary to the Sanggunian

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SP LEGISLATIVE SERVICES SECTION DATE: March 7, 2024 TIME: JUST P. M

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